

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY DELHI CALL FOR APPLICATIONS



Transformative Leadership in STEMM (TLS) 2025-26

Workshop for Advanced Ph.D. Scholars from SC/ST community

The Initiative for Caste Equity (ICE), Office of Diversity & Inclusion and the SC/ST Cell, IIT Delhi are organising a series of mentoring workshops entitled "Transformative Leadership in STEMM (TLS)" for SC/ST students who are in the second (or later) years of Ph.D. programs at IITs, NITs, and other HEIs. The main purpose of these workshops is to encourage and empower the Ph.D. Scholars to apply for faculty positions at IITs, NITs, and other HEIs.

Applications are invited for the TLS workshop 2025–26. This three-day workshop will provide mentoring for research, teaching, and leadership. Selected candidates will present their ongoing research and will receive feedback and mentoring from faculty and senior experts. The workshop will also have sessions focused on building teaching and presentation skills, facing job interviews, confidence building, networking, and interactions with experts, Deans, and Directors of IITs.

Who can apply

- Ph.D. students belonging to the SC/ST category enrolled at any of the IITs, NITs, and other HEIs in their second and and later years in PhD. Recently graduated candidates and post-docs can also apply.
- In this round, applications are open for the following areas:
 Chemical Engineering, Textile & Fibre Engineering,
 Atmospheric Sciences, and Materials Science & Engineering
- Selection will be based on the seniority, good academic potential, and quality of the research paper.

Women candidates are highly encouraged to apply.

How to apply

You need to submit:

- Abstract of your reseach paper
- Letter of Interest
- Updated CV
- Email contact of supervisor

All documents are needed to be emailed as a single PDF file to the following email: tlsworkshop.iitd@gmail.com

8th December 5th January 2025 2026 Application submission deadline Selection notification Workshop date

IIT Delhi will cover TA (including airfare), and local hospitality of the selected candidates.