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POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW AT C3DAR CENTRE

IIT Mandi invites applications from candidates with an outstanding track record for positions at the level of Postdoctoral Fellow for the **C3DAR** centre.

1. Eligibility

- PhD degree holders are eligible to apply within five years after completion of their PhD.
- PhD in the domain of Structural/Earthquake/Geotechnical engineering.

2. Job Roles and Responsibilities

- Scientific Advisory and Research Support.
- Technology Transfer and Innovation Management.
- Collaboration and Outreach.
- Training and Capacity Building.

3. Application procedure

Submit your CV along with a cover letter to i-pdf@iitmandi.ac.in. Subject should be “PDF C3DAR” before **15/11/2025**.

The Postdoctoral Fellow are eligible for the following:

1	Fellowship Amount (consolidated)	Fresh PhD : ₹ 80,000 PhD+1 yr relevant experience : ₹ 85,000 PhD+2 yr relevant experiences : ₹ 90,000 PhD+3 yr relevant experiences or more : ₹ 95,000
2	Accommodation	Suitable Campus accommodation as per IIT Norms will be provided if requested and if available. Or HRA will be paid at the prevailing rates of the fellowship amount for off-campus housing.
3	Medical Benefits	A postdoctoral Fellow may avail outpatient facilities in the Institute Health Centre. No Imbursement of the cost of medicines in treatment is permissible; any outside referral shall not be reimbursable. The dependant of a Postdoctoral Fellow will be eligible for the OPD facility at the Health Centre & the Medicine available at the Pharmacy of the Health Centre. Dependents for this purpose shall be limited to the spouse and a maximum of two children.
4	Leave Rules	• A Postdoctoral Fellow shall be entitled to 30 days of annual leave in an academic year. The leave shall be earned on a pro-rata basis. • Joining report whenever leave is availed should be submitted. • The leave account of the Postdoctoral Fellow shall be maintained in the schools/centres. • No leave encashment of unutilized leaves shall be allowed. • Women Institute Post-Doctoral Fellows are eligible for Maternity Leave, subject to the following: A female PDF may be granted maternity leave for a maximum period of 03 months. Leave up to 06 weeks can also be granted for miscarriage, including medical termination of pregnancy, if supported by a proper medical certificate. Such leave can be combined with any other leave due and will not entail any loss of financial assistance.



5	Other terms and conditions	• This is purely a temporary time-bound position, and must not be considered in any way as a permanent cadre of the Institute. The maximum duration of the fellowship is up to 3 years (after annual reviews). • Research Grant of 1 lakh per year (with carryover possibilities and pro-rata basis) (up to three years). • PDF will be attached to a research group/school/centre, not to an individual faculty. However, they will be under the supervision of the research theme coordinator/chairs. • IIT Mandi PhD scholars are not eligible to apply for the Institute PDF. • Reservation/Relaxations are as per GOI Norms. <i>Preference will be given to reserve categories without compromising quality.</i> • Post-docs will be eligible to serve as co-guides for B.Tech and M.Sc/M.Tech projects.
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Important Information

- Mere eligibility will not vest any right in any candidate to be called for an interview. The decision of the Institute in all matters will be final. No correspondence will be entertained from the candidates in connection with the process of selection/ interview.
- An interview will be scheduled based on the needs of the Centre.
- The requirements of minimum qualification and/or experience may be relaxed in the case of candidates with outstanding credentials.
- The Institute reserves the right to fill or not to fill any or all the post(s) advertised without assigning any reason.
- Contact details of the Chairperson of the Centre are available at the Institute website: <https://c3dar.iitmandi.ac.in/>. The candidates may also approach them for any specific clarification.
- No information will be sent to those candidates who are not shortlisted for an interview.
- The Institute reserves the right to call only those candidates for interview who are shortlisted based on their qualification, experience, research and publication records, Centre requirements, and interaction in the Centre.
- Persons employed in Government Organizations/Quasi-Government Organizations should submit their application through the proper channel.
- Canvassing in any manner may entail disqualification of the candidature.
- Any dispute with regard to the selection/recruitment process will be subject to the Courts/Tribunals having jurisdiction over Mandi, Himachal Pradesh only.