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No.: NITK-Estt./Chair Professor/2025/B1

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Advertisement

Applications are invited from interested and eligible candidates for the appointment of Chair Professor in the Department of Mining Engineering at the National Institute of Technology (NITK), Surathkal, Mangaluru. The details are as under:

Chair Offered by: The Hutti Gold Mines Company Limited.

Eligibility and Qualification: To be considered for Chair Professor position, the candidates must be recognized as domain experts and thought leaders their field of work. They need to have Ph.D./ Masters/ Bachelor's degree with at least 10/15/20 years of work experience, respectively. The candidates should be top professionals (Professor/ Chief Scientist/ CXO, etc.) in reputed organizations. Excellent communication skills and a track record of inspiring and mentoring young entrepreneurs are essential.

Area of Specialization: Underground Coal and Metal Mining, Sustainable mining practices, mine health and safety, mining legislation and policy making.

Desirable Credentials: Work experience in both coal and metal mining sectors, Hands-on experience in real-time problem solving in mining operations, International exposure through professional engagement, Professional experience in statutory bodies related to mining, Exposure to regulatory and policy formulation through relevant ministries, Involvement in AI/ML/IoT- based mining projects.

Terms and Conditions: Chair Professorship shall be a Direct Recruitment, open to internal as well as external candidates. The creation and operation of the Chair will be subject to the following terms and conditions:

- a) Candidates should have outstanding credentials (qualifications, experience and professional network), and either holding/ retired at top positions in academia, R&D labs or industry at the time of application.
- b) The position shall be in perennial continuance. Tenure of Chair Professor will be for 3 years with appointment in phases, to be renewed every year based on performance and annual review.

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Age limit: Age limit for Chair Professor candidates shall be 62 years as on the closing date of the advertisement.

Emoluments: Pay scale of Chair Professor will be Academic Pay Level 14A of 7th CPC Pay Matrix. At present, the gross emoluments for this scale are approximately ₹3 lakh/month.

Period of appointment and duration of the Chair: Chair Professorship will be a full-time appointment at NITK for one year, renewable for up to 3 years subject to annual review by the Competent Authority.

Interested Candidates are required to submit their applications (Annexure – I) along with their updated Curriculum Vitae and all relevant documents in support of their candidature on or before **08-08-2025** to **the Dean (Faculty and Staff welfare)**, **NITK Surathkal, Mangaluru – 575025**.

Sd/-

DEAN (FACULTY AND STAFF WELFARE)