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**TWO MONTHS STUDENT INTERNSHIP PROGRAM - 2025-26**

Prof. N. R. Madhava Menon Interdisciplinary Centre for Research Ethics and Protocols is an Inter University Centre of Excellence, situated in the main campus of Cochin University of Science and Technology, Kochi, Kerala, India. The Centre functions with the aim of disseminating knowledge in the domain of interdisciplinary studies with a special focus on ethics.

The Centre is offering a two-months internship (Online and offline-hybrid mode) with a scholarship support of Rs.5000/- for graduate and post graduate students at different Universities (from India as well as abroad), from the discipline of law and science.

**I ELIGIBILITY**

1. Graduate or Post Graduate students from any of the recognized institutions and Universities in the discipline of Science/Law are eligible to apply.

**II CRITERIA FOR SELECTION**

1. Applicants are required to submit an abstract of not more than 200 words proposing empirical research on any of the interdisciplinary topics connecting the disciplines of science and law wherein major ethical dilemmas and conflicts exist.
2. Shortlisted candidates will be required to attend an online interview for preparation of the final list of selected candidates.
3. The selection to the program will be based on merit.
4. Once the internship application is approved, the matter will be informed to the candidates by way of a formal mail from the Centre.

5. The interns will then have to carry out the research after incorporating the suggestions put forward by the Centre.

### **III SKILLS AND ATTRIBUTES REQUIRED**

1. Students must have a keen interest and curiosity in learning and understanding the ethical issues and conflicts that arise upon the intersection of the disciplines of law and science.
2. Students must have good command over English language and must be well versed in the types of research, steps of conducting research, article and report writing etc.

### **IV DURATION AND MODE OF INTERNSHIP**

1. The internship will be for a period of two months.
2. The Internship will be in online/offline (Hybrid).
3. The date of commencement of the internship will be informed by the Centre.

### **V SCHEME OF INTERNSHIP**

1. On the first day of the internship, there will be a short orientation program by the Hon. Director of the Centre.
2. Throughout the course of the internship, the interns will be required to submit weekly progress reports and the details of work planned for the subsequent week on every weekend, using the forms provided by the Centre.
3. Interns must obtain the approval from the Centre before using any tool for data collection for the purpose of the study.
4. Based on the research, the interns must submit a final internship report before the Hon. Director of the Centre at the end of the internship period.
5. The date for submission of the report, detailed format for submission etc., will be issued to the interns by the Centre during the course of the program.
6. Failure to submit the final internship report as well as the weekly progress reports on time will result in termination of the internship.
7. Further, they may be required to refund the stipend distributed if any major misconduct is identified.
8. During the course of the internship, the interns will be required to attend such webinars, seminars, conferences etc., which the Centre instructs

them to attend and must submit a report on the same.

9. Further, the intern must meet such faculties and experts and collect the information from them, as and when the Centre directs them to do so.

## **VI GENERAL CONDITIONS**

1. The Centre reserves the sole rights regarding the selection for the internship.
2. During the course of the internship, the interns are required to complete the work within the allotted time.
3. Attendance during the period of the internship will be mandatory for successful completion of the internship. Attendance will be recorded daily through the google classroom.
4. Interns must abide by the rules, regulations and code of conduct laid down by the Centre.
5. The internship will be discontinued at any time if the performance of the intern is found dissatisfactory or fails to fulfill the responsibilities entrusted upon him/her by the Hon. Director of the Centre.
6. The student intern will be given a stipend of Rs. 5000/- for two months. The scholarship amount will be disbursed only after successful completion of the program and submission of the report.
7. Certificate of completion of Internship also will be issued to the interns who have completed the internship successfully.
8. Candidates who have already completed the internship from ICREP are not eligible to apply.

## VII HOW TO APPLY

The interested candidates may send their applications only **by post/ by hand** to the following address-

**The Hon. Director**  
**Prof. N. R. Madhava Menon Interdisciplinary Centre for**  
**Research Ethics and Protocols (ICREP)**  
**Cochin University of Science and Technology**  
**Kochi- 22**

The application should be enclosed with the following documents:

1. Original Bonafide Certificate (*in the format provided herewith as Annexure 2*).
2. Latest Curriculum Vitae
3. Any article or report which the applicant has written in the past (if any)
4. An abstract of not more than 200 words proposing a study on an area of interdisciplinary character connecting science and law wherein ethical dilemmas exists.

**The Application along with the above documents should reach the Centre by hand/ by post before 4 pm on or before 10-07-2025**

**Kochi-22**  
**21-06-2025**



**Hon. Director**  
**Prof. N.R. Madhava Menon**  
**Interdisciplinary Centre for**  
**Research Ethics and Protocols**  
**CUSAT, Kochi - 682 022**

**ANNEXURE 1  
APPLICATION FORM FOR INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY**

**PROF. N. R. MADHAVA MENON INTERDISCIPLINARY CENTRE FOR  
RESEARCH ETHICS AND PROTOCOLS, CUSAT**

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**1. PERSONAL INFORMATION**

<b>1.</b>	<b>Name of the Applicant</b>	
<b>2.</b>	<b>Gender</b>	
<b>3.</b>	<b>Address for Communication</b>          <b>Contact Number: Mail Address:</b>	
<b>4.</b>	<b>Permanent Address</b>	
<b>5.</b>	<b>Date of Birth and Age</b>	...../...../..... , .....years

6.	<b>Details of the course undergoing at present (Mention name of the course, semester of study and the total number of semesters, year of study and total number of years)</b>	<b>Discipline of study:</b>
7.	<b>Institution where the applicant is studying (Mention address, contact number and mail ID of the institution)</b>	<b>Number: Mail ID: Website Address:</b>
8.	<b>Educational Qualification of Applicant</b>	
9.	<b>Recent Internship experiences (if any) with details</b>	

**DECLARATION**

I hereby declare that the information furnished herein are true to the best of my knowledge and I agree to abide by all the rules and directions issued by the Centre during the course of my internship.

Place:

Date:

Name and Signature of the Candidate

**ANNEXURE II**  
**BONAFIDE CERTIFICATE**  
*(To be issued by the parent institution)*

To,

The Hon. Director,  
Prof. N. R. Madhava Menon Interdisciplinary Centre for Research Ethics  
and Protocols (ICREP),  
An Inter University Centre of Excellence recog. by Govt. of Kerala  
Cochin University of Science and Technology,  
Kochi-682022

**Sub: Bonafide Certificate**

This is to certify that.....  
(name of applicant) is a bonafide student of this institution pursuing.....  
.....  
.....(name of course, semester and year).  
This certificate is being issued for the purpose of availing internship grants from  
ICREP.

Signature of HOD/Principal  
(With name, designation and seal)

Place:

Date: