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New Delhi-110066.



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Dated the 8th February 2016

To,
The Registrar,
Pondicherry University, B.S. Ratan,
B- B.R. Ambedkar Admp. Building,
R.V. Nagar, Kalapattinam, Puducherry - 605014.

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Subject: Inviting of applications for the award of Ms. Agatha Harrison Memorial Fellowship-2016-2017 – regarding.

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Sir/ Madam,

I am directed to say that the Ministry of Human Resource Development is inviting online application for **Ms. Agatha Harrison Memorial Fellowship**. Under this fellowship, one Indian fellow having specialization in Economics/Political Science/History is placed at St. Antony's College, Oxford, U.K. for a period of one academic year in the first instance, which can be extended for one more year.

2. You are therefore requested to circulate the enclosed advertisement in your organisation (Universities/Institutions) for inviting online applications from eligible candidates for the award of Ms. Agatha Harrison Memorial Fellowship 2016-2017. The last date of receipt of application is 29.2.2016.

Yours faithfully,

(Ghanshyam)

Under Secretary to the Government of India
Tele. No.: 26172917

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MS. AGATHA HARRISON MEMORIAL FELLOWSHIP FOR THE YEAR 2016-17

Last date for applying online: 29.02.2016

Applications are invited from Indian Nationals for the award of Ms. Agatha Harrison Memorial Fellowship (only one fellowship) which the Government of the India Instituted at St. Antony's College, Oxford (U.K.). The Fellowship is tenable for one year in the first instance, which can be extended by one year more on the basis of performance of the candidate. The fellowship carries an amount of £ 29,944.85/- per annum, the break –up of which is as under:

<i>Stipend Amount</i>	<i>£ 22,063.00</i>
<i>Travel Allowance</i>	<i>£ 890.00</i>
<i>College Lunches</i>	<i>£ 2,407.00</i>
<i>6 High Table Dinner</i>	<i>£ 679.00</i>
<i>Other Administration Charges</i>	<i>£ 3,930.85</i>
<i>Total</i>	<i>£ 29,944.85</i>

The candidate is eligible for Economy Class air passage (both ways). Only spouse of the selected candidate will be provided Economy Class Air-fare provided he/she stays in UK with the scholar for a continuous period of one year. (As the fellowship amount is sufficient for only one person, the candidate will have to meet the expenditure on maintenance of spouse).

2. *The Fellowship is meant for scholars who have specialized in Modern Indian Studies in the subject fields of **History, Economics and Political Science**. Candidates should have uniform academic record with 60% (at least) in Post Graduation and with a Ph.D. degree in the subject field chosen or published works of equivalent merit, which have received outstanding recognition. Where only grades are awarded, the candidates are required to furnish exact percentage of marks and also indicate the conversion formula. This Fellowship is intended for a young scholar, who has bent for pursuing an academic career. The status of the candidate would be equivalent to that of a Junior Research Fellow at the University of Oxford.*

EXPERINCE : A minimum of three years teaching experience at Graduate/Postgraduate level after completing PH. D. as on 29.02.2016.

AGE : Candidates should be between the age of 30 and 40 years, as on 29.02.2016.

3. *Mere fulfillment of minimum requirements as laid down in the advertisement does not qualify a candidate to be called for interview. Shortlisted candidate's name will be displayed on the Ministry's website www.mhrd.gov.in/scholarships and emails will be sent to the shortlisted candidates.*
4. *Self attested certificates/degrees including date of birth, mark-sheets in respect of all the Examinations passed, experience certificate of Employment needs to be uploaded while applying online.*
5. *Equivalent foreign degrees and diplomas are acceptable but the proof of equivalence should be furnished (Certified by the Competent Authority).*
6. *Candidates who have already been abroad for studies/training/specialization either on Scholarship or on their own for a period exceeding 6 months are eligible to apply provided they have been in India for at least 3 consecutive years after returning from abroad. Candidates residing abroad are not eligible.*
7. *While indicating the period of past experience and stay abroad, candidates should mention the specific dates.*
8. *The candidate must have completed tertiary Education in English Medium only.*
9. *Candidates must submit precise **programme of study/research (minimum 500 words)** and justification of their study/research being carried out in the United Kingdom.*
10. *Canvassing in any form will disqualify the candidate.*
11. ***The decision of the Selection Committee shall be final. No representations in this connection will be entertained.***

Please visit the below link for applying online

<http://proposal.sakshat.ac.in/scholarship/>

Note: The above link will be open from 07.02.2016 (Sunday)

FORMAT FOR ONLINE APPLICATION FORM

1. Name of the Fellowship Scheme : Agatha Harrison Memorial Fellowship 2016-17
2. Subject :
3. Personal Details:
 - Name of Candidate (in block letters) :
 - Present Address :
 - Permanent Address :
 - Mobile No. :
 - Phone No. (with STD code) :
 - Email ID : :
 - Father's Name: :
 - Sex: :
 - Marital Status :
 - Nationality :
 - Date of birth :
4. State to which the candidate belongs :
5. Academic record starting from High School/Higher Secondary (copy of the mark sheet/transcript and certificate/degree should be uploaded)

Name of the University/ Board/Institution	Examination(s) Passed	Degree Obtained	Year of Passing	Secured marks/ Maximum marks	Percentage of marks	Major subject	Upload the document
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

Note : Where no Division/Class is awarded and only grading is done, the conversion formula adopted must be uploaded.

Other details:

- 6 Have you cleared IELTS/TOEFL/GMAT? If so, give score :
- (a) IELTS :
- (b) TOEFL :
- (c) GMAT :
- 7 Details of; Professional/Practical Training :
- Research Experience :
- No. of paper published (Title of the paper/papers , Journals etc.) :
- 8 Previous Employment (Period, Designation, Employer) :
- 9 Nature of present employment (Period, Designation, Employer) :
- 10 Have you been abroad? If so give full particulars of Country/Countries visited :
- Period of stay (give details) :
- Date, Month and Year of return to India :
- Purpose of visit :

11 Name and address of three persons who are :
familiar with your work (Two of them who
taught you in an area of study relevant to course
and the third may be your employer or a person
with whom you have worked professionally)

12 Proposed programme of :
study/research/training specifying details

(Note: a research proposal must contains Title,
Abstract, Introduction, Methodology, Outcome
etc.)

13 The work at present engaged in :

14 Future plans/proposals after the :
study/research/training and its prospectus

15 What are the benefits to your home country :

16 Have you received any academic :
awards/credential such as Gold Medal, National
Awards etc. if yes, mention the name of award
and upload the supporting document(s)

17 DECLARATION

I certify that foregoing information is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and nothing has been concealed/distorted. I understand that if at any time I am found to have concealed/distorted any material information, my selection shall be liable to summarily terminated without notice and compensation.

Place :

Date :

Signature of the Candidate

Documents (Scan copy) to be uploaded at the time of online application:

- Colour passport size photograph (it must be in .jpg or .jpeg format)
 - Signature (it must be in .jpg or .jpeg format)
 - Proof of age
 - Educational Qualification
 - University/College Transcript
 - Any Academic Awards etc.
- (The size must not exceed 530 kb for each of the document, photograph, and signature)

Instruction for applying online:

1. Before filling online application clear the cache of your browser using (CTRL +F5) (Google Chrome /Internet Explorer browser is preferred) you may find some issues with other browsers.
2. Before applying, ensure that you have scan copy of the above mentioned documents.
3. SCAN DPI =200, Size- must not exceed 530 kb for each of the document, photograph, signature.
4. You can **reduce** the size of your photo using paint with following steps: **Right click on photo--> Open it with paint-> choose Resize from Menu bar--> Select pixel ratio button in the Resize section-->uncheck 'Maintain aspect ratio'--> Enter 200 in Horizontal and 230 in Vertical textbox--> and click ok button--> Now save as with new file name in .jpg or .jpeg format.**
5. Signature: You can reduce the size of your signature using paint as directed for passport size photograph above. The pixel for signature is 160 in Horizontal and 140 in Vertical.
6. Educational/other documents: To reduce the size of a document use paint with following steps: **Right click on Document--> Open it with paint-> choose Resize from menu bar->Select Percentage ratio button in the Resize section-->Enter 50 in text box; it will automatically fill 50 in next text box-->Now save as with new file name in .jpg or .jpeg format.**
7. **There is only one option to upload the documents against an education/academic qualification. Please combine the documents (example: degree certificate and marks sheet of the related course etc.). you can either make a pdf file or compress these documents as zip file. Since, it is treated as a single file the size must not exceed 530 kb.**
8. After filling all relevant fields, click submit button and wait for server response. It starts automatically uploading and saving process. It will take a few minutes to complete the process. Please do not click submit button again. After success, you will be redirected to the filled application page and you are ready to take a print out of your application.
9. Using above instruction if you are still unable to fill the online form you may contact on Telephone: 011-26172492.