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Post-Doctoral Fellow Position at Materials Science Programme, IIT Kanpur

The Inter Disciplinary Programme on Materials Science invites applications for the position of Post-Doctoral Fellow:

- The applicants must be Indian nationals with a Ph.D degree in Engineering or Science from a recognized institute / university in India or abroad.
- Candidates who have submitted their Ph.D thesis are also eligible to apply. However, they are expected to successfully defend their Ph.D thesis within six months from the date of their joining (if selected).
- The post-doctoral fellow will be associated with a faculty member of the department, who will be their mentor.
- The applicant must specify the name of the mentor faculty member during the time of application. Potential applicants are to get in touch with prospective mentors before applying.
- Each application should be accompanied by the applicant's curriculum-vitae (CV), names and contact details of three referees familiar with the work, and a research plan.
- The CV (in pdf file format) should clearly state the educational details (along with the name of the degree, year of passing, place of study, marks/grades) and list the publications in journals and conferences separately. Copies of degree certificates are not required at this stage.
- Each application will be judged based on the merit of the work and the quality of publications. If required, short-listed applicants from within India may be invited to give a seminar in the department.
- Each appointment will be made initially for a period of one year, and it may be extended for a second year subject to satisfactory performance.
- The fellowship amount will be Rs. 50,000/- per month for the first year, Rs. 55,000/- per month for the second year, and Rs. 60,000/- per month for the third year. The candidate will also receive Rs. 1,00,000/- per year for travel and contingency.
- The post-doctoral fellows will be encouraged to participate in the departmental teaching activities such as being a tutor or a lab instructor (with an involvement of a maximum of 8 hours per week).
- For more details, the applicants can refer to the guidelines of IIT Kanpur for PDF positions, which can be found in this link [\[Guidelines for PDF scheme 2014\]](#)
- Kindly note that only one position is available at present and the last date for receiving the application is March 24, 2017.
- Candidates with a Ph.D degree from IIT Kanpur are not encouraged for this post.
- Soft copy of the application is preferred and is to be sent to guptaraj@iitk.ac.in, with the subject line as "Post-doc application for MSP". Any correspondence by post should be addressed to Head, Materials Science Programme, ACMS Building, IIT Kanpur, Kanpur 208 016, India.

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