Krishnamurthy Tandon School of AI
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Postdoctoral Fellow Positions at the

Krishnamurthy Tandon School of Artificial Intelligence

Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad

The Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad (IIMA) invites applications for Postdoctoral Research Fellows at the Krishnamurthy Tandon School of Artificial Intelligence from outstanding scholars and practitioners whose work advances Artificial Intelligence at the intersection of management, policy, institutions, and societal impact.

The School seeks to become a globally recognised centre for thought leadership, translational research, and education in AI-driven management and governance. Rooted in IIMA's legacy of leadership, institution-building, and public purpose, the School aims to shape how AI is conceived, deployed, and governed for enduring business and societal value.

The School will bridge global advances in AI with Indian contexts, data, and institutions, creating knowledge that is globally relevant and locally transformative. It will foster research, policy engagement, and capacity building that advance responsible and impactful AI adoption across business, government, and society.

Expectations from Candidates

- Demonstrated commitment to high-quality research and scholarly excellence.
- Strong potential for publication in leading journals and conferences.
- Ability to conceptualise and undertake research projects on their own.
- Interest in addressing real-world managerial, institutional, and societal challenges using AI.
- Mentor graduate students and contribute to the activities undertaken by the school.
- Contribute to teaching in education programmes at IIM Ahmedabad.

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Qualifications

- Candidates should possess a PhD or equivalent doctoral qualification from a reputed institution in the areas of interest mentioned below or relevant disciplines.
- Applicants who have recently submitted their thesis or are nearing completion of their PhD are also eligible to apply. If selected, such candidates must submit their PhD degree certificate within six months of the date of appointment.

Areas of Interest

- Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning
- Data Science and Analytics
- Operations Research and Optimization
- Natural Language Processing
- Computer Vision
- Human–AI Interaction
- Autonomous Technologies

Applications of AI in management and society are strongly encouraged

- Public Systems and Governance
- Agriculture and Rural Development
- Healthcare and Well Being
- Fintech and Risk Analytics
- Education and Learning
- Digital Platforms and Intelligent Systems
- Computational Social Science
- Supply Chain and Logistics
- Law and Public Safety

Remuneration

Compensation will be commensurate with qualifications and experience, and in accordance with IIMA guidelines with a competitive salary of up to ₹1,25,000 per month. The initial appointment will be for a period of three years, with the possibility of extension based on performance and ongoing research needs. Additionally, consolidated funding of up to ₹4,00,000 will be available over a three-year period for travel to domestic and international conferences, which can be availed after completion of 6 months with the school.

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Application Materials

The application should contain the following materials.

- Detailed curriculum vitae
- Cover letter describing research and teaching interests
- Selected publications or working papers
- Names and contact details of referees

Location

The selected candidate will be working from the IIMA campus. IIMA provides shared office space, access to the library, and computing facilities to the fellows. If selected, the candidate is expected to manage their accommodation outside the IIMA campus, which is centrally located in Ahmedabad.

Equal Opportunity

- IIMA is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to fostering diversity and inclusion in its academic community.
- Women candidates, candidates from underrepresented groups, and international applicants are especially encouraged to apply.

Application Procedure

- To apply, please fill out the form using this link.