

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

Job Title: Research Associate

Organization: Housing and Land Rights Network India

Location: New Delhi, India

Role: To assist the organization in research related to forced evictions, maintenance of information databases, and preparation of reports.

Background: Housing and Land Rights Network (HLRN – www.hlrn.org.in) is a human rights organization dedicated to action for the recognition, defence, and full implementation of everyone's right to a secure place to live in peace and dignity. The organization uses the human rights framework to advocate for better international and national human rights instruments and standards in order to promote economic, social, and cultural rights, especially the human rights to adequate housing and land.

Requirements:

- A graduate or post-graduate university degree, preferably in the social sciences/humanities/law.
- Knowledge/Experience working in the field of human rights, especially on housing, land, and livelihood issues is preferable.
- Strong analytical and research skills.
- Fluency in written and spoken English and Hindi.
- Excellent English writing skills, with a demonstrated ability to write effectively for different audiences.
- Understanding of Microsoft Excel, and other software tools to maintain and analyze data.
- Based in the NCR Region and must be able to work out of the HLRN office.
- A strong demonstrated commitment to promoting social justice and human rights.
- Self-motivated and well-organized, with high standards of integrity.

Primary Responsibilities:

- Conducting primary and secondary research and analysis on evictions and displacement.
- Monitoring media reports and documenting information related to evictions and displacement.
- Managing and updating information databases on thematic issues.
- Conducting data analysis and preparing insights.
- Assist in the preparation of reports and contributing to HLRN publications.
- Coordinating with partner organizations and individuals for information and verification.
- Conducting field visits and preparing fact-finding reports on evictions.
- Managing HLRN's Observatory on evictions and displacement in India.
- Any other research-related tasks.

Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Interested candidates should send:

(i) a brief cover letter; and, (ii) curriculum vitae to: applications.hlrn@gmail.com

Only Indian citizens are requested to apply.