Applications are invited for admission to the UGC approved 1-year career-oriented Certificate Course (evening) in Applied Sociology to commence from June 2013 under Department of Sociology, Jadavpur University.

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<td>Rs. 6000 (one time consolidated at the time of admission). The application fee is not refundable under any circumstances.</td>
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**Submission of Application**
(Application forms may be downloaded from the University website and to be submitted either in person or through a messenger, at the office of the Department of Sociology along with a Demand Draft of Rs 50 drawn in favour of Jadavpur University, as application fee. All application forms must be properly filled in. Incomplete forms will be rejected)

**Date for orientation and interview**
6th May, 2013 (3p.m. onwards)
(The relevant document as a proof of present academic/job status is to be produced at the time of interview. Any candidate who does not satisfy the criteria of eligibility will not be considered for admission, even if he or she appears at the interview or is selected by mistake. Candidates must report for the interview half an hour before the scheduled time. Grant of interview does not confer right to admission. Failure to appear at the interview will cancel the candidate’s right to admission.)

**Date for publication of Final list of selected candidates**
8th May 2013

**Date for Admission**
(Reservations for ST/SC/PH and others will be made as per University rules.)
13th May, 2013 to 17th May, 2013 (11a.m. to 2 p.m. and 2.30 p.m. to 4 p.m. )
(Admission fee to be submitted at the time of admission along with DD and certificates in original)

The conditions for eligibility and rules and regulations for admission may be altered and modified from time to time, subject to the approval of the Executive Council and/or Court of the University.

Details may also be obtained from Department of Sociology, Jadavpur University.
Prospectus

Department of Sociology, Jadavpur University offers a career oriented course in Applied Sociology (approved by the University Grants Commission). This course is the first of its kind in West Bengal. It is part of a three year programme with a progressive approach. The following courses will be taken up:

1. Certificate Course of 20 credits to be conducted in the first year. Each credit will have 15 hours workload.
2. Diploma Course of 40 credits to be conducted in the second year (20 credits earned during Certificate Course).
3. Advanced Diploma Course of 60 credits to be conducted in the third year (40 credits earned together during Certificate and Diploma Courses respectively).

Students would have the liberty to discontinue the course after the completion of Certificate or Diploma courses.

Objective of the course
The objective of this course is primarily to generate the skills, which are absolutely necessary in today's ever changing world for the purpose of building efficient bridge between research, policy and practice. This course is policy-relevant and action-directed and intends to train the students in a manner that they might assist people and groups to think reflectively about what it is they do and how it is they can create more viable social forms capable of adapting to changing conditions. Students with the necessary skill for a) doing applied social research by, for example, producing reliable and relevant knowledge for evidence-based policy making; b) handling every type of relationship in different walks of life and work situations; and c) for positive and deliberate intervention in the social process, might be hired by all the clienteles like government, corporate sector, non-governmental organizations, or local communities, who are engaged in activities involving people. These skills might also empower the students to get actively involved in social activism. Attention will be given on capacity building and intervention so that they can learn how social transformation can be managed to reduce or eliminate pathological consequences of a social development programme or policy.

In the Certificate Course an attempt will be made to provide the students with a general idea about what constitutes Applied Sociology, and its significance for society as well as for individual. Social Research and social relationship- these two core areas of Sociology have been emphasized in this course for its enormous practical implications. At the second and third degree level ie in Diploma and Advance Diploma courses use value of Applied Sociology in specific sectors like health, education or environment will be taken up.

Outline of the Syllabus
The course contains 8 modules. Emphasis has been given on developing research skill and relationship skill among the students. Each module, except the introductory one has a practical component within it. Eleven credits out of total 20 are earmarked for practical exercises.
Time Schedule
Classes will be held for three days a week in the evening at Department of Sociology, Jadavpur University.

Nature of project and field work/ training experiences to be imparted.
Department of Sociology has collaborative network with different NGOs. Students will be able to participate in research and service activities of these organizations working at diverse fields
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Application Form for Certificate Course in Applied Sociology

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1. Title of the Course
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5. Name of Father/Mother/Spouse (whoever is guardian)
6. Address
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   - Permanent:
7. Contact Number
8. Mother tongue
9. Nationality
10. Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe/Other (Certificate to be enclosed)
11. Disability if any (Certificate to be enclosed)
12. Present Academic Status / job (Certificate to be enclosed)
13. Any other relevant information

Attested Xerox copies of relevant certificates and Demand Draft should be enclosed with the Application Form.
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Declaration:
The information furnished by me is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Any statement
made in the application form, if found incorrect on scrutiny, will render the application liable to
rejection, and admission, if granted on the basis of that statement, will stand cancelled.

Date
Signature of the Applicant