Title: Innovation Fellow – AI+Impact Cohort

Location: Remote / Hybrid (Preferred: Bangalore)
Duration: 6 Months Fellowship
Stipend: ₹12,000–15,000 per month
Reports to: Program Manager

About Action For India (AFI):

Action For India (AFI) is a pioneering non-profit organization committed to helping social entrepreneurs in India scale their impact. Founded in 2012, AFI has built a vibrant ecosystem connecting high-potential entrepreneurs with critical resources — funding, mentorship, policy access, technology partners, and the global Indian diaspora.

With operations in India and the US (registered as a Section 8 Company and a 501(c)(3), respectively), AFI has worked closely with 1,000+ social entrepreneurs over the past decade. Collectively, these ventures have touched millions of lives across education, healthcare, agriculture, livelihoods, financial inclusion, and climate.

As AFI moves into an AI-first chapter, it is launching the **AI+Impact Cohort**, designed to support entrepreneurs leveraging AI and emerging technologies to drive social change.

About the Fellowship:

The **Innovation Fellows** program is a 6-month fellowship aimed at supporting the execution of AFI's AI+Impact Accelerator Cohort. Fellows will work closely with the AFI program team, Advisory Council, and selected startups to drive operational excellence and ecosystem engagement. This is an excellent opportunity for young professionals and students eager to gain hands-on exposure to the startup and social impact ecosystem.

Key Responsibilities:

- Assist in **program execution** of the AI+Impact Cohort, including coordination with startups, mentors, and partners.

- Support **Advisory Council meetings**: scheduling, logistics, documentation, and follow-ups.
- Manage **cohort applications and outreach** by helping track submissions and interacting with potential startups.
- Contribute to **social media and communications** for the program in collaboration with the marketing team.
- Assist in organizing **knowledge-building sessions, mentoring sessions, and hurdle meetings**.
- Prepare briefs, reports, and presentations for internal and external stakeholders.
- Provide **research support**: mapping ecosystem players, potential sponsors, and impact stories.
- Actively contribute ideas to enhance the cohort experience.

Who Should Apply:

- Students or early-career professionals interested in startups, AI, or social impact.
- Strong organizational and multitasking skills.
- Good written and verbal communication skills.
- Comfortable with online collaboration tools (Google Workspace, MS Office).
- Passionate, proactive, and eager to learn in a fast-paced environment.

Why Join as an Innovation Fellow?

- Opportunity to work at the intersection of **AI, technology, and social impact**.
- Hands-on exposure to accelerator programs and startup ecosystems.
- Learn directly from AFI's mentors, advisors, and industry experts.
- Build networks with founders, ecosystem enablers, and impact leaders.
- Certificate of completion and strong reference for future opportunities.

How to Apply:

If you are excited to be part of AFI's journey in building the AI+Impact Cohort, send your resume and a short statement of purpose (max 300 words) to **careers@actionforindia.org**