



भारतीय विज्ञान शिक्षा एवं अनुसंधान संस्थान भोपाल
INDIAN INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE EDUCATION AND RESEARCH BHOPAL
(Established by the Ministry of Education, Government of India)

IISER Bhopal EDGE (Enabling Development and Growth of Enterprises) Center

Last date of Application by email: July 15, 2026

Position: **Chief Executive Officer (CEO)**
Position Type: Project-based / Contractual (funded position)
Location: IISER Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh
Project: BIRAC EDGE) Centre(BIRAC/BIO/2026-2027/6)

Educational Qualifications

Candidates must hold a degree from a recognized University or Institute in one of the following qualifications:

- **Master's Degree:** M.Sc., M.Tech., or MBA (with 10 years' experience)
- **Doctoral Degree:** Ph.D. or higher qualification (with 5 years' experience)

Eligible Disciplines: Management, Biotechnology, Life Sciences, Entrepreneurship, Business Administration, or a closely related field.

Experience & Core Competencies

- **Proven Track Record:** Demonstrated experience in driving innovation, technology commercialization, or incubator management, with a strong preference for individuals from the life sciences sector.
- **Desirable Experience:** We highly value candidates who have previously served as a CEO, Center Manager, or Chief Operating Officer (COO). Experience leading a BIRAC or similar nationally / internationally recognized incubator, technology transfer office, or a comparable innovation ecosystem is highly desirable.

Age Limit: Maximum Age: 50 years and relaxable as per the Govt norm

Responsibilities

- **Strategic Leadership:** Provide vision and direction for the Centre's growth and sustainability.
- **Startup Incubation:** Lead incubation, acceleration, and entrepreneurship development programs.
- **Technology Commercialization:** Facilitate technology transfer and market adoption of innovations.
- **Partnership Development** with industry, academia, investors, & government agencies.
- **Resource Mobilization:** Drive fundraising, sponsorships, and investment opportunities.
- **Startup Mentoring:** Guide startups in business planning, scaling, and investment readiness.
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- Financial & Administrative Oversight: Ensure efficient financial management, compliance, and governance.
- Team Leadership: Build and manage a high-performing team and innovation ecosystem.
- Stakeholder Engagement: Represent the Centre at strategic meetings, forums, and networking events.
- Impact & Growth: Enhance the Centre's reputation
- **Emoluments & Contract Terms**

Salary: Consolidated remuneration of up to ₹1,75,000/- per month (all inclusive).

No additional allowances (HRA, TA, DA, etc.) are admissible over and above the consolidated pay, as per funding agency norms.

- **Contract Duration & Renewal**

The position is initially offered for one year, renewable on an annual basis subject to satisfactory performance assessment.

The contract may be extended up to a maximum of 3 years, or until the completion of the project, whichever is earlier.

Continuation beyond the initial term is subject to:

Annual performance review and assessment by the competent authority

Availability of funds and compliance with the guidelines of the funding agency

- **Terms & Conditions**

This is a purely temporary and contractual position co-terminus with the project.

The position carries no claim for regularisation or permanent employment at IISER Bhopal.

All terms are governed by the guidelines of the respective funding agency.

- **How to Apply**

Interested and eligible candidates are requested to email their application as a single PDF file containing: Updated Curriculum Vitae, Experience details / proof of relevant experience/ any other relevant documents to: coordinator@iiserb.ac.in.

- Applications must be submitted on or before **July 15, 2026** by email only