

Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad

Misra Centre for Financial Markets and Economy

Invites applications for the position of

RESEARCH ASSOCIATE

The Misra Centre for Financial Markets and Economy (MCFME) at IIM Ahmedabad is hiring a full time Research Associate to provide research support on topical issues related to the Indian and global financial markets and economy. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to, collecting and compiling financial and economic data from various sources, preparing analytical reports and presentations, and supporting the Centre on a range of research and policy issues. Research Associates are expected to work independently within the scope of their responsibility.

Required qualifications & Skills

- Applicants must have a Master's degree in Finance, Business Administration, Economics, or related field (from top-tier institutions) with outstanding grades. Candidates with a Master's degree in Technology or Data Science with at least 1 year experience in the finance industry are also encouraged to apply.
- Preference would be given to applicants with knowledge of key financial and accounting concepts.
- Applicants must have strong quantitative analysis skills and sound knowledge of data and econometric methods. Coding/writing programs with econometric software such as STATA or R is desirable.
- Familiarity with financial databases such as Prowess and Compustat is desirable.
- Applicants must be self-motivated with excellent communication skills (both written and oral) and should be able to work in a team environment.

Duration

The position will be initially offered for a period of six months and may be extended depending on performance, at the discretion of the Centre. A Research Associate will be expected to work a minimum of 40 hours per week and may be required to travel within India.

Salary

Compensation will be commensurate with qualification and experience.

Application and deadline

Candidates meeting the above criteria may please fill this form <u>https://forms.gle/zKVUEfBgzfqXP4UE8</u> by **11th August 2022**. Shortlisted candidates may be invited for a telephone, or Zoom/Skype, or in-person interview.

If you have any query, please contact Ms. Shruti Ramakrishnan at *agm-misracentre@iima.ac.in*. We will only contact candidates shortlisted for an interview. We will not send out letters of rejection to other applicants. Emails asking for status updates will not be entertained.

About the Misra Centre at IIMA

The Misra Centre for Financial Markets and Economy is a centre of excellence at the Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad. It conducts research on financial markets and the economy (in the Indian context with global markets as the reference/benchmark) that address issues related to formulation of policy, market structure/regulations including central banks' mandate, monetary policy, fiscal developments, microstructure including commodities, banking, bond markets, SME financing, financial inclusion, insurance, real estate, etc. The Centre's objectives include building quality data, analytics, and insightful knowledge on the Indian financial markets and economy, engaging with relevant stakeholders who influence policies as well as those who are significantly affected by policies, and developing business case studies and reports for the current and future industry leaders.
