



UNIVERSITY OF MAURITIUS

VACANCY

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates for the post of **one (1) Research Assistant, for a task-based assignment**, to work on an MRIC-funded project entitled "**Financial Insight Daily: Your Trusted Source for Key Market News for Mauritians**".

Minimum Qualifications Required:

- Degree in Computer Science or equivalent

Profile of Candidates:

Candidates must have:

- Excellent programming skills in the latest Web Technologies.
- Experience in JavaScript frameworks.
- Experience in machine learning algorithms.
- Experience in back-end frameworks.
- Experience in cloud deployment & hosting (VPS)
- Experience in the development of responsive websites.
- Experience in building websites with WordPress.
- Experience in the financial field.

The tasks and their respective expected duration and remuneration (all-inclusive) are as follows:

Task 1 - (Rs 45,000)

Expected duration: 2 months

- Install WordPress on a VPS Hosting
- Develop an interactive and responsive web application for an online magazine
- Develop customised plugins for WordPress
- Report to the investigators on a regular basis
- Prepare a progress report
- Any other cognate duties

Task 2 - (Rs 45,000)

Expected duration: 2 months

- Test and evaluate the portal
- Organise a workshop with relevant stakeholders
- Update the portal using the feedback received from stakeholders
- Report to the investigators on a regular basis
- Write a complete documentation (final report) for the project
- Any other cognate duties

Duration of Contract

Appointment will be offered for a contractual period of **four (4) months**. The proposed starting date is **2nd March 2026**.

Mode of Application

Letter of application together with a detailed *Curriculum Vitae* and photocopies of qualifications, birth certificate, marriage certificate (if applicable), testimonials and equivalence of qualifications (where applicable) should reach **the Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities (Attention: Dr Indranarain Ramall as Principal Investigator), University of Mauritius, Réduit OR PREFERABLY** by email to i.ramlall@uom.ac.mu, s.pudaruth@uom.ac.mu and deanfssh@uom.ac.mu by **Friday, 6th February 2026, at latest by 2pm**.

Both the envelope (for the hardcopy, if any) and the email subject should be clearly marked ***“Financial Insight Daily: Your Trusted Source for Key Market News for Mauritians”***.

Incomplete applications or those received after the closing date will **not** be considered.

The University reserves the right:

- to call for interview only the most appropriate and best qualified applicants,
- not to make any appointment as a result of this advertisement.

Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

Date: Monday, 19th January 2026