

Expression of Interest (Eol) for Consultancy Services for Technical Activities of a Funded Project

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Indian Institute of Technology Dharwad invites Expression of Interest from Educational Institutes or Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) (hereafter termed as Consultant) for undertaking consultancy work related to speech database preparation activities of a funded project.

This EoI Document containing the details of the eligibility criteria, submission requirements, brief scope of work, and selection procedure etc. can be downloaded from the Institute website www.iitdh.ac.in.

Last date for submission of EoI is 20th August 2021, 2300 hrs. The EOI may be submitted using a form available at:

<https://forms.gle/TH4YaqZqknSmkKUG6>

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Note: IIT Dharwad reserves the right to cancel this request for EoI and/or invite afresh with or without amendments, without liability or any obligation for such request for EoI and without assigning any reason. Information provided at this stage is indicative and IIT Dharwad reserves the right to amend/add further details in the EoI.

1. Brief Description of the Work

The assignment involves assistance in terms of speech data collection, processing and preparation of databases for the project aimed at building a speech to speech translation system for some of the tribal languages of India (Soliga and Lambani in Karnataka and Kui and Mundari in Orissa). This requires speech data collection, processing and preparation of databases in these tribal languages. The consultant is expected to prepare parallel text material, collect speech data from subjects, label speech data, organize and prepare databases. All these needs to be done under the overall monitoring of the IIT Dharwad team.

The interested consultants are required to submit the following documents along with the Expression of Interest form available at: <https://forms.gle/BFcVinLwhrj7pPDe7>

- a) Information about the NGO or Education Institute along with activities in relevant areas.
- b) Identity Proof of the Principal Investigator or One Point Contact.
- c) Explaining about their experience, interest and capabilities to take up such activities.

Short-listing will be done after verification of the documents and credentials by the selection committee constituted by IIT Dharwad.

2. Eligibility Criteria

- a) The consultant should be an Indian Organization.
- b) The consultant should have worked in the relevant field

3. Selection of Consultant

Final selection of the consultant will be based on the interviews of the short-listed applicants conducted by the selection committee. The decision of the selection committee will be final and no communication regarding the same would be entertained. The selected applicant will be informed via email.

Any effort on the part of the applicant or his agent to exercise influence or to pressurize the selection committee would result in rejection of his application. For any further queries please contact dean.rnd@iitdh.ac.in