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“ Gratitude is the gateway to abundance
and a grateful heart attracts blessings.”

– Mata Amritanandamayi Devi



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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 since October 2019.

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DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES



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HEARTY CONGRATULATIONS TO MSW 2022 – 2024 BATCH ON THEIR GRADUATION

The 21st Convocation Ceremony of Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, Coimbatore was held on September 1st, 2024 graced by the esteemed presence of Prof. Abhay Karandikar, Secretary of the Department of Science and Technology, as the Chief Guest. The event was marked with the presence of several dignitaries, faculties and students and the day was also remarkable for the outgoing MSW 2022-2024 batch. Ms. Anjali S is the first rank holder of the batch followed by second rank shared among Ms. Shyama Surendran and Dhanya Anirudhan. Third rank is secured by Ms. Anupatmanjari S and fourth by Ms. Pavya K. With regard to this special event, the department of social work heartily congratulates the outstanding batch of 2022-24 on their remarkable achievements, with special recognition to the rank holders for setting new benchmarks of excellence.



MSW 2022-2024 batch on the day of their convocation

MALAVIKA K, I MSW

INVITED TALK BY DR. V. PRIYA

External member of the Committee against Sexual Harassment at Arya Vaidya Pharmacy Research Foundation, Ramanathapuram, Coimbatore. Invited as speaker at a seminar, titled "Prevention of Sexual Harassment (POSH) Act 2013: Creating a Safe and Respectful Workplace" on 21st September 2024 from 11:00 am To 12:00 pm.



Invited talk by Dr. V. Priya

DR. V. PRIYA

ISHA YOGA CENTRE VISIT

The students of School of Social and Behavioral Sciences including first year MSW, first year BSW and PGDCP visited the Isha Yoga Centre of Coimbatore on September 11, 2024. The group was accompanied by the faculties Assistant Professors Dr. Raneesh C, Dr. Rajalakshmi S A and Dr. Rajeev Ramakrishnan. The Isha Yoga Center situated at the foothills of Velliangiri, on the outskirts of Coimbatore is a space dedicated for self growth and transformation to the visitors. This visit indeed proves to be a rejuvenating one for the students of SSBS.



visit to isha yoga centre.

VINAYAGAR CHATURTHI CELEBRATIONS 2024

The Vinayagar Chaturthi celebration at Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, Arasampalayam, was held from 6th September to 9th September 2024 in the main auditorium of the campus. On 6th September, the event commenced with the installation of Ganesha and with a special message by Sampoojya Tapasyamritananda Puri Swamiji. He explained about the importance of Vinayagar Chaturthi with his words. This was followed by the Aarthy, Bhajans and classical music performance by students and concluded with the prasadam distribution. On the second day of 7th September, the activities began early in the morning with a Ganapathi Homam followed by the distribution of prasadam. In the evening, the celebration continued with Arathi and Prasadam distribution.

The final day of celebration that is 9th of September began in the morning followed by the Ganesha Nimanjanam and prasada distribution. The celebrations were filled with devotion and cultural unity and will be remarkable in the year.



Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration at the campus



LESHMIPRIYA U
(I MSW)

THIRD SEMESTER FIELDWORK FOR SECOND YEAR MSW STUDENTS

The concurrent fieldwork III in block mode for second year MSW students is scheduled from September 10, 2024 to October 10, 2024. The students are placed in various organizations within their hometowns based on their specialized area of studies including Medical and Psychiatric social work, Community Development or Child Rights and Child Protection. They are engaged in various governmental and non-governmental organizations, or hospital settings for the fieldwork. The fieldwork agencies chosen span over India from Kerala, Tamil Nadu to the North eastern state of Meghalaya. This one-month long fieldwork aims to provide students a great experience in gaining practical knowledge in putting the theory learnt into practice.



Second year MSW students engaged in their Concurrent Fieldwork III in block mode



ANUPAMA RAJAN
(II MSW)

THE AMRITA FARMER'S GROUP

On September 17th, 2024, the department of social work proudly launched the Amrita Farmer's Group, our first-ever farmers' collective, at CG. Pudur and K.G. Chavadi of Coimbatore district. The project is led by Asst. Prof Dr. S. Kanagaraj from the department. The Amrita Farmers Group aims to address the pressing challenges faced by farmers in the region. By promoting organic farming methods, enhancing farmers' income through collective marketing, and fostering social cohesion, we strive to create a prosperous and sustainable farming community. This initiative aims to provide training, capacity-building programs, and advocacy support. Our goal is to empower farmers, particularly marginalized communities, to improve their quality of life through this great start.



Dr. S. Kanagaraj addressing the farmer's group



Meeting of Amrita Farmer's Group



FARHAAN FAROOQUI
(I BSW)

CONGRATULATIONS TO ASWAAS OFFICE BEARERS

The Amrita Social Work Association of Alumni and Students (ASWAAS) has elected representatives from first year MSW for the upcoming academic year. The Vice President is Mr. Ashwin C from first MSW, joint secretary Ms. Diya Rajesh from first MSW and Amrita R Menon as the joint treasurer of ASWAAS from first year MSW as well. The Department of Social Work heartily congratulates and welcomes the new elected members to lead the ASWAAS family.



The students and faculties of SSBS who attended the program



ANUPAMA RAJAN
(II MSW)

TWO DAY WORKSHOP CONDUCTED BY DR. S. KANAGARAJ

Asst. Prof. Dr. S. Kanagaraj from the School of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Coimbatore conducted a two-day workshop on Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) and Community and Social Responsibility on 26th & 27th September 2024 for the engineering students of Sri Ramakrishna Engineering College in Coimbatore. The workshop was an exciting experience as the domain audience was different and it provided greater insights in interacting with them.




Dr. S. Kanagaraj interacting with the participants of the workshop



The students presenting in the workshop



DR. S. KANAGARAJ



STUDENTS' CORNER



FAMOUS SOCIAL WORKER

ARUNA ROY

Aruna Roy (née Jayaram, born 6 June 1946) is an Indian social activist, professor, union organiser and former civil servant. She is the president of the National Federation of Indian Women and founder of the Mazdoor Kisan Shakti Sangathan.

Aruna was born on 6 June 1946, in Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India (Chennai was known as Madras at the time and was a part of the Madras Presidency in British India), to parents Hema and E. D. Jayaram, a family of Tamil Brahmins. The family in which Aruna grew up was unconventional for their times and had a history of public service encompassing several generations. They rejected orthodox beliefs about caste and religion, and were known for a commitment to egalitarian principles.

All her grandparents were highly educated and included an engineer, a magistrate and a lawyer. The women in her family in particular served as role models for her. Her maternal grandfather was an engineer, who was also involved in the marriage between Hema and Jayaram defied norms as Hema had waited till she was 25 to get married and Jayaram belonged to a different sub-caste. Jayaram's family too had a history of social and political activism. He was sent to Shantiniketan and later became a lawyer by profession. Jayaram also worked as a film and music critic and published reviews in various newspapers. Aruna was the eldest of four siblings and had two sisters and a brother. The children were brought up to be multilingual and the family spoke three languages at home, namely Tamil, English and Hindi. Aruna was enrolled for two years at the Kalakshetra academy in Adyar, Chennai to train in Bharatanatyam and Carnatic music. She was also educated at a convent school and learned French on the insistence of her parents. She was then sent to the Aurobindo Ashram in Pondicherry while her family moved to New Delhi. After a year at the ashram (hermitage), she expressed unhappiness with her situation so her family brought her to New Delhi where she completed the rest of her education. She attended the Bhartiya Vidya Bhavan till the age of 16, when she applied for and successfully enrolled at the Indraprastha College for Women. Her admission was unexpected for the college faculty as she qualified at an age earlier than usual. Aruna majored in English Literature and then immediately went for a master's degree in 1965. She completed her post-graduation at the University of Delhi.



ANJANA KRISHNA
(II MSW)

SCHEMES AND ACTS



ACTS

THE SEXUAL HARASSMENT OF WOMEN AT WORKPLACE (PREVENTION, PROHIBITION, AND REDRESSAL) ACT, 2013.

Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace Act, 2013, India enacted one of the most important legal enactments regarding the protection of women against sexual harassment in the workplace. It "shall include a range of unwelcome physical, verbal, or non-verbal conduct of sexual nature.". It is one of the steps toward gender-based discrimination and ensures that the work environment becomes safe and secure for women without the fear of harassment or intimidation. The act In administering this legislation required the creation of ICCs in workplaces with ten or more employees. The committees would accept complaints and conduct an inquiry to make recommendations on action to be taken for redressal of grievances. More significantly, the Act obliges institutions to take proactive steps of sensitization and an awareness program in order to inform the employee concerning sexual harassment and uphold a respectful working culture. This encourages the women to come forward and report such incidents, and there is seriousness in the organizations on such issues. While addressing the issue of harassment on account of sexual orientation, the legislation also calls for observance of secrecy and safeguards for the complainant, requiring employers not to retaliate against reporters of harassment. It also introduces a redressal mechanism along with timelines for dealing with complaints as well as prescribed punishments for the perpetrators found guilty of harassment. It aims at a work environment free from fear and perpetuates the complete empowerment and participation of women at work while prioritizing women's rights and dignity. Summarily, the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace Act, 2013 is a very important step forward for India to deal with the workplace issues of harassment. Its aim is to institute clear definitions with procedural safeguards and mechanisms of accountability so that women have a safer and equitable place of work with respect for dignity, encouraging the culture that promotes respect. Effective implementation will pave the way for setting up gender equality across the board and make it a workplace where women can flourish in their professional lives.

POSH Act
Sexual Harassment
of Women
at Workplace Act



SREE NANDANA B S
(I MSW)

CENTRAL GOVERNMENT SCHEME

SAANSAD AADARSH GRAM YOJANA (SAGY)

Saansad Aadarsh Gram Yojana (SAGY) is a central scheme for village development. It is also known as 'Saanjhi'. It was launched by Prime Minister Narendra Modi on 11th October 2014, under the Government of India. Under this scheme, each Member of Parliament (MP) has the responsibility to develop the physical and institutional infrastructure in any three villages by 2019. The main target of the scheme is to develop five 'Adarsh Villages' or 'Model Villages' by 2024. The scheme places equal stress



on nurturing values of patriotism, community spirit, national pride, self-confidence and developing infrastructure which was inspired by the values of Mahatma Gandhi. The main objectives of SAGY are to trigger integrated development of the identified Gram panchayats and to substantially improve the standard of living and quality of life of all sections of the population through improved basic facilities, higher productivity, enhanced human development, better livelihood opportunities, reduced disparities, access to rights and entitlements, wider social mobilisation and enriched social capital. In addition, the Saansad Aadarsh Gram Yojana (SAGY) is anticipated to yield various important results, including enhanced employment opportunities, a decrease in distress migration, liberation from bonded labor, child labor, and manual scavenging, complete registration of deaths and births, establishment of an alternative dispute resolution system agreeable to all members of the community, promotion of peace and harmony, and showcasing positive impact on other Gram Panchayats. Selection of a village for this scheme is based on certain criteria such as having a population of approximately 3000-5000 in plain regions and 1000-3000 in hilly, tribal, or challenging areas. The Member of Parliament (MP) can choose a suitable Gram Panchayat for development under this program, excluding their own village or that of their spouse. The MP will first select one Gram Panchayat for immediate attention, followed by two others for future focus. The Lok Sabha MP must select a Gram Panchayat from within their constituency.



DIYA RAJESH
(I MSW)

STATE GOVERNMENT SCHEME

GREEN & ECO- FRIENDLY MEASURES SCHEME

The 'Green and Eco-Friendly Measures Scheme (GEM)' is an initiative of the Puducherry government towards sustainable development with a reduced adverse impact on the environment. This scheme encourages industries, business houses, and institutions in general to adopt green technologies and methods that help reduce carbon emissions, wastes generation, and water consumption. The scheme relies



upon renewable sources of energy, green building practice, effective waste management, and conserves natural resources. These measures not only prevent the environment from further climate change but also help in the betterment of biodiversity and make an ecosystem more sustainable. GEM schemes also motivate agricultural, transport, and energy sectors to involve responsible environmental practices. For this, the government provides them with such benefits which include monetary incentives, subsidy, and technical aid in lieu of accepting green innovations on board. This scheme also includes community activities through advocacy and education for sustainable aspects. Such integrated steps from GEM schemes help India move toward a cleaner, greener, and more eco-friendly future.

CRITERIAS

Reduce your face through fixtures, low flow water-efficient appliances and rainwater harvesting systems
Use renewable sources of energy such as solar when hydro instead of fossil fuel .

Reduce in base generation through the 3Rs -reduce, reuse, recycle .

Promote the conservation of natural habitats and ecosystems.

Reduce greenhouse gas emissions while promoting public transport, electric vehicles, and cycling.

Controlling industrial emissions and treating wastewater reduces air water and soil pollution

Application process: Speak with the income specialists or the town regulatory officer to get a pay certificate, Go to the enrolment center after getting your wage certificate, proportion card, and Aadhar card. Send in your documentation for approval. Provide your biometric data, such as your fingerprints, picture, and eye filter. You will get your e-card upon verification.



RAMYA R
(I MSW)

CURRENT AFFAIRS



September 2024

1. New species of catfish, *Exostoma sentiyonoae*, found in Nagaland

Recently, a new species of catfish, *Exostoma sentiyonoae*, was discovered in the Dzuleke River, Nagaland, India. The river is a part of the Barak River System, and its discovery holds great importance because it points towards the teeming aquatic life in the place.

A new species of catfish has recently been found in the Dzuleke River in Nagaland, India. The river finds its name among the larger rivers like the Barak, and the discovery holds great significance as it reflects the teeming aquatic life in the place.

2. India Joins US-Led Minerals Security Finance Network

India has joined the Minerals Security Finance Network. The latter was launched with the support of the United States. Such a network is called to further strengthen international cooperation related to access to needed minerals for technological progress and renewable energy projects. The decision was published by the U.S. Department of State at the UN General Assembly on September 23, 2024. Up to now, this network consisted of 14 countries outside the European Union.

3. Telangana to Introduce 'Darshini' Scheme for Student Educational Tour

The Telangana government has come up with a program called 'Telangana Darshini' to bring students from their classrooms to outside educational experiences. The Youth Advancement, Tourism, and Culture Department of T&PMU undertook the program by bringing students to take educational tours of Telangana to make concepts practical and hands-on/interactive.

4. PM Modi inaugurates three PARAM Rudra supercomputers in India.

Recently, Prime Minister Narendra Modi inaugurated three PARAM Rudra supercomputers along with a high-performance computing system. This National Supercomputing Mission has enabled the highest developments in India's technological advancements.

5. One in Three Children Affected by Myopia Surge

Currently, myopia, or shortsightedness, is afflicting 33 percent of children in this world. Children cannot see distant objects. The main reasons behind this upsurge have been that people spend too

much time in front of their screens and less time outdoors. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, it is one of the major drivers.

6. Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports

The Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports is that ministry that is responsible for the development of youth affairs and sports in the country and their promotion. It was separated from the Ministry of Human Resource Development in the month of May 2000; however, it has been a standalone ministry since an earlier date.

A department is headed by a minister at the level of cabinet and also includes a state minister to support. Anurag Thakur took over as Minister of Youth Affairs and Sports on July 7, 2021.

7. WTSA to be held in India

India will host the World Telecommunication Standardization Assembly from 14th to 24th of October 2024. For the first time, the Asian continent would host this forum here. DoT had earlier organized Outreach Sessions in Metros to enlighten students about the telecom standards and innovations involving industry experts.

8. Karnataka Government Rejects Kasturirangan Committee Report

The Karnataka government has junked the report of the Kasturirangan committee, set up to safeguard the ESAs in the Western Ghats. Earlier indications that the state would have a rethink over the report submitted by the committee were to bring a change for the better. But after holding a cabinet meeting, the state refused to accept its recommendations.

9. Global Aerospace Summit Begins in Abu Dhabi

The Global Aerospace Summit has just wrapped up its seventh edition in Abu Dhabi between 25 and 26 September 2024. That is a forum where all representatives of the industry get together to discuss topics that they consider fundamental for them: sustainability, innovation, and young talent.

10. Kerala begins the new training program for over 800K students.

State-run Kerala Infrastructure and Technology for Education has now set about mentoring and guiding over 8,00,000 students from all government schools preparing for entrance tests to the college undergraduate course.

VAIDEHI SAJU
(I MSW)

INTERNSHIP

INAMIGOS FOUNDATION NGO

<https://internshala.com/>

- Work from home
- Start date: 27-09-2024
- Duration: 3 weeks
- Stipend: 500-1,500/ week
- Apply by: Immediately

About the Internship

InAmigos is an NGO that has its base in Chhattisgarh. It was founded on 23rd September 2020 and started work for the betterment of the society. The organization was founded by Mr. Govind Shukla who is the founder and CEO of the organization. Chief Operating Officer, Mr. Raman Swarnakar Our Foundation is registered under Section 8 (It is a registered Non-Profit Organization)"

Benefits

- Certificate
- Letter of Recommendation
- 5 days a week
- Flexible working 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 27th Sep'24 and 1st Nov'24.
3. are available for 3 weeks.
4. have relevant skills and interests.

To know more and apply:

https://internshala.com/internship/detail/work-from-home-social-work-internship-at-inamigos-foundation1727412294?utm_source=cp_link&referral=web_share

ODISHA DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME (ODMP) NGO

https://internshala.com

- Work from home
- Start date: 27- 09-2024
- Duration: 1 week
- Stipend: 225- 5,000 / week
- Apply by: Immediately

About the internship

Scope for Change is a non-profit organization dedicated to empowering individuals and communities through sustainable development projects. They work on a variety of social and environmental initiatives, striving to create positive change in the world. Their projects are focused on education, women empowerment, the environment, social well-being, and health.

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 21st Aug'24 and 25th Sep'24
3. are available for duration of 1 month
4. have relevant skills and interests

To know more& apply:

https://internshala.com/internship/detail/work-from-home-part-time-fundraising-internship-at-scope-for-change1724226233?utm_source=cp_link&referral=web_share

THE SKILL GURU FOUNDATION NGO

https://internshala.com

- Work from home
- Start date: 25-09-2024
- Duration: One week
- Stipend: Unpaid
- Apply by: Immediately

About the internship

The Skill Guru is dedicated to democratizing education by offering FREE live 1:1 instant learning sessions with top Gurus from around the world. Their mission goes beyond traditional subjects.

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 job/internship
2. can start the work from home job/internship between 25th Sep'24 and 30th Oct'24
3. are available for duration of 1 week

To know more& apply:

https://internshala.com/internship/detail/work-from-home-part-time-fundraising-internship-at-the-skill-guru-foundation1724043644?utm_source=cp_

BASTI KI PATHSHALA FOUNDATION NGO

• <https://internshala.com>

- Work from home
- Start date: 27- 09-2024
- Duration: 4 weeks
- Stipend: 20% of Total Funds Raised
- Apply by: Immediately

About organisation

an organization known for providing computer and vocational education in rural areas with economic costing through a strong network of centers in small villages and towns. Selected intern's day-to-day responsibilities include raising funds for the NGO. 20% incentives on raising funds of more than Rs. 5000.

- **Benefits:**
- Certificate
- Letter of Recommendation
- Flexible Working 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 27th Sep'24 and 1st Nov'24
- **To know more& apply:**
- <https://internshala.com/internship/detail/work-from-home-part-time-social-work-internship-at-basti-ki-pathshala-foundation1727441223>

PAWZZ FOUNDATION NGO

<https://internshala.com>

- Work from home
- Start date: 28- 09-2024
- Duration: 4 Weeks
- Stipend: 1,500- 10,000 / Month
- Apply by: Immediately

About the internship

Pawzz is an upcoming aggregation platform in animal welfare for rescuers and non-profit organizations. It aims to raise awareness about issues related to animal cruelty while simultaneously providing a platform for animal lovers to volunteer, adopt animals, fund campaigns, share rescue stories, and be a vital part of the movement aiming for the complete eradication of the stigma toward animals in society.

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 28th Sep'24 and 2nd Nov'24
3. are available for duration of 1 month
4. have relevant skills and interests

To know more& apply:

https://internshala.com/internship/detail/work-from-home-part-time-social-work-internship-at-kshitiksha-foundation1724410198?utm_source=cp_link&referral=web_share



AMRITA MENON
(I MSW)

JOB OPPORTUNITIES



MSW

1. Team Leader

IPF Global Center for Knowledge and Development
Location: Jaipur
Job email ID: hr@ipeckd.org
Apply by: 20 October 2024

2. Lead Program Manager

Parinaam Foundation
Location: Koramangala, Bangalore, Karnataka
Job email ID: athulya.m@parinaam.org
Apply by: 24 October 2024

3. Resource Mobilisation (fund-raising)

Child Help Foundation
Location: Mumbai – Mira Road, Maharashtra
Job email ID: hr@childhelpfoundationindia.org
Apply by: 23 October 2024

4. Social Worker

Shield Foundation
Location: Mumbai, Maharashtra
Job email ID: shieldfoundation@gmail.com
Apply by: 19 October 2024

5. Project Manager

Rajdev Singh Education Society
Location: Shivpuri, Madhya Pradesh
Job email ID: cgissr1387@gmail.com
Apply by: 18 October 2024

6. Superintendent

The Hindu Women's Welfare Society
Location: Kurla West Lbs Road, Maharashtra
Job email ID: hwwssuman@gmail.com

gmail.com
Apply by: 20 October 2024

7. Centre Manager

Maxvision Social Welfare Society
Location: New Delhi, Delhi
Job email ID: support@maxvisionsws.org
Apply by: 16 October 2024

SREELEKSHMI P
(I MSW)

IMPORTANT DATES

1. 1 October 2024 – International day of older persons.
2. 2 October 2024 – Gandhi Jayanti and International day of nonviolence.
3. 3 October 2024 – Beginning of Navaratri.
4. 4 October 2024 – World Animal Welfare Day.
5. 5 October 2024 – World Teachers’ Day.
6. 7 October 2024 – World Habitat Day.
7. 8 October 2024 – Indian Airforce Day.
8. 10 October 2024 – National Post Day.
9. 10 October 2024 – World Mental Health Day.
10. 12 October 2024 – Dussehra.
11. 13 October 2024 – International day for disaster risk reduction and Breast cancer awareness Day.
12. 15 October 2024 – World Students’ Day.
13. 17 October 2024 – International Day for the eradication of poverty.
14. 24 October 2024 – United Nations Day.

September 2023

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ALUMNI CORNER

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Job title

Development Communication specialist



There's ample room for growth. Currently, I'm working in the development sector, particularly in gender-focused initiatives. There are opportunities in international NGOs, CSR projects, government initiatives, the health sector, and more. However, I recommend narrowing down your area of interest. No matter what you choose, there are opportunities in the field of social work.

1. How was your life at Amrita?

This question brings back a lot of memories. I found Amrita to be warm. I used to go to the ground to watch the sunset with my friends, which was the best place for me. The campus was a great place to hang out. I enjoyed having evening cricket, going for walks, being out in the fields, and making last-minute submissions, etc. There is a space for everything - learning, engaging in debates, and personal growth. The campus also offers a variety of cultural activities, tech festivals, clubs, departmental initiatives, and community events. I tried to connect with them.

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

I believe that life skills are just as important as academic skills when it comes to furthering my career. Through Amrita Udaan, I've had the opportunity to gain technical skills like InDesign and Photoshop.

3. How is the current scope of Social Work?

Social work encompasses a wide array of opportunities, so it's important to hone in on the specific sector that resonates with you. For example, my specialisation was community development, which has provided me with a broad range of options compared to M & P.

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

Don't stress too much about your academic scores. It's important to focus on your overall performance. When you look back on your entire MSW journey after completing the course, try to recognize your unique contributions to every activity. Don't restrict yourself to just the department. Leave your mark on this journey. Take more initiative, seek support, and embrace learning and unlearning. Change can be challenging, but it will help you grow.

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

As a communication, I need to coordinate with the project team, both external and internal communication, social media management, strategy development, organize campaigns, provide IEC materials etc.

6. Who is your inspiration?

Kanagaraj sir has been my ultimate inspiration and the guiding light in my life. Without his unwavering support and the opportunities he has provided me, I wouldn't have made it to where I am today. His life has been an invaluable source of learning for me, and I am truly grateful for having him as a mentor on this lifelong journey.

7. Any other think you would like to share?

Nothing at the moment. Thank you

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1. A case was referred by the probation officer for treatment of the problem of truancy and disobedience. What type of skills, the social case worker require to work with the client?

- A. Formulating a contact
- B. Behavior modification
- C. Conflict management
- D. Interview

2. India ratified the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child in :

- A. 1991
- B. 1992
- C. 1993
- D. 1989

3. Mahbub-Ul Haq founded

- A. Human Poverty Index
- B. Human Development Index
- C. Gross Development Index
- D. Economic Index

4. The type of justice that is concerned with making and implementing decisions is referred to as:

- A. Retributive Justice
- B. Distributive Justice
- C. Procedural Justice
- D. Restorative Justice

5. The community organizer who takes the measures to build a strong go is called as

- A. Therapist
- B. Guide
- C. Helper
- D. Expert

6. Is the process of convincing the target group and the general public that the Movement - objectives are morally right.

- A. Conscientization
- B. Coercion
- C. Negotiation
- D. Legitimization

7. Giving a chance to the client to decide what is right or wrong for himself/ herself is called

- A. Confidentiality
- B. Individualization
- C. Self-determination
- D. Acceptance

8. Which among the following is not a stage of crisis intervention model?

- A. Assess safety and lethality

- B. Rapport building
- C. Generate alternatives
- D. Suicidal ideation

9. The Therapy originated by Aaron Beck is:

- A. Person-centred therapy
- B. Analytical therapy
- C. Cognitive therapy
- D. Behaviour modification therapy

10. When a group worker facilitates the group process in such a way that she enables the group to make its own decisions, she is following the principle of 7

- A. Flexible functional organisation
- B. Modification of group process
- C. Group self-determination
- D. Continuous evaluation

Answers

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



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