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If you're passionate about research that makes a real-world impact, the CII Prime Minister Fellowship for Doctoral Research is your opportunity to take your PhD to the next level.

ABOUT THE SCHEME



Designed to encourage bright minds to take up industry-relevant research



Scholars receive double the standard research fellowship



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FELLOWSHIP SUPPORT

₹6,24,000

per annum from
Government of India

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per annum from
Industry Partner

Total: ₹12,48,000

(approx. ₹1,00,000/month)

For a maximum of
4 years

PARTNERSHIP MODEL

- Scholars work in collaboration with a sponsoring company
- Joint supervision by academic and industry mentors
- Real-world problem solving meets academic rigor

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- **Started in 2013**, open-ended since September 2014
- **Over 350 PM Fellows** supported so far
- **Apply anytime** within 14 months of PhD registration
- Collaboration with **130+ academic institutions** and **300+ companies**

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