

**HSS DEPARTMENT**  
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**March 2016**

**Applications are invited for Post Doctoral Fellows in English, Fine Arts and Philosophy.**  
**Two positions are vacant. Applications will be processed in June.**  
**Please apply with full cv and sample of your publications to [suraji@iitk.ac.in](mailto:suraji@iitk.ac.in)**

- 1. Area:** Ethics  
**Qualification:** Essential: PhD in Philosophy. Desirable: Knowledge of Indian Philosophy and Sanskrit  
(The thrust area is 'Ethical thinking in the Indian Tradition'.)
- 2. Area:** Aesthetics  
**Qualification:** PhD in Philosophy/Literature (with specialization in Philosophical Aesthetics).
- 3. Area:** Philosophical Logic/Philosophy of Science  
**Qualification:** PhD in Philosophy (Philosophical Logic/Philosophy of Science)
- 4. Area:** Language documentation and description  
**Qualification:** PhD in Linguistics  
(Thrust area will be description of lesser known languages of India)
- 5. Area:** Linguistic theory  
**Qualification:** PhD in Linguistics
- 6. Area:** Literature and the Environment  
**Qualification:** Ph. D. in English Literature  
Desirable: Interest evinced through publications on Posthumanism, the Anthropocene and Climate Fiction.
- 7. Area:** Feminist theory (specifically materialist feminism focusing on issues related to labour, caste and/or science working within the field of cultural studies)  
**Qualification:** PhD in Literature/ Cultural Studies
- 8. Area:** Indian Literature and translation  
**Qualification:** PhD in Literature/ Translation Studies
- 9. Area:** English Language Teaching  
**Qualification:** PhD in ELT  
(Focus will be on drawing insights from second language acquisition research and developing materials and methodology to teach English at various levels)