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NOTICE FOR ENGAGEMENT OF INDUSTRIAL TRAINEES AT THE WORLD BANK, NEW DELHI OFFICE

Applications are sought from eligible candidates to work as Research Interns with the Governance team at the World Bank under the **Industrial Training program of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.**

Duration of industrial training: 9 months (minimum) to 18 months (maximum) in accordance with ICAI Regulations on industrial training

Location: New Delhi

Stipend: Competitive

Eligibility: Candidate should have -

- Passed both Groups of Intermediate (Professional Competence) Examination or Professional Education (Examination-II) or Intermediate Examination. Preference will be given to students having obtained merit. Completed minimum 18 months of practical training, remaining articleship period of minimum 9 months and maximum 18 months as on January 1, 2024 (likely date of joining).
- Strong analytical and quantitative skills along with computer proficiency and data analysis and effective written and spoken communication skills.

Responsibilities: Undertaking research, analysis and evaluation of data, as well as the formulation of conclusions and write reports/ briefs. Further, supporting the World Bank teams on financial management aspects of India's portfolio, including monitoring, supervision and reporting issues.

At the World Bank, we work closely with governments to develop policies that can improve the lives of poor people, and access social and infrastructure services and good jobs. This industrial training is intended to provide the CA aspirants with a global opportunity to understand the concepts of public financial management and its role in the larger development debate.

Interested candidates should email their applications to **Ms. Subi Roy (sroy1@worldbank.org)** with subject line as

Industrial Training -2024 containing:

- (a) Detailed curriculum vitae, clearly identifying the remaining articleship period; and
- (b) Statement of Purpose (maximum 700 words).

Deadline for receipt of applications is November 30, 2023.

Only shortlisted candidates will be notified via email for taking the process forward.

Terms of Reference

Title:	Research Interns (Short Term Temporary)
Practice	Global Governance Practice (GGP), New Delhi

The Global Governance Practice in India supports governments in building capable, efficient, open, inclusive and accountable institutions. The GGP interventions range from diagnostics, technical assistance and advisory services, knowledge management and sharing, creating peer learning platforms, lending and reform project implementation, and monitoring and reporting. An important part of its responsibilities is to deliver operational support to other Practices, including through inputs for policy-based operations, hands-on implementation advice and direct fiduciary due diligence of investment financing.

Interns will be hired as STTs (under World Bank rules and applicable/relevant compensation structure) and will report to Practice Manager, Governance. The interns will be registered under Mr. Manoj Jain, Lead Financial Management Specialist and/or Ms. Manvinder Mamak, Senior Financial Management Specialist, associate Chartered Accountants (ACA) from ICAI, for industrial training purposes as required under regulations of the ICAI (Regulation 51 & 72).

Objective

The objective of the assignment is to (i) give exposure to interns into the workings of the World Bank, and (ii) have the interns provide research support for the GGP, particularly in the areas of the managing fiduciary aspects of the lending portfolio and public financial management and accountability issues in the public sector.

Responsibilities

The interns' specific responsibilities will include, but not limited to:

- Supporting the team in monitoring, supervising and reporting issues on financial management aspects across the Bank's projects in India
- Supporting the Bank's state level public financial management engagements
- Undertaking research on identified public financial management topics
- Supporting Advisory Services and Analytics (ASAs) that the team is involved in, such as the study on special purpose vehicles, improving the planning function in states, etc.
- Supporting development of knowledge products
- And any other relevant work as may be assigned by the unit

This appointment will begin on or around January 01, 2024.