



National Council for Teacher Education
Plot No. G-7, Sector -10,
Dwarka, New Delhi-110075

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VACANCY CIRCULAR

The National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE), a Statutory Body under the Ministry of Education, Government of India invites application from eligible candidates for engagement to the following positions purely on contract basis through walk-In-Interview scheduled to be held on 30.07.2026 at 10:30 A.M.

A. Engagement of Consultants under National Professional Standards for Teachers (NPST)

1. Senior Academic Consultant

Details of eligibility criteria and other terms & conditions:

Particulars	Details
Name of the Post	Senior Academic Consultant
Number of Post	01 (One)
Period of Consultancy	6 months on Short term contract basis. (Extendable on need/ performance basis)
Age-limit	The maximum age limit of the Senior Academic Consultant shall not exceed 65 years as on the date of advertisement.
Qualifications	Essential Qualifications: 1. Masters' Degree from recognized University/ Institute 2. B.Ed./M. Ed./ MA Education 3. M.Phil/ Ph.D./D.Litt OR NET/SLET. Experience: At least 05 years of experience of working as an academic expert in Research/Training /Edn. Tech. /ICT /e-content development from Central/ State Government/ PSU/ Statutory or Semi — Government or Autonomous Bodies / Educational Institution etc. Desirable Qualifications: 1. Good communication skills in English & Hindi. 2. Knowledge of Educational policy formulation, report writing, development of research tools, collection and analysis of data etc. 3. Having worked on any projects / policy related matter related to NEP 2020. 4. Knowledge of using computers/digital communication
Remuneration/	1. Senior Academic Consultant will be paid a monthly consolidated

Entitlements	remuneration of Rs. 1,00,000/- per month. 2. No dearness or any other allowances are admissible. 3. If out stationed tours are required to be taken for official duty, then the Senior Academic Consultant shall be paid TA/DA and Hotel Accommodation as admissible to the officers of the Central Government of equivalent status and rank.
Nature of Duties	1. Work related to National Professional Standards for Teachers (NPST) 2. Any other work assigned by NCTE that pertains to the Academic Division. 3. Preparation of strategic documents for implementation of NEP 2020 in context of teacher education

2. Engagement of Monitoring, Evaluation and Learning Consultant (MEL)

Details of eligibility criteria and other terms & conditions:

Particulars	Details
Name of the Post	Monitoring, Evaluation and Learning Consultant (MEL)
Number of Post	01 (One)
Remuneration	Rs. 1,00,000/- per month (Consolidated)
Period of Consultancy	6 months on Short term contract basis. (Extendable on need/ performance basis)
Age Limit	The maximum age limit of the MEL Consultant shall not exceed 60 years as on the date of advertisement.
Qualifications	Essential Qualifications: 1. Master's in Statistics/Economics/Mathematics/ Operational Research/ Development Studies / Public Policy. 2. 3-5 years of senior-level experience in monitoring, evaluation, and evaluation design. Experience: 1. Experience in Designing strategies, portfolio development, cross-cutting data initiatives, with focus on coherent, integrated theories of change, measurable impact models, scaling, collaborations and implementation plans to ensure long- term sustainability and impact. 2. Experience in developing assessment frameworks, monitoring and evaluation of capacity-building programmes and research. 3. Work experience with Central/State Government / PSU projects/schemes. Desirable Qualifications: 1. Ph.D. in Statistics/Economics/Mathematics / Operational Research / Development Studies/ Public Policy. 2. PG Diploma in Development & Design of Evaluation/Assessment Tools, Mapping/Matrix Resources, Framework Expertise on competency mapping and capacity building. 3. Proficiency in written and oral communication
Nature of Duties	1. Experts in high level analytical, statistical and problem- solving skills are required for career and skill mapping, monitoring, learning etc. of the progress to develop practical solutions for complex problems. 2. Maintenance/ connects/linking of data, application, identification and gap analysis of National Level Initiatives.

3. Engagement of Academic Consultant

Details of eligibility criteria and other terms & conditions:

Particulars	Details
Name of the Post	Academic Consultant
Number of Posts	01 (One)
Period of Consultancy	6 months on Short term contract basis. (Extendable on need/ performance basis)
Age Limit	The maximum age limit of the Academic Consultant shall not exceed 60 years as on the date of advertisement.
Qualifications	Essential Qualifications: 1. Master's Degree from a recognized university/institute 2. B.Ed./M.Ed./ MA Education. 3. PhD OR NET/SLET. Experience: 1. At least 03 years of experience working as an academic expert in Research/Training/ET/IT/e-content development from Central/State Government/PSU/Statutory or Semi-government organizations. Desirable Qualifications: 1. Good communication skills in English & Hindi. 2. Knowledge of educational policy formulation, report writing, development of research tools, collection and analysis of data etc. 3. Having worked on any projects/policy related matters linked to NEP 2020. Note: The period of time taken by candidates to acquire M.Phil. and/or Ph.D. Degree shall not be considered as teaching/research experience to be claimed for engagement as an academic consultant.
Remuneration & Entitlements	1. Consultant will be paid for a monthly consolidated remuneration of Rs.90,000/- per month. 2. No Dearness Allowance or any other allowances are admissible. 3. If outstation domestic tours as required by the duty, then the consultant shall be paid TA/DA and Hotel Accommodation as admissible to officers of the Central Government of equivalent status and rank.
Nature of Duties	1. Work related to National Professional Standard for Teachers (NPST) 2. Any other work assigned by NCTE that pertains to the Academic Division. 4. Preparation of strategic documents for implementation of NEP 2020 in context of teacher education

B. Engagement of Consultants under National Mission for Mentoring (NMM)**1. Senior Academic Consultant****Details of eligibility criteria and other terms & conditions:**

Particulars	Details
Name of the Post	Senior Academic Consultant
Number of Post	01 (One)
Period of Consultancy	6 months on Short term contract basis.(Extendable on need/ performance basis)
Age-limit	The maximum age limit of the Senior Academic Consultant shall not exceed 65 years as on the date of advertisement.
Qualification	Essential Qualifications: 1. Masters' Degree from recognized University/ Institute 2. B.Ed./M. Ed./ MA Education 3. M.Phil/ Ph.D./ D.Litt OR NET/SLET. Experience: At least 05 years of experience of working as an academic expert in Research/Training /Edn. Tech. /ICT /e-content development from Central/ State Government/ PSU/ Statutory or Semi — Government or Autonomous Bodies / Educational Institutions etc. Desirable Qualifications: 1. Good communication skills in English & Hindi. 2. Knowledge of Educational policy formulation, report writing, development of research tools, collection and analysis of data etc. 3. Having worked on any projects / policy related matter related to NEP 2020. 4. Knowledge of using computers/digital communication
Remuneration/ Entitlements	1. Senior Academic Consultant will be paid a monthly consolidated remuneration of Rs. 1,00,000/- per month. 2. No dearness or any other allowances are admissible. 3. If out stationed tours are required to be taken for official duty, then the Senior Academic Consultant shall be paid TA/DA and Hotel Accommodation as admissible to the officers of the Central Government of equivalent status and rank.
Nature of Duties	1. Work related to National Mission for Mentoring (NMM) 2. Any other work assigned by NCTE that pertains to the Academic Division. 3. Preparation of strategic documents for implementation of NEP 2020 in context of teacher education.

2. Engagement of Academic Consultant**Details of eligibility criteria and other terms & conditions:**

Particulars	Details
Name of the Post	Academic Consultant
Number of Posts	01 (One)
Period of Consultancy	6 months on Short term contract basis. (Extendable on need/ performance basis)
Age Limit	The maximum age limit of the Academic Consultant shall not exceed 60 years as on the date of advertisement.
Qualifications	Essential Qualifications: 1. Master's Degree from a recognized university/institute 2. B.Ed./M.Ed./ MA Education. 3. PhD OR NET/SLET. Experience: 1. At least 03 years of experience working as an academic expert in Research/Training/ET/IT/e-content development from Central/State Government/PSU/Statutory or Semi-government organizations. Desirable Qualifications: 1. Good communication skills in English & Hindi. 2. Knowledge of educational policy formulation, report writing, development of research tools, collection and analysis of data etc. 3. Having worked on any projects/policy related matters linked to NEP 2020. Note: The period of time taken by candidates to acquire M.Phil. and/or Ph.D. Degree shall not be considered as teaching/research experience to be claimed for engagement as an academic consultant.
Remuneration & Entitlements	1. Consultant will be paid for a monthly consolidated remuneration of Rs.90,000/- per month. 2. No Dearness Allowance or any other allowances are admissible. 3. If outstation domestic tours as required by the duty, then the consultant shall be paid TA/DA and Hotel Accommodation as admissible to officers of the Central Government of equivalent status and rank.
Nature of Duties	1. Work related to National Mission for Mentoring (NMM) 2. Any other work assigned by NCTE that pertains to the Academic Division. 3. Preparation of strategic documents for implementation of NEP 2020 in context of teacher education

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3. Outreach Consultant**Details of eligibility criteria and other terms & conditions:**

Particulars	Details
Name of the Post	Outreach Consultant
Number of Post	01 (One)
Period of Consultancy	6 months on Short term contract basis. (Extendable on need/ performance basis)
Age-limit	The maximum age limit of the consultant shall not exceed 60 years as on the date of advertisement.
Remuneration	Rs. 75,000/- Per Month (Consolidated)
Qualifications	Essential Qualifications: 1. MBA/Master's Degree in Mass Communications/ English/ Journalism /Public Relations/equivalent related education from a recognized institute with minimum 55% marks or equivalent grade. 2. At least 3 years of experience in the communication domain with a focus on project management/PR/ advocacy, communication/ journalism/advertising. Desirable Qualifications: 1. Excellent written and verbal communication and presentation skills in English and Hindi.
Roles and Responsibilities	1. Point of contact for all mentoring-related matters. 2. Ensure effective communication with stakeholders related to Mentors and Mentees 3. Develop and deliver communication strategies and plans.

C. Engagement of Consultants under Media & Publicity (Joint Operation: NPST & NMM)**1. Graphic Cum Content Designer****Details of eligibility criteria and other terms & conditions:**

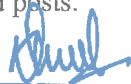
Particulars	Details
Name of the Post	Graphic Cum Content Designer
Number of Post	01 (One)
Period of Consultancy	6 months on Short term contract basis. (Extendable on need/ performance basis)

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Age-limit	The maximum age limit of the consultant shall not exceed 45 years as on the date of advertisement.
Remuneration	Rs. 50,000/- Per Month (Consolidated)
Qualifications	Essential Qualifications: 1. Bachelor's degree in Graphic Design, Visual Communication, Fine Arts, Mass Communication, Journalism, Digital Media, or a related discipline from a recognized university. OR Bachelor's degree in any discipline with one year diploma in Graphics/ Animations/ computer application/ Media production and Mass Communication/Visual Communication from any recognized institutions Experience: 2. At least 2–3 years of post-qualification professional experience in the relevant area, such as graphic design, visual communication, social media creatives, branding, publication design, or any other relevant area. 3. Proficiency in graphic design software such as Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Canva, and other relevant creative tools. Desirable Qualifications: 1. Experience in designing creatives for social media, websites, reports, presentations, infographics, brochures, newsletters, and other digital and print communication materials. 2. Experience of Computer Graphics, Book Design, Interface design etc.
Roles and Responsibilities	1. Design and develop high-quality digital and print communication materials. 2. Create graphics, infographics, presentations, brochures, newsletters, and social media creatives etc. 3. Support publication design, and visual communication requirements of the organization. 4. Coordinate with internal teams to produce creative content for educational and outreach activities.

Other Terms & Conditions of the Contract:

1. The NCTE reserves the right to change the number of posts or not to fill up any of the posts, if the circumstances so warrant.
2. The eligible candidates must submit the application in the prescribed application proforma with all the required self-attested documents addressed to the Deputy Secretary (Admin.I), NCTE, G-7, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Delhi on the date of Walk-in-Interview.
3. Incomplete applications or applications received after the prescribed date and time shall not be considered.
4. No fee is required to be paid for application for the aforesaid posts.


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Annexure-IModalities & Terms of Reference (ToR) for engagement of Consultants:1. **General conditions for engaging Consultants:**

- i. Interested candidates may submit their application in the enclosed format with one latest passport size photograph to be affixed on the application along with self-attested photo copies of all the certificates in a sealed cover with super-script "Engagement of Academic Consultants on short-term contract basis in NCTE" addressed to Deputy Secretary(Admin-I), NCTE, G-7, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Delhi at the time of registration and documents verification. The registration and documents verification of all the candidates shall be held between 09.30 AM to 11.00 AM on the date of walk-in-interview before the start of interview. No candidates shall be allowed for registration and documents verification after 11.00 A.M. on the date of walk-in-interview.
- ii. Consultants will be engaged for a fixed period for providing high quality services within given timeline.
- iii. Persons with requisite qualification and experience as prescribed would be considered for hiring as consultant.
- iv. The engagement of Consultants will be purely on short term contract basis. The initial tenure of engagement for a person as Consultant would be 06 months from the date of joining. Extension after 06 months will be considered on need basis and performance based with the approval of Competent Authority.
- v. Consultants will be appointed on full time basis and will not be permitted to take up any other assignments during the period of engagement with National Council for Teacher Education.
- vi. The amount of remuneration shall remain unchanged for the term of the contract. There will be no annual increment/ percentage increase during the contract period.
- vii. If any declaration given or information furnished by the candidate proves to be false or if the candidate is found to have wilfully suppressed any material information, he / she will be liable for termination in addition to any administrative and / or legal action as NCTE may deem fit.

2. **Procedure for Selection:** The Selection of candidate will be made as per selection procedure. NCTE reserves the right to increase / decrease the number of posts as per requirement.

3. **Conflict of Interest:** The Consultant shall be expected to follow all the rule and regulations of the NCTE and Govt. of India as applicable to its officers and any situation of conflict of interest shall be discussed. He / She will be expected to display utmost integrity, confidentiality of office matters and sincerity while discharging his/her duties. In case the service of the Consultant is not found to be satisfactory or found in conflict with the interests of the NCTE or Government his/her services will be liable for discontinuation without assigning any reason

4. **Entitlement of Consultants:**

- i. Consultants will be paid monthly consolidated remuneration as per the details mentioned in the advertisement.
- ii. No Dearness Allowances or any other allowances are admissible.
- iii. Consultants will be entitled for one day leave for each completed month of consultancy. However, the un-availed leave will not be carried forward beyond the period of engagement.

5. **Termination Notice:**

- i. Any breach of Contract executed by the Consultant with the National Council for Teacher Education shall be considered a sufficient ground for the termination of the engagement made under the contract and may further debar such Consultants from future engagement in National Council for Teacher Education.
- ii. National Council for Teacher Education and/or Consultant may terminate the contract by giving one-month notice.
- iii. Notwithstanding anything contained hereinabove, the National Council for Teacher Education can cancel the appointment of consultant at any time without providing any reason for it.

6. **Relaxation:** Under exceptional circumstances and in case of meritorious candidates the above guidelines may be relaxed with the approval of Competent Authority.

7. **Verification:** The police verification of the Consultants shall be done as per the latest instructions issued by Government of India.

Annexure-II**Application for the post ofConsultant on contract basis in National Council for Teacher Education**

1	Full Name (in Block letters)		Recent Photo
2	Date of Birth		
3	E.Mail Id		
4	Mobile Number		
5	<u>Residential Address:</u> Present Address:		
	Permanent Address:		
6	Educational Qualification (Attach self-attested copies of Certificates)		
7	Last pay drawn (Pay level & Pay)		
8	Organisation currently working in (if any)		
9	Working knowledge of MS Office, e-office and Internet browsing (Yes/No)		
10	Brief particulars of Experience of last 10 years *		

* Please attach separate sheet if required.

Undertaking

I hereby declare that the particulars furnished above are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further declare that I was clear from vigilance angle at the time of my retirement. I have read this circular and accept all the terms and conditions for engagement as Consultants.

(Signature of the Applicant)

Place:

Date: