Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations
Climate Change, Urbanisation and Sustainability Recruitment Announcement

Position: Research Associate/Consultant (Climate Change and Sustainability Team)
Location: New Delhi

Description:
Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations (ICRIER), an autonomous, policy-oriented, not-for-profit, policy think tank based in New Delhi is looking for a Research Associate/Consultant for its Climate Change and Sustainability team.

The team consists of seasoned professionals belonging to a variety of disciplines, covering multiple facets of this broad theme. The team is engaged in cutting edge research employing General Equilibrium Models (GEM), energy systems models, waste models etc. to tackle core energy and environmental issues. It offers its research services to different government ministries for shaping their negotiation stances at multiple forums such as the G20, UNFCCC etc.; and also provides timely insights into some of the key questions that the country is grappling with.

About the Position:
This is a mid-level position wherein the Research Associate/Consultant will support the team with various environmental, energy, and climate change projects. S/he will also support the thematic lead in client management and other similar managerial activities as a part of this role.

The work involves a mixed bag of responsibilities but essentially comprises of the following activities:

1. **Research and Knowledge generation:** The Research Associate/Consultant will work in a fast-paced environment and assist the team with various research projects. The study may involve primary or secondary research, and the candidate must be comfortable with both. The collected knowledge is documented in the form of reports/working papers/policy briefs/strategy papers/op-eds/journal articles depending on the need of the project.

2. **Stakeholder Management:** Management and interaction with stakeholders are critical aspects of the job. The candidate must be comfortable with networking and interacting with stakeholders regularly.

3. **Project Management:** The candidate is expected to help the team with managing the project and organising events, stakeholders' meetings, roundtables, etc. The project management activities also include dissemination activity underlined in the project.

While the abovementioned activities outline the responsibility of the candidate, it may not be limited to the same, and additional responsibility could be assigned by the thematic lead.
Job Requirements:
Typical requirements include the following:

**Education:**
- An MPhil degree or MA/ MSc. (Environment/ Statistics/ Economics/ related fields)/ MTech. (Energy/Environment) with **more than 2 years of work experience** in policy research from a reputed Indian or foreign University.

**Experience:**
- Prior experience of working on projects related to international negotiations, environment and climate mitigation, resilience and adaptation. Additional experience of working on large data sets would be preferred.
- The candidate should be **comfortable working on R or Python or Stata.** Expertise in Remote Sensing and GIS using an open-source software is an additional merit.
- As collation of data from multiple sources would be required, **experience in handling large unit-level government data (ASI, NSSO, Census, CEA, etc.)** is required.
- Good research and writing skills.
- Willingness to travel.

**Remuneration:**
The selected candidate would be paid approximately a CTC of INR 6.5 lakh per annum (negotiable based on work experience)

To apply, kindly send your detailed **CV along with a covering letter** to ssharma@icrier.res.in

**Last Date of Application: 12 March 2022.** However, the application call will remain open until a suitable candidate is found. Due to the high volumes of application received, only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for further consideration.

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