



भारतीय प्रौद्योगिकी संस्थान खड़गपुर
INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY KHARAGPUR

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Advertisement for the post of Director, DRDO Industry Academia – Centre of Excellence (DIA-CoE), IIT Kharagpur

DRDO has signed MoU with IIT Kharagpur for setting up DRDO Industry Academia – Centre of Excellence IIT Kharagpur (DIA-CoE, IIT Kharagpur), for collaborative directed research under identified research areas. DRDO and IIT Kharagpur have jointly decided the following research verticals:

1. Directed Energy System's Technologies
2. Unmanned Underwater Robotic Technologies
3. Cognitive Technologies and Cyber Physical Defence Systems
4. Quality, Reliability and Safety Studies

The Search-cum-Selection Committee is looking for a suitable person for the post of Director, DIA-CoE at IIT Kharagpur. Director, DIA-CoE IIT Kharagpur will be appointed on a full-time basis. Director DIA-CoE IIT Kharagpur is the administrative and executive head and would be responsible for the smooth functioning of DIA-CoE IIT Kharagpur.

Interested persons having the following qualifications & experiences can apply online through the website of IIT Kharagpur under "<https://erp.iitkgp.ac.in/Jobs/auth/facapps.htm>" with **full details along with a brief statement of why they feel that they are well suited to this position**. Persons working in full-time positions with government organizations may also submit a no-objection certificate from the parent organization.

Essential Qualifications:

a) Serving or retired Professor / Scientist in pay level 14 or equivalent in any government R&D organization plus 10 years' experience in relevant field(s),

or

b) Serving or retired Professor / Scientist in pay level 15 or equivalent in any government R&D organization with experience in relevant field(s),

or

c) Professor or Scientist in pay level 14 or above having at least 5 years experience out of which at least 2 years of experience in heading any government R&D laboratory or government recognized R&D laboratory working in relevant field(s).

Desirable Qualification: The person should have a wide-ranging experience and required track record for carrying out research, collaborative projects, setting up of large research facilities, strategic research planning and technology transfer. The candidate should have demonstrated research experience in minimum one of the research area from the following identified verticals - directed energy technologies, robotics, cognitive technologies, quality reliability & safety or related systems in terms of research and technology development or guidance of Ph.D. students with strong record of publication in reputed journals and conferences, patents, laboratory/course development and/or other recognized relevant professional activities.

Age: The age of the applicant should be preferably below 62 years as on the closing date of receipt of applications of this advertisement.

Remuneration: Director DIA-CoE will have *minimum basic pay of 1,44,200/-* depending on the qualification and experience of the incumbent along with other allowances as admissible as per IIT Kharagpur norms. In case a person drawing higher salary is selected, the pay will be protected as per GoI rules. For retired persons, the pension (excluding the ignorable portion of pension, if any) admissible on relevant date shall be deducted from his / her pay in accordance with the policy of the GoI.

Accommodation: He/She may be provided with unfurnished accommodation, subject to availability. License fee, water charges, electricity charges and any other services rendered shall be recovered as per rules of the Institute.

Medical: Medical facility (limited to OPD services) for self and other dependent family members in the B. C. Roy Technology Hospital within the campus.

References: Please provide contact details up to 3 references who may be contacted by search-cum-selection committee.

Duration: Full time position wherein the initial appointment would be for a period of 3 years. This period can be extended by the competent authority for additional 2 years' subject to performance review. The position may be discontinued before 3 years by either side by giving a notice of 3 months without assigning reason.

- **Last date of submission of online application is May 31, 2023.**
- **Application along with supporting documents must be filed online through the link - <https://erp.iitkgp.ac.in/Jobs/auth/facapps.htm>.**


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