



VIDYASAGAR UNIVERSITY

MIDNAPORE - 721102

Employment Notification: VU/R/Advt./ 01/2026 Dated: 28.01.2026

Vidyasagar University invites application from the eligible Indian Nationals on the prescribed form available in the University website for the post of (01) **Assistant Professor (purely on contract basis)** on or before 13.02.2026 with Bank Draft in favour of "Vidyasagar University" payable at Midnapore of ₹600/- for S1. No. 01. For details of Minimum qualifications, age, experience and salary etc. please visit the University website www.vidyasagar.ac.in

Sd/-

Dr. J. K. Nandi
Registrar

Please Publish it in -

- a. The Times of India
- b. The Ananda Bazar Patrika
- c. The Indian Express
- d. The Sangbad Pratidin
- e. The Aajkaal
- f. The Biplabi Sabyasachi
- g. The Upatyaka

Copy for information to:

- 1. The Senior Information Scientist for wide circulation on the University website,
- 2. Dr. Jitendra Nath Murmu, Establishment Section,
- 3. The Enquiry Section, VU,
- 4. The Secretary to the Vice-Chancellor for kind information to the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor,
- 5. The Office Supdt., Office of the Registrar



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Vidyasagar University invites application from Indian Nationals for filling up of the following post:

1. Assistant Professor (Purely on contract basis) in

(i) Ocean Geomatics and AI: 01 (one) Post (Unreserved)
Consolidated pay: As per the University norms

Minimum Eligibility Criteria:

For Assistant Professor:

- a. Good academic record as defined by the concerned University with at least 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) at the Masters Degree level in a relevant subject along with relaxation applicable to specified categories as explained in the Note-1.

- b. the candidate must have cleared the National Eligibility Test (NET) conducted by the UGC/CSIR or similar test accredited by the UGC like NET/SET along with exemptions to specified categories as explained in the Note – 2.

Specialization for Assistant Professor (Purely on contract basis):

Ocean Geomatics and AI: Oceanography / Operational Oceanography

Note-1: Relaxation of Marks for Recruitment of Assistant Professor:

- i. A relaxation of 5% may be provided at the Graduate and Masters level for the Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes/Differently-abled (physically and visually differently-abled) / other Backward Classes (non-creamy layer) categories for the purpose of eligibility and for assessing good academic records during direct recruitment to teaching positions. However, differently-abled (physically and visually) candidates are not eligible for any marks relaxation in Physical Education discipline.
- ii. The minimum qualifying marks of 55% is relaxable by 5% marks (from 55% to 50%) at the master level for Ph.D. degree holders who have obtained the Masters degree prior to September 19, 1991.
- iii. The eligibility marks of 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) and the relaxation of 5% to the categories mentioned above are permissible, based on only the qualifying marks without including any grace mark procedures.
- iv. All the essential qualifications must have been obtained from a recognized University/ Institute. By a recognized University/ Institute is meant a University/ Institute affiliated to UGC / other statutory apex bodies, or recognized by the State or Central Government as a centre of higher learning. In case of a foreign University, the Degree concerned should be recognized as equivalent to its India counterpart by the Association of Indian Universities.

Note-2: NET/SLET/SET Exemption for the Post of Assistant Professor:

- i. The candidates who have been awarded Ph.D. degree in the same or in a relevant subject in accordance with the University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for award of Ph.D. Degree) Regulations, 2009 shall be exempted from the qualifying in the Eligibility Test (NET/SLET/SET).
- ii. Candidates registered for Ph.D. programme prior to 11 July, 2009 shall be exempted from qualifying in the Eligibility Test (NET/SLET/SET) as described hereinafter. The award of Degree to candidates registered for the Ph.D. programme prior to July 11, 2009, shall be governed by the provisions of the then existing Ordinances/ Bye laws/ Regulations of the institutions awarding the Degree in the same or relevant subject shall be exempted from the requirement of NET/SLET /SET. Subject to fulfillment of the following conditions:
 - a) Ph.D. degree of the candidate awarded in regular mode only;
 - b) Evaluation of the Ph.D. thesis by at least two external examiners;
 - c) Open Ph.D. viva voce of the candidate had been conducted;
 - d) Candidate has published two research papers from his/her Ph.D. work out of which at least one must be in a referred journal;
 - e) Candidate has made at least two presentations in conferences, seminars, based on his/her Ph.D. work.
 - f) (a) to (e) as above are to be certified by the Vice-Chancellor/Pro-Vice-Chancellor/Dean (Academic Affairs)/Dean (University instructions).
- iii. NET/SLET/SET shall also not be required for such Master's Programmes in disciplines for which NET/SLET/SET is not conducted.

NB: Candidates those who have applied for the posts of Assistant Professor (Purely on contract basis) in Ocean Geomatics and AI in response to earlier advertisement vide No. VU/R/Advt./04/2025 dated 09.09.2025 need not apply again but may send updated resume with documents

General Instructions:

1. Downloaded application form available in the University website (www.vidyasagar.ac.in).
2. Bank Draft in favour "Vidyasagar University" payable at Midnapore of ₹600/- for S1. No. 01
3. Completed Application in all aspects should be sent to **The Registrar, Vidyasagar University, Midnapore - 721102, Paschim Medinipur, West Bengal** latest by 13.02.2026. The University will not be responsible for any postal delay. **Application should be sent in a cover envelop mentioning the name of the post applied for.**
4. In case of Substantive posts, the appointment will be made initially for a period of 1(One) year. Based on the performance they may be regularized in the post.
5. In case of contractual posts, the appointment will be made initially for a period of 1(One) year. Based on the performance, contract may be renewed for a further period.
6. OBC-A, OBC-B, SC, ST, EC certificate, (as the case may be, if applicable) issued by the competent authority of Govt. of West Bengal only, will be considered.
7. Persons employed in Government / Semi Government Organizations / Autonomous Bodies should submit their application through proper channel. They may, however, send an advance copy of the application.

Those who are unable to process their application through proper channel may submit 'No Objection Certificate (NOC)' from present employer during the time of interview. However, they should submit an undertaking to that effect. Direct application from such candidates will not be entertained.

8. Age relaxation for SC/ST/OBCs/Ex-Serviceman and Persons with Disabilities (PWD) is applicable as per Government norms. Age relaxation is also applicable those are working at Vidyasagar University.
9. Candidates should submit their SC/ST/OBCs/ Ex-Serviceman, Disability Certificate issued by Competent Authority in the prescribed format along with the application form, in support of their claim.
10. The University reserves the right of rejecting any or all the applications without assigning any reasons thereof.
11. Candidates applying for more than one post may apply separately for each post.
12. Mere eligibility will not vest any right on any candidate for being called for interview / written test. The decision of the University in all matters will be final. No correspondence will be entertained from the candidates in connection with the process of selection. **Canvassing in any manner would entail disqualification of the candidature.**
13. Incomplete applications or applications without self-attested copies of certificates or received after the last date is liable to be rejected. The University reserves the right to conduct the written / screening test, if the number of applicant is large for a particular post.
14. Applications received without requisite fees will be rejected.
15. ***NO INTERIM ENQUIRIES WILL BE ENTERTAINED.***
16. **Applicants should submit an undertaking, available with application form in the University website (www.vidyasagar.ac.in).**
17. **One original and 07 (seven) photocopies of the duly filled-in application forms are to be submitted. All enclosures including self-attested copies of testimonials are to be submitted along with the first (original) copy.**

Registrar