

GUIDELINES

Under this scheme Master's students in Economics from colleges and university departments from the state of Kerala may consider spending up to two months at CDS during their summer recess. First- year Master's students are welcome to apply.

Interns will be selected on the basis of a proposal for a research paper in about 3000 words on any aspect of India's economy. They will be under the supervision of a CDS faculty and will have access to the KN Raj Library and computing resources. The interns will be reimbursed with second class rail fare or bus fare from the place of residence to CDS and back, rent-free accommodation in the hostel on CDS campus, and a monthly stipend of Rs 3000 /-to meet boarding expenses.

Number of stipends available per year: Five

Process:

Interested students may apply at any time in the year. But there will be one selection process during the last Friday of February every year. Applications received up to the selection day are acceptable. The Intern may choose to be at the Centre for any two consecutive months during the period April through July.

The student to submit an application in the prescribed format with due endorsement from Head of the Department enclosing a brief (3000 words) on the intended area / topic of study to be pursued during internship.

Director/ Convenor, Program Advisory Committee shall ascertain availability/ convenience of faculty member to be associated with the intern.

Student shall follow the objectives/ methodology/ work plan as decided by the assigned faculty guide

Internee shall submit a report on completing the internship and also submit a copy of the paper/ report submitted at the institute.