

SELECTION FOR INNOVATION STRATEGIST
FOR IIT HYDERABAD

This announcement is being released for the post of **Innovation Strategist** on Contract basis, for Suzuki Innovation Center (SIC) at IIT Hyderabad. Shortlisting will be based on online application followed by online interview for the screened-in candidates. The selected candidate is required to physically report to the office in IITH campus daily for execution of the duty. All terms and conditions of the selection and employment will be governed by IIT Hyderabad.

About SIC: Indian Institute of Technology Hyderabad (IITH) and Suzuki Motor Corporation (SMC), Japan, which is the parent company of the biggest automaker in India, started Suzuki Innovation Centre (SIC) on IITH campus with the vision of “creating innovations for India and Japan” by way of providing a platform for exchange of knowledge between the two organizations. SIC will be operated as a platform for open innovation among Industries, Academia, and Startups. The Centre will also support skill development and exchange of human resources between India and Japan.

No of Vacancies: 1

Emoluments: Rs.1,50,000 per month (based on experience and capability)

Duration: 11 Months (Extendable based on performance)

Job Description:

The key responsibilities include

1. Planning and execution of business models and pilots such as micro-mobility and supply chain projects
2. Establishing framework to collaborate with startups and incubation centers in India and Japan
3. Planning and execution for making SIC self sustainable
4. Planning and supervision of the technical projects in SIC
5. Supporting day to day activities of SIC

Eligibility and Requirements:

1. Essential Requirements:
 - a. Proficiency of Japanese language - JLPT N1 Level or Native
 - b. Minimum 10 years of work experience
 - c. Minimum 2 years work experience in the financial industry or new business development consulting

- d. Minimum 1 year work experience in an Indo-Japan collaboration project that includes government, university and corporate stakeholders from either India or Japan.
- e. Masters degree of two years duration in Economics / Business Administration / Policy
- f. Age: 35 years or above as of 1st Oct 2022

2. Desirable Requirements:

- Outstanding written and oral communication skills.
- Strong customer relationship skills, consensus building skills and the ability to cultivate and maintain professional business partnerships
- experiencing with managing investment funds for social impact projects
- Strong background in coordination with all levels of business side personnel, such as investors, financial authorities, local authorities, and academicians.
- Strong network in business community & government authorities in India and Japan

Selection Procedure:

The candidate will be shortlisted as per the information in his / her application and selected based on the performance in the Interview.

Date and Time of Interview: Will be intimated to shortlisted candidates via E-mail.

COVID-19 Instructions:

All the necessary safety precautions such as wearing a mask, maintaining physical distance of at least 6 feet, avoiding crowded places, and following the preventive measures issued by the GoI/Telangana Govt. is compulsorily within the campus to contain the spread of COVID-19.

General Instructions:

- IIT Hyderabad reserves the right to alter the number of vacancies, or keep it open till the deserving candidate is found.
- IIT Hyderabad reserves the right to close the recruitment procedure without selecting anybody, if none of the candidates is found suitable.

How to Apply:

Please use the following link to apply: <https://forms.gle/SFPL1XGFHkdf5r8C6>

Online Application Deadline: 20-10-2022 11:59 PM

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