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The National Institution for Transforming India is the premier policy. Think Tank of India which is engaged in a number of transformational initiatives as a catalyst and an accelerator of change across sectors in partnership with Central Ministries and the State Governments.

NITI Aayog is looking for young, talented, innovative and dynamic Professionals who desire to be a part of the team that is scripting the exciting transformation story which is unfolding in India today. Details of the same are given below:

1	Name of Position	Consultant - Grade I (Agriculture)
2	Number of Position	1 (One)
3	Method of recruitment	Contract Based through Open Market
4	Age Limit	Candidates should be below 45 years of age as on the date of advertisement
5	Period of Contract	For a period of 2 years
6	Remuneration (per month)	Rs. 80,000/- to Rs. 1,45,000/- (Inclusive of Taxes)
7	Education qualification	<u>Essential</u> Master's Degree in Agricultural Statistics/Statistics/Agricultural Economics/Economics. <u>Desirable</u> Person with Ph D in the relevant discipline research experience published papers and post qualification experience in the relevant filed would be preferred (Preference will be given to persons having educational qualifications from Institutions of National/International repute)
8	Experience	Minimum 3 (three) years of experience in formulation, appraisal, execution/implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policy, programme of projects related to agriculture and horticulture production, agro-processing, food processing and export including domestic and overseas marketing <i>etc.</i> The experience of internship/training will not be considered.
9	Job description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analysis of agriculture & allied sector schemes using statistical tools; • Work on strategy and policy on themes such as agriculture development, domestic and export markets, agricultural advancements, application of IT in agriculture, agri-infrastructures, employment opportunities in agriculture sector, development of agri-allied sectors, agro-processing, food processing, supply chain and value chain managements, agri logistics, farmers' issues and sustainability;

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Appraisal of EFCs, SFCs, Parliamentary Standing Committee Reports, Parliamentary Matters, Draft Cabinet Notes and Addressing other regular FRs; • Take up of research activities including monitoring and addressing of other ongoing schemes and programmes; • To provide support to Agriculture Vertical in addressing policy issues relevant at national level including State specific need; • To assist senior officers in any other work assigned from time to time and • Any other work related to the discipline.
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The terms and conditions of engagement of the Consultant Grade-I (Agriculture) will be according to the NITI Guidelines O.M. no. A-12013/02/2015-Adm. I(B) dated 29.07.2020. The Guidelines are placed on NITI Aayog's website www.niti.gov.in. Further it is mentioned that the no. of positions for Consultant Grade-I (Agriculture) may vary and are tentative.

Note: The applications of the candidates may be shared with other Ministries/Departments for their utilization, if required.

Submission of Applications: Eligible candidates may apply online on the link to be provided on the website of NITI Aayog within 30 days from the date of publication of the advertisement in the Newspaper. **Applications are to be submitted online only.**