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Online Applications are invited from Indian citizens for the following temporary positions in the Indian **Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR)** funded project under the **Family and Family Systems in India (2025-26)** grant entitled **“Role of Social Institutions in Strengthening the Family System: A Dharmaśāstric Text-Based Investigation and Development of the Kuṭumba Vyavasthā Digital Portal** (File No. 31/2025-26/ICSSR/RP/FFSI/GEN dated 26.01.2026)” at the Department of Sanskrit, University of Delhi, Delhi. The positions are purely temporary in nature and co-terminus with the project. The details of the assignment are as follows:

1.	Name of the Temporary Post:	Research Assistant
2.	Number of posts	01
3.	Name of the Research Project:	Role of Social Institutions in Strengthening the Family System: A Dharmaśāstric Text-Based Investigation and Development of the Kuṭumba Vyavasthā Digital Portal
4.	Name of the Sponsoring Agency:	Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR)
5.	Tenure of the Project:	10 months
	Tenure of the Position	Initially, it will be for 6 months and extendable for up to 4 more months based on the candidate's performance and the project's requirements.
7.	Job Description:	The project aims to study the role of social institutions in strengthening the Family System based on Dharmaśāstra and develop a Concept Mining Digital Platform. Therefore, the selected candidate has to work on the following tasks: 1. Study and prepare a complete reference from the Dharmaśāstric Texts such as Manusmṛiti (MS), Yājñavalkyasmṛti (YS), Arthaśāstra (AS), Nāradaśmṛti (NS), and Shukraniti (SN) and more. 2. Prepare a database of conceptual terminology extracted from these texts. 3. Study these texts and the Creation of the conceptual mapping database. 4. Help to develop the Concept mining online tools. 5. Manage the files and other work related to the project.
8.	Place of work	Room No. 5A, Ground Floor, Satyakam Bhawan, Social Science Extension Building, University of Delhi (North Campus), Delhi -110007
9.	Age limit	Not exceeding 40 years on the date of the interview
10.	Consolidated monthly Salary/Fellowship:	Rs. 37,000/-per month consolidated
11.	Essential Qualifications and Experience:	1. Postgraduate in Sanskrit/social science discipline (55% minimum) with NET /M.Phil. / Ph.D 2. Proficient in Sanskrit, Hindi and English. 3. Proficient in Computer handling and MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and Typing in Unicode (Devanagari) and English.

		4. Experience in text digitization, data collection, analysis, handling, and report writing.
12.	Desirable Qualifications/Experiences:	1. Deep Knowledge of Social Institutions & Dharmashastric texts and concepts. 2. Concept of web-based tools and techniques. 3. Professional writing skills
13.	Selection process	Walk-in-Interview
	Last date of Application	Extended till June 05, 2026, till 5:00 PM.

The application form is available at the following link. The apply link can also be opened by scanning the QR code.:

Apply here: <https://forms.gle/p3vjLPngyYsUf99v8>



Copies of all supporting documents (Marksheet of M.A., NET, Experience in relevant field, CV with photographs) should be uploaded with form in **a single pdf file** not exceeding 10 MB on or before **June 05, 2026, till 5:00 PM.**

1. Mere possession of essential/desirable qualifications and experience does not guarantee selection for the post.
2. No TA/DA will be provided to the candidates appearing for the walk-in interview.
3. Canvassing at any selection stage will result in the cancellation of the candidature.
4. The time and date for the walk-in interview will be communicated to the shortlisted candidates through email.

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