

ISRO seeks proposals from scientific community to study Chandrayaan-3 data

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The Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) on Monday issued an Announcement of Opportunity (AO) for scientific analysis and utilisation of data from all experiments of Chandrayaan-3 lander and rover.

The Chandrayaan-3 mission achieved historic soft-landing in the southern high latitudes of the Moon on August 23, 2023, making India the first nation to touch down on the polar region of the moon.

"To enhance the science outcome of the Chandrayaan-3 mission, ISRO seeks proposals from the



Lunar lessons: The opportunity will allow researchers to analyse data from the Chandrayaan-3 lander and rover. ISRO/ANI

national scientific community (outside ISRO/Department of Space) through this AO, towards scientific analysis and utilisation of data from all experiments of Chan-

drayaan-3 lander and rover," the ISRO said.

The AO is open to all faculty and researchers from recognised academia, research institutions, universities, colleges and govern-

ment organisations of India.

"Only those having a minimum remaining service of four years before superannuation are eligible to lead the project as Principal Investigator (PI). There could be multiple Co-PIs in the proposal, however, PI will be the focal point for all communications related to the proposal. The proposals must be forwarded through the head of the institutions, with appropriate assurance for providing," the ISRO said.

The deadline for submission of proposals is October 21, 2025. The space agency said that the project shall be completed within three years.