



Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology
(An Autonomous Institution under Dept of Science and Technology, Govt of India)
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Wadia Fellowship

In the honour of its founder, Prof. D. N. Wadia, FRS, the Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology (WIHG), Dehradun has instituted a high end fellowship, the 'Wadia Fellowship' to attract outstanding students for research leading to Ph.D. Degree in the field of Geosciences.

The Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology is an autonomous research organization of the Department of Science and Technology, Government of India. The Institute is equipped with the state-of-art research facilities and laboratories and is well known for its quality research in Palaeoclimatology, Glaciology, Environmental Geology, Quaternary Geology, Sedimentology, Geomorphology, Biostratigraphy, Magnetostratigraphy, Petrology and Geochemistry, Structure and Tectonics, and Palaeoseismology and Earthquake studies.

Number of 'Wadia Fellowships': 06 (per year)

Remuneration and duration: The maximum tenure of Wadia Fellowship will be for Five Years (2 years as JRF and 3 years as SRF). The Fellowship amount is Rs 29,000 + HRA per month for JRF during the first two years, and Rs 34,000 + HRA per month for next three years as Senior Research Fellow (SRF). JRF to SRF promotion after completion of second year will be on the basis of satisfactory assessment by the host institution/WIHG. The 'Wadia Fellowship' also gives an annual contingency grants of Rs 70,000 during the tenure of the Fellowship.

Essential qualifications:

- (i) Master's Degree in any field of Geosciences.
- (ii) First division throughout his/her academic career.
- (iii) CSIR/UGC NET (JRF)/GATE qualified.

Age: Not exceeding 28 years from the date of advertisement (relaxation for SC/ST/Women and OBC as per Govt of India norms).

How to apply: Interested candidates can send their applications in prescribed format along with a copy of synopsis* **within 60 days** of this advertisement to **The Director**, Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology, Dehradun. The prescribed application form for 'Wadia Fellowship' is available on WIHG website www.wihg.res.in

(*It is to be noted that a synopsis of one page research proposal pertaining to the Himalayan Geosciences has to be attached. The candidates, however, are encouraged to contact any scientists at WIHG and/or the Faculty at the host institute/university for formulation of the research programme.)

Terms and conditions

- (i) Wadia Fellows must register with a faculty/scientist for Ph.D. at any government university/institute. The Fellow will have two or more supervisors out of which one of the supervisors must be from the Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology, Dehradun.
- (ii) The Wadia Fellows will be governed by the rules and regulations of the Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology and or the host institution.
- (iii) In case the performance of a Wadia Fellow is not found satisfactory by the assessment committee, the Fellowship is liable to be terminated at any stage of the tenure.
- (iv) If suitable candidates are not available, the Institute reserves the right not to fill the position(s).