**Profile Guidelines**

**CIRCLE profiles** showcase excellence, create awareness and inspire possibilities related to India, South Asia, and diaspora-related research/work. They can also be instrumental in exploring partnerships and collaboration.

CIRCLE profiles make it clear what the researcher or person featured has accomplished (or want to accomplish in the future) and why readers should care.

**Guidelines**

Please email us at indiaresearch-L@uoguelph.ca with a short note (100 words), which provides details about your work and how it connects to India, South Asia and/or the diaspora(s).

Based on this preliminary note, a student-writer will follow-up with you to schedule an interview (about 30 minutes) which will be the basis for curating your profile.

Profiles are usually around 600 words in length. Use of photographs and videos enhance the quality of profiles and their readability. We will cover the following aspects in your profile/story:

- Description of research/work/interest
- Connect with **CIRCLE’s core areas**—Tell us how your research/work/interest connects with:
  - Knowledge gathering and sharing
  - Fostering networks and partnerships
  - Cultivating curiosity about India, South Asia and/the Diaspora
  - Catalyzing interdisciplinary and cutting-edge research
  - Engaging communities
- How your research/work/interest contributes/relates to CIRCLE, how the researcher hopes to benefit from CIRCLE
- A message for students
- Copyright-cleared images (minimum pixel dimension of 360 by 175), videos and hyperlinks (including links to your own webpage, a relevant website or interviews affiliated with the university, collaborators’ and project websites, etc.) that can be used in the profile.

You are welcome to suggest names of other researchers—faculty, student, postdoctoral fellow—or community members who we can profile.