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Social and Human Sciences (SHS)

The UNESCO New Delhi Office offers internship opportunities in support of the activities of the Social and Human Sciences Sector (SHS) for a duration of 3 to 6 months. Under the direct supervision of the Programme Specialist of the Social and Human Sciences Sector (SHS) and the authority of the Director of the UNESCO New Delhi Office, the Intern shall assist the Programme Specialist for SHS in the implementation of SHS activities related to supporting the Internal Migration in India Initiative (IMII) and the UNESCO Gender Youth Migration (GYM) web portal initiative.

This will specifically entail:

1. Undertaking content research and data collection, analysis, drafting and editing of documents highlighting issues of migration (internal and international); and keep GYM portal regularly up-dated with new resources (audios, videos, policies, papers) and new events or policy development on migration;
2. Supporting the development and follow-up of projects proposals and mobilization of extra-budgetary funding (such as Community Radio and Migration; Internal – International Migration Nexus in Asia; and, Creating Urban Spaces Inclusive of Migrants through Community Radios);
3. Support the organization of media events and workshops, and draft relevant background notes, concept notes, media briefs, correspondence and press releases;

Qualifications:

M.A. in a field related to demographic studies, political science, developmental studies, or equivalent.
Excellent verbal and written communications skills in English.
Excellent computer proficiency.

UNESCO's internships are intended on a voluntary basis and all the expenses connected with it will have to be borne by the candidate or by the candidates' sponsoring institution/government.

A test will be conducted to assess the computer proficiency of the candidate.

How to apply:

Interested applicants must register their candidature at <http://stageweb.unesco.org> and submit a cover letter along with a detailed resume by e-mail to:

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Only short-listed candidates will be contacted.

BACKGROUND NOTE

What is the Internal Migration in India Initiative (IMII)?

Through the launching of the [Internal Migration in India Initiative \(IMII\)](#) in 2012, UNESCO supports the social inclusion of (internal) migrants in the economic, social, political and cultural life of the country, using a three-legged approach, combining research, advocacy, and capacity building. The informal network created under the Internal Migration in India Initiative (IMII) to raise the profile of internal migration and propose policy changes and creative practices, is now a web-portal titled Gender Youth Migration (GYM) (<http://www.solutionexchange-un-gen-gym.net>). GYM aims at bridging the gap and link researchers, practitioners and decision makers working on migration, enabling them to learn from each other and keep them updated on new research and developments in the field of migration.

For further information on the Social and Human Sciences activities, see: www.unesco.org/new/en/newdelhi