

Job Title: Pre-doctoral fellow

Reports to: Professor Gautam Menon

Location: Ashoka University

Nature of work: Full Time

About Ashoka University:

10 years ago, we embarked on a journey to establish a world-class, multi-disciplinary, liberal arts and sciences university in India. Built on the finest global best practices of institution and university governance, Ashoka has truly transformed Indian higher education in India with its unique pedagogy, governance and best practices.

Ashoka is today India's #1 liberal arts and sciences university that is home to the most diverse student body, a hub for impactful research and a magnet for best-in-class faculty and staff.

Ashoka has been ranked in the top five among private Universities in India by QS Asia and has also secured top rank among all Indian Universities in the 'International Faculty' indicator. The University was earlier awarded Diamond rating by QS I.GAUGE as a recognition of its continuous focus on academic rigour, inter-disciplinary pedagogy, world-class faculty, academic research, innovative modules of engagement with the community and teaching methods. For further information, visit <u>www.ashoka.edu.in</u>.

We aim to co-create a nurturing space for our students, faculty, staff, donors and community positively through universal values:

- Be Mission-Driven
- Think Strategically
- Act Authentically
- Take Accountability
- Build Collaboration
- Deliver Excellence

About Department/Centre:

We are a group of professors at Ashoka University collaborating with a team of experts from UNESCO. Our specialties lie in the fields of economics and psychology.

Role and Responsibilities:

- Work on creating a report for UNESCO.
- Use economic and statistical modeling to analyze data
- Search for new datasets
- Possibly use innovative methods to utilize existing datasets
- Contribute to building new indices

Education Qualification:

- Master's in economics/quantitative economics or a related field

Competencies –

- Have a keen eye for detail
- Comfortable working with a team and collaborating with people from different disciplines
- Innovative and inquisitive

Skill Sets -

- Experience in working with large national-level datasets (e.g., NSS, IHDS, etc)
- Proficiency in Excel and Stata/R

Last Date for Application: 12th August 2024

Application Submission Process

Please submit an updated CV at <u>scholar.management@ashoka.edu.in</u>, with the subject line – <Job Name+MGIEP_Applicant Name>.

Kindly ensure that the application includes the last compensation received, expected salary, and notice period.

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted. Candidates applying after the due date will not be considered.

Ashoka is an equal opportunities employer. Remuneration will be competitive with Indian non-profit pay scales and will depend upon the candidate's experience levels and the overall organization's salary structure.