

### Internship at CLIx

### **About CLIx**

The Connected Learning Initiative (CLIx) is a bold and innovative effort to improve the professional and academic prospects of high school's students from underserved communities in India. CLIx incorporates thoughtful pedagogical design and leverages contemporary technology, including online capabilities, to provide quality educational content and experiences at scale. The current focus is on mathematics, science, communicative English, digital literacy and values, for high school students and teacher professional development in these areas for teachers. The initiative aims to reach a total of approximately 1,100 schools and 165,000 students in 4 states during 2015–2018, as well as conduct professional development for approximately 4500 teachers. CLIx is led by the Tata Institute for Social Sciences (TISS), the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) and the Tata Trusts. For more information, please visit <a href="https://clix.tiss.edu/">https://clix.tiss.edu/</a>

We are pleased to announce **CLIx Internship** for students interested in Mathematics, Science, English, Technology and teacher education, in the *States of Rajasthan, Telangana, Chhattisgarh and Mizoram*. The Interns will work with our curriculum development teams to contribute to the design and development of modules. The internship will provide an opportunity to work on new and emerging ideas in technology integration into curriculum and teacher professional development. This internship will be of interest to you if you are (a) passionate about your subject (b) wish to work with high school students and teachers in rural areas (c) value the importance of Indian languages and are yourself fluent in the language of your state (d) keen to explore how technology can be used meaningfully in education

The Interns will assist the CLIx team in the following areas:

- 1. Curriculum Development (one each for Mathematics and English to be based at TISS Mumbai)
- 2. Field Action Research (one each for implementing States-Telangana, Rajasthan, Chhattisgarh and Mizoram)
- 3. UI/UX Developer (one to be based at TISS Mumbai)
- 4. Field technologist (one to be based at TISS Mumbai)
- 5. Media production

# Skills/knowledge required:

- Expertise of working with spreadsheets
- Basic software development cycle
- Good command over English, Hindi and Telugu
- Orientation towards research

### **Qualification:**

- For 1- BSc/ MSc/ BA/ MA (1st and 2ndyear); Domain expertise, experience and interest in school education
- For 2- MA in Education, Social work, Social Entrepreneurs (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>year)
- For 4 and 5- B Tech/BCA /MCA/MSc (2<sup>nd</sup> year engineering student or final year graduation student)

Based on relevant experience, the intern will be provided with stipend. In case of field work, the project will support travel and stay for the candidates. Limited hostel accommodation during TISS vacation may be provided in case it is available.

**Duration:** The Internship may be availed for a period with dates decided and agreed on mutually.

### **About TISS:**

The Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS) which was established in 1936 is a Deemed University fully funded by the University Grant Commission (UGC), Government of India. The TISS offers 46 Master Degree Programmes in a range of Socially relevant inter-disciplinary of Social Work, Social Sciences, Health, Management, Labour Studies and Habitat Studies from its Mumbai, Tuljapur, Guwahati and Hyderabad Campuses. It has a strong M.Phil/Ph.D programme a high degree of freedom and autonomy shape the positive work ethos and creativity in the Institute.

## **Application Process:**

Candidates may apply using the form provided on the CLIx website.

<u>For any inquiries please contact</u>: Poonam Sachdev (Email: poonam.sachdev@tiss.edu) with CLIx-Internship in the subject line of your e-mail.

Signed:

Padma M. Sarangapani

Chairperson, CEI&AR, and Principal Investigator, CLIx

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