



CMGGA Applications

Frequently Asked Questions
2022



CMGGA
Chief Minister's
Good Governance Associates
for a progressive Haryana

Eligibility

Do I need to be a certain age to qualify?

You should not be older than 28 years of age on 15th July 2022 (that is, you should be born on and after 15th July 1994) in order to be eligible for the programme

Do I need to be an Indian Citizen to apply?

Yes, you should be an Indian Citizen to qualify for the programme. You are also eligible if you are conferred the status of a refugee by the Indian Government and hold a valid passport issued by the Indian Government.

I am a student currently. Can I apply?

You can apply either if you have completed your undergraduate degree and will have completed at least one year of full-time work experience after graduation, or if you will have completed a postgraduate degree or diploma in any discipline by June 2022. Neither summer nor winter internships or any other part-time internships will count towards the work experience eligibility criterion. If you have not received your postgraduate results at the time of application, then any offer extended is conditional on still fulfilling the eligibility criteria at the start of the programme. Associates are prohibited from undertaking any full-time or part-time educational course concurrently with the programme.

Do I need to be fluent in both Hindi and English?

Yes. Both Hindi and English are used as working languages in Haryana. Hindi is the usual medium of communication in government meetings and documents. English is the medium of communication for programme related documents and submissions. As such, high working proficiency in both is required by the programme.

Do I have to necessarily be located in Haryana for the entire duration of the fellowship?

Yes. It is important for the candidate to commit to be based out of their assigned district (rural/semi-urban/ urban) in Haryana for the duration of one year.

Programme

What are the key dates of the programme?

CMGGA 2022 will begin in early August 2022 and will run till either June 30, 2023 or July 31, 2023. Fellows are expected to relocate to their assigned districts in Haryana and remain committed to the programme for the entire duration.

What is the weekly time commitment required for CMGGA?

This is a full-time paid position with a six-day working week. The Associates are required to discharge their duties at the district from Monday to Saturday. Associates must be present at the knowledge forums, seminars, and meetings that they are required to attend as part of the programme, which may occasionally occur on the weekends.

Do Associates receive vacation time?

Associates will have the three national public holidays off (Independence Day, Mahatma Gandhi's birthday, and Republic Day) as well as any State holidays published by the Government of Haryana. In addition, Associates can also avail a maximum of 14 days of leave during the year, with not more than 3 days leave taken consecutively.

What stipend and facilities will the Associates be entitled to?

Associates receive a stipend of Rs. 50,000 per month, including Rs. 5,000 for communications and office expenses such as telephone, internet, printing, stationery, etc. Applicable taxes will be deducted at the source from this amount. In addition to the monthly stipend, travel costs to a maximum of Rs. 30,000 per month will be paid. Accommodation in the assigned district, and in other locations during all training periods will be provided to all Associates.

If selected, can I continue to work with other organizations?

The CMGGA programme is a full-time position. Associates are prohibited from working anywhere else (paid or unpaid) during the time they are part of the CMGGA programme.

Where will I be based out of?

Selected Associates will spend the year in their assigned districts where they will work closely with the Deputy Commissioners and other district officials. Occasional travel to Ashoka University, Chandigarh, other locations as part of Forums/ Trainings will be expected.

Application

How do I apply?

Applicants should register on the link provided on our website and submit the complete online application, once open for 2022. There are no paper forms to complete and no application fee.

When should I submit my application?

The first deadline for applications is May 21st 2022. The final deadline for applications is May 30th 2022. The earlier you apply, the faster you will hear back from us in case you move to the next round of interviews. Later applications will be subject to greater competition for fewer seats, hence it is desirable to apply early.

Need more clarity?

Contact us.

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