

## भारतीय सामाजिक विज्ञान अनुसंधान परिषद्

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Greetings from the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi. You may be aware that the ICSSR has been offering National Fellowships to eminent Indian social scientists in recognition of their outstanding contributions in social science research and to enable them to continue with their academic pursuits. Since direct applications for National Fellowships are not accepted, we invite nominations from Vice Chancellors of Public Universities, Director of the ICSSR Research Institutes/ICSSR Regional Centres, all present and former members of the Council and National Fellows of the ICSSR. Nominating individuals should not forward more than two nominations to the Council.

There is no age bar for this category of fellowship. Scholars who avail of National Fellowship should either not be in service or should have superannuated at the time of award of the fellowship. National Fellows will be paid a fellowship amount of Rs.55,000/-p.m. irrespective of the fact whether they are getting any pensionery benefit or not. In addition, a Contingency grant of Rs.60,000/- p.a. is also provided to a fellow during the entire period of fellowship. The detailed guidelines along with formated forwarding letter are available at ICSSR website www.icssr.org under National Fellowship.

In view of the above, I would request you to kindly send nominations (not more than two) to the ICSSR for this prestigious National Fellowship. The nominations should be accompanied by the Curriculum Vitae of the scholar and a personal recommendation from you outlining their suitability for the National Fellowship and the broad theme of the research they are likely to pursue.

I shall be extremely grateful if you could kindly send your nominations by 30th June 2016.

ith best regards,

Yours sincerely,

1. All Vice-Chancellors of the Public (Central and State) Universities.

2. Council Members

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