

Invitation to submit Proposal for Short-term Research

Rosa-Luxemburg-Stiftung hereinafter referred as RLS invites proposal from experienced Researchers to conduct / do a research study about **“The challenge of Industry 4.0 for India and South Asian countries and issues of just transition for workers”**.

Scope of Work

The proposal is to research the challenge of Industry 4.0 for India and South Asian countries and issues of just transitions for workers in the automotive industry. It should focus on the impact on labour conditions and (un)employment, issues that trade unions and workers must engage with, issues of an industrial relations framework appropriate for a Future of Work scenario and discuss possible solutions. The planned research is meant to inform interested stakeholders and potential users about challenges of Industry 4.0 on labour conditions as well as to discuss possible solutions. The research aims to produce a readily understandable working paper of thirty pages and infographics in English language.

Time Period

The research period will be maximum six months. The paper should be finished by 15th December 2019.

Terms of Reference

The research proposal must be submitted by 31st May 2019 in English and PDF-format and should contain:

- Details of the content to be researched
- Budget (not exceeding 15,000 Euros)
- Timeline
- CV of the Researcher

Selection of Researcher

Based on the proposals received, the selected researcher will be informed via **email** from RLS, India Liaison Office. The selections will be based on the following criteria:

- Relevant previous experience on trade unions, work experience etc. (preferred experience in automotive industry)
- Professional skills in research and writing.
- English language skills.
- Budget should be comparatively economical.

Contract

On final selection, a contract will be signed between the Researcher and RLS, Berlin, Germany. The payment would be initiated by the Berlin office as per agreed terms in the contract.

Contact Person

Please send proposals by email to the below mentioned person:
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