

## **ADVERTISEMENT FOR HIRING OF SENIOR CONSULTANT – LABORATORY**

Footwear Design & Development Institute popularly known as FDDI, working under the aegis of Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt. of India. FDDI invites applications from qualified and experienced professionals for **Senior Consultant** position at its state-of-the-art **International Testing Centre**, which specializes in testing leather, footwear, and leather-related products. The following are the criteria and terms and conditions for the selection of the candidates:

### **1. Eligibility Criteria:**

- **Educational Qualification:** M.Tech./Post Graduation in Footwear or related field from a premier institute (FDDI, NIFT, IIT, etc.,)
- **Experience:** Minimum 30 years of professional experience
  - Laboratory setup & operations
  - Business development and client management
  - Modern testing methods and lab functioning
  - Footwear/leather industry standards & protocols
  - Marketing strategies & team leadership

### **2. Key Responsibilities:**

- Guide the setup and expansion of state-of-the-art footwear and allied testing laboratories
- Advise on customer handling, business strategies, and market positioning
- Ensure implementation of global quality and testing protocols
- Mentor and support operational teams for efficient laboratory performance
- Support outreach and marketing initiatives in domestic and international markets

3. **Compensation:** Consolidated payment, negotiable based on last CTC or other parameters. Increment per annum also negotiable.

4. **Period of Engagement:** Will be initially engaged for a period of Two year.

5. **Functional Responsibility:** The consultant shall be reporting to Managing Director, FDDI.

6. **Age Limit:** Candidate should be below 58 years of age as on date.

7. **Method of Selection:** The selection of the candidates shall be through interview.

8. **Travelling Allowance & Daily Allowance:** The Consultant, if required, may have to undertake domestic tours subject to approval of competent authority. The entitlements for the tour shall be as per the T6 level of FDDI policy.
9. Interested candidates may apply in the prescribed format annexed herewith attaching the copies of relevant supporting documents (duly self-attested and scanned) regarding qualification, experience, age proof, etc. to email – [jobs@fddiindia.com](mailto:jobs@fddiindia.com). The last date of submission of application in the prescribed format along with CV shall be 15 days from the date of publication of advertisement in the website.
10. Incomplete applications and those not in proper format will not be considered. Only shortlisted candidates will be invited for the interview.
11. Last date of submission of application is 18.07.2025.