

NOTICE

Sub: Invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI) for Research Officers in All India Discoms Association (AIDA) and in the Institute of Technology & Policy for Electricity Distribution (ITPED) – a resource and knowledge centre of AIDA

1. All India Discoms Association (AIDA) was registered as a not-for-profit charitable society in December, 2024 to bring together distribution utilities of India at one platform with the core objectives of policy and regulatory advocacy, capacity building, peer group learning and standardization of specifications for commonly used equipment by distribution utilities. Within a period of one and a half year, the membership of AIDA has grown to 59 utilities which represents close to 80% of the distribution utilities functioning in various States and UTs of India. Its work in policy advocacy domain is being recognized by all the concerned stakeholders. AIDA has also taken several initiatives for capacity building and peer group learning. It has also developed a robust collaboration network with 15+ organizations of national and international repute.
2. A need was felt by AIDA to set up a dedicated institution for building a robust knowledge base and repository of expertise in the area of electricity distribution for imbibing greater intellectual depth in its working and also for providing an easy-to-access platform to the member Discoms to solve their technological, managerial, financial and regulatory challenges. This institution also aims at sharing the several path-breaking initiatives taken by the distribution utilities of India with other utilities of global South Asia.
3. Accordingly, AIDA has set up a Resource & Knowledge Centre, which has been named as Institute of Technology and Policy for Electricity Distribution (ITPED).
4. Expression of Interest (EOI) is hereby invited from the interested professionals for the positions of Research Officer (RO) in AIDA and ITPED. The final selection will be made by a Search-and-Selection Committee.
5. The applicants should have a Graduate degree. The applicants with Engineering Degree or a Post-graduate qualification in power sector management will be preferred. At least two years of experience of working in the power sector is also required.
6. Job role of the Research Officer (RO) will be as given below:
 - (i) Preparation of various technical papers/reports for AIDA/ITPED and conducting the research studies undertaken by AIDA/ITPED;
 - (ii) Preparation of responses of AIDA on various Policy/Regulatory proposals circulated by Government/ Regulatory Commissions and other similar bodies after due analysis and consultation with member Discoms;
 - (iii) Assisting in conducting meetings of various AIDA/ITPED committees/ working groups and preparing agenda and minutes of the same;
 - (iv) Preparation for capacity building activities of AIDA;
 - (v) Management of Website and preparation of presentations;

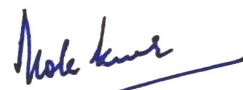


- (vi) Document management of technical wing of AIDA Secretariat/ ITPED Resource Repository;
- (vii) Assisting AIDA/ITPED in collaboration work with similar associations/ councils of utilities in India and abroad;
- (viii) Any other task assigned by DG, AIDA/ Centre Director, ITPED.

7. Terms & Conditions:

- (i) RO will be required to work from the office of AIDA/ITPED in Delhi/ NCR;
- (ii) A fixed term contractual appointment for a period of three years will be offered, subject to the age limit of 60 years and the performance assessed satisfactory on completion of each year;
- (iii) RO will be offered appropriate compensation in line with the prevalent industry practice.

8. Interested persons may send their CVs with a latest digital photograph through email at info@aida-india.org latest by 26th October, 2026 clearly indicating salary expectations, and availability/ notice period in current organization.



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Chairperson, Apex Council of ITPED

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- 1. The Centre Director, ITPED/ Director (P&RA), AIDA
- 2. Director (Admin & Fin), AIDA
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