Applicants are advised to visit the NIAS website for more information on faculty and their research interests (www.nias.res.in).

Eligibility: Admissions to the NIAS Ph.D. Programme are open to those who have completed/are completing a Master’s/M.Phil. degree in any relevant subject in the conflict and security studies, natural sciences, engineering, mathematics, social sciences, humanities or the arts, and with a consistently proven academic record (minimum 55% marks). Some research and/or field experience in the concerned areas will be preferred.

Financial support: A limited number of selected candidates will be eligible to receive NIAS fellowship, which will be available for a period of four years on a yearly renewable basis. The NIAS fellowship amount is currently fixed at Rs 31,000 per month for the first two years and Rs 35,000 per month from the third year, with an additional 24% per month as House Rent Allowance. Limited hostel seats are available on campus for women.

Selection Procedure: Admission to the NIAS Ph.D. Programme will be based on a common entrance test and two levels of interview. However, the candidates who have qualified the CSIR/ DST INSPIRE/UGC-JRFNET with assured fellowship are exempted from the written examination of the NIAS common entrance test. The candidates must qualify in the two rounds of interview.

The admissions are also open to those candidates who have an employer sponsorship or are self-funded. They must clear the NIAS entrance exam and the two rounds of interview. Under no circumstances will NIAS financially support externally and self-funded candidates.

How to apply: Applications are accepted through online only. For further details please visit: http://www.nias.res.in/content/online-application-doctoral-programme

Please note that the Institute will accept applications submitted by online only. The deadline for receiving application with all required documents by online is 20 April 2020.

Short-listed candidates will be invited for a written test and interviews on 8 and 9 of June 2020.

For additional information, applicants may contact: jnsandhya@nias.res.in, admin@nias.res.in

DST-Mahamana Centre of Excellence in Climate Change Research
Institute of Environment and Sustainable Development, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi 221 005
URL: http://mceccr.in/

Applications are invited from highly motivated candidates for various research positions in DST-Mahamana Centre of Excellence in Climate Change Research established under the National Mission for Strategic Knowledge on Climate Change (NMSKCC), DST at Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi. The post is temporary and co-terminus with the project. The appointments are initially for six months, but extendable depending upon the performance of the selected candidates. The total emoluments for Research positions are as per DST norms. Meritorious and highly promising candidates joining in junior research positions will get an opportunity to register for Ph.D. provided fulfilling necessary eligibility requirements.

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For more details regarding essential qualifications and desirable qualification/experience, please visit
1. http://bhu.ac.in/tmp_posts/

Applications on plain paper along with complete bio-data and qualification supporting self-attested document should reach to Prof. R. K. Mall, Principal Investigator, DST-Mahamana Centre of Excellence in Climate Change Research, IESD, BHU, Varanasi 221 005 through speed post within 21 days from the date of advertisement along with a soft copy to mceccr@gmail.com. No TA/DA will be paid if called for written test/interview.