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Senior Researchers

The IPS is currently seeking dynamic individuals with a proven background in conducting economic policy research to join as senior researchers. They are expected to lead the conceptualization and development of specified areas of research, prepare research and academic papers, disseminate research findings, mobilize research grants and contribute to the development of the Institute.

Qualifications/skills: The ideal candidate should have a PhD or an MPhil in Economics from a recognized university. Additionally, they should demonstrate a high level of research expertise in applied research, a consistent track record of publications with reputed publishers, an ability to raise research grants, and lead research teams.

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The IPS is currently seeking energetic qualified individuals to join as junior researchers. They are expected to work closely with senior researchers across a range of economic policy research areas. They should demonstrate a capacity to apply their knowledge to analyze problems of economic policy, and to work independently within a team environment.

Qualifications/skills: The candidates should have a degree in Economics at least with an upper-second class or its equivalent from a recognized university, with excellent English writing and communication skills. Preference will be given to candidates with strong quantitative skills.

How to Apply

If you fit the description and would like to be part of a dynamic team, please email us a copy of your curriculum vitae along with the details of two non-related referees to careers@ips.lk.

The applications should clearly indicate: a) academic qualifications; b) research and work experience; c) publication history; and d) proof of analytical, writing and presentation skills.

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