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AIIS DISSERTATION

TO BOOK WORKSHOP

DELHI

2026

ABOUT

The AIIS Dissertation to Book Workshop (Delhi) is a fully-funded, in-person workshop to be held on 14 March, 2026, in Gurgaon for **India-based early career scholars**, to help recent PhDs navigate the book publishing eco-system with an eye towards publishing a first book.

Accepted applicants will be expected to be in residence in Gurgaon on 14 March, 2026. The in-person workshop will be led by senior scholars in the humanities and social sciences, and will include peer review and discussion of each file. AIIS will cover domestic travel costs, two nights' accommodations in Gurgaon (13th and 14th of March), and meals during the day or March 14th.

DATES

Deadline: **January 10, 2026**

Workshop: **14 March, 2026**

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TO APPLY

You will need the following:

- Application form
- CV
- Book manuscript abstract
- Draft book table of contents
- Draft book prospectus
- Two sample chapters from the book in progress

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