



**TATA INSTITUTE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**  
(Deemed University U/s – 3 of the UGC Act, 1956)  
**DEONAR, MUMBAI - 400 088**

**Announcement for Admission to the M.Phil & Ph.D. Programmes  
in the following Schools and Independent Centres**

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| <b>1. Habitat Studies</b>               | <b>2. Health Systems Studies</b>      |
| <b>3. Management and Labour Studies</b> | <b>4. Rural Development</b>           |
| <b>5. Social Sciences</b>               | <b>6. Social Work</b>                 |
| <b>7. Disaster Management</b>           | <b>8. Media and Cultural Studies`</b> |

- ◆ Prospectus and Application Form of all the programmes can be obtained from the Institute's cash counter on payment of Rs.750/-
- ◆ Application Form and Prospectus can also be downloaded from the link below and submitted, along with a Demand Draft for Rs.750, drawn in favour of '**Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai**'
- ◆ Request for Application Form and Prospectus by POST may be addressed to **Dean, Research and Development** along with a Demand Draft for 800/-, drawn in favour of '**Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai**'
- ◆ SC/ST candidates are required to submit a copy of their Caste Certificate for exemption of application fee of Rs.750/-
- ◆ Candidates who are currently in their final semester of their Masters degree can apply for M.Phil programme, and, if selected, they will be given provisional admission
- ◆ Eligible candidates will be called for a Research Aptitude Test (RAT), followed by personal interview to be held during the second week of April 2010. Selection will be completed by first week of May 2010
- ◆ The model paper and rules for the Research Aptitude Test (RAT) will be put up on the TISS website by early March 2010
- ◆ Candidates who have cleared JRF in the past two years are exempted from doing the written test, but will have to attend the personal interview
- ◆ Candidates who have GATE and any other relevant scores are also expected to take the RAT
- ◆ Experienced candidates who are selected for direct Ph.D. and do not have an M.Phil degree, are expected to fulfil course work requirement by attending regular courses held at the Mumbai campus or by attending the Modular Course work offered as workshops every semester
- ◆ Reservation for SC, ST, OBC and PWD as per the Government of India norms
- ◆ Travelling Allowance (TA) is paid to all the *eligible SC/ST candidates* for attending Written Test and Personal Interview to be held in Mumbai. For claiming TA, candidates are required to submit **original travel tickets** along with filled-in TA form
- ◆ **Last date of submission of Application Form: March 15, 2010**
- ◆ For details of eligibility criteria, admission procedure, etc. please visit the Institute website <http://www.tiss.edu>

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