



Divecha Centre for Climate Change Indian Institute of Science Bengaluru

National Climate Science Conference
2–3 July 2015

Call for Abstracts

The Divecha Center for Climate Change at the Indian Institute of Science is organizing a two-day conference on climate science to facilitate interaction, discussions and collaborations among scientists working in the area of climate science in various Indian institutions. We invite scientists, research scholars and students from across the country to participate and contribute by giving presentations at this conference. We invite abstracts on the following themes:

Atmospheric physics and dynamics, Ocean circulation and sea level change, Monsoons and climate change, Global and regional carbon cycle, Land use and land cover change, Aerosols and cloud interaction, Water cycle, water resources and climate change, Himalayan glaciers, Palaeoclimate, Radiative forcing, feedbacks and climate change, Impacts of climate changes on agriculture, forests and water resources, and Climate engineering.

Research scholars and students who are registered for M.S./M.Tech. or Ph.D. programmes in recognized institutes/universities/organizations and doing research in climate science related topics as listed above are eligible to submit an abstract. Scientists working on problems related to climate change are also highly recommended to submit. Only candidates who are doing research on climate science related topics are encouraged to apply. Preference will be given to work of quantitative nature. Original quantitative work on adaptation and mitigation of climate change will also be considered for presentation at the meeting.

For abstract submission and other information such as conference format, travel support and contact details, please visit <http://www.dccc.iisc.ernet.in/>

Last date for submission of application is **30 April 2015**. Selected candidates will be notified by **15 May 2015**.

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Appointment of Trust Manager

Context: The Academy Trust (TAcT), founded in 2014 is not-for-profit organization. Initiated under the auspices of the Indian Academy of Sciences (www.ias.ac.in), TAcT aims at primarily engaging in promotion of science, imparting science and technology education for the benefit of public by promoting studies, teaching and research in Indian Educational Institutions at all levels through applicable programs and activities.

Purpose of job: To develop TAcT as a valuable platform for promotion of science education in India. To implement programs and coordinate mutually beneficial partnerships with academia, business and industry in line with the objectives of TAcT.

Key duties and responsibilities: The position holder shall have capabilities required to reinforce the science promotion agenda of TAcT, shall initiate and sustain strong professional relationships with key stakeholders in the science education sector across academia, business and industry in India. Proactively identify new stakeholders, mobilize donations/grants to coordinate programs keeping in line with the TAcT objectives. Actively engage with TAcT programs to provide insights to maximize outreach, quality and impact. Will be responsible for activity and financial planning, and for setting and meeting program targets.

The appointment is purely temporary for a tenure of two years.

Qualifications: A First Class Graduate Degree in Science/Engineering/Commerce from a recognized university.

Pay: A consolidated pay of Rs 40,000 per month

Experience: Shall have professional expertise (10+ years) in science education. Professional approach in establishing and maintaining effective professional relationships. Ability to work independently on own initiative to produce work in a time bound manner.

Desirable: Strong knowledge and understanding of S&T education/promotional initiatives.

Application process: Applicants must e-mail their CV and a covering letter explaining their suitability for the position (of about 500 words), to execsec@ias.ernet.in with the subject line 'Application for Trust Manager Position' by **27 April 2015**.

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