

**VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT FOR SARDAR SAROVAAR PROJECT  
(NARMADA) STUDY**

TISS invites applications for the post of Research Associate (1) & Research Assistants (2) for a short term study leading to a **Status Report on Sardar Sarovar Project on Narmada**. It is aimed at assessing the status of land acquisition, displacement, submergence and unfulfilled rehabilitation in the catchment of Sardar Sarovar Project as well as review and research the reality on benefits in the command area of the project. It would also undertake a critique of the claimed benefits of irrigation, drinking water & power from the dam. It would use field evidence & rigorous analysis as a basis for policy advocacy on curtailing further extension of dam height.

**Desired qualifications:** Bachelors/Masters in Sociology/ Social Work/ Rural Development/ Economics/ Social Sciences with 2-3 years of experience in research & analysis on issues like Dams & development, discourses on water, grassroots movements; understanding of government orders / resolutions etc. Experience of conducting surveys will be an added advantage. Position would entail moderate travel to districts and States affected from the Narmada waters – Gujarat, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan and Maharashtra for data collection. The desired candidates should be skilled in internet based research, MS office; proficient in one local language other than English like Hindi, Gujarati & Marathi.

**Scope:** The appointment will be for a period of 3 months starting from March 2008. The study to be culminated in more than one publication mainly a Status Report & smaller briefs.

Post: Research Associate (1)  
Expected Salary: - Rs. 13,000/-

Post: Research Assistant (2)  
Expected Salary: - Rs. 10,000/-

**Last date of Application:** 5<sup>th</sup> March, 08. Please email your CVs to Ms. Jaya Goyal, Assistant Professor, Director's Office, TISS at [jaya.goyal@gmail.com](mailto:jaya.goyal@gmail.com).