

Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education

Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (A Deemed University)

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Visiting Fellowships 2011

HBCSE is a National Centre of TIFR devoted to science and mathematics education from primary school up to undergraduate level. The Centre is looking for competent and committed natural and social scientists, teachers and communicators holding a Ph.D. degree to contribute to its programmes, in the following areas:

- Research in Science, Technology and Mathematics Education
- Development of Curricula, Laboratories and Materials
- Teacher Orientation and Science Popularization
- Olympiads in Science and Mathematics
- NIUS: National Initiative on Undergraduate Science

Applications will be received and screened throughout the year and referees will be contacted for recommendations. Short-listed candidates will be called for a seminar/interview at HBCSE.

Selected candidates will be offered a Visiting Fellowship initially for one year, extendable by one more year. The Fellowship carries an honorarium of Rs 21,000 upwards p.m. plus 30% HRA and an annual contingency grant of Rs 20,000. At the end of the Fellowship outstanding candidates have a chance to be considered for absorption in the regular academic cadre of HBCSE.

The preferred age is below 35 years, relaxable for deserving candidates. Please apply enclosing your bio-data and including the following specific details:

1. Date of birth
2. Academic record up to Master's degree
3. One-page description of Ph.D. Work
4. Awards and scholarships
5. List of publications (with a brief note on the most significant publications)
6. Experience in teaching and science popularization
7. Names of two referees
8. A comment on the state of science education in the country and suggested improvements (about 250 words)
9. A proposal for the R&D work that you would do at HBCSE (about 250 words).

Please send a hard copy of your application to:

Prof. J. Ramadas

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