

## **Detailed Advertisement: Recruitment of Consultant in Centre for Child Rights, National Law University Odisha**

### **About the Centre for Child Rights (CCR):**

Centre for Child Rights (CCR) is the specialized action-research-advocacy centre of the National Law University Odisha, Cuttack (NLUO) committed to all aspects of children's rights and their determinants. The Centre was inaugurated on April 12, 2015, by Hon'ble Justice Dipak Misra, former Chief Justice of India and Visitor, NLUO in the august presence of the then Hon'ble Chief Justice and Judges of Odisha High Court, and Secretary, Department of Women and Child Development, Government of Odisha. The Centre aims at strengthening law and justice for children and child wellbeing by supporting and initiating research, policy advocacy and citizen's action on children related issues. The Centre intends to provide integrated support, consultancy/advisory services to different layers of institutional governance for protection and insurance of child rights and building a rights temper amongst the children, parents and all members of the society. More about the centre can be found [here](#)

### **Objectives of the Centre:**

- To build a temper of child rights amongst the children and all stake-holders of the society
- To raise public awareness, undertake sensitization programs and shape and push the discourse on issues related to children, child rights and the determinant issues
- To provide guidance and consultancy to strengthen law, policy and governance to improve child rights, child well- being and welfare
- To improve access to justice for children in areas of juvenile justice, child labour, children's health, education, and other inter-sectional issues
- To support and strengthen child protection structures by leveraging knowledge and policy reforms at various levels of institutional governance
- To evolve collaborative approach amongst different stakeholders on the issues of child rights
- To enhance experiential learning by conducting research for evidence-based advocacy
- To forge collaboration with like-minded institutions, centres, agencies and organisations, locally and internationally

### **Job description of the Consultant, CCR:**

1. Undertake field research, vulnerability mapping, social mapping, community engagement to contribute to NLUO-CCR's flagship intervention and subsequent research and knowledge generation
2. Undertake and maintain functional relationships with community leaders and state officials for successful community based intervention and policy/knowledge generation
3. Lead/Support data generation and authoring and presenting practise papers on the above
4. Assist the introduction of distance mode of Certificate/Diploma Programmes with the guidance and direction from Chair Professor, Centre for Child Rights, NLUO
5. Coordinate with the Clinical Course Coordinators and develop work plan for clinical learning of students and project works
6. Coordinate with students volunteers on legal research on children issues
7. Support Child Rights Journal and publications and events
8. Support Legal Aid Clinics on juvenile justice issues
9. Any other task as assigned by the centre per priorities

**Eligibility requirement (essential):**

1. Post Graduate in Law or any other Social Sciences with at least five years of experience in the area of Child Rights or determinant sectors
2. Well conversant in English, Odia, Hindi and Computer applications
3. Expertise in SPSS or R package will be given preference
4. Excellent community engagement skills
5. Advanced writing, communication and representational skills

**Eligibility requirement (desirable):**

1. Expertise in Participatory Appraisals, Human-Centred Design, Social Mapping and Vulnerability Mapping will be given preference
2. Two-wheeler driving skills and license possession will be an advantage

**Pay and other details:**

- The appointment is for 6 months initially extendable on satisfactory performance and availability of funds
- The position comes with a consolidated pay of INR 67000/ per month

**Application instructions:**

1. Please write a “statement of purpose” on why you are interested in the job and how you meet the eligibility requirements within 1000 words
2. Please attach a 2 page CV clearly demonstrating your experience and qualifications matching the eligibility requirements of this position
3. Please provide details (email and Mobile number) of two referees in the application alongwith the ‘Statement of Purpose’ and CV
4. Please pay an application fee of INR 1000/ at the following bank details:
  - Name of the Account Holder: Registrar, National Law University, Odisha
  - Name of the Bank: State Bank of India
  - Address of the Bank: National Law University, Cuttack, Sector-13 CDA, Cuttack-753015
  - Account No: 33807919875
  - Type of Account: Saving
  - MICR No: 753002034
  - RTGS/NEFT IFS Code: SBIN0017678
  - SWIFT Code: SBININBB768
5. Please mail the “statement of purpose”, “CV”, “referees’ details” in a single PDF document. Also attach the proof of payment to the email as a separate attachment. Send the mail to [ccr@nluo.ac.in](mailto:ccr@nluo.ac.in)
6. Please send your application latest by 10<sup>th</sup> July 2024. Any application received after the cut-off date will not be entertained.

**General Instructions:**

1. Only shortlisted candidates will be called for interview through email
2. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview
3. The candidate will be asked to carry educational certificate in original for verification during the interview