



**P.G. DEPARTMENT OF ANTHROPOLOGY**  
**UGC-CENTRE OF ADVANCED STUDY (CAS)**  
**UTKAL UNIVERSITY (NAAC A<sup>+</sup>)**  
**BHUBANESWAR, ODISHA, INDIA – 751004**

**Prof. Prasanna Kumar Patra**  
**Project Director**  
**ICSSR – PVTGs Project**

**No. ICSSR-PVTGs-002/ 2025**  
**Dated: 11 July 2025**

Application in the prescribed format are invited from eligible Indian national for the engagement of (i) one Research Assistant (RA), and (ii) two Field Investigators on **PURELY ON TEMPORARY AND CONTRACTUAL BASIS** for the research project entitled “*A Bio-Cultural Study of the Perception and Practices around Pregnancy, childbirth, Lactation and Childcare practices of Lodha and Dongria Khondh (PVTGs) in Odisha*”, under the ICSSR Multidisciplinary Studies on Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs) of India (2024-25). They will be engaged strictly as per the ICSSR Guidelines.

Interested candidates must visit <https://utkaluniversity.ac.in/recruitment/> to know the terms and conditions, including academic qualifications, remuneration, period of engagement and application submission procedures. The University reserves the right to modify the positions, number of vacancies, selection or non-selection of any candidate, and cancel or modify this advertisement without assigning any reason. The last date of receipt of the filled-in prescribed application along with the required documents is **25 July 2025**.

**Project Director (PD)**

**Memo No. ICSSR-PVTGs-003/2025**

**Date: 11.07.2025**

Copy communicated to

1. Dr. Sili Rout, Deputy Director (I/c), RP Division, ICSSR, New Delhi
2. Dr. Subhendu Acharya, Co-PD, Scientist-D, ICMR-RMRC, Bhubaneswar – 751023
3. Dr. Ramakrishna Biswal, Co-PD, Associate Professor, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, NIT, Rourkela – 769008, Odisha

**Project Director (PD)**

**Memo No. ICSSR-PVTGs-004/2025**

**Date: 11.07.2025**

Copy communicated to

1. The Chairperson, Post Graduate Council, Utkal University.
2. All Heads of Departments of Utkal University, Bhubaneswar
3. Secretary to Vice-Chancellor, Utkal University, Bhubaneswar
4. PA to Registrar, Utkal University, Bhubaneswar
5. M/S Display Line, Plot No. 219, Saheed Nagar, Bhubaneswar – 751 007 with a request to publish the advertisement in one issue of the *Odisha Post* (Odisha Edition), the *Samaj* at the I&PR rate of Govt. of Odisha and to submit the bills in triplicate for payment.
6. The System Manager In-Charge, Computer Centre, Utkal University for uploading to the University website for information of all concerned.
7. Copy to the Notice Board, Utkal University for general information.

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**ADVERTISEMENT FOR ICSSR FUNDED RESEARCH PROJECT VACANCY**

Advt. No:01/ICSSR/PVTGs/2025

Date: 11/07/2025

Applications from eligible and interested candidates are invited for an interview for Research Assistant (01 nos.) and Field Investigator (01 nos.) under Project titled, “A Bio-Cultural Study of the Perception and Practices around Pregnancy, Childbirth, Lactation and Childcare practices of Lodha and Dongria Khondh (PVTGs) in Odisha” funded by ICSSR MDS on PVTGs Project 2024-25, purely on tenure (temporary) basis at P G Department of Anthropology, Utkal University.

The said project will be undertaken at the PG Department of Anthropology, Utkal University. The following research staff will be engaged strictly as per the ICSSR Guidelines of the PVTGs Project.

Position Name	Eligibility	Remuneration
<b>Research Assistant*</b> (01 no.)	<b>Essential Qualification:-</b> Post graduate in social science discipline (55% minimum) with NET /M.Phil. / Ph.D <b>Desirable Qualification:-</b> Proficiency in using Statistical software such as SPSS, STATA, R. Excellent qualitative and quantitative data analysis and report writing skills	Rs. 37,000/- per month  (as per ICSSR guidelines)
<b>Field Investigator**</b> (02 nos.)	<b>Essential Qualification:-</b> Post graduate in social science discipline with minimum 55% marks. 55% marks	Rs. 20,000/- per month  (as per ICSSR guidelines)

\* Research Assistant for 18 months and \*\* Two Field Investigators (1 for 12 months & 1 for 11 months)

**How to apply**

Applicants may download the application form from the University website <https://utkaluniversity.ac.in/recruitment/> and send these forms duly filled-in to Prof. Prasanna Kumar Patra, ICSSR PVTGs Project, PG Department of Anthropology, Utkal University, Vani Vihar, Bhubaneswar – 751 004, along with all the relevant documents, by SPEED POST. A soft copy of the application may be sent to [pkpatra1971@gmail.com](mailto:pkpatra1971@gmail.com).

The envelopes containing the application should be superscribed “APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF \_\_\_\_\_ IN ICSSR PVTGs PROJECT

**THE LAST DATE FOR RECEIPT OF THE APPLICATION IS 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2025.**



### **Documents to be submitted along with application forms**

- (a) Self-attested copies of certificates and mark sheets of examinations passed.
- (b) Copies of other achievements and research works.
- (c) Experience certificate, if any
- (d) Forwarding of application by the employer, if employed.
- (e) Candidates who are in service can send their applications as advance copies to save delay and the forwarding of applications will be followed by it.
- (f) The reprints of all research paper publications.

### **Other Conditions**

- (a) Candidates intending to apply for different posts are required to apply separately.
- (b) No T.A./D.A. will be paid to attend the selection committee or to join the first appointment.
- (c) Canvassing in any form by or on behalf of the candidate will be considered as disqualification.
- (d) Applications received incomplete in any respect are liable to be summarily rejected and no correspondence on that score shall be entertained.
- (e) The University reserves the right to amend/ alter/ cancel any or all conditions mentioned above, if necessary, without assigning any reason thereof.
- (f) The engagements will exclusively be for the ICSSR Research Project titled "*A Bio-Cultural Study of the Perception and Practices around Pregnancy, Childbirth, Lactation and Childcare practices of Lodha and Dongria Khondh (PVTGs) in Odisha*" under ICSSR MDS on PVTGs Project 2024-25 at the PG Department of Anthropology, Utkal University.
- (g) The shortlisted candidates will be informed by post/E-mail/Phone.
- (h) The engagements are concurrent with the availability of funds from the funding agency

  
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**Application for engagement of Research Assistant / Field Investigator**

For Office Use:	Paste self-attested Photo
Serial Number:.....	
Eligible for Interview: Yes/No	
Verified the Certificate:.....	

1.Name:										
2.Father's Name:										
3.Date of Birth:									3.(b). Nationality:	Category: SC/ST

**4. Contact Details:**

Address for Communication	
Mobile No:	
Email. ID:	

**5. Educational Qualifications**

Class	Subject/ Stream	Board/ University	Name of institute	Marks/CGPA	Year of passing
X					
+2					
+3					
MA					
M.Phil					

PhD					
Any other					

6. Qualify NET: Yes/No

7. Work Experience, if any

Organization	Designation	Duration	Responsibility

8. Publication Details

Name of the Publication	Name of the Journal	ISSN/ISBN	Year of Publication	Vol. / Issue No.

9. workshop/Training Programs attended

Name of the Program	Duration	Name of the institution	Topic of the program

10. Other Information

Sl.No	Details

11. Declaration: All the above information provided by me is true to the best of my knowledge and I understand that, if I found it incorrect, I may be disqualified to appear for the interview.

Date:

Place:

Signature of the candidate