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“There are many kinds of powers in the world — military power, power of the written word, intellectual power. We’ve tried and failed to bring peace with these kind of powers. The greatest power is the power of love.”
— Mata Amritanandamayi Devi



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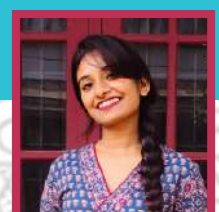
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ABOUT AMRITA UDAAN

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 from October 2019.

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Departmental Activities





Invited talk by the faculty Dr.S.Kanagaraj

Dr.S.Kanagaraj, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Social Work, Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham was invited as resource person for the Community Resource Person (Enterprises Promotion) of Uthukuli & Vellakovil Block, Tirupur District Training at Tiruppur on January 19, 2022. He handled a session on “Community Triggering” for the SHG members of District Mission Management Unit, Tiruppur District of Tamil Nadu State Rural Livelihoods Mission.



Webinar conducted on National Girl Child Day

AMRITA
VISHWA VIDYAPEETHAM

National Girl Child Day

Live Webinar on
Role of Youth in Protecting the Rights of Girl Child

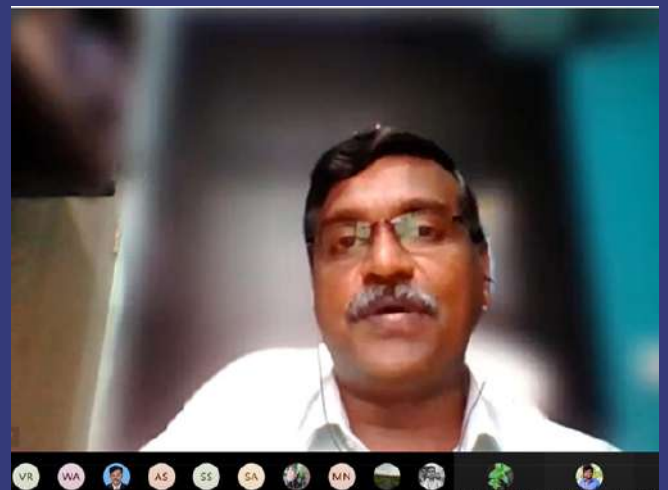
Chief Guest
Sri. Valavan V.S.
Programme Manager
Southern Region,
Railway Children India

24th January 2022
Time: 5:00-6:00 PM
Platform: Microsoft Teams

A webinar was organised by the NSS of Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham via Microsoft Teams on the National Girl Child Day which was on 24th January, 2022 from 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm. Mr. Varunanvelu V.S., Assistant Professor of the Department of Social Work, was the coordinator of the event. The Guest Speaker was Mr. Valavan V.S. who is the Program Manager of Railway Children India, South Region.

SCHEDULE

5:00 PM – 5:03 PM Prayer
5:03 PM – 5:06 PM W e l c o m e Speech
5:06 PM – 5:09 PM NSS programme coordinator address the gathering
5:09 PM – 5:12 PM NSS unit 2 programme officer – guest introductory speech
5:12 PM – 5:42 PM Guest of honour speaks about the day and on the subject matter
5:42 PM – 6:27 PM Discussion
6:27 PM – 6:30 PM Vote of Thanks





The topic of the webinar was 'The Role of Youth in Protecting the Rights of Girl Child'. The programme was an eye opener as the speaker shared the experience of dealing with the issues faced by the female children and further measures to ensure their psychosocial development. He could explain well the marginalised status of girl children in the society and the simple steps that can be taken by all to ensure that the children barge forward, crumbling all obstacles. In the end, the participants asked questions to the speaker and he clarified all their doubts. It was an informative session.

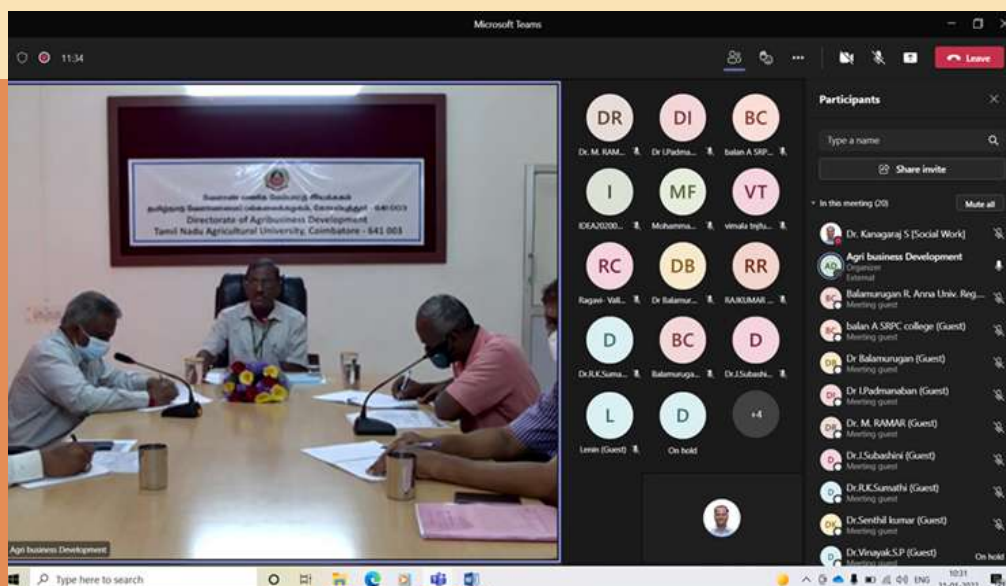


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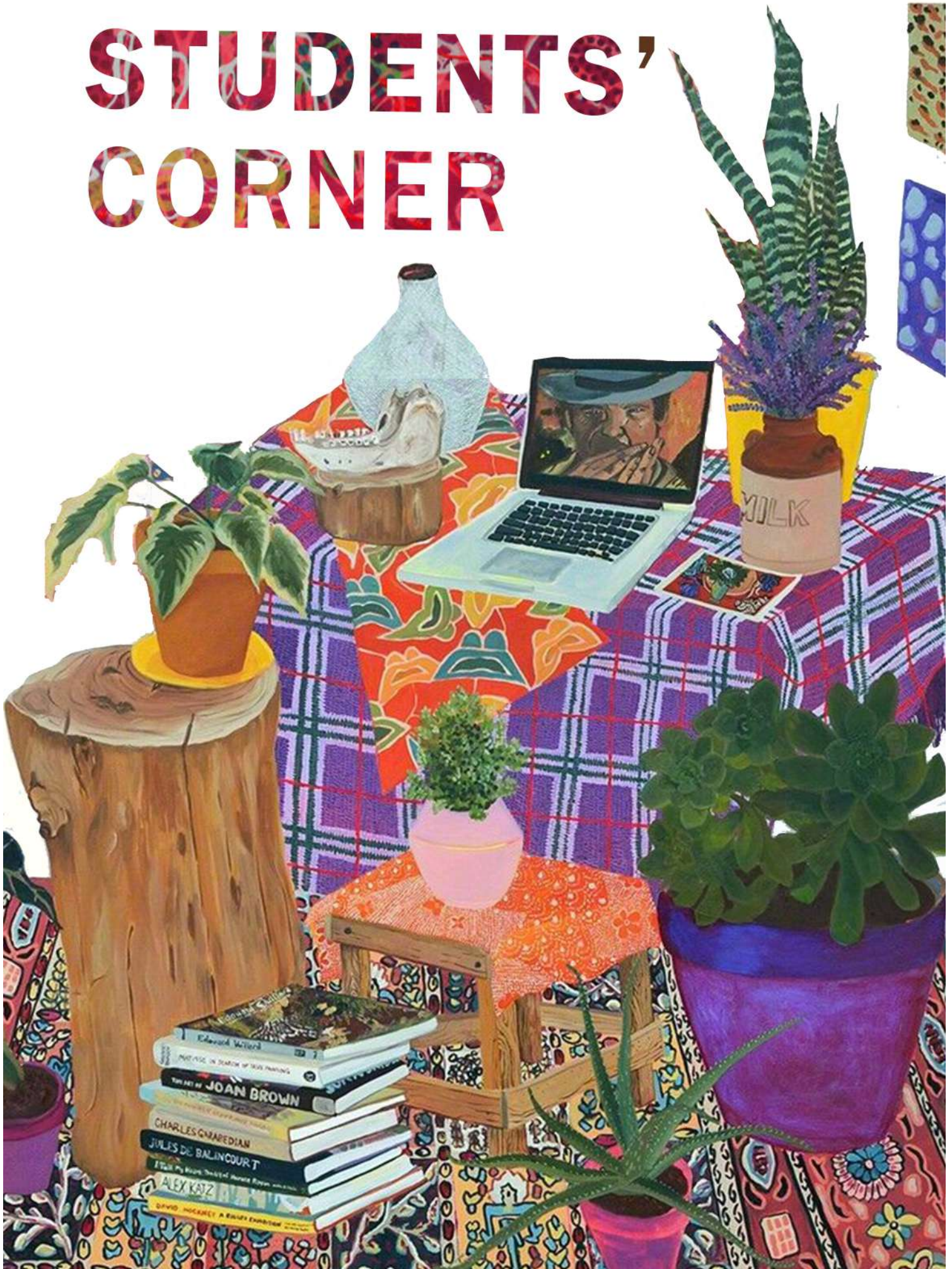
Invited talk by the faculty Dr.S.Kanagaraj in Unnat Bharat Abhiyan 2.0



Dr.S.Kanagaraj delivered a lecture on “Rural Participatory Techniques” during the orientation meeting for newly enrolled PIs (Participating Institutes) on 31.01.2022 via Online MS Teams. It was organized by the Regional Coordinating Institute (RCI), Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore. More than 20 participating institutes UBA representatives participated in the event.



STUDENTS' CORNER



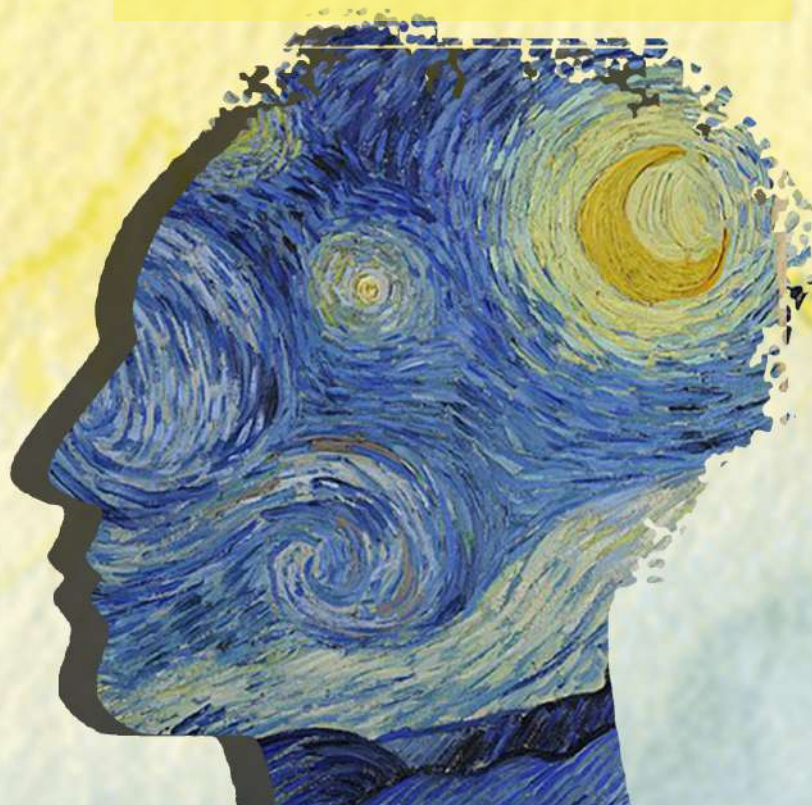
STUDENT'S ARTICLES

IN THE STARRY NIGHT

A glance into Starry night, Van Gogh and his mental health

The Starry night is a world-renowned painting with its swirling brush strokes with shades of blue and yellow. Even to this day it is used as a design in T-shirts, bags, mugs, wallpaper or even tiles around the world. Sometimes it's author who is categorised as an insane genius is almost always forgotten, who is Vincent Van Gogh. This article discusses his mental illness and how painting helped him through his painful mental illness journey. Art and mental health can be linked in a good way—artistic pursuits like sculpting, painting, and sketching have been shown to reduce stress and enhance mental serenity. It gives a calming diversion by taking your attention away from your daily routine. When you're doing art, your brain goes through a process of flow, and your anxieties go away as you concentrate on the details of your art. Present day doctors noted that individuals living with mental illness often expressed themselves in drawings and other art works, which led many to explore the use of art as a healing strategy.

Numerous mental disorders have been diagnosed posthumously in this artist. He couldn't avail support and medications as of today for such mental health disorder in the 1890s. Throughout his life he produced over 2000 art works, over 800 of them were oil paintings. Art was his greatest love, the thing that always excited him. During a period in hospital he had been denied his painting tools, this affected his mental state and behaviour. In the end doctors realized that to survive, Vincent must have the chance to paint and create. In his time in the Saint-Paul-de-Mausole-



um asylum near Saint-Rémy-de-Provence in 1889, Vincent van Gogh painted *Starry Night*. It depicts Van Gogh's view from the mental asylum. He had a good time at the hospital and was given more freedom than the other patients. He was allowed to leave the hospital grounds if he was accompanied, and he was allowed to paint, read, and retire into his own chamber. He was even granted his own studio space. While he experienced the occasional relapse into paranoia and fits - he had been formally diagnosed with epileptic fits - his mental health looked to be improving. avoided his tragic fate, and grown further as an artist.

Unfortunately, he relapsed. He began to suffer hallucination and have thoughts of suicide as he plunged into depression. Accordingly, there was a tonal shift in his work. He returned to incorporating the darker colours from the beginning of his career and *Starry Night* is an example of that shift. Blue dominates the painting, blending hills into the sky. The little village lays at the base in the painting in browns, greys, and blues. Even though each building is clearly outlined in black, the yellow and white of the stars and the moon stand out against the sky, drawing the eyes to the sky. Plagued by psychiatric illness throughout his life, van Gogh committed suicide in 1890. Evidence suggests that he had manic depression, a chronic mental illness thought affects many creative people. Although treatment with lithium carbonate is now

available, the drug also dampens creative abilities. Many people believe that artists overcome suffering with their creative acts, but suffering may also overwhelm the artist. Had lithium carbonate therapy been available, van Gogh might have defeated his manic depression, avoided his tragic fate, and grown further as an artist.

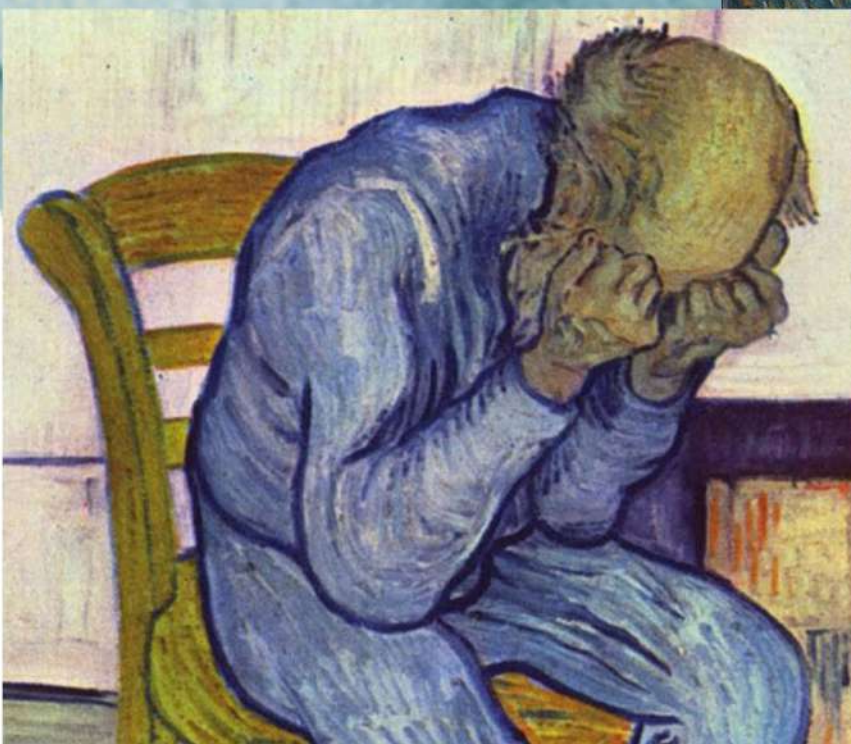
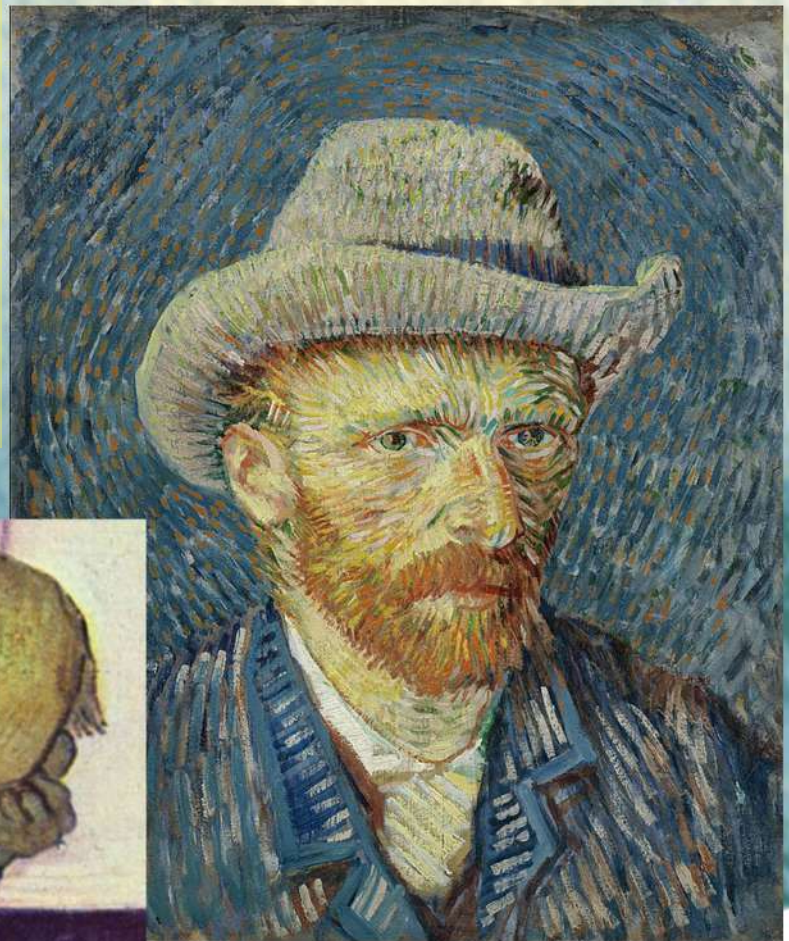
"If I could have worked without this accursed disease, what things I might have done," he wrote in one of his last letters.

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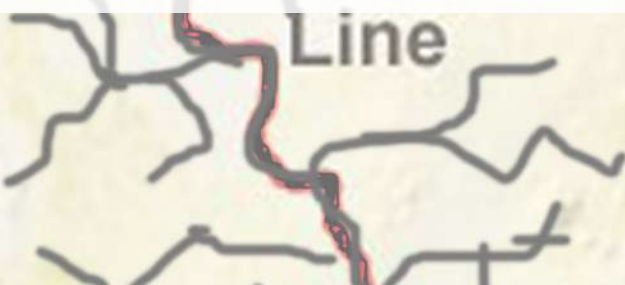
STORY REVIEW

Pali: A Short Story by Bhisham Sahni

Bhisham Sahni was a prolific translator and author of fiction and plays. His novel *Tamas* (Darkness), translated into English in 1988, received international notice for its portrayal of the communal riots during Partition. Sahni's short story *Pali* can also be termed as a partition text as it exposes the violence and bloodshed of the dark era of partition.

Pali is the symbol of innocence explicated through the image of a child who gets lost from his parents as a part of the chaos that happened during the partition. Sahni paints a brilliant portrait of the struggles of the common men who had to suffer as a part of the dubious plan of the British. Sahni, through the central character, looks at the idea of how the notion of identity is fluid in nature. When *Pali* was with his biological parents, he grew up as a Hindu boy and in the care of Shakur and Zehrab whom he calls Abbaji and Ammi respectively, he could grow up as a Muslim. In both contexts, *Pali* remained innocent, unaware of the politics of religion. *Pali* represented humanity that cried for peace and harmony but the confused state of *Pali* himself was a metaphor for the confusion of humanity as a whole during the time of partition.

It is also interesting to bring into focus the character of the social worker from the Indian side in the text. A social worker is a person who should be able to understand the condition of a child, its emotions, state of mind and to adopt the best intervention possible to deal with the trauma of the child. The social worker in the text is presented as a bi-biased woman who is also a fundamentalist. When she throws out the cap given by Shakur and Zehrab to *Pali*, it becomes more obvious that she is a misfit to the profession.



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WELL KNOWN SOCIAL WORKER

Harriet Rinaldo



Harriet Rinaldo (1906 - 1980) was an American social worker best known for creating the personnel standards, rating procedures and recruitment procedures for the Veterans Administration Social Work Service. She was also the first person to identify clinical social work as a separate branch with its own specifications.

Rinaldo was born in Sioux City, Iowa in 1906. She attended Smith College from 1923. After graduating with honours in 1927, she continued at the Smith and received a master's degree in Social Science in 1929.

She wrote a thesis titled "The altering of family attitudes toward the child with prolonged illness as a causative factor of behaviour problems : A study of fifty cases selected at the Institute for Child Guidance, New York City, from Child Guidance Clinic Records to weigh the importance as factors influencing behaviour problems of prolonged illness on a child as compared to the effect of the illness in altering parental and siblings attitudes."

After taking up a degree in social work, she worked at the Children's Aid Society and then, the county welfare agency in Philadelphia. She then moved to New York in 1946 to work for the Social Security Agency. In 1946, she moved to Washington, DC to join the Veterans Administration. She worked there until her retirement in 1972.

During her tenure at the Veterans Administration, Rinaldo recruited social workers to support the expansion of post World War II Veteran Administration Medical Services. She helped establish job standards and definitions which would later influence the Civil Service requirements for other federal agencies, as well as for the state and local health care programs.

Rinaldo also served on various committees of social work such as the National Association of Social Workers, the Committee on the Study of Competence, the Academy of Certified Social Workers, American Public Welfare Association and the Council on Social Work Education.



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SCHEMES & ACTS

The Whistleblowers Protection Act, 2014

Whistleblowing is defined as an act of disclosing information by an employee or any concerned stakeholder about an illegal or unethical conduct within an organisation. A whistleblower is a person who informs about a person or organisation engaged in such illicit activity.

Informers who reveal inside information have existed throughout history. As Lykourgos, the Athenian orator, puts it – neither laws nor judges can bring any result, unless someone denounces the wrongdoers. Even Kautilya, in his Arthashastra, acknowledged the concept of whistleblowing and proposed a reward for such whistleblowers.

There have been multiple instances of threatening, harassment, and even murder of various whistleblowers. More than 15 whistleblowers have been murdered in India in the past three years and around 65 people have been killed for exposing corruption on the basis of information they obtained under the Right to Information Act.

The Whistleblowers Protection Bill was proposed in 2011 and was finally passed in 2014. It seeks to establish a mechanism to receive complaints related to disclosure of allegations of corruption or wilful misuse of power or discretion, against any public servant, and to inquire or cause an inquiry into such disclosure. The act also provides adequate safeguards against victimisation of the person making such complaints. Any public servant or any other person may make a public interest disclosure before a competent authority. It does not allow anonymous complaints to be made and clearly states that no action will be taken if the complainant does not establish their identity. The act is not applicable to the personnel and officers of Special Protection Groups.

The act was amended in 2015 which prohibited a disclosure if it contains any information that has been classified under the Official Secrets Act of 1923 even if it aims to disclose acts of corruption, misuse of power, or criminal activities. This dilutes the very existence of the Whistleblowers Protection Act of 2014.

Whistleblowers have brought accountability and transparency to government functioning by revealing information about various scams. They need to be provided protection so that they can function without being scared about their lives. Our various European counterparts such as Sweden have a very strong legal framework to protect the identity of the whistleblower. India should also adopt such measures to ensure an increase in transparency and accountability.

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SCHEMES

CBSE Udaan Scheme

Udaan is a project started by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) under the guidance of the Ministry of Education (formerly Ministry of Human Resource Development) with the aim to increase the enrolment rate of girls in engineering colleges. It is designed to provide deserving girl students of standard 11th with free offline/online study resources to prepare for engineering entrance examinations and secure admission into the elite engineering colleges of India.

Listed below is the eligibility criteria of CBSE Udaan:

- Only Indian residents can apply for the Udaan program by CBSE.
- The girl candidate must be studying in class 11 from any Kendriya Vidyalaya/ Navodaya/ Government schools recognised by any Board or CBSE affiliated private schools in India.
- The candidate must be pursuing Science stream with subjects of Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics (PCM).
- The applicant must have secured an average of at least 70% marks in class 10. She must have scored a minimum of 80% marks in Science and Mathematics. For students who are enrolled in those schools which follow CGPA, a minimum CGPA score of 8 and a GPA of 9 in Science and Mathematics is needed.
- The candidates belonging to SC, ST, OBC and PWD category get a reservation of 15%, 7.5%, 27% and 3% seats, respectively.
- Also, the annual family income of the applicant must not be more than INR 6 Lakhs.

Listed below are the benefits that are being provided under this scheme:

- The candidates are provided with free study materials through online/offline mode. They receive tutorials, videos and study resources.
- Udaan organises virtual contact classes at around 60 designated city centres.
- Students are also given remedial steps to correct their learning.
- Motivational sessions are provided to students and their parents.
- Udaan has also started 'Student Helpline' services to clarify students' doubts, monitor their learning and provide them with technological support.
- Candidates also get constant monitoring and tracking of their progress with feedback.

Anundoram Borooh Laptop Award Scheme (ARBAS)

The Government of Assam launched the Anundoram Borooh Laptop Award Scheme (ARBAS) in the year 2005. This scheme is an award scheme for encouraging competitive spirit amongst the students studying in Assam. The Government of Assam provides laptops as awards to the students who have obtained excellent results in the class 10 examination. The award under the ARBAS scheme is given in honour of Late Anundoram Borooh, the 4th Indian and the 1st Assamese to join the Indian Civil Service (ICS). He was the first Indian Civilian to be appointed as District Magistrate. The ARBAS scheme aims to enhance healthy competition among the students studying in the 10th class. It also helps the students enrich their perception with information and up-to-date knowledge through IT education.

- Every year the Secondary Education Board of Assam (SEBA) conducts the High School Leaving Certificate (HSLC) and Assam High Madrassa (AHM) examinations for students who are studying in standard 10th in Assam. The students who secure first division marks in the HSLC and AHM examinations conducted by the SEBA are eligible to receive the award under this scheme. Under the ARBAS scheme, the eligible students will receive the following benefits:
 - Laptop
 - SIM card
 - Wi-Fi device
 - Online education material of class XI and XII for the students
 - Excellence training for the students of the Science stream



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CURRENT AFFAIRS

1. India votes in favour of UNSC resolution to renew mandate of Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED) -

India, which will chair the UN Security Council's Counter-Terrorism Committee (CTC), has voted in favour of a resolution to renew the mandate of the CTC Executive Directorate, as it asked nations to remain united against the "tendency of labelling terror acts based on its motivation". The UN Security Council, through its written silence procedure, renewed the mandate of the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED) until December 31, 2025.

2. 'Padhe Bharat' launched by the Department of School Education and Literacy -

Padhe Bharat is in alignment with the National Education Policy 2020, which emphasises on promotion of joyful reading culture for children by ensuring availability of age-appropriate reading books for children in local/mother tongue/regional/tribal Language. It will focus on children studying in Balvati-ka to Grade 8. This campaign has also been aligned with the vision and goals of the Foundational Literacy and Numeracy Mission.

3. The Ministry of Education launches NEAT 3.0 to provide best developed ed-tech solutions -

National Educational Alliance for Technology (NEAT) is an initiative to provide the use of best-developed technological solutions in the education sector to enhance the employability of the youth on a single platform for learners' convenience. These solutions use artificial intelligence for a personalised and customised learning experience for better learning outcomes and skill development in the niche areas. Union Education Minister and Skill Development Minister Dharmendra Pradhan on Monday launched NEAT 3.0, a single platform to provide the best-developed ed-tech solutions and courses to students of the country.

4. UNSC states pledge to avoid nuclear war -

Five of the world's nuclear powers on Monday pledged to prevent the proliferation of nuclear arms and have also said that nuclear war is not an option. China, France, Russia, the UK and the US have agreed that a nuclear war "cannot be won and must never be fought." The pledge was made in a rare joint statement ahead of a review of the Non-Proliferation Treaty, 1970.

5. Cabinet approves second phase of Green Energy Corridor (GEC) for intra-state transmission system -

It will facilitate grid integration and power evacuation of approximately 20 GW of Renewable Energy (RE) power projects in seven States namely, Gujarat, Himachal Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu and Uttar Pradesh. It aims at synchronising the electricity produced from renewable resources, such as wind and solar, with the conventional power stations in the grid. It aims to achieve the target of 450 GW installed RE capacity by 2030.

6. Marital rape in India -

Recently, a batch of petitions seeking criminalization of marital rape, has been filed in the Delhi High Court. The petition seeks to amend the criminal law, which includes Section 375 (rape) of the Indian Penal Code. Marital rape (or spousal rape) is an act in which one of the spouses indulges in sexual intercourse without the consent of the other. In India, marital rape is not defined in any statute or law. The only recourse against non-consensual sex for married women are civil provisions under the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act on cruelty against a wife by the husband or a husband's relatives. Criminalizing marital rape will ensure that women remain safer from abusive spouses and they can receive the help needed to recover from marital rape and can save themselves from domestic violence and sexual abuse.

7. World Economic Forum (WEF) released Global Risks Report 2022 -

The Global Risks Report series tracks global risks perceptions among risk experts and world leaders in business, government, and civil society. It examines risks across five categories: Economic, Environmental, Geopolitical, Societal, and Technological. 'Social cohesion erosion', 'livelihood crises', and 'mental health deterioration' are three of the five risks seen as the most concerning threats to the world in the next two years. Environmental risks appear as top risks in the short-, medium-and long-term outlooks. In the medium term, economic risks such as 'debt crises' and 'asset bubble burst' also emerge as governments struggle to balance fiscal priorities. In the longer-term horizon, geopolitical and technological risks are of concern too— including 'geo-economic confrontations', 'geopolitical resource contestation' and 'cybersecurity failure'.

8. Indian Meteorological Department launches first Climate Hazards and Vulnerability Atlas of India -

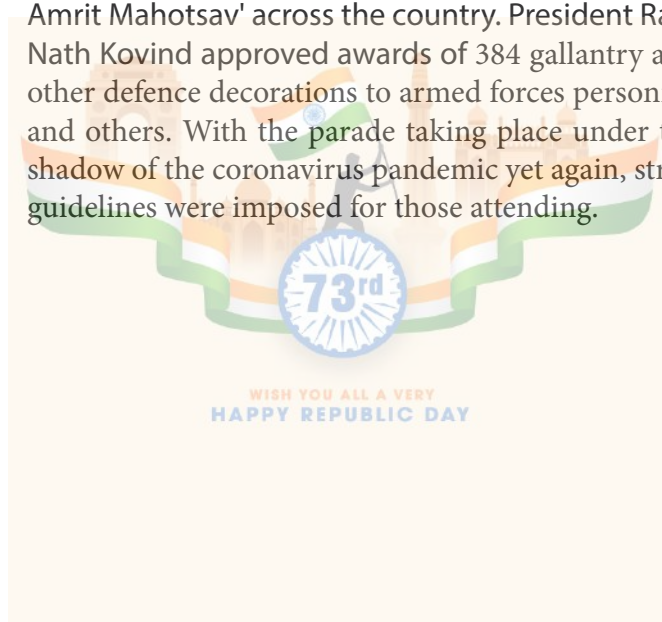
The Climate Hazards and Vulnerability Atlas of India, developed by the scientists at Climate Research and Services (CRS) office of the India Meteorological Department (IMD), Pune, was launched by Dr Jitendra Singh. The atlas features extreme rainfall, drought, coldwave, heatwave, dust storms, hail storm, thunderstorm, cyclones, snowfall, lightning, winds and fog. The hazards and vulnerability values have been calculated utilising the MET department's historical climate data. Each weather phenomenon's month-wise hazard levels posed to the respective district has been enlisted in this one-of-its-kind atlas. The atlas provides a range of vulnerability with risks ranging from nil, low, moderate, high and very high categories for every Indian district.

9. Supreme Court uploads 27% OBC quota in NEET -

The bench of Justices DY Chandrachud and A S Bopanna upheld the Constitutional validity of reservation for Other Backward Classes (OBCs) in the All India Quota for National Eligibility cum Entrance Test (NEET) for undergraduate and postgraduate medical admissions stating that competitive exams do not reflect the economic social advantage accrued to some classes over a period of time and that merit should be socially contextualised.

10. 73rd Republic Day -

- Republic day is a monumental day in Indian history because it was on this day that India adopted its own Constitution and declared its own laws of the land. It is celebrated every year on 26th January to commemorate the adoption of the Indian Constitution, which came into effect on this day in 1950. India celebrated its 73rd Republic Day this year with the iconic parade at New Delhi's Rajpath showcasing its military prowess and cultural pagantry. A flypast by 75 aircraft and helicopters was the highlight of this year's parade. This year's celebrations are significant - it's the 75th anniversary of India's Independence, being observed as 'Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav' across the country. President Ram Nath Kovind approved awards of 384 gallantry and other defence decorations to armed forces personnel and others. With the parade taking place under the shadow of the coronavirus pandemic yet again, strict guidelines were imposed for those attending.



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INTERNSHIP

GoodLiving.Eco

<https://internshala.com>

Work from Home

START DATE: Immediately

DURATION: 1 month

STIPEND: Unpaid

APPLY BY: 08/02/2022

About the Internship : GoodLiving.Eco is an NGO with a collaborative team that builds climate resilient and green housing for low-income communities. The interns will get an opportunity to reach out to more and more people and raise funds and attend meetings as and when required.

Benefits:-

Certificate

Letter of Recommendation

Flexible working hours

Only those candidates can apply who:

1. are available for the work from home internship between 03/01/2022 and 08/02/2022

2. are available for duration of 1 month

To know more & apply: <https://internshala.com/internship/detail/social-work-work-from-home-job-internship-at-goodlivingeco1641205613>

SARASWATI SEVA FOUNDATION

<https://internshala.com>

Location: Chennai, Delhi, Bangalore, Lucknow, Noida

START DATE: Immediately

DURATION:3 months

STIPEND: 5000-10000/month

APPLY BY: 15/02/2022

About the Internship : Saraswati Seva Foundation (SSF) is an NGO with a vision to reduce poverty and encourage social justice. The interns will get an opportunity to facilitate and document the communication, assist in planning, create regular reports and collaborate with teams across the organisation.

Benefits:-

Certificate

Letter of Recommendation

Job Offer

Flexible working hours

5 days a week

Only those candidates can apply who:

1. are available for the work from home internship between 07/01/2022 and 15/02/2022

2. are available for duration of 3 months

* Women wanting to start/restart their career can also apply.

To know more & apply: <https://internshala.com/internship/detail/social-work-part-time-job-internship-at-multiple-locations-in-saraswati-seva-foundation1641579387>

TEAM EVEREST

<https://internshala.com>

Work from Home

START DATE: Immediately

DURATION: 2 weeks

STIPEND: Unpaid

APPLY BY: 05/02/2022

About the Internship : Team Everest is an NGO which provides quality education to underprivileged children through volunteering. The selected interns will get an opportunity to create interesting content and to conduct various activities.

Benefits:-

Certificate

Letter of Recommendation

Only those candidates can apply who:

1. are available for the work from home internship between 16/01/2022 and 20/02/2022

2. are available for duration of 2 weeks

To know more & apply: <https://internshala.com/internship/details/curriculum-creation-for-rural-kids-volunteer-for-india-openings-4000-volunteering-at-team-everest1642482422>

MUSKURAHAT FOUNDATION

<https://internshala.com>

Work from Home

START DATE: Immediately

DURATION: 1 month

STIPEND: 5000-10000/month

APPLY BY: 22/02/2022

About the Internship : Muskurahat Foundation is a non-profit organisation which strives to touch every sphere of society, including underprivileged children to make the world a better and happy place to live in. The selected interns will have to run a fund-raising campaign and spread awareness.

Benefits:-

Certificate

Letter of Recommendation

Flexible work hours

Only those candidates can apply who:

1. are available for part time job/internship between 13/01/2022 and 22/02/2022
2. are available for duration of 1 month

To know more & apply: <https://internshala.com/internship/detail/crowdfunding-work-from-home-job-internship-at-muskurahat-foundation1642078931>

YOUTH EMPOWERMENT FOUNDATION

<https://internshala.com>

START DATE: Immediately

DURATION: 1 month

STIPEND: Unpaid

APPLY BY: 06/02/2022

About the Internship : Youth Empowerment Foundation (YEF) is an NGO that works for the education of underprivileged children and provides skill training and livelihood programs for the deprived communities. The interns will get an opportunity to conduct promotional activities and raise funds.

Benefits:-

Certificate

Only those candidates can apply who:

1. are available for part time job/internship between 23/01/2022 and 27/02/2022
2. are available for duration of 1 month

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* Women wanting to start/restart their career can also apply.

To know more & apply: <https://internshala.com/internship/detail/social-work-work-from-home-job-internship-at-youth-empowerment-foundation1642918484>

TODAY'S KALAM FOUNDATION

<https://internshala.com>

Work From Home

START DATE: Immediately

DURATION: 3 months

STIPEND: 1000/month + incentives

APPLY BY : 06/02/2022

About the internship: Today's Kalam Foundation' was started in the year 2016 in Hyderabad to bring reformation among basic sectors like education, health, women empowerment, transport and research & development. The selected interns will get an opportunity to spread awareness by conducting various activities and fundraising.

Benefits: -

Certificate

Letter of Recommendation

Flexible working hours

5 days a week

Only those candidates can apply who:

1. are available for the work from home internship between 23/01/2022 and 27/02/2022
2. are available for duration of 3 months

* Women wanting to start/restart their career can also apply.

To know more & apply : <https://internshala.com/internship/detail/social-work-work-from-home-job-internship-at-todays-kalam-foundation1642924586>



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JOB OPPORTUNITIES

MSW

1. Project Head

India Health Partners
Location: Ahmedabad, Gujarat
Work experience: 10-12 years' experience preferably in the health care sector.
Email id: hr@ihphealth.org
Salary: Rs.10 lakhs to Rs.12.00 lakhs (CTC)
Apply by: 19 Feb 2022

2. Regional Coordinator (RC) CORO INDIA

Location: Rajasthan
Work experience: Minimum 3 years of experience in development sector
No of positions – 6
Remuneration range – 20000/- to 25000/- per month
Email id: rajgldp@coroindia.org
Apply by: 19 Feb 2022

3. Training Coordinator (TC) CORO INDIA

Location: Jaipur, Rajasthan
No of Positions: 01
Remuneration range – 25000/- to 30000/- per month
Work experience: Minimum 3 years of experience
Email id: rajgldp@coroindia.org
Apply by: 19 Feb 2022

4. Training Coordinator Books for All

Location: Noida, Uttar Pradesh
Remuneration - Rs 30000 per month
Email id: contact@booksforall.in
Apply by: 19 Feb 2022

5. Monitoring, Evaluation and Learning Coordinator (MEL) CORO INDIA

Location: Jaipur, Rajasthan
No of Positions: 1
Remuneration range – 20000/- to 25000/- per month
Email id: rajgldp@coroindia.org
Apply by: 19 Feb 2022

6. Thematic Lead - ECD Policy & Communication Mobile Creches, (MC)

Location: India
Work experience: At least 8 years' experience
Email id: hradmin@mobilecreches.org
Apply by: 14 Feb 2022

7. Training and Documentation Officer

Center for Social Equity and Inclusion
Location: Delhi
Work experience: 3 to 5 years of experience
Email id: admin@cseiindia.org.in
Apply by: 25 Feb 2022

8. National Coordinator National Alliance of Social Security (NASS)

Location: Chittoor, Andhra Pradesh
Work Experience- Two or more years of experience
Email id: nass.informalworkers@gmail.com
Apply by: 11 Feb 2022

9. Programme Manager Earthworm Foundation

Location: Delhi
Work experience: minimum of 7 years working experience
Email id: g.yadav@earthworm.org
Website: www.earthworm.org
Apply by: 13 Feb 2022

10. Social Worker Helping Hearts

Location: Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu
Job Types: Full-time, Regular / Permanent
Salary: ₹10,000 - ₹15,000 a month
Email id: info@helpinghearts.org



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IMPORTANT DATES

- 1st February: Indian Coast Guard Day
- 2nd February: World Wetlands Day
- 4th February: World Cancer Day
- 6th February: International Day of Zero Tolerance of Female Genital Mutilation
- 11th February: International Day of Women and Girls in Science
- 12th February: National Productivity Day
- 13th February: National Women's Day (Birth Date of Sarojini Naidu), World Radio Day
- 14th February: Valentine's Day
- 15th February: International Childhood Cancer Day
- 20th February: World Day of Social Justice
- 21st February: International Mother Language Day
- 24th February: Central Excise Day
- 27th February: World NGO Day
- 28th February: National Science Day

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How was your life at Amrita?

Life at Amrita would always be the best part of my life. The time spent in Amrita Coimbatore campus improved my personality at personal and professional level. The beautiful Coimbatore campus with Spiritual vibes all around was very nourishing. Local faculty and Visiting Faculty in the department were supportive. It was difficult to adjust with the South Indian food coming from the North Indian environment, but Onam Sadhya was the best. Different events like Gokulashtmi and other events happening in different departments were helpful in professional and personal improvement of an individual.

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

Skills I learnt- How to speak in front of small and big groups of people, navigating the government authorities, organising different events, home visits, counselling, confidence building, report writing etc.

How is the current scope of Social Work?

Social Work holds a lot of scope in Non government organisations as well as Govt Organisations. I have myself served as a Govt officer for 3.5 yrs. Now almost all the State Governments are taking out vacancies for people who have completed Master of Social Work degree.

As a Social work professional an individual can start his/her own organisation too after some experience in the field of their interest. Real change can come only when the Govt and Non Govt stakeholders come together for any social issue. This demands the active participation of Social workers who would bring different stakeholders at one platform to work for the common objective.

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

There are endless opportunities in the Social Work Sector. You need to leave your comfort zone and commit yourself for any Social cause to work in this sector. You will get enough support if you show your commitment through your work.

What are your key responsibilities in the present job?

Managing the current projects, Recruitment, Organising Events, Guiding the other team members for their specific project.

Who is/are your inspiration(s)?

Dr Pravin Patkar and Ms Priti Patkar

Any other thing you would like to share?

If a platform can be activated where current MSW students and alumni can interact and be a help for each other that would be useful.

UGC NET (DECEMBER 2013) SOLVED QUESTION PAPER (PAPER-3)

- 1) The Ganga Action Plan was initiated during the year
 - a. 1986
 - b. 1988
 - c. 1990
 - d. 1992
- 2) In mega cities of India, the dominant source of air pollution is
 - a. Transport sector
 - b. Thermal power
 - c. Municipal waste
 - d. Commercial sector
- 3) Chromium as a contaminant in drinking water in excess of permissible levels, causes
 - a. Skeletal damage
 - b. Gastrointestinal problem
 - c. Dermal and nervous problems
 - d. Liver/Kidney problems
- 4) Effective communication needs a supportive
 - a. economic environment
 - b. political environment
 - c. social environment
 - d. multi-cultural environment
- 5) DNS in internet technology stands for
 - a. Dynamic Name System
 - b. Domain Name System
 - c. Distributed Name System
 - d. None of these
- 6) HTML stands for
 - a. Hyper Text Markup Language
 - b. Hyper Text Manipulation Language
 - c. Hyper Text Managing Links
 - d. Hyper Text Manipulating Links
- 7) Which of the following is a type of LAN ?
 - a. Ethernet
 - b. Token Ring
 - c. FDDI
 - d. All of the above
- 8) Flash floods are caused when
 - a. the atmosphere is convectively unstable and there is considerable vertical wind shear
 - b. the atmosphere is stable
 - c. the atmosphere is convectively unstable with no vertical windshear
 - d. winds are katabatic
- 9) Consider the following statements:
Identify the statement which implies natural justice.
 - a. The principle of natural justice is followed by the Courts.
 - b. Justice delayed is justice denied.
 - c. Natural justice is an inalienable right of a citizen
 - d. A reasonable opportunity of being heard must be given.
- 10) Who among the following holds office during the pleasure of the President of India?
 - a. Chief Election Commissioner
 - b. Comptroller and Auditor General of India
 - c. Chairman of the Union Public Service Commission
 - d. Governor of a State

Answer: 1. (A), 2. (C), 3. (C), 4. (C), 5. (B), 6. (A), 7. (A), 8. (A), 9. (C), 10. (D)



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