



**Department of Sociology
Faculty of Social Sciences
South Asian University
New Delhi**



Vacancy for Project Assistant/ Senior Researcher

Department of Sociology, South Asian University in collaboration with Rosa Luxemburg Stiftung (Germany) invites application for the following post:

1. Project Assistant/ Senior Researcher: Position will be based in Delhi

Scope of Position:

- The position is responsible for management and delivery of all work under this project. The position will coordinate work and will manage a core project team under the supervision of the project coordinator, as well as coordinate with the team working in some parts of South India and will hold an important responsibility for the delivery of the project.
- The position will manage project staff, develop and maintain relationships with the funding agency in India and ensure close coordination with the funding agency (Rosa Luxemburg Stiftung)
- The position will play an important role to coordinate and interact with the funding agency (Rosa Luxemburg Stiftung).

Essential Skills and experiences:

- S/he must have a post-graduate degree in social sciences preferably in Sociology, Political Science, History
- S/he must have an understanding of the theoretical paradigms in social science
- S/he should be aware of the works being done and debates generated in the context of Marxism and must have experience of working around the theme for more than two years.
- S/he must possess strong analytical, communication and interpersonal skills
- S/he must possess high-level capacity and experience in managing large budget and complex projects.
- S/he must have an experience of more than three years of managing projects.
- S/he must have a Proven analytical and decision-making skills in a challenging context.
- S/he must be proficient in Hindi and English
- S/he must be a team player.

Travel: Ability to travel within country as required.

Nature of Work: The task of the 'Senior Researcher' will be to engage in managing and running the project successfully, being part of the research being done in some parts of South India, organizing different programs related to the project, maintaining a continuous correspondence with the funding agency and any other task asked by the project coordinator.

Senior Researcher will be based at SAU, New Delhi and shall work under the guidance and supervision of the Project Manager. The Senior Researcher is also required to assist the Project Manager in day-to-day running of the project activities, in the tasks related to finance and administration. As this is a full-time position, s/he cannot hold any other job/assignments during this assignment.

2. **Duration of Work:** The incumbent would be appointed till December 2018.
3. **Stipend:** There is a provision for monthly stipend.
4. Interested candidates may apply with the following documents to Mr. Atul Chandra at marxistschool2014@gmail.com:
 1. Detailed CV
 2. One page Statement of interest on why do you want to take up this assignment
5. **Applications must reach the office by 8th February, 2018.**

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Ravi Kumar
Project Coordinator