Sanction No and Date: **112/WLD-2025-1906/SCD Dt: 18-09-2025**	IIT (ISM) Project No. **SRDP 1241 G**	Date: **20-02-2026**

Project Staff (Field Investigator) position under (ICSSR- Punyashloka Devi Ahilyabai Holkar Special Call for Women-Led Research on Women-Led Development) Project

Applications are invited under the sponsored project. The details of the project are as under:

Position	Field Investigator
Number of Position (s)	1 (One)
Title of The Project	Towards Viksit Bharat: Case Studies on Tribal Female Sarpanches in the Mayurbhanj District of Odisha
Principal Investigator	Dr. Dipannita Chand
Tenure of Project	12 Months (3 months for Field Investigator position)
Job Description (in maximum of 100 words)	Interested candidate should be able to conduct extensive field work in multiple blocks of the Mayurbhanj district (Odisha), collect field data & conduct interviews and data transcription, through qualitative methods. Candidate should have proficiency in MS word, excel.
Essential Qualification	Post-Graduate in any Social Science discipline with minimum 55% Marks
Desirable Qualification	Experience of working with local communities of Mayurbhanj (Odisha) and fluent in speaking & writing Odia & English.
Age and Relaxation (if any)	Maximum 30 years
Fellowship	₹20,000/- (monthly)
Last Date & Time	10-03-2026

Shortlisted candidates will be informed on the date of interview. Mere possession of minimum qualification does not guarantee an invitation to the interview. Candidates will be short listed based on their merit and as per the requirement of the project. All candidates should make their own arrangements for their stay at Dhanbad, if required. No TA/DA will be paid to attend the interview.

Interested candidates can apply through the link:
https://forms.gle/kz7YXTzS3QtbtfVh9

For any queries, send an email to: dipannita@iitism.ac.in)

Dipannita Chand

(Signature of PI)