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IIM Jammu becomes partner for MGNF prog

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JAMMU: IIM Jammu has become one of the partners out of the nine IIMs for Mahatma Gandhi National Fellowship (MGNF) under SANKALP, MSDE.

The national rollout of the fellowship was done by Union Minister Mahendra Nath Pandey, Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) during the inauguration of "Transforming Skill through Strategic Partnership under SANKALP (Skill Acquisition and Knowledge for Livelihood Promotion) in Delhi on Saturday.

Prof. B. S Sahay, Director, IIM Jammu was present at the inaugural event.

MGNF is a two-year Certificate Program in Public Policy and Management offered by the partner IIMs. It has been designed at the initiative of the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE), Government of India (GoI) and implemented in collaboration with State Skill Development Missions (SSDMs).

Designed under Skills Acquisition and Knowledge Awareness for Livelihood Promotion (SANKALP), the fellowship aims to boosting skill development at the district level. Proficiency in official language of state of fieldwork will be mandatory.

Govt launches Mahatma Gandhi National Fellowship with monthly stipend of up to Rs 60,000

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The Union Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship has launched the Mahatma Gandhi National Fellowship in association with nine IIMs of the country. Selected fellows will be given a stipend of about Rs 50,000 per month during the first year and Rs 60,000 per month during the second year of the fellowship programme. The government has invited applications from the interested candidates and the registrations will remain open between February 15 and March 27, The Indian Express reported.

The fellowship, which is being offered under the World Bank loan assisted programme SANKALP, will have two stages. In the preliminary stage, the fellows will be imparted training by the nine top IIMs of the country and in the later phase of the fellowship, the fellows will work on strengthening the District Skill Committees and the District Skill administration. The fellows will be imparted training to understand the overall skill development ecosystem and knowledge base to take the skill development programmes of the government in the right direction. After completing their training, the fellows will be attached to the District Skill Committees and help in the formulation of the District Skill Development Plans at the district level.

It is pertinent to note that the Mahatma Gandhi National Fellowship (MGNF) has already been piloted on a small scale in a total of 69 districts of the country by imparting training to 69 fellows. The government has now decided to expand the scheme to all the districts of the country. The nine Indian Institute of Management institutes, which

are associated with the MGNF include IIM Ahmedabad, IIM Lucknow, IIM Bangalore, IIM Udaipur, IIM Nagpur, IIM Ranchi and IIM Jammu, IIM Kozhikode and IIM Visakhapatnam.



Skills development ministry launches Mahatma Gandhi National Fellowship in partnership with IIMs

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In a bid to strengthen skills training at district level, the skills development ministry on Saturday launched the Mahatma Gandhi National Fellowship (MGNF) programme nationwide in partnership with nine Indian Institutes of Management across India. The programme has been launched under the World Bank loan assisted programme SANKALP (Skills Acquisition and Knowledge Awareness for Livelihood Promotion).

The two-year academic programme will have in-built component of on-ground practical experience with the district administration. The nine IIMs include the IIM Bangalore, IIM Ahmedabad, IIM Lucknow, IIM Kozhikode, IIM Visakhapatnam, IIM-Udaipur, IIM Nagpur, IIM Ranchi and IIM-Jammu.

“The fellows under MGNF will acquire academic expertise and technical competency in understanding the overall skill ecosystem along with being attached to DSCs and help them manage the skill development planning at district level through the mechanism of formulating district skill development plans (DSDPs),” the ministry said in a statement.

The ministry had launched a pilot programme in 69 districts during which 69 fellows were trained. Under the Sankalp, the ministry will support in training the trainer (ToT) system in public private partnership (PPP) mode that a collaborative approach between industry and the technical and vocational education and training (TVET) ecosystem.

“Towards this, a ‘cluster approach’ is adopted to meet the objectives and GIZ-developed automotive cluster in Aurangabad has been selected for the pilot,” it said. The emphasis is on preparation of TVET trainers with focus on domain knowledge, pedagogical skills and industrial experience.

“The last six years of Skill India have extensively focused on capacity building and creating infrastructure support for vocational training across the country. Our partnerships going forward will be more focused on strengthening the overall quality of skill training,” skills development minister said.

Additionally, MSDE has partnered with Kerala Institute of Local Administration (KILA) to conduct capacity building programmes for District officials from the states of Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry and Lakshadweep.



Skill Ministry rolls out MGNF: Fellows to be trained by IIMs, monthly stipend up to Rs 60,000

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The Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) today launched Mahatma Gandhi National Fellowship (MGNF) 2021-23 in partnership with nine IIMs. The application process for the two-year government-funded programme will begin on February 15 and will conclude on March 27. During the course, fellows will be given a stipend of Rs 50,000 per month for the first year and Rs 60,000 per month for the second year of the course.

The fellowship is rolled out under the World Bank loan assisted programme SANKALP (Skills Acquisition and Knowledge Awareness for Livelihood Promotion). Fellows after getting training from IIMs will further strengthen the district skill administration and the District Skill Committees (DSCs) under the fellowship.

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MGNF in its pilot project had trained 69 fellows working across 69 districts. The ministry is now expanding MGNF to all remaining districts in the country. The nine IIMs involved in training fellows include- IIM Bangalore, IIM Ahmedabad, IIM Lucknow, IIM Kozhikode, IIM Visakhapatnam, IIM-Udaipur, IIM Nagpur, IIM Ranchi and IIM-Jammu.

Additionally, MSDE has also partnered with the Kerala Institute of Local Administration (KILA) to conduct capacity building programmes for District officials from the states of Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry, and Lakshadweep. “KILA is entrusted with designing and delivering the training program on different thematic areas which are aimed at enhancing and building the capacities of the district officials, for effective planning of skill development programs. KILA will organise the training and associated logistics for the training programs and also develop or customize content based on local requirements and training need assessment in the respective state/s,” the official statement said.

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Dr Mahendra Nath Pandey, Union Minister of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, said, “The last six years of Skill India have extensively focused on capacity building and creating infrastructure support for vocational training across the country. Our partnerships going forward will be more focused on strengthening the overall quality of skill training. With the recent launch of Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana 3.0 and today’s academic partnerships with IIMs, IITs, GIZ-IGVET, KILA under our SANKALP scheme, together we will empower the districts ensuring demand-driven skilling. I am confident that these programs will boost our efforts to bring in a transformational change and impact to our Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi’s vision of building an ‘Aatmanirbhar Bharat.’”

The event also witnessed the launch of “Skill training on Gender Sensitisation and Prevention of Sexual Harassment (POSH) at the workplace” in partnership with Management and Entrepreneurship and Professional Skill Council (MEPSC) as the Implementation Agency for the project. The six-month project will be implemented in 15 districts across 3 states of Rajasthan, Haryana and Punjab to train 1800 trainees and 240 training professionals.



IIM Jammu becomes a partner for “Mahatma Gandhi National Fellowship” program

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"Knowledge gained through experience is far more superior than bookish knowledge"
- Mahatma Gandhi










Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship with IIM announces the MAHATMA GANDHI NATIONAL FELLOWSHIP (MGNF) 2021 - 2023



THE PROGRAM

- Govt funded 2-year program with classes at IIM + experience in the district
- Nation-wide rollout - MGNF active in 660+ districts
- Common admission process managed by IIM Bangalore
- 9 IIMs separately host classes and district immersion
- Host IIM specific Certificate
- Stipend*: 1st year - ₹ 50,000 per month
2nd year - ₹ 60,000 per month

* Stipend includes local travel. Stipend in Year 2 is based on completing the requirements of Year 1.

THE CANDIDATE

- Citizen of India
- Age group of 21-30 years
- Graduate in any discipline from a recognized University
- Preferred work experience of 0-3 years
- Mandatory proficiency in Official State language for district immersion

THE OPPORTUNITY

- 2 year blended program of classroom sessions at IIM and mentorship of Fellows in districts
- Unique opportunity to promote skill planning and development in district economies
- Engage with district level schemes & institutions to strengthen them
- Link markets and create growth

Apply Online Only on or before 27th March, 2021;
Early Bird Discount Applies

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“अनुभव के माध्यम से प्राप्त ज्ञान किताबी ज्ञान से
कहीं अधिक श्रेष्ठ है”

– महात्मा गांधी

कौशल विकास और उद्यमशीलता मंत्रालय
द्वारा आईआईएम के साथ

महात्मा गांधी
राष्ट्रीय फेलोशिप
(एमजीएनएफ):
2021-2023 की घोषणा



कार्यक्रम

- भारत सरकार द्वारा 2 वर्षीय कार्यक्रम का वित्तीय अनुदान और आईआईएम द्वारा कक्षाएं व जिलेस्तर पर प्रशिक्षण का अवसर
- 660+ जिलों में राष्ट्रीय स्तर पर रोलआउट
- आईआईएम बेंगलुरु द्वारा आयोजित सामान्य प्रवेश प्रक्रिया
- 9 आईआईएम द्वारा कक्षाओं का संयोजन व जिलेस्तर पर प्रशिक्षण का अवसर
- संयोजक आईआईएम द्वारा प्रमाणपत्र प्रदान किया जाएगा
- छात्रवृत्ति*: पहले साल - ₹ 50,000 प्रति माह
दूसरे साल - ₹ 60,000 प्रति माह

* छात्रवृत्ति राशि में स्थानीय यात्रा शामिल है। छात्रवृत्ति राशि दूसरे वर्ष में वर्ष 1 की आवश्यकताओं को पूरा करने पर आधारित है।

उम्मीदवार

- भारत का नागरिक हो
- आयु 21-30 वर्ष के बीच में हो
- मान्यताप्राप्त विश्वविद्यालय से स्नातक
- 0-3 वर्षों के कार्य अनुभव को प्राथमिकता
- राज्य की आधिकारिक भाषा में प्रवीणता अनिवार्य है

अवसर

- आईआईएम में अध्ययन और जिलेस्तर पर प्रशिक्षण का 2 साल का मिश्रित कार्यक्रम
- जिलेस्तरीय अर्थव्यवस्था व कौशल विकास को बढ़ावा देने का अनूठा अवसर
- जिलेस्तरीय योजनाओं व संस्थानों के साथ जुड़कर उनको प्रबल बनाने का अवसर
- जिला अर्थव्यवस्था को विकसित और मजबूत करना



केवल ऑनलाइन आवेदन करें 27 मार्च, 2021 को या उससे पहले;
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