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Call for Application for Post-Doctoral Fellowship (PDF) under "Visvesvaraya PhD Scheme for Electronics and IT: Phase II" Sponsored

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Rajiv Gandhi University, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh invites applications for Post-Doctoral Fellowship (PDF) positions under the Visvesvaraya Ph.D. Scheme for the academic year 2025-2026. For more details regarding Visvesvaraya Ph.D scheme, interested candidates may explore the web page: <http://phd.digitalindiacorporation.in/>

The designated areas of research:

AI, IoT, Machine learning, Deep learning, Security and Cryptography, Network Security, Data mining, Image Processing, Speech Processing, Game Theory, Computer Networking, Data Science, Block chain Technologies

Eligibility Conditions:

1. The PDF is awarded to researchers with a proven academic record, including peer reviewed publications and recognitions.
2. Candidates with a PhD Thesis submitted may also apply. However, if selected, you must produce the certificate of award of a PhD before joining the PDF program.
3. It is a full-time, non-transferable, temporary position enable in India only.
4. The fellowship is valid for **1 year**.
5. The PDF applicant should be an Indian citizen.
6. PDF applicants currently in regular employment will not be considered. However, scientists or researchers with temporary positions in academia or research institutions would be considered, but they would be required to relinquish their current roles if selected for the fellowship.
7. The PDF applicant must have obtained a PhD degree from a recognized University with

first class (in terms of grades, etc.) in all preceding levels and a good academic record throughout.

8. The PDF applicant should have completed Ph.D within the past 5 years on the last date of submission of application to the institution
9. PDF applicants should not have completed their Ph.D at the same institution (host institution) where the PDF fellowship is to be awarded.
10. The upper age limit for the fellowship is 40 years on the date of submission of application to the eligible participating institution (host institution).
11. The research proposal of the PDF applicant, to be submitted to the institution, should define clear objectives, outcomes and deliverables against the award.
12. Mentor/Guide of PDF fellow must hold a regular academic/research position in a recognized institution in India. He/she should hold a Ph.D. degree in Science or Engineering.
13. Preference would be given to the PDF applicants who have active industry relations, and their research proposal is directed towards industry specific problems, who are having good number of SCI indexed publications.

FELLOWSHIPDETAILS:

Category	Fellowship Amount	Duration	Additional Requirements	Supervisor/Guide (Joined Supervisor)
Post-Doctoral Fellowship (PDF)	₹1,08,393/month	Upto 1year	Contingency Grant: ₹1,00,000/year (Disbursed on a pro-rata basis, e.g., ₹25,000/quarter)	Prof. Utpal Bhattacharjee Dr. Sikdar Md Sultan Askari

How to Apply:

Interested candidates may Apply Online in the Admission portal of Rajiv Gandhi University through the link: <https://admissions.rgu.ac.in> by paying the application fee (non-refundable) through Debit Card / Credit Card/ Net banking @ Rs. 500/- per candidate (payment link is in Google form). The candidate has to pay the application fee and to duly fill up the Google form (link given bellow) on or before 08.09.2025.

Email: visvesvaraya.phd@rgu.ac.in
Google Form Link: <https://forms.gle/8fzrxj6meTenA6yB9>

The following documents are to be enclosed along with the application:

1. Proposed research plan (upto500words).
2. Scanned copy of Ph.D. degree certificate, or provisional Ph.D. degree awarded certificate, or Ph.D. thesis submitted certificate.
3. Scanned copy of Birth certificate, X Mark sheet, XII Mark sheet, Consolidated Grade / Mark Sheet with all subjects in the UG and PG Examinations.
4. Scanned copy of UG & PG Degree Certificates and Transfer Certificate.
5. Certificate of PhD
6. Research Proposal.
7. Details of Patents-Patent Certificate
 - a. For filed Patents -Relevant proof
8. Details of 5Best, recent Publications: First Page of Publication, DOI.
9. Start-up Details-Relevant Supporting Document
10. Technology and Product Developed –Relevant Supporting Document
11. Any other relevant information the applicant may like to furnish.

The candidate is responsible for the correctness of the information provided in the application. If it is found at a later date that any information given in the application is incorrect or false, the candidature/appointment is liable to be cancelled/ terminated.

The Institute reserves the right to screen and call only such candidates for an interview as are found suitable. Thus, just fulfilling the minimum eligibility criteria would not entitle one to be selected.

Selected candidates are expected to carry out their research work and other duties at Rajiv Gandhi University, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh. The Visvesvaraya Post-Doctoral Fellowship is non- transferable.

Selection Process:

Candidates must apply on or before 08.09.2025. The applications will be screened, and the applicants who are found suitable will be called for an interview.

For any further information related to this, please contact:

Dr. Sikdar Md Sultan Askari

Nodal Officer / Visvesvaraya Ph.D. scheme – Post Doctoral Fellowship

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