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Love is the only medicine that can heal the wounds of the world.

— Mata Amritanandamayi Devi



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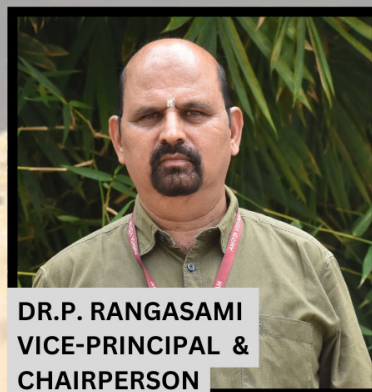
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Amrita Udaan is the monthly newsletter of the Dept. of Social Work. It is completely managed by the students under the guidance of the Faculty. It mainly covers the departmental activities, articles on various social issues, book review, movie review, drawings, posters, alumni interviews, guidance and solved previous year question papers of UGC-NET. The contents are contributed mainly by the students, alumni and faculty members. It is successfully publishing every month since October 2019.

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TWO DAYS NATIONAL SEMINAR ON

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One Nation, One Election and Its
Implications for Governance and
Federalism toward a Vibrant Bharat

28 & 29 August 2025

📍 Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham
Arasampalayam, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu

Sponsored by
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School of Social and Behavioural Sciences
Coimbatore.





We are delighted to invite you to the Alumni Meet 2025, scheduled on 29th August 2025 (Friday) from 3:00 PM to 4:30 PM at our Arasampalayam, Coimbatore campus. This event will be held immediately after the ICSSR-sponsored National Seminar on “One Nation, One Election and Its Implications for Governance and Federalism towards a Vibrant Bharat” being held on 28th and 29th August 2025.

Over the past 16 batches, our department has nurtured a vibrant alumni community of 404 graduates—a powerful network that has made a lasting impact across India and beyond. Now, it is time to unite again, reconnect with your classmates, faculty, and the current student community, and celebrate our shared journey in social work education and practice.

Highlights of the Meet:

- * Reconnect with your batchmates and faculty
- * Explore collaborative opportunities for fieldwork, research, and mentoring
- * Participate in the ongoing national seminar with free registration exclusively for alumni Experience inspiring sessions by eminent speakers and thought leaders
- * Optional campus accommodation will be arranged at Amrita Ettimadai Campus (subject to required number of registration and final approval)
- * Local transport arrangements will be provided from key city points

To help us plan logistics effectively, we kindly request you to register in advance using the link below:

[<https://forms.gle/ammrPG8jVBdCvFuj8>] - Registration is a must.

We look forward to welcoming you back to your alma mater. Let us make this reunion a memorable one and reignite the spirit of Amrita Social Work! Sending in advance so that you can book your tickets.

DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES



SADGAMAYA 2025: EMBRACING INDIA'S TIMELESS WISDOM



The Coimbatore campus of Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham marked the vibrant beginning of Sadgamaya 2025, a week-long Residential Cultural Retreat designed to immerse faculty members in the depth and diversity of India's cultural and intellectual heritage. The inauguration ceremony was graced by the Hon'ble Governor of Maharashtra, Shri C.P. Radhakrishnan, who delivered an inspiring address on the importance of integrating the Indian Knowledge System into today's academic practices, highlighting its timeless relevance in shaping holistic education. The program commenced with a warm welcome address by Dr. Ajith Kumar P, Registrar, followed by an enlightening speech from Dr. P. Venkat Rangan, Vice Chancellor, who emphasized the university's steadfast commitment to realizing Amma's vision of value-based and spiritually enriched education. The Benedictory Address was delivered by Swami Ramakrishnananda Puri, Treasurer and Trustee of Mata Amritanandamayi Math, who stressed the inner transformative power of true learning. As a gesture of appreciation, Swami Tapasyamritananda Puri presented a memento to the Hon'ble Governor, and the ceremony concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks delivered by Dr. S. Mahadevan, Associate Dean of Student Affairs. Through sessions on Teaching with a Purpose, yoga, self-reflection, and explorations of Indian philosophical thought, Sadgamaya 2025 aims to enrich the personal and professional lives of faculty, offering a space for intellectual rejuvenation, cultural connection, and academic inspiration.



Nayana K A
(I MSW)



CELEBRATING TEAM UDAAN – A HEARTFELT THANKS FOR THEIR DEDICATION

We extend our sincere gratitude to the 17 incredible members of the Udaan team for their unwavering dedication and collaborative spirit in bringing the departmental newsletter to life for the years 2023 to 2025. Their hard work, creativity, and attention to detail have played a key role in documenting and showcasing the vibrant activities and achievements of our department. As a token of appreciation, certificates were presented to each team member by our esteemed Chairperson, Dr. P. Rangasami, and Vice Principal, Dr. S. Kanagaraj, who acknowledged their commitment and contributions with warm words of encouragement. The moment was filled with pride and gratitude, reflecting the strong team spirit and shared purpose that made this milestone possible.



Malavika K
(I MSW)



YOGA DAY 2025, UNITY IN BREATH AND BALANCE

The International Yoga Day was celebrated on 21st June 2025 at Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham with great enthusiasm and active participation from students, faculty, and staff. The event began with a brief introduction on the importance of Yoga in promoting physical, mental, and emotional well-being, followed by a guided session of asanas, pranayama, and meditation led by trained instructors. The program aimed to raise awareness about the benefits of incorporating Yoga into daily life, especially in today's fast-paced world. The one-hour session concluded with reflections on the value of Yoga for personal and collective health, truly capturing the spirit of this year's theme—"Yoga for Self and Society."



Nayana K A
(I MSW)



CHOOSING LIFE: A COLLECTIVE STAND AGAINST DRUG ABUSE

On June 26th, to mark the International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking, the Department of Social Work came together for a heartfelt initiative themed “Say Yes to Life, No to Drugs.” Dr. S. Kanagaraj spoke passionately about the dangers of drug use, reminding us how it can deeply affect individuals, families, and communities. His words encouraged everyone to choose a healthier, more meaningful path. The session continued with Ph.D. scholar Ms. Krithika Senthil leading us in a powerful pledge to stay away from drugs. With sincerity and unity, we the MSW students joined in, committing ourselves to live positively and help spread awareness about the importance of a drug-free life.



Malavika K
(I MSW)

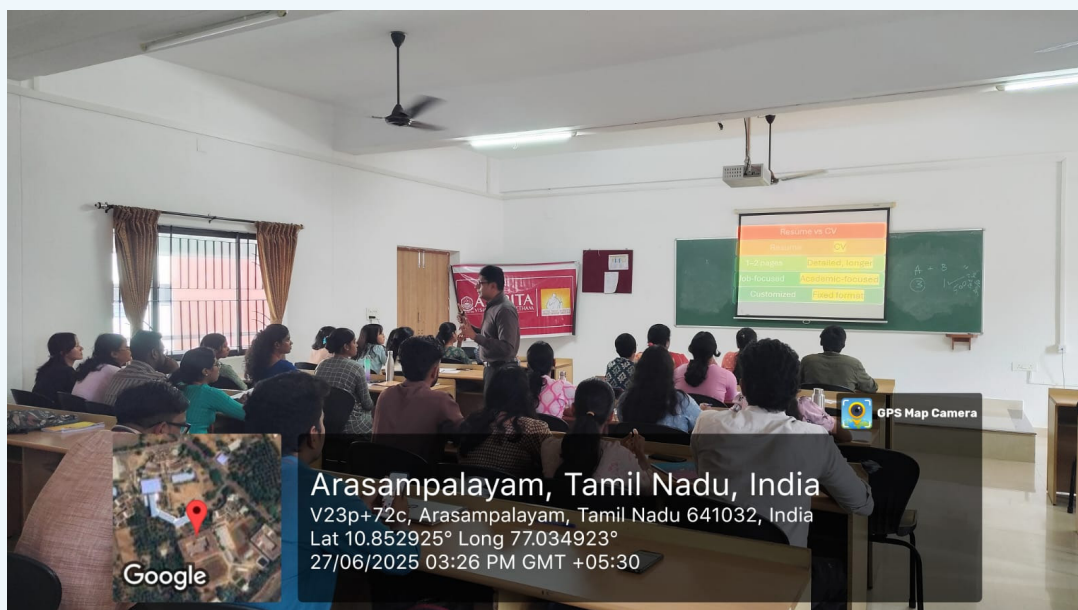


PATHWAY TO BUILDING A PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

On 27th January 2025, ASWAS (Amrita Social Work Association of Alumni and Students) conducted a class on tailoring résumés and LinkedIn profiles for second-year MSW and BSW students. The session was led by Mr. Ajiraj C.A., Head of the CIR Department and Placement Cell. The event began with a short welcome speech by ASWAS President, Ashwin C (MSW II). Second-year MSW and BSW students, along with a few faculty members, also participated in the session.

Mr. Ajiraj spoke about the importance of having a strong résumé, shared tips to make it stand out, and explained what should be included in the education section. He also clarified the difference between a résumé and a CV. One of his standout quotes was, “A résumé is not a life history. It’s a tool.” This resonated with many, as we often tend to include every small achievement. He also pointed out common mistakes to avoid while crafting a résumé.

For better understanding, he used Amrita R. Menon’s résumé as a sample and offered useful suggestions. In addition, he discussed how to build a strong LinkedIn profile—highlighting its importance in today’s job market for grabbing new opportunities. The session concluded with a vote of thanks by Navya Sunil (MSW II).



Navya Sunil
(I MSW)

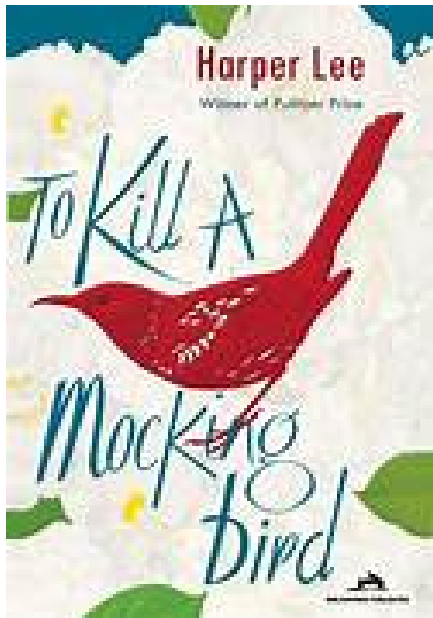


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BOOK REVIEW



TO KILL A MOCKING BIRD Harper Lee

Harper Lee's coming-of-age tale, "To Kill a Mockingbird," is arranged in the American South in the 1930s and mostly bounds on Scout and Jem Finch's early years. When a black man named Tom Robinson is counterfeit accused of attacking a white woman, his father, Atticus, a lawyer, opens up for him. Through the children's perspectives, the book examines issues of racism, prejudice, justice, and innocence as they deal with the difficulties of their small-town community and Tom Robinson's trial. The story begins as peaceful as a breeze, then gingerly picks up speed until the storm arrives, changes everything, and ends when we want to feel it more. The plot revolves around Scout, who is younger than Jem by four years, and their single parent, Atticus Finch, a lawyer who is an enthusiastic reader and possesses a deep capacity for thought. The narrative is told from Scout's point of view; at the age of six, she began a new school trip with Jem. She began adapting to an environment that everyone avoided as children. Story accounts of children's probing, exploration, adventure, loss of reading, and original tender sensations of growth. It sheds light on the societal problem of colour shades among Americans in the 19th century. The relationship between father and their children, as well as between siblings, is so wonderfully narrated that everyone can identify, look back on their own past. There are 'n' no: of incidents that make you laugh and feel green around the gills. Personally, I think Atticus is a good character because he understands that we must pay our bills. He is aware of his current problem and his commitments. Most people can get on well to him as a terrific father. With the attitude that we are nothing more than others, he offered his wiglets to scold while instructing them to go back to their cage. People like Mrs. Dibose and Boo Radley stood out to me in the novel and provided new perspectives.



ARYA A S
(I MSW)



Hichki: A Heartwarming Tale of Perseverance and Acceptance

Hichki is an inspiring Bollywood film that delicately portrays the journey of Naina Mathur, a woman living with Tourette Syndrome, a neurological condition that causes involuntary sounds and movements. Despite facing rejection and ridicule, Naina is determined to fulfill her dream of becoming a teacher. Her story is not just about overcoming a personal challenge, but also about breaking societal prejudices. She breathes life into the character, making us empathize with her struggles and admire her strength. The way she handles her tics with courage and humor adds authenticity and emotional depth to the story. The film beautifully highlights how education can be a powerful tool to transform lives. Naina is given the responsibility to teach a class of underprivileged students who have been written off by the school as troublemakers. With patience, creativity, and genuine care, she helps these students find their potential, while they, in turn, help her find acceptance and purpose. The narrative is uplifting, carrying a message that our weaknesses do not define us. Instead, our determination and kindness can turn obstacles into stepping stones. The background score and screenplay subtly support the emotional journey, making the movie feel real and heartfelt. Overall, it is not just a story about a teacher or a medical condition. It's a celebration of the human spirit, resilience, and the importance of giving everyone a fair chance. It leaves viewers with a sense of hope and the belief that no hiccup in life is too big to overcome.



Suvarna K A
(I BSW)

SCHEMES AND ACTS



ACTS

THE IMMIGRATION AND FOREIGNERS BILL, 2025



The Immigration and Foreigners Bill, 2025 is a comprehensive bill intended to streamline and reinforce India's immigration management, replacing four out-of-date statutes such as the Foreigners Act (1946) and Passport (Entry into India) Act (1920). It requires that anybody entering or exiting India have a valid passport and visa, and it establishes designated immigration posts where officials can inspect travel documents. A central Bureau of Im-

migration will be established to oversee all immigration duties, including visa issuance and monitoring foreigners' admission, movement, stay, and leave. Foreigners must register upon arrival, and hotels, institutions, hospitals, and even airlines or bus operators are required to submit information about foreign guests, patients, or passengers. The term of "carrier" has been enlarged to include all forms of transportation air, water, and land and no transport vehicle may depart without first obtaining clearance from immigration officers. Violations, including entering without proper documentation, can now result in up to five years in prison or a ₹5 lakh fine. It also gives lower-level police officers the authority to arrest violators, enabling for faster action against them. The Bill highlights India's efforts to modernize its immigration procedure, strengthen national security, and improve coordination among authorities dealing with foreign nationals.

Reference: https://prindia.org/files/bills_acts/acts_parliament/2025/The_Tribhuvan_Sah-kari_University_Act,_2025.pdf

Ashwathi V R
(I MSW)



STATE SCHEME

SMART PHONE FOR HEARING AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED PERSONS TAMIL NADU

Tamil Nadu government is realizing this plot through the office for the welfare of different people. The primary goal is to ensure that persons with hearing and visual loss have access to phones that are free. The beneficiaries of this scheme include students, unemployed youth, self-employed persons, and girls, who aim to join various digital services in the fields of education, employment and communication.

Benefits

Eligible beneficiaries shall be given vouchers for the purchase of smart phones free of cost.

Eligibility

1. The candidate must be an individual with either hearing or visual disability.
2. Also, it ought to fulfill one of the taking after categories:
3. Students seeking after Higher Instruction (Undergrad level)
4. Unemployed Youth
5. Self-Employed People
6. Women with Visual or Hearing Impairment

Application Process

Step 1: The applicant will fetch the application form from the respective staff of the District Differently Abled Office during working hours.

Step 2: Fill in the application form. All

fields should be entered mandatory. Attach copies of the required documents if needed (self-attested).

Step 3: The candidate ought to give the filled-in application shape together with the records to the Locale In an unexpected way Abled Welfare Officer.

Step 4: One should ask for acknowledgment receipt after submission. The receipt should contain crucial details like the submission date, time, and a unique identification number (if there is one).

Required Documents

- National Identity Card for Differently Abled Persons
- Document for Hearing Impairment
- Any other supporting documents, if required

Reference: <https://www.myscheme.gov.in/schemes/spfhavip>

Gopika K S
(I MSW)



CENTRAL SCHEME

CENTRAL SECTOR SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME (CBSE) 2025-26



The Central Sector Scholarship Scheme (CBSE) 2025-26 is an excellent scheme of the Government of India that really empowers young, brilliant students who aspire to higher studies but are financially troubled. Think of a diligent student who has studied hard, obtained more than 80% marks in Class 12, and aspires to study further but whose family income is less

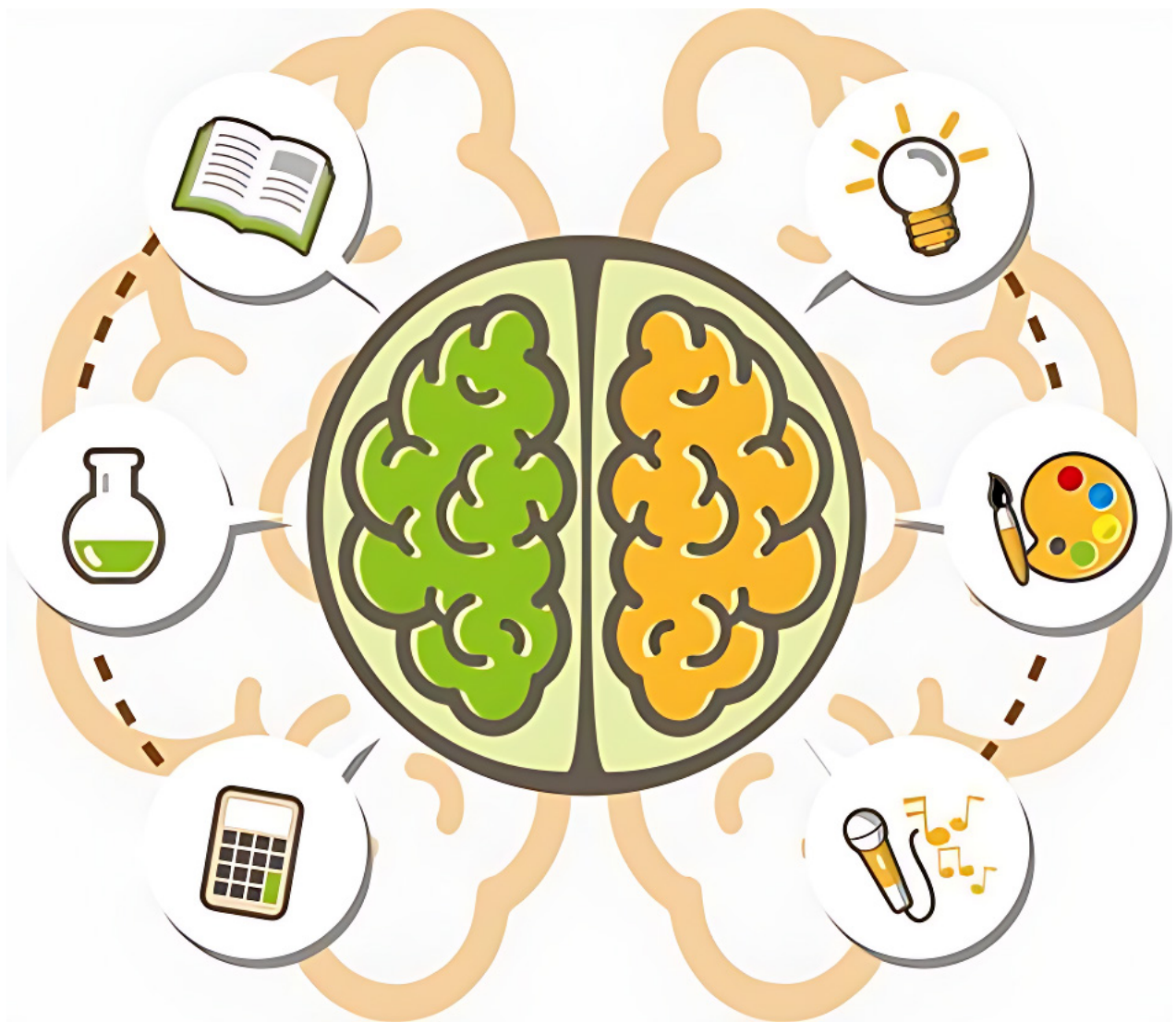
than ₹4.5 lakh annually. This scholarship is meant exactly for them. It provides ₹10,000 annually throughout undergraduate studies for the initial three years, and if the student proceeds to a professional course or post-graduation, the quantum is increased to ₹20,000 annually. The best part of this scheme is that approximately 82,000 new scholarships are awarded annually, half of which are reserved for girls specifically, promoting gender equality and urging young women to chase their ambitions. The entire application process is simple and online, through the National Scholarship Portal (scholarships.gov.in), and the students can apply by 31st October, 2025. To qualify for support each year, the students should have satisfactory academic performance (at least 60% marks), regular attendance, and proper behavior as per the college rules. The amount of the scholarship is directly deposited into their Aadhaar-linked bank accounts, thus making it transparent and convenient. In a way, this plan is about hope giving wings to young people all over the country and making sure that not a single one of their aspirations goes unrealized because of financial issues. It's one step towards creating a more educated and inclusive India.

Reference : https://www.hindustantimes.com/education/news/cbse-asks-students-to-apply-for-central-sector-scholarship-scheme-heres-what-you-need-to-know-101751087106357.html?utm_source=chatgpt.com

Vaidehi Saju
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CURRENT AFFAIRS



JUNE 2025

1. Bike Taxis Approved by Centre, Relief for Gig Workers

The Government of India has permitted the use of bike taxis via aggregators, subject to state approval. This benefits gig workers, especially in Karnataka, where a previous ban impacted many from low-income groups, including students and women post-pandemic. Most are considered self-employed, limiting their rights and protections.

2. Tamil Nadu Launches Mobile Shops for Seniors and PwDs

Tamil Nadu has begun a pilot project in Chennai delivering PDS essentials to the doorsteps of 5,000 senior citizens and persons with disabilities. Mobile vans, equipped with weighing machines and biometric palm readers, ensure accurate and accessible doorstep service.

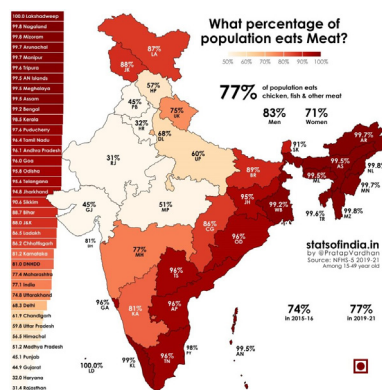
3. DRDO Tests Advanced Communication Systems in Himalayas

DRDO successfully tested two indigenous communication systems—SDR Manpack and CTCs—in Joshimath, Uttarakhand. Developed by DEAL, Dehradun, they enable secure, high-speed communication in remote terrains, enhancing India's defence capabilities.

4. National Survey Reveals How India Eats

The Household Consumption Expenditure Survey (HCES), carried out between 2022 and 2024, of-

fers valuable insights into what people across India are eating. From calories to proteins and fats, the data reflects nutritional habits in both rural and urban communities. These findings are expected to guide future health strategies and help shape better food and nutrition policies.



5. Eco-Friendly Supercapacitor Developed in India

Researchers from Bengaluru and Aligarh Muslim University created a green, lead-free supercapacitor material using silver niobate. Led by Dr. Kavita Pandey, the innovation boosts energy storage, addressing key limitations in current technologies.

6. Ancient Egyptian DNA Reveals Regional Connections

Scientists decoded 4,500–4,800-year-old DNA from a tomb in Nuwayrat, Egypt. The male skeleton showed signs of hard labor despite a high-status burial and had 78% North African and 22% Fertile Crescent ancestry—highlighting early interregional links.

7. Karnataka's Fake News Bill Sparks Free Speech Concerns

The Karnataka Misinformation and Fake News (Prohibition) Bill, 2025 proposes strict penalties,

including up to 7 years in jail. While excluding opinions and artistic works, its vague definitions have raised fears of potential misuse and censorship.

8. Dalai Lama Confirms Successor Process Through Trust

Approaching 90, the Dalai Lama confirmed the Gaden Phodrang Trust will oversee the identification of his reincarnation, in line with Tibetan Buddhist customs. The Trust, formed in 2011, is led by Prof. Samdhong Rinpoche.

9. Institute Renamed, New Centre Opens in Ranchi

The National Institute of Public Cooperation and Child Development has been renamed after Savitribai Phule, reflecting its focus on women and child welfare. A new Regional Centre was inaugurated in Ranchi on 4 July 2025, covering eastern states under missions like Shakti, Vatsalya, and Poshan 2.0.

10. Extreme Heat Puts 76% of Indians at High Risk: Study

A recent study by the Council on Energy, Environment and Water (CEEW), released on May 20, 2025, reveals that 76% of India's population faces high to very high risk from extreme heat. States like Delhi, Maharashtra, and Tamil Nadu are among the most affected.

REFERENCE: <https://www.gkto-day.in/current-affairs/month/current-affairs-november-2023/>

DIYA RAJESH
(I MSW)



INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

TARE ZAMEEN FOUNDATION NGO

<https://internshala.com/>

Work from home

Start date: Immediately

Duration: 1 Month

Stipend: 1,500 month

Apply by: 31 July 2025

About The Internship

Tare Zameen Foundation is a non-profit organization registered in 2018 in Delhi, dedicated to uplifting children, women, and individuals with disabilities (divyangjan). They provide access to education for underprivileged children and empower women through employment opportunities

Benefits

Certificate

Letter of Recommendation

Flexible work hours

Only those candidates can apply who:

1. Are available for the work-from-home job/internship
2. Can start the work from home job/internship between 30th Jun'25 and 4th Aug'25
3. are available for 1 month

To know more and apply:

<https://internshala.com/internship/detail/work-from-home-part-time-fundraising-internship-at-tare-zameen-foundation1751268346>

SHE CAN FOUNDATION NGO

<https://internshala.com/>

Work from home

Start date: Immediately

Duration: 1 weekly

Stipend: 1,500-10,000 lump sum

Apply by: 2 August 2025

About the Internship

The She Can Foundation is an NGO registered under the Indian Societies Registration Act of 1860, dedicated to empowering underprivileged women through education, training, and resources. The foundation aims to promote gender equality, improve access to healthcare

and education, and create opportunities for economic growth.

Benefits:

- Certificate, Letter of recommendation
-

Only those candidates can apply who:

1. are available for the work from home job/internship
2. can start the work from home job/internship between 2nd Jul'25 and 6th Aug'25
3. are available for duration of 1 week

To know more& apply:

<https://internshala.com/internship/detail/work-from-home-part-time-1-week-fundraising-internship-at-she-can-foundation1751519600>

NAYE PANKH FOUNDATION

<https://internshala.com/>

Work from home

Start date: Immediately

Duration: 1 month

Stipend: 1,500-8,000 lump sum

Apply by: 2 August 2025

About the internship

Pawzz is an innovative animal welfare organization based in Gurgaon, focused on raising awareness about animal issues and providing an online platform for animal lovers to get involved.

Benefits:

Certificate

Only those candidates can apply who:

1. are available for the work from home job/internship
2. can start the work from home job/internship between 3rd Jul'25 and 7th Aug'25
3. are available for duration of 1 month

To know more& apply:

<https://internshala.com/internship/detail/work-from-home-part-time-social-entrepreneurship-internship-at-pawzz1751515931>

MUSKURAHAT FOUNDATION NGO

<https://internshala.com/>

- Work from home
- Start date: Immediately
- Duration: 1 month
- Stipend: 5,000-10,000 lump sum
- Apply by: 1st Aug 2025

About the Internship

The Muskurahat Foundation is a non-profit organisation made up of dedicated individuals who aim to spread smiles and create meaningful change. Founded by Mr. Himanshu Goenka at the age of 16 on June 10, 2014, the foundation has grown to include 100 committed volunteers. Muskurahat focuses on supporting underprivileged children, empowering women, and improving living conditions. The organisation works to combat poverty stigma and strives to create a happier, more

equitable world.

Benefits:

- Certificate
- Letter of Recommendation
- Flexible working hours

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To know more& apply:

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INAMIGOS FOUNDATION

<https://internshala.com/>

- Work from home
- Start date: Immediately
- Duration: 2 weeks
- Stipend: 1,000-3,000/month
- Apply by: 1st Aug 2025

About the Internship

The InAmigos Foundation is a non-profit organisation registered under Section 8 and licensed by the central government. With more than 200 volunteers from diverse regions across India, the foundation is dedicated to promoting arts, commerce, sports, and environmental protection, guided by the principle of 'humanity.' The organisation focuses on several key activities, including developing innovative fundraising initiatives to tackle social issues, strategizing and implementing effective campaign

activities, and ensuring the smooth execution of social work events.

Benefits:

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Only those candidates can apply who:

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MSW JOB OPPORTUNITIES

1) Project Officer

Community Consortium Uganda (CCU)
Location: Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania
Job email ID: communityconsortiumu@gmail.com
Apply By: 24 July 2025

2) Program Manager / Fundraising Manager

Rohini- Right to Oral Health Society
Location: Hyderabad, Telangana
Job email ID: rohinioralhealthsociety@gmail.com
Apply By: 31 July 2025

3) Executive – Research and Content

All India Artisans and Craftworkers Welfare Association (AIACA)
Location: Delhi
Job email ID: searchcommittee@aiacaonline.org
Apply By: 31st July 2025

4) Field Investigators - Project Technical Support

Strategic Alliance Management Services P Ltd. (SAMS)
Location: Rajasthan
Job email ID: <https://samsstc.com/Jobs/job-description/project-technical-support-field-investigators-sams-rajasthan/129>
Apply By: 20 July 2025

5) Community Organizer

Prayatn Sanstha
Location: Odisha
Job email ID: prayatnjob@yahoo.com
Apply By: 25 July 2025

6) Field Executive Cum Community Mobilizer

Safe in India Foundation
Location: Gurgaon, Haryana
Job email ID: neeraj.safeinindia@gmail.com
Apply By: 15 July 2025

7) Assistant Nursing

SNEHA (Society for Nutrition, Education and Health Action)
Location: Bandra, Mumbai, Maharashtra
Job email ID: damini.pandey@snehamumbai.org
Apply By: 26 July 2025

8) Care Coordinator

Cankids Kidscan
Location: CHSU/Care Center, India
Job email ID: careers@cankidsindia.org
Apply By: 26 July 2025

9) Senior Program Manager – PPP

Piramal Foundation
Location: Patna, Bihar
Job email ID: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/10G-2eBsJ4lhe7636CO_xXuxNPAfqbev-xS-x_MlEnFGo/preview
Apply By: 25 July 2025

10) Operations Lead - TB Projects

Doctors For You (DFY)
Location: Delhi NCR, Delhi
Job email ID: <https://forms.gle/u4kyMantT2CG8uWs9>
Apply By: 20 July 2025

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IMPORTANT DAYS – JULY 2025

July 1st – National Doctor's Day

July 1st – National Postal Worker Day

July 4th – USA Independence Day

July 6th – World Zoonoses Day

July 7th – World Chocolate Day

July 7th – Islamic New Year

July 10th – Global Energy Independence Day

July 10th – Guru Purnima

July 11th – World Population Day

July 12th – Paper Bag Day

July 12th – Malala Day

July 15th – World Youth Skills Day

July 17th – World Day for International Justice

July 18th – International Nelson Mandela Day

July 20th – International Chess Day

July 20th – Moon Day

July 22nd – National Flag Day

July 26th – Kargil Vijay Diwas

July 27th – A. P. J. Abdul Kalam's Death Anniversary

July 27th – National Parents' Day (4th Sunday of July)

July 27th – World Nature Conservation Day

July 28th – World Hepatitis Day

July 29th – International Tiger Day

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Source: <https://currentaffairs.adda247.com/important-days-in-2025-check-full-list-of-national-and-international-days/>

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1. How was your life at Amrita?

My time at Amrita College was truly special. Although I couldn't experience college life to the fullest because of COVID, the moments I did have there were wonderful. It's only after graduating and stepping into the real world that I've come to realize how much those days meant to me. I'm incredibly grateful to the teachers who guided and supported me along the way. I really miss college life and would love to go back if I ever got the chance.

2. What are the key skills that you learned at Amrita that helped your career?

I learned so much more than just what was in the textbooks. The experience helped me build skills that have truly shaped my career. I became better at solving problems and thinking critically, thanks to the challenging coursework. Group projects and discussions taught me how to communicate clearly and work well with others, which has been so important in my job.

I also learned how to manage my time and stay organized, especially when juggling multiple deadlines. But beyond all that, my teachers have inspired me to stay determined and approach challenges with a positive attitude. These lessons and skills have stayed with me and continue to help me grow in my career every day.

3. How is the current scope of Social Work?

Scope in social work is expanding day by day. Today's social workers play crucial roles in mental health care, child protection, community outreach, and advocating for social justice and human rights. They work in schools, hospitals, NGOs, businesses, and even in policy-making, bringing real-world change. If you're passionate about helping others and want a career that truly matters, social work is a powerful choice - empowering individuals, uplifting communities, and shaping a more caring society.

4. What message would you like to give to the current MSW students?

I want to tell you that choosing social work is choosing a path full of purpose and heart. This field is challenging but incredibly rewarding, giving you the chance to touch lives and create real change in the world. Learn as much as you can, stay compassionate, and never lose sight of why you started. The world needs dedicated social workers now more than ever and you have the power to make a difference. Wishing you all the best on this meaningful journey!

5. What are your key responsibilities in the present job?

As I work in an autism living setting, my responsibilities include helping them in promoting independence, and supporting communication through various methods. I provide emotional and behavioral support, encourage social inclusion, and help individuals participate in community activities to reduce isolation. My role involves maintaining clear records, contributing to care plans, and working closely with social workers, healthcare professionals, and families to ensure holistic, person-centred care. I also advocate for individuals' rights, safeguard their well-being, and assist with developing life skills, education, or work opportunities. Overall, the work blends practical support with the core values of social work, aiming to empower individuals with autism to live fulfilling and dignified lives.

6. Who is your inspiration?

My inspiration isn't tied to any one person; it comes from the passion and deep satisfaction I feel when I help people live life to the fullest. Seeing others happy and knowing I played a part in that brings me immense joy and purpose. I also find inspiration in everyone I meet, in their lives, struggles, and unique situations. Their stories motivate me to keep improving myself and moving forward, both personally and professionally.

7. Anything else you would like to share?

Lastly, I just want to say one thing: being rich and successful isn't everything. Everyone has their own definition of success, and it's important to find what truly makes you happy. What matters most is what's meaningful to you—it doesn't have to make sense to anyone else. Don't blindly follow others; create your own path, your own space, and your own happiness. In the end, the only thing that truly matters is how satisfied and happy you are with yourself, not what others think of you.

UGC NET QUESTIONS PAPER II

SOLVED DECEMBER 2014

1. The Life Model (Ecological) of social work practice is best associated with
 - (A) Walter Friedlander
 - (B) Mary Richmond
 - (C) Carel B. Germain
 - (D) Florence Hollis
2. Sum of the deviations of all the values of X from the Mean is
 - (A) Minimum
 - (B) Zero
 - (C) Maximum
 - (D) One
3. Contradictory demands of the same role is termed as
 - (A) Role strain
 - (B) Role playing
 - (C) Role conflict
 - (D) Role twisting
4. Dementia is a
 - (A) Neuro-Psychiatric problem
 - (B) Mental health problem
 - (C) Dermatological problem
 - (D) Cardio-vascular problem
5. Social activist and Magasaysay award winner Mr. Deep Joshi is best associated with
 - (A) Tribal Welfare
 - (B) Child Welfare
 - (C) Family Welfare
 - (D) Youth Welfare
6. To evaluate another culture according to the standards of one's own culture is
 - (A) Material culture
 - (B) Ethnocentrism
 - (C) Non-material culture
 - (D) Xenocentrism
7. Large size Which of the following are the characteristic features of an urban community ?
 - I. Large size
 - II. Preponderous of voluntary organisations
 - III Anonymity
 - IV. Preponderous of secondary and tertiary occupationsCodes :
 - (A) II & IV only
 - (B) I & III only
 - (C) I, III & IV only
 - (D) I, II, III & IV
8. Which one is not the assumption of social case work ?
 - (A) Every human being is to be respected
 - (B) Every human being can change
 - (C) Every human being has some work
 - (D) Every human being is an artist



9. Which is not a correct statement about lay-off as per Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 ?

- (A) Lay-off is refusal to give employment.
- (B) Lay-off may be due to break-down of machinery.
- (C) Lay-off may be due to a natural calamity.
- (D) For lay-off, an employee need not be on the muster-rolls.

10. According to Durkheim “Human agency” is constrained by

- (A) Political process
- (B) Social structure
- (C) Economic resources
- (D) Agency of other actors

ANSWER KEY

- 1. OPTION D
- 2. OPTION B
- 3. OPTION A
- 4. OPTION A
- 5. OPTION A
- 6. OPTION B
- 7. OPTION D
- 8. OPTION D
- 9. OPTION D
- 10. OPTION B



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