



**NATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION**  
**TRAINING DIVISION**

**SUB: - ANNOUNCEMENT OF ONLINE SHORT TERM**  
**INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME**

**29<sup>th</sup> April to 10<sup>th</sup> May, 2024**

The National Human Rights Commission has expressly been mandated to promote Human Rights literacy and awareness vide Section 12 (h) of the Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993. With a view to spread awareness among University students about the need for protection and promotion of Human Rights, the Commission has been regularly conducting *Internship Programmes* since 1998.

2. For the Month of April, 2024, a two week "Online Short Term Internship Programme - April, 2024 (OSTI- April, 2024)" will commence from 29<sup>th</sup> April to 10<sup>th</sup> May, 2024 (Monday) to (Friday). Applications are invited from eligible students of the entire country. Eligibility and selection criteria will be as follows:-

- (i) Students studying in 3rd year and onwards of any integrated 5 year PG Course
- (ii) Students studying in 3rd / final year of a graduation course
- (iii) Students of any semester/ year of any post-graduate degree course (also applicable to the students in three year LL.B programme).
- (iv) Students of any semester/ year of any post-graduate diploma course
- (v) Students who are research scholars in any stream.

3. Students must have consistently attained a **minimum of 60% marks in Class XII** and all subsequent years in attended degree or diploma courses, including the **presently pursued courses**. The calculated percentage has to be mentioned clearly from their CGPA/SGPA along with the formula for percentage obtained. Failure to do either of it so would result in rejection of application form.

4. A 250 words write-up on the topic "Statement of Purpose for joining NHRC Online Short Term Internship" will be required to be submitted by the applicants online along with the application form which will also serve as a basis of selection. **Students who have research potential in the areas relating to human rights will be preferred** (to be indicated in the write-up). The students may also include the details of co-curricular activities, Moot Courts, Internships, research projects for strengthening their application.

5. **Enclose Self attested scanned copies of MARK-SHEET FROM 10<sup>TH</sup> STANDARD ONWARDS and MARK-SHEET OF EACH YEAR/SEMESTER OF GRADUATION & PRESENTLY PURSUING COURSE and Letter of Recommendation (LOR) by concerned HOD/Dean/Principal which should be of a date subsequent to the date of uploading of this advertisement and for the presently pursued course.**

6. **In absence of following, the applications are liable to be rejected.**
- i. Scanned Self attested mark-sheets of 12<sup>th</sup> Standard, All Semesters of Graduation Course & marks sheets of all semesters of Pursuing Course.
  - ii. Scanned Statement of Purposes (SOPs) and
  - iii. Scanned Recommendation letter/email by HOD/Dean/Principal concerned **in the annexed Proforma.**
7. Students who have attended earlier Internship Programmes organized by NHRC will not be eligible to apply.
8. This is a **full time Internship Programme from 10:00 am to 5:30 pm (Monday to Friday).** Students must ensure about their availability before applying. The student **should not be more than 28 years old as on 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2024.**
9. **Brief Course Structure of Online Short Term Internship - (29th April to 10th May, 2024) would be as stated below-** About 45-50 sessions on various human rights issues are proposed to be covered to sensitize the interns. The OSTI- April 2024 will include following inputs:
- i. Address/Interaction with Hon'ble Chairperson and Members of NHRC and other domain Experts including senior Govt. of India Officials.
  - ii. Group Project work on Human Right issues.
  - iii. Book Review to be submitted by the students
  - iv. **Films on Human Rights & Discussion** - Child and Bonded Labour issues, Anti Trafficking, Health including mental health and Education issues and discussions.
  - v. **Virtual Field Visit**
    - Virtual visit to Jail
    - Virtual field visit to Police Station
    - Virtual field visit to NGO/ Shelter Homes

The students get to see the working of these institutions and may get their related questions addressed.

10. **AWARD**
- i. **All the student interns successfully completing the internship would receive a stipend of Rs. 2000/- (Rupees Two Thousand only)**
  - ii. **Certificate of participation will be awarded to the candidates on the basis of following parameters:**
    - *Punctuality, Discipline, Participation in online sessions is mandatory; timely submission of Group Project Presentation & Project Reports and Book Reviews.*
  - iii. *It is mandatory to attend all the interns to attend all the sessions. However, in case of exceptional circumstances; interns may be given two days only with prior permission.*
11. **APPLICATION FOR OSTI April, 2024**
- i. **The last date for submission of the application is 18<sup>th</sup> April, 2024 (18.00 hours).** The 'Application Form' for Short Term Internship Programme- April, 2024 is available at link 'Online Short Term Internship'. *Application to be*

*submitted Online using link - Online Short Term Internship available at NHRC's website <https://nhrc.nic.in>*

- ii. All the applications should be submitted through this **online platform only.**
  - iii. **If any discrepancy, such as Marks/CGPA/Percentage is found in the details given in any application, then the applicant will be barred from future programs of NHRC along with rejection of such application.**
12. Please ensure that the application for OSTI April, 2024 is duly filled. Applications submitted otherwise will not be accepted.

**Kindly note → Incomplete applications / applications without self attested copies of mark-sheets (10<sup>th</sup> Class, 12<sup>th</sup> Class, All semesters of Graduation Course & pursuing Course), Letter of recommendation & SOPs etc. will be rejected and Applications sent through e-mails/posts will not be entertained. No application will be accepted after the deadline i.e. 18<sup>th</sup> April, 2024 (18.00 Hours).**

13. The Final List of Selected Interns will be displayed on NHRC website.
14. For any details, you may please contact at Ph. No. : 011-24663371 (between 10.00 am to 6.00 pm on working days, i.e. Monday to Friday).
15. The commission reserves the right to discard all/any application, and also to amend or modify the terms and conditions of internship, without assigning any reason.

  
(Lt Col Virender Singh)  
Director

**Dated: April, 2024**

Letter of Recommendation

It is certified that Mr. /Ms. .... is a bonafide student of ..... University/College. He/She is pursuing degree/course of..... in the year/semester ..... He/she is a suitable candidate for the **Online Short Term Internship Programme – April, 2024** conducted in the year 2024 by the National Human Rights Commission and hereby his/her candidature is recommended for the same.

Place:

Signature of the Dean/Principal/HOD

Dated:

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