

Internship Opportunities in Pattanam and Mathilakam Excavations - 2020

PAMA AMITY - Joint Initiative

(To feel the depth you inherit as a human, to touch your ancestor through the objects that survived them, to be honest when no one is watching, to celebrate trans-disciplinary team-work)

Research Assistant Interns

Amity - PAMA Research Internship opportunities are open to Post Graduates and professional Graduates irrespective of disciplinary differences interested in Archaeological field work at Pattanam (N Lat. 10 09'434" Long: E Long 76° 12' 587") and Mathilakam (N. Lat.10.303.59.77 Long; E Long 76° 21' 504"). Preference will be given to those with experience and academic training in archaeological, geological, historical, architectural and anthropological field work. Depending on their capabilities, background skills and exposure selected interns will be included in the Excavation team holding different research responsibilities such as Antiquity and Pottery Registrations Assistants, Trench Supervisors, Trench Assistants, Database Assistants, Photography/Videography Assistants, Website maintenance Assistants etc.

Applicants of Research Assistant internships have to pay Rs 1000 (\$ 100 for non-Indians) as Application Fee. All expenses related to their accommodation and food will be borne by PAMA and AMITY.

Volunteer Interns

Those who are presently students at graduate, post graduate or higher levels may apply for volunteer internship opportunities in the excavation procedures.

Volunteer intern applicants will have to pay Rs 2000/ (\$ 100 for non-Indians) as application fees and Rs 1000 (\$20) per week for accommodation and food expenses. Volunteers who can find their own accommodation will only need not to pay for their weekly food expenses.

Applicants should specify their tentative duration of participation. CV and a note on their objectives of participation as Research Assistant/ Volunteer may be included with the Application Form provided. Online and hands on training will be provided by PAMA, to selected applicants, to equip them with the excavation methodology and multiple tasks of the excavation procedures. Travel expenses to reach the excavation camp may be borne by the applicant or the institution they represent. Minimum period of Internships is 21 days (Three weeks) Maximum 90 days (Three months) All payments may be paid in advance.

AMITY and PAMA Excavation Participation Certificates, Credits (Grades) will be given to Interns on their successful completion of internships. Currently students or researchers at any level in any discipline if so desired will be encouraged and academically supported to prepare a Chapter/ Paper/ Assignment based on their field experiences and archaeological methods practiced at Pattanam and Mathilakam.

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