

**State Planning Board**

SPB-EVND/80/2025-RA

Evaluation Division,

Dated:27-06-2025

STUDENTS INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME 2025-26**Notification**

Kerala State Planning Board invites applications from eligible candidates for Students Internship Programme 2025-26 which aims to promote evidence-based planning and policy-oriented research among young scholars in the State. The areas in which internships are invited include:

1. Agriculture and allied activities
2. Co-operatives
3. Decentralization and Good Governance
4. Demography and Care Economy
5. Disaster Management
6. Education and Knowledge Economy
7. Environment and Climate Change
8. Fiscal State of the Economy and Revenue Mobilization
9. Health and Nutrition
10. Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure
11. IT, Tourism and Migration
12. Labour, Employment and Skill Development
13. MSMEs and Entrepreneurship
14. Poverty and Livelihood
15. SCs and STs and other Marginalized Sections
16. Social Security and Development
17. Women and Child Development
18. Public Policy
19. Any other topic related to development and planning process of the State

Eligibility Criteria

The Students who are pursuing PhD or Post-Graduation (final year/semester) from a recognized University/College/Institute in India are eligible to apply. A recommendation letter from the Head of the Department in the prescribed format given in Annexure-II is to be submitted along with the duly filled application form. The applicant must be an Indian citizen. The specified subjects of Post-Graduation or PhD to be eligible for the programme include Economics, Econometrics, Sociology,

Development Studies, Statistics, Commerce, Demography, Agriculture, Fisheries, Forestry, Environmental Science, Social Work, Education, Law, Political Science and Public Policy.

Research Proposal

A Research Proposal of 1500 words should be submitted along with the application. Applications without Research Proposal will not be considered.

Selection Process

The selection is based on the Personal Interview and the quality of the Research Proposal submitted.

Duration

The duration of the programme is for 3 months.

Fellowship

On successful completion of the internship programme a consolidated sum of Rs.24,000/- and Rs.30,000/- will be given to the Post-Graduate and PhD students respectively.

Final Report

All interns should submit the final report within the stipulated time to the State Planning Board in the prescribed format duly signed and approved by the Guide concerned. A certificate will be issued to all interns on the satisfactory completion of the programme.

How to Apply

Applicants can apply in the prescribed proforma enclosed as Annexure-I. Student should submit application to the State Planning Board through the given e-mail only. The last date for receipt of duly filled application is 30th July 2025, 11.59 pm. Late applications will not be considered.

E- mail id: internshipspb2025@gmail.com

The last date for receipt of duly filled application: 30th July 2025, 11.59 pm.

Dr ADEELA ABDULLA I A S

Member Secretary

Approved for Issue

Signed by Sunitha A S

Date: 30-06-2025 10:26:33

Chief, Evaluation Division

APPLICATION FOR STUDENTS INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME 2025-26

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| 1 | Name | | | | |
| 2 | Date of Birth | | | | |
| 3 | Gender (Male/Female/Others) | | | | |
| 4 | Nationality | | | | |
| 5 | Specify the reservation if applicable (SC/ST/Others) | | | | |
| 6 | Permanent Address | | | | |
| 7 | Correspondence Address | | | | |
| 8 | E-mail Address | | | | |
| 9 | Mob: Land: | | | | |
| 10 | Educational Qualifications (Graduation onwards) | | | | |
| Sl. No. | Name of the Course | College/ University | Year of passing | Subjects | Percentage of Marks obtained |
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| 11 | Name and address of the educational institution presently enrolled (Certificate or recommendation letter by the institution is to be attached in the given | | | | |

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| | format) | |
| 12 | Whether research Proposal as per the given format is attached? | |
| 13 | Title of the proposed research proposal | |
| 14 | Are you availing any other fellowship /scholarship (Center /State) at present. | Yes/No |
| 15 | If yes, specify the nature of stipend/ fellowship/scholarship etc. (Agency & Amount) | |
| 16 | Please specify Internship/Work experience, if any | |
| 17 | Please specify the details of Awards/Achievements/ Paper presentation/ Publication etc | |
| 18 | Please specify the details of extra-curricular activities | |
| 19 | Any other additional information you want to specify | |

Declaration

I declare that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I also understand that the application is liable to be rejected and or internship will be cancelled in case a misrepresentation or a materially false declaration is detected at any stage before completion of internship.

Place:

Date:

(Signature of the Applicant)

Annexure - II

RECOMMENDATION BY THE HEAD OF THE INSTITUTION

This is to certified that Ms./Mr.is currently enrolled in the academic year.....for thecourse in the.....Year/Semester atInstitute/College/University. She/he is hereby recommended for the Students Internship Programme 2025-26 at the Kerala State Planning Board.

Place:
Date:

Signature
Name, Designation, Office
Office seal

