

Postdoctoral Vacancies, Heritage Programme
School of Humanities
National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bangalore

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The National Institute of Advanced Studies (NIAS), a multidisciplinary research institute located in Bangalore, invites applications for the post of Postdoctoral Associate for the Heritage, Science and Society Programme. This programme has a distinctive inter-disciplinary orientation. The successful candidate will be part of our research team working in **Material Culture in Art and Archaeology, Geo-spatial techniques in Heritage studies and Art History and Archaeology** as part of the Heritage Programme of School of Humanities. For information about our ongoing research in this domain, please see: [<http://www.nias.res.in/research-schools-humanities.php>]

Educational Qualification and Experience:

The Candidate should hold a PhD degree in a related discipline such as: (Archaeology, Art History, History, Materials Characterisation/Metallurgy, Conservation, Anthropology, Museology and Crafts History). **The candidate needs to have the ability to design and carry out independent research projects**, a sound conceptual grounding in his/her discipline, and excellent analytical and writing skills and ability and **experience in fieldwork, ethnoarchaeology/ field survey/excavation and interest in archaeomaterials investigation or geo-spatial analysis** would also be useful.

Application: Applicants should submit their curriculum vitae electronically including the names and addresses of three referees, two samples of published work and a brief statement of interest explaining why they are interested in joining **this programme** at NIAS in a **single PDF document**. The applications should be addressed to:

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