

**Advertisement for Special Drive to fill SC, ST, OBC and EWS Category for the Post of Assistant Professor, Associate Professor and Professor**

The G.B. Pant Social Science Institute has openings for faculty members for its core positions as well as tenurial/temporary positions for its teaching and research programmes. Applications are invited at the level of Professors, Associate Professors and Assistant Professors with proven research record in following thrust areas of the Institute:

1. Development, Planning and Policy: Research encompassing macro, sectoral and area development issues.
2. Culture, Democracy and Politics.
3. Population, Mobility and Environment.

The proposed thrust areas are inter-disciplinary and encompass institutional and governance issues.

Minimum qualifications and pay scales will be as per UGC (Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges and other Measures for the Maintenance of Standards in Higher Education) Regulations, 2018. Selection for senior positions may not be restricted to the pool of applicants. Contractual appointments on deputation or otherwise may also be considered.

The number of vacant positions is as under:

<b>Post</b>	<b>OBC</b>	<b>EWS</b>	<b>SC</b>	<b>Total</b>
Assistant Professor	02		01	03
Associate Professor	02			02
Professor	02	01	01	04

In addition, the essential qualifications for all the positions candidate should have demonstrated capacity to undertake high quality, independent research in social science. The evidence of published work of high quality shall be considered more important than formal academic record, degrees or experience.

Applicants with proven research and/or teaching experience may submit their applications on prescribed Application Form by registered/speed post with a Demand Draft of Rs. 1000/- in favour of **Director, G.B. Pant Social Science Institute, Allahabad payable at Allahabad**. Last date for receiving applications is one month from the date of publication of this advertisement. Applicants may also email their applications (along with the post) to [gbpssirecruitment@gmail.com](mailto:gbpssirecruitment@gmail.com) Application form may be downloaded from the Institute's official web site.

The application must be accompanied by:

- ✓ Curriculum Vitae including academic record and a full list of publications (copies of certificates not required at this stage).
- ✓ Two samples (chapters from the book or research articles) of published work or all publications.
- ✓ A short statement (of about 800 words) of current and proposed research and how it will contribute to the Institute.
- ✓ Names and addresses of three referees.

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- (i) Mere eligibility will not entitle any candidate to be called for interview. The short listing of the candidates to be called for interview shall be done as per UGC Regulations, 2018.
- (ii) The eligibility marks of 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) and the relaxation of 5% to the categories mentioned in UGC Regulations, 2018 are permissible, based only on the qualifying marks without including any grace marks.
- (iii) Only matriculation/SSC certificate/pass certificate issued by the concerned educational board will be considered as proof of date of birth. No other document will be accepted for verification of date of birth.
- (iv) Candidates belonging to SC/ST/SEBC category should submit proper caste certificate as per the proforma of Govt. of India.
- (v) Candidates belonging to SEBC category, but coming in creamy layer will not be entitled to the benefits of reservation and shall have to apply as General Category candidate.
- (vi) Candidates belonging to EWS category should submit proper certificate as per the proforma of Govt. of India.
- (vii) Candidates must ensure before applying that they are eligible according to the criteria stipulated in the advertisement. If the candidate is found ineligible at any stage of recruitment process, he/she will be disqualified and their candidature will be cancelled. Concealment of fact/information or submitting false information will lead to cancellation of candidature at any stage of recruitment.
- (viii) Any legal proceedings in respect of any matter of claim or dispute arising out of this advertisement and/or an application in response thereto can be instituted only in Prayagraj and courts/tribunals/forums at Prayagraj.
- (ix) The Institute reserves the right to Revise/Reschedule/Cancel/Suspend the recruitment process without assigning any reason. The decision of the Institute shall be final and no appeal in this regard shall be entertained.
- (x) Any corrigendum/changes/updates related to the recruitment process shall be available on official website of the Institute [www.gbpsi.in](http://www.gbpsi.in)
- (xi) The candidate must enclose copies of all relevant documents which they have claimed in the application form. The original certificates would be required at the time of interview only.
- (xii) The employed candidate of Govt./Private Universities/Colleges/Autonomous bodies should send the applications through proper channel. However, they may produce the NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE (NOC) from their organization at the time of interview with an unambiguous certificate that (i) no vigilance case is pending/being contemplated against him/her (ii) the applicant will be relieved within one month of receipt of appointment offer, if he/she is selected.
- (xiii) The decision of the Director, G.B. Pant Social Science Institute in all matters relating to eligibility, acceptance or rejection of applications, mode of selection and conduct of interview will be final and binding on the candidates and no enquiry or correspondence will be entertained in this connection from any individual or his/her agency.
- (xiv) Where an applicant requests, for good and sufficient reasons, to be considered *in absentia*, the Selection Committee on the recommendation of Screening Committee and only after the prior approval of the Director in this regard, may consider his/her candidature.
- (xv) Applications received without the requisite documents, fees, and after the prescribed date will not be entertained in any case.
- (xvi) Incomplete applications shall be summarily rejected.
- (xvii) Canvassing in any form will be treated as a disqualification for the post.
- (xviii) Candidates must be in sound health. They must, if selected be prepared to undergo such medical examination and satisfy such medical authority as the Institute may require.
- (xix) The Institute reserves the right to change the number of posts/vacancies in case of any discrepancy without assigning any reason.
- (xx) Candidates are advised to visit the website ([www.gbpsi.in](http://www.gbpsi.in)) periodically for information related to the recruitment process.