

11th Summer Workshop on Quantitative Methods in Political Science

Lokniti - Programme for Comparative Democracy, Centre for the Study of Developing Societies (CSDS), Delhi, invites applications for the **Summer Workshop on 'Analyzing Quantitative Data on Indian Politics'** to be held in Bengaluru from Monday, 10th July 2017 to Saturday, 22nd July 2017.

This is the 11th Summer School being organized by Lokniti-CSDS. Some of the leading scholars working on empirical methods in Political Science have been involved in designing this summer school. In this Summer School, there will be special emphasis on understanding of quantitative data on Indian politics. We plan to bring together a group of political scientists with the aim of providing them an opportunity to improve their skills in quantitative analysis. The selected participants will be given a set of readings before they come to attend the workshop and will be expected to attend lectures and practical data analysis sessions.

We invite the following categories of candidates to apply for this workshop (preference will be given to young researchers):

- Teachers of Political Science in colleges and universities who are working on empirical subjects and would benefit from further training.
- Research students of Political Science who are working on empirical themes for their M. Phil. or Ph. D. dissertations and can benefit from further training.
- Any other person (including those from outside Political Science and outside academia) who are interested in making sense of politics by analyzing quantitative data.

Please send your detailed CV with a statement of research interest (those already registered for M. Phil or Ph.D should clearly mention the topic of dissertation along with a brief summary of the objectives and methodologies used) in about 500 words. Applicants should also go through the questionnaire used for the National Election Study 2014 (<http://www.lokniti.org/pdf/NES-POST-POLL-2014.pdf>) and submit a 500 word Note on a research question that interests them based on this questionnaire. Selection for the workshop will be made on the basis of these two write-ups submitted by candidates. The last date for receiving the application is **Monday, 10th April 2017**.

Please note that this is a full time residential training course and candidates admitted to the workshop are expected to stay at the Institute and engage in full time work on all days during this period.

Participants need to bear their travel expenses from their place of residence to Bengaluru and back. The host institution will take care of the accommodation and food for all the participants for the entire duration of the workshop.

Please send your applications by email to summerschool@csds.in or by snail mail to:

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Two-Weeks Capacity Building Programme on

Industrialization, Corporate Sector And Development

May 22 to June 07, 2017

The Institute for Studies in Industrial Development (ISID), New Delhi offers a *Two-weeks Capacity Building Programme on "Industrialization, Corporate Sector and Development"* for faculty of Indian Universities and colleges from **May 22 to June 07, 2017**. The programme is sponsored by the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR). The programme is particularly designed for faculty and post-doctoral fellows interested in related area and teaching within the broad disciplines of economics, sociology, geography, anthropology, political science, commerce & management and development studies. The objective of the proposed programme is to familiarise teachers with the recent developments in the Indian economy with special focus on issues and debates relating to industrialization and development.

The programme is designed in an interdisciplinary approach in a workshop format enabling participants to discuss and debate relevant literature on industrialisation, critically evaluate recent trends and handle datasets and methods used in contemporary research on the subject. The content of the programme includes five broad themes: i) industry and market structure; ii) industrial finance, corporate sector and FDI; iii) trade, technology and global integration; iv) political economy of industrialisation; and v) research methodology, datasets and techniques.

Interested candidates participating in the programme may send their applications (downloadable from ISID website: <http://isid.org.in>) in prescribed format along with a write-up of about 500 words on their area of research interest to the Programme Co-ordinator through e-mail to capprog@isid.org.in on or before **16th April 2017**.

To and fro AC 3 Tier Train fare by the shortest route will be reimbursed to the selected candidates from place of study/work. Selected candidates will be intimated by **23rd April 2017**. Further details and programme updates are available at: <http://isid.org.in/capprog.html>

Faculty and Post-doctoral scholars who have applied in response to earlier advertisement in Economic and Political Weekly (EPW) dated January 18, 2017 need not apply again but they have to convey their interest to participate in the Programme as per the revised time schedule.

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