Application form for ICHR Senior Academic Fellowship (SAF), 2026-2027
And vacant seats of 2025-26

Address your application to

The Member Secretary,
Indian Council of Historical Research,
35, Ferozeshah Road,
New Delhi - 110 001.

Space for passport size photograph

Paste a self-attested passport size photograph and attach another.

1. Name (as per SSC Certificate)

2. Gender ☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Third Gender

3. Date of Birth – [DD/MM/YYYY]
(as recorded in SSC or equivalent Certificate)

4. Name of Mother

5. Name of Father

6. Nationality

7. Address for Communication (House No)
Street/ Locality
City District
State Pincode

8. Permanent Address (H.No.)
Street/ Locality
City District
State Pincode

9. Zone : North ☐ South ☐ East ☐ West ☐ North East ☐

10. Rural ☐ Urban ☐

Class of City: X☐ Y☐ Z☐

11. Email ID:

12. Contact No: Landline Mobile

13. Category: UR ☐ SC ☐ ST ☐

PWD**:** (i) Visually impaired ☐ (ii) Orthopedically Challenged ☐ (iii) Cerebral Palsy ☐

(Please attach self- attested copy of the Category/Caste/ Tribe certificates from appropriate authority)

ACADEMIC DETAILS

1. Subject of Doctoral work, date of award of degree, university
   (i) Subject
   (ii) Title
   (iii) Department
   (iv) Supervisor's name & designation
   (v) Date of awarded Ph. D. degree

2. Other Research/ Teaching experience, if any

3. Number of book(s) published and their titled:

4. Number of Research Papers Published, titles of books, papers published
   [in case the space provided is inadequate, please attach separate sheet(s)] [Enclose copies]

5. Language skills (reading, writing, speaking)

6. Topic of Research :

7. Period of Research topic: Ancient/ Medieval/ Modern

8. Format for submitting research proposal

(i) Concept Note

(ii) Note on sources

(iii) Methodology

(iv) Extant research on the theme proposed

(v) A bibliographical note

(vi) How does this project aim to make a contribution to history

(vii) Time frame for the research in months:

Months	**Work to be completed**	**Outcome***
0 ─ 6 months		
6 ─ 12 months		
12 – 18 months		
18 – 24 months		

*This includes Conferences/Research papers in journals/ monographs

FINANCIAL DETAILS

9. Present emoluments per month. (if the scholar is retired, state the last salary drawn)

Basic salary:
Allowances:

10. (i) Scholarships/ fellowships previously received, if any, from ICHR or any other organization.

(if yes, please give the details and attach Completion Certificate*)

Source of Scholarship/ Fellowship	Value	Period from-to	Whether the work for which fellowship/ scholarship was awarded has been completed.

(ii) Whether the applicant has/ had applied for financial support elsewhere for the same research proposal. If so, specify the agency approached.

(iii) Fellowship/grant previously received/receiving from ICHR or any other organizations. Yes/No

(If yes, please give the details and attached certificate/letter)

Declaration

I hereby declare that:

1. The entries made in the form above and the additional particulars furnished by me are true to the best of my knowledge

2. I have read the Revised Research Funding Rules, regarding the award of research fellowships of the Indian Council of Historical Research and I agree to abide by them, if the fellowship is awarded to me. I shall refund to the ICHR the funds made available to me, if I fail to carry out the work of research properly, or if it is not completed.

3. I am not in receipt of any other financial assistance/salary from any other source for the topic cited above.

4. If selected, I will work on a whole time basis for the Fellowship/Research Project and will not accept any other Fellowship/Research Project, financial assistance or employment except in accordance with the ICHR's Research Funding Rules.

5. If I decide to discontinue the fellowship without completing the Research work, I shall refund the entire amount (fellowship plus contingency grant) received for the purpose.

Place:
Date:

Signature of the Candidate

Checklist of enclosures needed	**Mark as (✓ / ✗)**
1. Copies of certificates of educational qualifications	☐ / ☐
2. Copies of language qualification certificates, if applicable	☐ / ☐
3. Copy of SC/ST/disability certificate, if applicable	☐ / ☐
4. Copy of Ph.D. dissertation	☐ / ☐
5. Copy of Bio Data: 2 copies	☐ / ☐
6. Copies of published book(s) and articles in reputed journals	☐ / ☐
7. Detailed Proposal: 3 copies	☐ / ☐

Note:

i. The scholar must send an electronic version of his/her research proposal in MS Word and PDF format along with his/her application on **ichr.saf@gmail.com** by **30.10.2026.**

ii. The applicant is advised to include the following in his/her research proposal :

a) A brief description of existing research works on your topic;

b) The applicant is expected to provide a note explaining the significance of his/her work and its contribution to existing historical knowledge.