

INDIAN COUNCIL FOR CULTURAL RELATIONS
AZAD BHAVAN, I.P. ESTATE, NEW DELHI 110002

ICCR invites applications from eligible Indian Nationals for Empanelment as Teachers of Indian Culture for deployment as Teacher-cum-Performer on short-term contract basis in the (fields) of Kathak, Bharatnatyam, Kuchipudi, Odissi, Carnatic Vocal, Hindustani Vocal and Tabla Indian Cultural Centres (ICCs)/Indian Embassies and Consulates abroad.

A. QUALIFICATION & EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:-

i) Qualification				
Sl. No.	Eligibility Criteria		Details	Proofs to be submitted
1.	Nationality/ Citizenship		Indian National	Valid PAN/ Aadhaar Card/ Certificates.
			Essential:-	
2.	Qualifications	a)	A graduate degree/Diploma of not less than three years in Kathak/Bharatnatyam/ Kuchipudi/Odissi/Carnatic Vocal/Hindustani Vocal/Tabla from a recognised University/Institution with at least 5 years experience as a teacher in a reputed Institute/School. In case of institutions that are not governed under the UGC Act, candidates are required to submit Certificates establishing equivalence of the course with UGC Degree/Diploma from the appropriate authorities. Candidates who submit Experience Certificate from their own Institutes are required to submit 'Registration Certificate' of the Institute with proof indicating that he/she has been teaching in the Institute for the claimed period.	Relevant certificates/ documents lecture and demonstrations.
		b)	Sound knowledge of Hindi and English languages.	
		c)	Knowledge of Computer operations.	
		d)	Adequate knowledge of Indian Philosophy, history, traditions of Indian Music, art and Culture.	
			Desirable:-	
		a)	Teaching experience/capability to teach other allied fields like other music and dance forms, Contemporary Dance, Folk Dance, any other musical instrument etc.	
		b)	Knowledge of any foreign language.	
		c)	Experience in giving performances.	
		d)	Experience in production of stage programmes, choreography and examination preparation.	
		e)	Expertise in application of digital technology in teaching Performing Arts, preparing creatives etc.	
		f)	Experience of having visited/lived abroad for study, domicile or work.	
		g)	Familiarity/work experience in diplomatic/international relations.	
ii)	Age Criteria:- 25 to 45 years of age as on 31-12-2025.			
iii)	Application procedure:- Candidates may send typed application in the prescribed Format along with supporting documents to "Programme Director (ICC), Indian			

	Council for Cultural Relations Azad Bhavan, I. P. Estate, New Delhi - 110 002" and email iccsection.iccr@nic.in on or before 18-01-2026. Those in the government service should apply through proper channel only, in the prescribed format.
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Application form for empanelment of Performing Arts Teachers for deployment on short-term contract basis at Missions/Posts/ Indian Cultural Centres(ICC) abroad

1.	Post Applied for		Applicant's Photograph				
2.	Name in full						
3.	Parents/Spouse Name						
4.	Local Address/Permanent Address						
	Tel/Mob. No.						
	E-mail id						
5.	Date of Birth						
6.	Marital Status						
7.	Field of Specialization						
8.	Languages known						
9.	Category (SC/ST/OBC/GEN)						
10.							
(i) Education Qualifications:-							
		10th	12th	Graduation	Post Graduation	MPhil	Ph.D.
Name of Board/University/Institute							
Year of Passing							
Marks Obtained							
Percentage of Marks							
Marks obtained in Kathak/Bharatnatyam/Kuchipudi/Odissi/Carnatic Vocal/Hindustani Vocal/Tabla							
(ii) Technical Qualifications:-							
Degree/Diploma	Name of the University / Institutions	Subject	Duration of Course	Year of Passing	Marks obtained	% of Marks	
a) Under Graduation							
b) Post Graduation							
c) M.Phil							
d) Ph.D.							
e) Diploma							
f) Certificate							
g) Any other							
(iii) Desirable Qualifications:-							
Knowledge of		Yes/No	Details				
a) Other music							
b) Dance forms							
c) Contemporary Dance							
d) Folk Dance							
e) Other musical instruments							
f) Foreign language							
g) Foreign stay							
h) Experience in diplomatic/ international relations							
11.	Professional Working/Teaching Experience (Such as Name of the Employer, Post held, nature of Duties etc.)						
Sl. No.	Name of Employer	Designation	Pay	Nature of duties	Tenure		Total tenure-Year and Month
					From	To	

i)							
ii)							

12.	Present Employer Basic Pay, Scale of Pay Date of Annual increment						
13.	Previous deployment abroad By ICCR:-						
Sl. No.	Mission/ Post/ Indian Cultural Centre	Country	Nature of duties	Tenure		Total tenure- Year and Month	
				From	To		
i)							
ii)							
14.	i) Have you been repatriated prematurely in the past? ii) Are there any legal cases pending/any jail term served.						
15.	Participation in National /International Events:-						
Sl. No.	Name of the Event	Place	Date	Country/ State	Level of participation (Solo/Group)	Name of the Group Leader	
i)							
ii)							
16.	Any other relevant information:						
17.	Details of Awards/Certificates won:						
18.	Special achievements:						

Declaration

I, hereby declare that all the statements made in my application form are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. In the event of any information being found false or incorrect at any stage, my application is liable to be rejected and if already appointed, my services are liable to be terminated without notice.

I, hereby submit my application with full knowledge that ICCR reserves the right to reject the candidature of any candidate without assigning any reason.

(Signature)

Place:

Date:

Note: The information under Sl. No.2,3,4,5,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17 may be supported with relevant certificates/documents.