



**a-IDEA**

Association for Innovation Development of Entrepreneurship in Agriculture

Technology Business Incubator

**ICAR- NATIONAL ACADEMY OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH MANAGEMENT**

Rajendranagar, Hyderabad, Telangana - 500 030.



### **Job Description - Investment Associate**

a-IDEA, The Technology Business Incubator of NAARM requires Investment Associate for managing the operations of seed fund & seed funded portfolio startups. This role will include preparatory work prior to startup investment- including board notes, conducting due-diligence, engaging with legal & financial counsel, portfolio monitoring and management, appraisal to the investment board on the portfolios performance. The duration of the contractual engagement is co-terminus with the project.

### **Qualification and Experience**

Bachelor's degree from a Premier Institute in Agriculture & allied sciences / Engineering/ Computer Science or Math's, with a post-graduation in M.B.A Finance/ Entrepreneurship/ Agribusiness. The candidates with 1 - 3 years of work experience in a related field, (e.g., angel funds/ early stage VC /management consulting/ banking/ investment banking). Previous investing experience preferred but not mandatory. The candidate should be a team player, with age not exceeding 32 years.

### **Job description:**

Reporting to COO, the candidate is required to handle:

- Analyzing and assessing new markets to help build new investment thesis for a-IDEA.
- Conducting market research through interviews, conferences, and other sources for board notes preparation.
- Supporting the investment process once the decision to invest has been made and conducting diligence through research, customer calls, investor calls, etc.
- Interfacing with due diligence agencies- lawyers, CA, CS and other external entities as needed.
- Post investment coordination, portfolio monitoring and management, appraisal to the board on portfolio performance.

### **Consolidated emoluments:**

A consolidated remuneration of Rs. 35,000 to 42,000/- per month. Salary is negotiable in this range based on candidature, work experience & previous job credentials.

### **How to apply:**

Send your resumes to [careers.aidea@naarm.in](mailto:careers.aidea@naarm.in) latest by 10<sup>th</sup> of Nov 2018. Resumes are accepted only through e-mails. Shortlisted candidates will be called for interview in November 2018. No TA/DA charges will be paid for attending interview.

**Pr. Scientist & CEO**