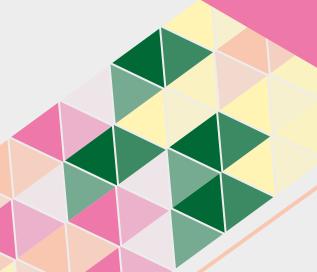




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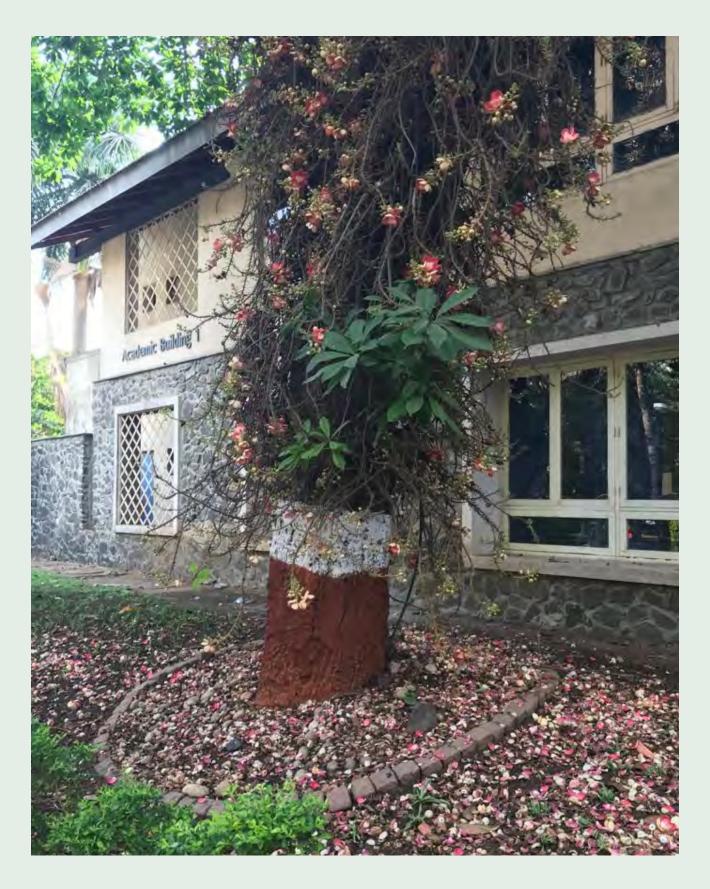


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Prof. Shalini Bharat Director/Vice Chancellor, TISS

## **DIRECTOR'S ANNUAL REPORT**

Our esteemed Chief Guests for the 83<sup>rd</sup> Convocation, Shri Amarjeet Sinha, Dr. Soumya Swaminathan and Dr. Santrupt B. Misra; Shri Vijay Singh, Interim Chairman, Governing Board of TISS; Members of the Governing Board and Academic Council; students, staff and faculty; parents and relatives of graduating students, and all other guests connecting online with us today:

I welcome you to the 83rd Convocation of the Tata Institute of Social Sciences.

As the Director, it is my privilege and honour to present the Institute's Annual Report for Academic Year 2022-2023 from 25 July 2022 to May 17, 2023.

As I capture the activities and achievements of the 2022-2023, I do so with immense gratitude – grateful that after more than two years, we were fully back in our campuses, in brick-and-mortar classrooms, interacting with students and colleagues in real-time and real

settings. And, as I step back to reflect on the year, I am impressed by how the TISS community put the pandemic behind to forge ahead with determination and commitment to its scholarly pursuits and academic journey. I thank each one of you for playing your part in

helping us spring back from the devastating global disaster.

#### Some Highlights...

We are extremely proud to announce the launch of the prestigious Jal Jeevan Mission Chair of the Ministry of Water at the Institute's School of Habitat Studies. Beginning in August 2022, this Chair is offered to TISS for 5 years and is presently occupied by **Prof. Amita Bhide** (School of Habitat Studies) who will be working on the issue of decentralised governance in rural water supply.

It is with immense joy to that we share the news published in *The Gazette of India* dated 29 August 2022, about the appointment of **Prof. D.K. Srivastava** (School of Management and Labour Studies, TISS Mumbai) to the prestigious post of Vice-Chairman of the University Grants Commission (UGC). The TISS community is proud to have Prof. Srivastava as the second TISS faculty in the UGC after Prof. Armaity Desai, former TISS Director, who occupied the highest position in the Commission as its Chairperson from 1995-1999.



Prof. D.K. Srivastava, Vice-Chairman, University Grants Commission



Prof. Amita Bhide, Jal Jeevan Chair Professor

India, as you all know, is the proud host of G20 this year, and it is a matter of prestige that TISS has been invited as the **technical partner to support the Ministry of Education in its G20 Education Working Group meetings**. A team of faculty and research staff of the Centre of Excellence in Teacher Education is doing live rapporteuring of meetings and preparing event reports and compendia for the Ministry. TISS also co-organised one Working Group event at Amritsar in March 2023.

Prof. Satyajit Majumdar (Dean, School of Management and Labour Studies) **briefed the Hon'ble President of India Shrimati Droupadi Murmu** at Rashtrapati Bhawan on the Round Table on 'Inclusive and Sustainable Development' which he Co-Chaired at the 'Festival Innovation and Entrepreneurship organised by National Innovation Foundation (Department of Science and Technology, Gol).



## INSTITUTIONAL RANKINGS

In the 13th edition of the **QS World University Rankings**, the Institute was ranked within the 201-250 band in the Subject: Sociology. The QS rankings offer a comparative analysis of more than 15,700 individual programmes at 1,594 universities across 93 countries in 54 academic disciplines and five broad faculty areas.

This is indeed a proud moment for all of us, and from here on, we strive for a still better global ranking. This ranking has been made possible on the strength of our faculty publications in high-quality journals and established publishing houses, the range of our academic programmes, and the social relevance of our research and field engagement.

#### The MDRA-India Today Rankings

of 2022, awarded TISS the 1st rank for its Social Work Programme in India — a record 5<sup>th</sup> consecutive time — and overall 8th rank in the General Universities Category (Government). The performance indicators were based on the five broad parameters: Reputation and Governance, Academic and Research Excellence, Infrastructure and Living Experience, Personality and Leadership Development, and Career Progression and Placement. In addition, how universities adapted to the Covid-19 situation was also assessed.

TISS was ranked in the Platinum Band with A++ Grade in the **OBE Rankings 2022** and is positioned as a Premier Institution for Academic Excellence in India. The Institute was also rated as a Sustainable Institution of India, within the Platinum Band (A++ Grade), in **The Green Rankings 2023**.

The TISS Tuljapur Off-Campus was selected as the Runner-up in the "Beyond the Campus" category of the **2023 Star Campus Awards.** Created by "The Earth Day Network India", the award recognises institutions for following outstanding environmental practices. TISS Tuljapur has been using solar plants, watershed management measures and biogas plants. It is also promoting the '10 *gunthe*' concept and developing a biodiversity park through social forestry.

## **NEW ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES**

The NEP 2020 aligned degree programmes were launched at the Institute this year. The Institute's first 4-Year undergraduate programmes – B.A. in Social Sciences (TISS Guwahati), B.A. in Social Work and B.A. in Social Sciences (TISS Tuljapur), and B.S. in Data Analytics and Sustainability Studies (TISS Mumbai).

TISS formally launched the 2022-2023 academic session for **two new international dual degree programmes** on 12 September 2022. One dual degree is in collaboration with Monash University (Australia), in the field of International Development Practice, while the other is in partnership with Queen Mary University of London, UK, in Social Entrepreneurship and International Business.

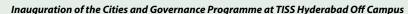
Not only are the dual degree programmes the first of their kind

to be offered in India, they are also aligned with the objectives of the NEP 2020.

The TISS Hyderabad Off-Campus, in collaboration with the National Institute of Urban Affairs (NIUA), inaugurated a Master's and a Diploma programme in "Cities and Governance" on 1 September 2022. Both these unique programmes are anchored by the School of Public Policy and Governance of TISS Hyderabad. These programmes aim to prepare a cadre of professionals equipped with multi-disciplinary training to plan the cities through an in-depth understanding of institutions, city budgets and finances, city data and social and physical infrastructure requirements.

A Master's Degree programme in "International Electoral Management and Practices" was launched on 21 December

2022, in collaboration with the **Election Commission of India** (ECI) and the India International Institute of Democracy and Election Management (IIIDEM). This programme, offered by the **School of Development Studies** of TISS Mumbai, responds to the global structural demand for qualified electoral professionals and the capacity development of current officials managing elections in various countries. It has been designed to focus on immersive and praxis-oriented pedagogies in the global context. This is a twoyear, full-time, blended Master's Programme involving classroom teaching and integrated Field Practicum at TISS Mumbai and IIIDEM.





## **COLLABORATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS**

We added strategic partnerships to advance our work for greater impact nationally and globally.

TISS has entered into a collaboration with the **Government of Rajasthan** to build and strengthen the Mahatma Gandhi Institute of Governance and Social Sciences (MGIGSS) in Jaipur to commemorate the 150th birth anniversary year of Mahatma Gandhi. The MoU exchange took place on 12 July 2022.

TISS signed an **MoU with Karnavati University (Gandhinagar)** on 19 September 2022 to promote cooperation in academic, research and field immersion areas. The MoU is aimed at not only exchanging information on research but

also faculty and research scholar exchanges. This association will help both TISS and Karnavati University in holding joint conferences of mutual interest, undertaking joint research and developing programmes in field education and field engagement.

The TISS School of Vocational
Education (TISS-SVE) signed an
MoU with Samagra Shiksha
Maharashtra under the Maharashtra
Young Leaders Aspiration
Development Programme in
Mumbai, on 21 September 2022.
This association will help TISS-SVE
& Samagra Shiksha work towards
skilling Maharashtra youth.

TISS and College of Defence Management (CDM) inked an MoU on 26 September 2022 wherein TISS will offer academic programmes to senior Air Force, Navy and Army officials undergoing capacity enhancement training at CDM. The academic courses/programme will include Faculty Development Programmes, Certificate, Diploma and Degree courses, besides conducting joint research.

TISS signed an MoA with the Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER), Pune, to partner and offer a proposed joint teaching programme. This unique programme, anchored by the TISS-Centre of Excellence in Teacher Education (CETE) will enable students joining IISER-Pune to select and specialise in science teaching.

Rear Admiral Sanjay Datt, VSM (Commandant, CDM) and Prof. Shalini Bharat (Director, TISS) after the signing of MoU between College of Defence Management and TISS on 26 September 2022





At the signing of the MoU between Maharashtra State Faculty Development Academy (MSFDA) and TISS on 6 October 2022 (L to R) Dr. Abhay Wagh (Director, Technical Education, Maharashtra); Dr. Nipun Vinayak; Mr. Chandrakant Patil (Hon'ble Minister, Higher and Technical Education, Maharashtra), Prof. Ramesh Jare, and Mr. Vikas Chandra Rastogi (Principal Secretary, Higher and Technical Education, Maharashtra)

Nigeria has partnered with the TISS-CETE and the Open University (Tanzania) in the Connected Learning for Teacher Capacity-building in Science Technology Engineering & Mathematics (CL4STEM). The professional development model of teachers developed in the innovative Connected Learning Initiative project of TISS is currently being piloted in Nigeria, Tanzania and Bhutan. This partnership received extensive media coverage in the local media.

TISS inked a strategic **MoU** with the Maharashtra State Faculty **Development Academy** (MSFDA) on 6 October 2022 to facilitate training programmes and inculcate community engagement practices in faculty and students across disciplines, and faculty at Teacher Education Institutes.

The Institute also signed agreements with the Government of Madhya Pradesh for the MP NIPUN Professionals programme that will train youth in system reforms implementation for transforming public education; and with the Bihar Institute of Public Administration and Rural Development for capacity building across all levels of state admin workforce.

TISS is **partnering with** *La Trobe University*, Australia, to advance research into smart city-related projects, as part of the Asian Smart Cities Research Innovation Network (ASCRIN). Two other Indian universities, the Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur, and the Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani, are also part of ASCRIN as academic partners.

## **INCUBATION CENTRE**

The TISS Incubation Centre is located within the Centre for Social Entrepreneurship of TISS Mumbai. It is now a Section 8 Company and has been renamed as the TISS Incube Foundation, which will run the incubation programme for social start-ups to support early-stage social start-ups, entrepreneurs and innovators.

TISS was very happy to welcome 14 Fellows as part of the oneyear Transformation Fellowship programme, a unique opportunity to support transgender youth in crafting their career goals. The programme aims to equip the Fellows with the right theoretical acumen through six months of immersive classroom training and project work, followed by six months of hands-on workplace immersion through internships in leading corporates and non-profits.

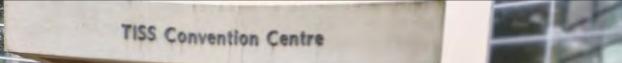
The Pernod Ricard India Foundation supports the Transformation Fellowship Programme, in partnership with Collective Good Foundation and TISS. As the academic partner, the Incubation Centre of TISS provided training and mentoring to the Fellows. They were exposed to various business subjects, including operations, strategy, marketing, finance, social sensitivity, and workplace skills through classroom training and project work led by the faculty and mentors at TISS.

The TISS Incubation Centre is the official Knowledge Partner to **Biotechnology Industry Research** Assistance Council (BIRAC) for its SPARSH SIIP programme. It plays a crucial role in training and mentoring the young Fellows throughout their 18-month journey. Through planned workshops and

reviews, the Incubation Centre identifies specific mentoring needs for the Fellows and supports them with TISS faculty and industry experts acting as mentors.

Sruthi Babu, one of our Fellows from BIRAC's SPARSH SIIP programme, secured an investment of Rs. 1 Crore and mentoring from four leading entrepreneurs on the highly competitive Shark Tank platform. Sruthi developed a wheelchair with an inbuilt defecation and cleaning assembly. Her venture Sahayatha, which has already started selling the product to hospitals and individual patients, received a big boost through the Shark Tank platform.

Fellows of the Transformation Fellowship programme





## OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

The Office of International Affairs (OIA) enthusiastically returned to engaging with our international partners in person. Embracing lessons from the pandemic on global interdependence and the importance of partnerships, the OIA has worked towards deepening its international partnerships and exploring new opportunities for students, faculty and partners. While we have kept our connection strong with our 70 international partners and networks in 2022-2023, we also signed 8 new MoUs with partners such as Western Sydney University (Australia), La Trobe University (Australia), ENS Lyon (France), University of Nantes (France), University of Bern (Switzerland), University of Johannesburg (South Africa), Far Eastern University (Philippines), and Erasmus University Rotterdam (Netherlands).

The Institute welcomed 53 Students and 21 researchers from our partners around the globe, while we sent 21 students and 6 staff to our partners abroad as part of our mobility programmes. We also welcomed Vice-Chancellors of international universities from around the world.

Some of the highlights from the year are listed below.

#### **International Joint Courses:**

A number of joint courses were conducted by the OIA which enabled TISS students to audit them. 39 TISS students signed up for the joint international certificate course on "Global Food Energy and Water Nexus", offered annually by TISS in collaboration with Cornell University, China Agricultural University, and Nanjing University on a real-time basis.

23 students enrolled in the Social Entrepreneurship Challenge in the Indo-Pacific (SECIP), an intensive model incubator programme to give the participants hands-on experience in establishing a social enterprise or solution that can have an immediate social impact. The SECIP is a partnership between Monash University, TISS, Maker's Asylum, O.P. Jindal Global University, Atma Jaya Catholic University of Indonesia, and Singapore University.

The OIA also partnered with the Impact Academy to offer a master class on "An Introduction to Environment Impact Assessment for Professionals" along with Monash University and a certificate course on "Public Policy and Governance in India – Understanding Processes, Institutions and Citizenship".

Participants of the Association of Commonwealth Universities Roundtable held on 29 March 2023 at TISS Mumbai





(L to R): Prof. Madhushree Sekher (Chairperson, OIA), Ms. Vinitha Gengatharan (AVP Global Engagement & Partnerships, York University),
Prof. Shalini Bharat (Director, TISS), Prof. Rhonda Lenton (President & Vice-Chancellor, York University, Canada),
Mr. Rontu Basu (India Advisor-Schulich Business School), and Ms. Tanya Koshy (OIA).

**Customised Study in India** Programmes (CSIP): Eight CSIP groups visited TISS Mumbai this year, including 118 students, 11 faculty members and 3 staff from Monash University, the University of Sussex, University of Chicago (hosted at the School of Social Work), the University of Southampton, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Macquarie University, RMIT and Curtin University. The CSIP groups participated in lectures, seminars, workshops, panel discussions, field engagements, and cultural immersion activities on various themes.

Strengthening Partnerships in Asia Pacific Region: The OIA has actively worked to strengthen partnerships with Australia, Myanmar, Indonesia, Bhutan and the Philippines. TISS welcomed 19 participants from the Ministry of Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement of the Government of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar. These participants are pursuing Master's Degree in different programmes at the School of Social Work, TISS. This programme is an initiative of the Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation Programme under the Ministry of External Affairs, Gol, and the School of Social Work.

In addition to the MoU with Far Eastern University, Philippines, the Institute has been engaging with the Indonesian Consulate in Mumbai and Indonesian universities to explore more avenues for South-South cooperation. The Director, Prof. Shalini Bharat, and Chairperson of OIA, Prof. Madhushree Sekher, visited the Royal University of Bhutan and Royal Thimpu College to explore partnership opportunities with Bhutanese universities.

**Joint Conferences, Seminars and Discussions:** As part of continued collaborations with its partners,

the OIA conducted several joint programmes. This included the 24th Biennial Conference of the Asian Studies Association of Australia on "Social Justice in Pandemic Times".

The OIA hosted: (i) a delegation of international education administrators from US universities as part of the Fulbright-Nehru International Education Administrators Seminar at TISS; (ii) the Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU) Roundtable on the theme of Equitable Partnerships; (iii) first Southampton-TISS-IIPS Quarterly Research Colloquium titled "Women in the Workforce: How big is the gender gap and why?"; and (iv) talk on "United Nationals, Climate Change, Ukraine, Visas. What is the Role of Diplomats and Diplomacy? A French Perspective" by Mr. Jean-Marc Séré-Chalet, Consulate General of France in Mumbai.

## MAKING PEOPLE AND SYSTEMS "SAKSHAM"

**Saksham**, a project that supports the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (GoI) in its fight against HIV and TB since its inception in 2008, currently has three major grants.

**Saksham Pravaah**, the DRTB vertical of Saksham implements psychosocial counselling for DRTB patients in Maharashtra, Gujarat, Karnataka, and Rajasthan.

During the year under review, Saksham Pravaah Counsellors reached out to 13,600 People living with Drug Resistant TB (PwDRTB) and their caregivers. Since its inception in 2016, the programme has successfully counselled over 1,06,000 DRTB patients in the four implementation states for treatment adherence. This is the first time in the history of the National TB Programme that capacity building has been carried out for TB Counselling and Saksham Pravaah is proud to have been invited to design and implement this activity. Saksham has trained 83 Pan India DRTB Counsellors employed under the NTEP on counselling skills. Saksham engaged five university partners and developed a pool of 409 Master Trainers and has trained 1200 frontline TB staff.

**Saksham Saathis** are TB survivors trained to undertake telephone counselling to address TB stigma, dispel myths around the disease and its treatment, emphasise the importance of treatment adherence and inspire patients through their

personal stories of treatment success. The model was presented to the Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai (MCGM), following which it was integrated with NTEP from November 2021 onwards in Mumbai. Currently, 24 Saksham Saathis are placed with the TB Centres in Mumbai.

**Saksham Pramaan** serves as the HIV vertical to undertake an evaluation of NACO's targeted interventions or TIs programme. From June 2022 to May 2023, Saksham Pramaan, in collaboration with 5 university partners, has undertaken 669 Evaluations across the country and has completed two studies on the Link Worker Schemes (LWS) and Care Support Centre (CSC).





CECSR Team conducting FGD among the beneficiaries of Dumatola village, Singrauli, for the CSR project sponsored by NCL Ltd

## CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE IN CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

The Centre of Excellence in CSR (CECSR) is carrying out domain-specific activities under three divisions, viz. Research & Development; Learning, Training and Development Practice; and Review and Empanelment of CSR Projects.

The Research & Development division of the CECSR engages with companies to help them adopt effective and impactful CSR approaches and to conduct evidence-based and participatory research. During 2022-2023, the Centre undertook 17 research projects spread across different states of India and covered studies related to need assessments,

monitoring and evaluation, social impact assessments, and advisory and consultancy services. These projects were sponsored by the CSR units of Hindustan Aeronautics Ltd., South-eastern Coalfields Ltd., Western Coalfields Ltd. Northern Coalfields Ltd., RailTel Corporation of India Ltd., Hindustan Colas Pvt. Ltd., APRAAVA Energy Pvt. Ltd., UTI Asset Management Company Ltd., Jupiter Charitable Institute, J.M. Financial Foundation, IBM Pvt. Ltd. and Airport Authority of India.

The empanelment of Not-for-Profit Organisations is an ongoing activity of the Centre. It adopts a model to evaluate, assess, accredit and build capacities of the organisations through a robust multi-layered scrutiny processes. The Centre took up applications related to the empanelment of 31 Not-for-Profit Organisations during 2022-2023.

The CECSR, in collaboration with Protean eGov Technologies Ltd. (formerly NSDL e-Governance Infrastructure Ltd.) created an online education funding ecosystem titled 'Vidyasaarthi'. It is a platform which brings together corporates with CSR funds and deserving underprivileged students looking for financial assistance. During 2022-2023, 28 corporates supported the Vidyasaarthi initiative benefitting over 2000 students in the country.

## **FACULTY AND ACADEMICS**

#### Research

During the year under review, over **200** research projects were ongoing at the Institute. TISS research is characterised by topicality, social applicability and policy and programmatic relevance. A mention of a sample of research areas will illustrate this point.

The Jamsetji Tata School of Disaster Studies was awarded a new research project titled "Re-Conceptualising Urban Disaster and Climate Risk: An Ethnographic Exploration of the Everyday Spatiality of Urban Informal Labour in Waste Management" funded by the Global Centre of Spatial Methods for Urban Sustainability, Germany.

"Implementation of 12 (1)C of the Right to Education Act 2009 in Tamil Nadu", is a study conducted by the School of Education to examine the implementation of one of the most contested provisions of the Right to Education Act, i.e. Section 12(1)(c), which mandates all private unaided schools to reserve 25 per cent of their seats for DG & WS children in Tamil Nadu.

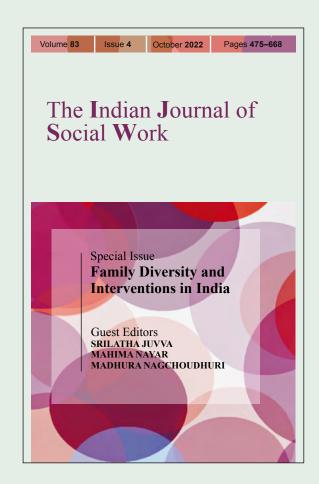
The School of Law, Rights and Constitutional Governance collaborated as a knowledge partner in the research study on "Role of the Criminal Justice System in combatting the crime of Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children in 5 districts of West Bengal from 2000 to 2019". Conducted by the International Justice Mission, Kolkata, the report was published in 2022.

The School of Media and Cultural Studies partnered with the US Consulate for a project titled "Lights, Camera and Time for Action: Recasting Gender Equality Compliant Hindi Cinema." The project aims at studying gender parity in Hindi films, both on-screen and behind the screen, from a multi-stakeholder perspective. This project included a quantitative study on the state of gender both on and off screen in Hindi cinema and three qualitative studies titled: (a) Calling the Shots: Women Directing Hindi Cinema; (b) Scripting Change: Women Screenwriters in Contemporary Hindi Cinema; and (c) Talking Back: Creative and Critical Audience Responses to Skewed Gender Representation in Hindi cinema.

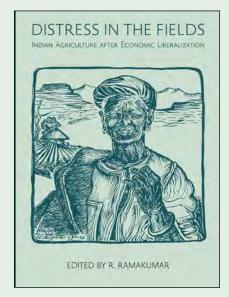
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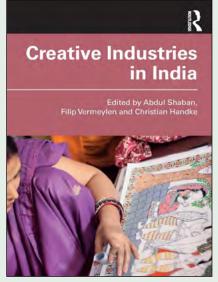
During the year, TISS faculty produced over 350 publications in the form of journal articles, book chapters, authored/edited volumes, newspaper articles, reports, manuals and guidelines, among others. The Research Scholars' publication count was **34**.

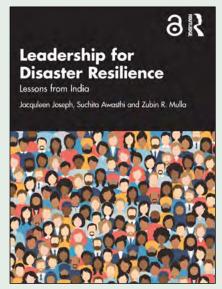
The Indian Journal of Social Work, now in its 84<sup>th</sup> year of uninterrupted publication, brought out a special issue on the "Family Diversity and Interventions in India". This Special Issue covers various types of families across different socioeconomic and cultural spectrums in India while positing the need to hold multiple perspectives for studying families and understanding the contribution of the social work profession to the area. This issue looks at the contributions of various disciplines, such as Sociology, Anthropology, Economics, and Family Studies, to Family Social Work.

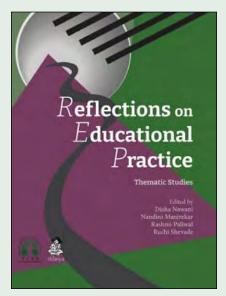


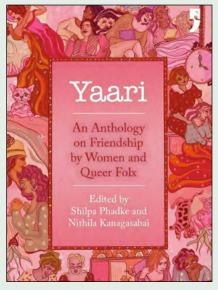
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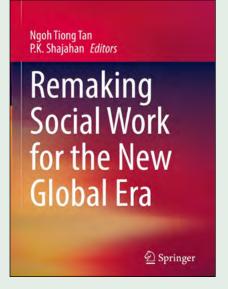


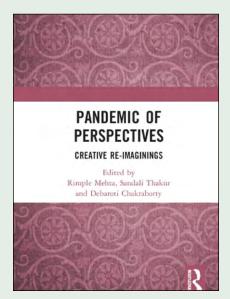


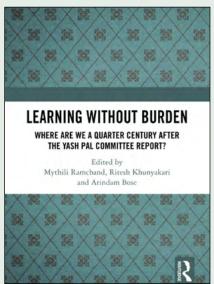


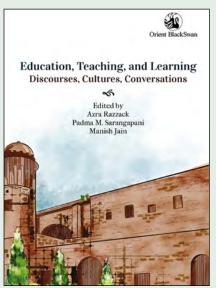


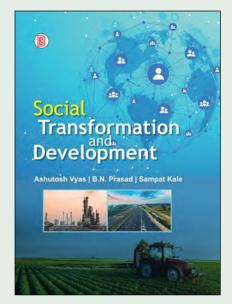


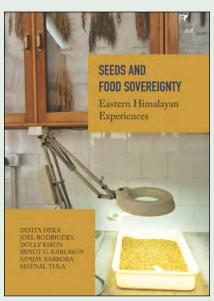














A selection of books authored/edited by TISS Faculty (Contd.)

#### **Field Action Projects**

Field Action Projects (FAPs) are unique to the Institute, and over 30 Field Action Projects (FAPs) were active in 2022-2023. Collectively, these address a host of societal issues and reach out to a range of marginalised population groups. Besides serving the communities, most FAPs impact government policies and programs, demonstrate implementable models, and initiate reforms and good practices. A few impacts are highlighted below.

The work of **Prayas** (School of Social Work) in prison reforms and advancing rights of undertrials and prisoners, is receiving wide recognition by various state governments and the Courts. Prayas-TISS and the Fair Trial Fellowship Programme of the National Law University, Delhi, worked with undertrials on the legal aid services available in Maharashtra during 2018-2021. The study was conducted with the support of the Azim Premji Foundation. A report on their work titled "Legal Representation for Undertrials in Maharashtra: 2018-2021" was released on 28 January 2023 in Mumbai by Justice P.L. Narsimha (Supreme Court of India) and Justice R.D. Dhanuka (Bombay High Court and Chairperson of the Maharashtra State Legal Services Authority [MSLSA]). This report attempts to reflect onthe-ground experiences of the programme and convey the learnings towards identifying issues within the criminal justice system that need to be addressed.

Prayas is part of the *India Justice Report 2022*, a joint effort by 6 organisations, which was released in New Delhi on 4 April 2023 by Dr. Bibek Debroy (Chairperson, Prime Minister's Economic Advisory Council). The Report, which is brought out by the Tata Trusts ranks states in terms of their capacity to deliver justice based on the four pillars of police, judiciary, prisons and legal aid.

The **Connected Learning Initiative (CLIx)**, the flagship and award-winning programme of TISS-CETE, now has a presence in Tamil Nadu, in addition to Rajasthan, Telangana, Mizoram, Assam and Chhatisgarh. An English Language Lab was inaugurated on 15 March 2023 with the CLIx English modules adapted to suit the local context. It will be used by middle and higher secondary students across 6000+ schools, as part of the Language Lab initiative of the Government of Tamil Nadu.

iCALL (School of Human Ecology) launched two new services this year: (i) ReYou, a suicide prevention chat line for youth with support from Zoom Cares, and (ii) CHAMPS, an initiative towards Child and Adolescent Mental Health and Psychosocial Support, with support from UNICEF. While ReYou offers an accessible way for young individuals to connect with trained counsellors to address their mental health needs, the CHAMPS helpline is designed to offer psychological and emotional support to children, adolescents and caregivers working with their concerns.





## Seminars, Conferences, Workshops and Training Programmes

During 2022-2023, TISS faculty organised and participated in more than 1,000 programmes. This included the National Consultative Meet on the National Youth Policy 2021, a discussion on "Refracting Reality: Conversation with Actors and Makers of 'Trial by Fire'', and a Consultation on "Building Solidarities through Shared Vision for Social Work Education and Practice: Consultation on TISS Bachelors in Social Work (BSW) Curriculum".

The Institute also participated in the 2nd EU India Education Summit titled "Nurturing Globally Responsible Citizens for a Sustainable Future" on Friday, 17 March 2023, where Prof. P.K. Shajahan (Dean, Academic Affairs, TISS) moderated the Panel on "Building an Inclusive Educational Ecosystem for Global Challenges through EU-India Stakeholders".



Prof. Bino Paul (Deputy Director/Pro-Vice Chancellor, TISS) interacting with prospective students at the Global Education & Training Exhibition (GETEX 2023) held from 26-28 April 2023 in Dubai, UAE.



The Domestic Workers Sector Skill Council's (DWSSC) Round Table was held on 24 February 2023 on the theme of "Nayi Disha: Hunar se Rozgar Tak" in collaboration with TISS. (L to R) Mr. H.N. Sahay (Director, DWSSC), Prof. Shalini Bharat (Director, TISS), Mr. Manoj Joshi (Theatre and Film Artist) and Ms. Mona Gupta (CEO, DWSSC).



Prof. Shalini Bharat was invited as an expert panellist on "Financing Pandemic Prevention, Preparedness and Response, and the Principles of Global Public Investment" at the GLC4HSR's Annual Conclave on March 10-11, 2023.



Prof. Shalini Bharat was invited to be a Panel Speaker at VisionSpring's Event on "Reinventing CSR and Clear Vision India" on 16 January 16 2023 at Mumbai.



Prof. PK Shajahan (Dean, Academic Affairs, TISS) moderated the Panel on "Building an Inclusive Educational Ecosystem for Global Challenges through EU-India stakeholders" at the 2nd EU India Education Summit titled "Nurturing Globally Responsible Citizens for a Sustainable Future" on Friday, 17 March 2023,.

## **AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS AND RECOGNITION**

Our faculty, students and alumni continue to make us proud with recognition through awards and fellowships.

- Prof. R. Ramakumar (School of Development Studies) was awarded the prestigious D.B.
   Bandodkar Chair in Political Economy, Goa University, and Distinguished Visiting Scholar, School of Business and Management, Queen Mary University of London.
- Prof. Abdul Shaban (School of Development Studies) received a Visiting Fellowship to work on a research project titled "Reshaping Business in an Uncertain World (REBUS)" at Universite Paris Cite during 1-30 September 2022. He was also awarded the prestigious grant of the European Research

Council (ERC), European
Commission, to work on a project
titled 'Regional Futures: The
Territorial Politics of DigitalisationAs-Urbanisation in the Global
South".

- Dr. Sangita Thosar (School of Development Studies) was awarded the Awabai Wadia Fellowship for archiving Women's Voice, a Feminist Study of Satya Shodhak Grameen Kashtakari Mahila Sabha.
- Prof. Vijay Raghavan (School of Social Work, TISS Mumbai) was invited to be a panellist for a session on "Criminal Justice 25 Years Ahead", a sub-theme of the India Conference on "Vision 2047: India at 100 Years of Independence". Organised by students of the Harvard Law

- School on 11-12 February 2023, the session was attended by students, academics, and those interested in India's criminal justice system.
- Prof. Vijay Raghavan (School of Social Work) was also awarded a **Commendation Certificate** for his outstanding contribution to the preparation of training manuals for prison officers and staff, by the Bureau of Police Research and Development (BPR&D), Ministry of Home Affairs, Gol, on 13 April 2023 at an investiture ceremony in New Delhi.
- Dr. Veeresh B. Hanchinal (Deputy Librarian, TISS Tuljapur Off-Campus) received the BOSLA-Prof. Koganuramath Best Librarian Award 2023 at a Seminar jointly organised by BOSLA-KES Shroff College on 11 February 2023.
- Mr. Rafikh Shaikh (Senior Research Coordinator, TISS-CETE), and Ms. Shalini Soni (M.A. Education, Batch of 2019-2021, and Consultant, CETE) received the Swachhata Sarathi Fellowship, 2021-2022. This Fellowship is an initiative of the Office of Principal Scientific Advisor to the PMO India under its "Waste to Wealth" Mission to study and provide solutions to manage waste. Mr. Shaikh designed a microplastic pollution



Rafikh Shaikh (L) and Shalini Soni (M.A. Education Batch of 2019-21, and Consultant, CETE) received the Swachhata Sarathi Fellowship, 2021-2022.



Anjali Monteiro and K.P. Jayasankar (Retired Professors, School of Media and Cultural Studies, TISS Mumbai) were conferred with the prestigious "Prof. Satish Bahadur Lifetime Achievement Award for Outstanding Contribution to Film Education" by the National Institute of Design, Ahmedabad.

module for collecting, detecting, and enumerating microplastic in household dust using the innovative Foldscopes, which are high-magnification microscopes that can be assembled using lowcost materials. Ms. Shalini Soni collaborated with local schools in Raigarh, Chhattisgarh, for a sevenweek educational programme on waste management. The objective of this programme was to encourage and empower schools with the 'I CAN' mindset to work towards a minimal waste lifestyle.

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"Prof. Satish Bahadur Lifetime Achievement Award for Outstanding Contribution to Film Education" by the National Institute of Design, Ahmedabad. This honour was conferred at the Alpavirama International Youth Film Festival 2022 on 12 November 2022.

 TISS students won the 1st and 3rd prizes in a poster design competition on cancer awareness. The event was part of a seminar on "Fight Cancer, Find the Cure" organised by THE WEEK magazine, in collaboration with the Life Insurance Corporation of India. Buran Praveen, Anagha Unnikrishnan and Vishnupriya (School of Health Systems Studies, TISS Mumbai) won the First prize,

- while Dixita Pariarker, Parth Tewari and V. Amrutha (School of Habitat Studies, TISS Mumbai) won the Third Prize.
- Saroj (M.A. Social Work in Public Health, Batch of 2016-2018) was selected as one of the winners of the Chevening Scholarship for 2022-2023. Saroj is a public health professional with experience in diverse domains, including state bureaucracy, nonprofit organisations, and social sector consulting firms.
- Ph.D. scholar, Aneka Paul (School of Social Work) won the 1st Prize for her Oral Presentation on "Why Volunteer? An Inquiry Into Experiences and Motivations of Volunteers at a Paediatric Palliative



Saroj, one of the winners of the Chevening Scholarship for 2022-2023.

Care Organisation in South India". Aneka made this presentation at the National Conference of Children's Palliative Care Malaysia 2022, Kuala Lumpur, held on 6-8 October 2022.

- Pranav Manghat (M.A. in Human Resources
   Management & Labour Relations, Batch of 20222024) received the Economic Times'"National
   Award for the Best Student in Management".
   Organised in association with the Dewang Mehta
   Foundation, the 29th edition of this award saw the
   participation of premier institutes from across India.
   The award process involves shortlisting students
   from 50+ colleges from 28 states. A total of 6 prizes
   were awarded this year with TISS winning the top
   prize which is INR 2 lakhs with a free pass to the
   World HRD Congress.
- Abhishek Thakur (M.A. in Social Work, Batch of 2009-2010), and currently pursuing his Ph.D. from TISS Mumbai) was presented with the National Award for the Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities for 2021 and 2022. He was chosen for the National Award for his outstanding work empowering

- people with disabilities. This includes employment fairs and a COVID-19 helpline (along with The Blind Relief Association, Delhi) for people with disabilities. The President of India Droupadi Murmu felicitated Abhishek Thakur on 3 December 2022, the International Day of Persons with Disabilities, in New Delhi.
- Bharti Varun (M.A. Social Work in Dalit & Tribal Studies and Action) from TISS Mumbai won the First Prize in an essay contest organised by Forest-PLUS 2.0 on "Sustainable Forest Management Is Impossible Without Gender Equality and Women's Leadership". Anirudh Sharma (M.A Development Studies, TISS Hyderabad Off-Campus) got a special mention in the same essay contest. The essay contest was organised to encourage a discussion on gender and forestry, among students in India.
- Kritagya Kriti and Simran Agrawal (M.A. in Social Entrepreneurship, Batch 2022-2024) were awarded the First Prize at Samavesh, a National Level Case Study Competition as part of the 3rd International Healthcare Management Conference organised by

- K.J. Somaiya Institute of Management, Mumbai. Both Kritagya and Simran are International Students from Nepal at TISS.
- Satyam Gautam (M.A. Social Work in Criminology and Justice, Batch of 2022-2024) and Ravindra Sharma (M.A. Social Work in Community Organisation & Development Practice, Batch of 2022-2024) were awarded the Best Draft Resolution under the C20 Civil Track Theme of "Social Inclusivity for Global Unity", under the central theme of 'Global Partnerships: Challenges & Opportunities'.
- Achintya Mohan (M.A. in Human Resources
   Management & Labour Relations, Batch of 2022 2024) was the 4th Runner-up in the Student
   Category the prestigious Prof. Ram Charan Young HR
   Icon Award, 2022 by the National HRD Network.
- Ms. Samridhi Bhardwaj (M.A. Social Work Community Organisation and Development Practice, Batch of 2022-2024) TISS Guwahati Off-

- Campus was awarded the **First Position** in the Mayor's Speech Competition at "Prajantra: National Youth Festival 2022-23" held on the 13-14 March 2023 at New Delhi. Samridhi spoke as the Mayor of Guwahati and shared her vision and practical plans for the city after she underwent a Q&A round with the judges.
- Mr. Digambar Bagul (Ph.D. scholar with the Independent Centre for Studies in Sociology of Education, TISS Mumbai) was conferred with the "Angels of Mumbai" award by the Free Press Journal on 16 February 2023. This award recognises the impact Digambar has made on the lives of the Mumbaikars through his intervention in the Swadhaar Yojana, his efforts in upgrading the income ceiling of Gol-PMS for SC and ST students from Rs. 2 lakhs to 2.5 lakhs and from 1 lakh to 1.5 lakhs for OBC students, and for his work on training Ambedkarite Students.
- Ashita Landge and Abhishek Bhagat received the Rajashree Shahu Maharaj Scholarship for



Kritagya Kriti (R) and Simran Agrawal (L) Both are International Students from Nepal at TISS.

- **students from Scheduled Castes** to study abroard. While Ashita opted to do an M.A. at the Institute of Education, London. Abhishek enrolled for a Ph.D. in Education at the University of Glasgow.
- Ashirwad Wakde received a scholarship for meritorious OBC students to pursue an M.A. in Public Policy at University of Chicago, USA.
- Manisha Vala (M.A. Social Work in Mental Health, Batch of 2014-2016) won two bronze medals at the Asian Kickboxing Championships held in Bangkok from 10-19 December 2022. Manisha also represented India in the 2nd Indian Open International held in Delhi from 2-6 November 2022 and won a gold medal. Manisha, a Gujarat Manav

- Ratna awardee, is now preparing for the World Championships.
- Yasir Kidwai (M.A. Environment, Climate Change and Sustainability Studies, Batch of 2022-2024) won the First Prize in an Essay Competition organised by Bosco Bangalore. There were submissions from leading universities across India, and Yasir's winning essay was on the "Leading Causes of Global Climate Change and Possible Remedies".

Digambar (second from right) receiving the Angels of the Mumbai award from Mr. Vishwas Nangare Patil, IPS (Additional Director General of Police, Anti-corruption Bureau, Maharashtra).



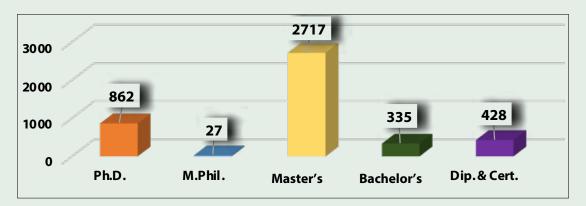


 $Manisha\ Vala\ with\ her\ two\ bronze\ medals\ at\ the\ Asian\ Kickboxing\ Championships\ held\ in\ Bangkok\ from\ 10-19\ December\ 2022.$ 



President of India Droupadi Murmu felicitating Abhishek Thakur for his outstanding work empowering people with disabilities

## **STUDENTS**



#### **Enrollment**

Student enrollment for 2022–2023 totalled **3,941** across all campuses. This included **335** in the Bachelor's, **2,717** in the Master's, **27** scholars in M.Phil., **862** for Ph.D., and **428** students in the Nirantar Diploma and Certificate programmes. In addition, the School of Vocational Education (SVE) enrolled 2139 students across 14 sectors and 33 programmes in 2022-2023. The School, currently, has 4762 active students.

### **Office of Students Affairs**

The Office of Student Affairs (OSA) strives to create an inclusive space for students to facilitate a conducive environment for living and learning. The Office operates based on well-defined values, continually defining and redefining strategic priorities that are ever-changing due to varied challenges posed due to COVID-19 and other social processes.

The Office works with the Deans/ Chairpersons of all Schools/ Independent Centres, the SC/ST and OPEM Cells, WGDC, and various offices within and outside of the Campus to ensure an inclusive space conducive to the overall development of students. The Office also strives to enable the abilities of students to learn and evolve by reducing barriers to their educational progress. The OSA works with the Students' Union, in identifying concerns of the larger student body and addressing them.

Students' Union Activities: Post-COVID and after a gap of three years, the OSA conducted the Students' Union (SU) Elections. The process started with the selection and training of returning officers, who spearheaded the SU Elections 2022-2023. The returning officers conducted the elections in two phases, and the office bearers took oath in November 2023. Within a short stint, the SU worked on the grievances of students and facilitated representation of the students in inter-collegiate cultural and sports events.

#### **Students Support Mechanism:**

The OSA garners support from multiple sources alongside the financial support available from TISS set aside for students. This year, the OSA received a total financial support of Rs. 20,656,450/-. The TISS is deeply grateful for the generous support of Cognizant, Allana, M.K. Tata Trust, India Bulls, AMU Saifee Trust, Taksheel, J.M. Finance, the alumni-driven Bridge initiative, and individual donors, plus the Institute's internal funds. This year, 598 students received aid and 38 were provided laptops.

Mental Health Services: The Counselling Centre has addressed the mental health concerns of 419 students and 10 staff through individual sessions in addition to individual interventions, the counsellors also engaged in several developmental activities catering to the mental health needs of students on campus.

The key developmental activities undertaken in the academic year 2022-2023 include the Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan, a day-long activity on substance abuse and its ill effects on health; peer support training programmes wherein 22 peer supporters were selected and trained; yoga and Open Mic event to facilitate expression of mental health concerns through varied art forms.

### **Placement Cell**

The training programmes conducted by the Placement Cell in the academic year 2022-2023 were on Resume Writing, Social Media & Job Search, Interviews, and how to understand salary structure, and effectively negotiate. Private organisations, Public Sector organisations, NGOs, Fellowships, Livelihood Missions, and Consulting and Research firms are our hiring partners. The roles being offered are as CSR, Young Professionals, Analysts, and Programme Managers.



A collage of some programmes organised by students









## **CONNECTING WITH ALUMNI**

TISS has an active and supportive alumni network in India and globally. The alumni contribution has been through multiple ways, such as guest lectures, facilitating industry and field connections, supervising/mentoring the current students, placements, curriculum revision, research, development of case studies, and scholarships/prizes for students, among others.

To strengthen this engagement with our alumni in India and across the globe, the Office of Alum Affairs (OAA) was constituted on 21 July 2022 with Prof. Sasmita Palo as Dean and Prof. Swati Banerjee as Associate Dean.

The OAA's inaugural event was held on 30 December 2022 with Prof. Shalini Bharat (Director, TISS) delivering the inaugural talk; opening remarks by Prof. Bino Paul, Deputy Director; introductory remarks by Prof. Sasmita Palo, and welcome remarks by Prof. Swati Banerjee.

Prof. Robin Shields, Professor at the University of Bristol, UK, delivered the Keynote Address where he discussed the concept of social networks, the methodology of social network analysis, and how it can be used to understand and help the OAA. He highlighted the

concept of connections and complexity, which means understanding society not by studying the individual actors, but by looking at their connections.

The event also included an exciting panel discussion by esteemed alumni on "Looking Back Looking Forward". In this discussion, the alumni reflected on the nostalgia of the past 20-25 years and a way forward. This was chaired by Prof. P.K Shahjahan (Dean, Office of Academic Affairs) and the panellists included alumns, Prof. R.S.S. Mani, Prof. Nasreen Rustomfram and Prof. Geeta Sethi.

The event's highlight was a cultural evening anchored by the current students leading to intergenerational bonding and engagement. This was organised in collaboration with Urdu Caravan, a non-governmental organisation that aims to spread India's culture, literature and languages. The OAA also reconnected with alumni in multiple locations, including New Delhi, Chennai, Ahmedabad, Mumbai, Australia, Canada, and the UK. The TISS UK Alum network @OAA had its third alumni meet of the year in 2022 at SOAS, University of London, on 20 November 2022.





## **CONVOCATION 2023**

At the **83**<sup>rd</sup> **Annual Convocation of TISS** held at the Mumbai campus on 11 and 12 May 2023, 970 students and scholars from the TISS Mumbai and TISS Tuljapur campuses received their degrees. From **TISS Mumbai**, **17** received their Doctor of Philosophy and **13** their Master of Philosophy degrees, while **797** students received their Master's Degree in various programmes. From **TISS Tuljapur Off-Campus**, **2** were awarded the Doctor of Philosophy, and **1** their Master of Philosophy degrees, **92** will graduated with a Master's degree, and **39** with a Bachelor's degree.

The **TISS Hyderabad Off-Campus** had its **9**<sup>th</sup> **Convocation** on 15 May 2023, where **136 students** received the Master's degree. The **TISS Guwahati Off-Campus** had its **10**<sup>th</sup> **Convocation** on 23 June 2023, wherein **1** Ph.D. scholar, and **112** Master's and **41** Bachelor's students received their degrees.

## TO CONCLUDE...

As we conclude the Academic Year 2022-2023, we express our sincere gratitude to the Ministry of Education and the University Grants Commission for extending financial support, and to various other ministries and funding organisations for their generous goodwill. We sincerely thank the Chief Ministers of Telangana, Assam and Maharashtra, and the secretaries and other officials in state ministries for their cooperation.

Our special thanks to the Tata Trusts for the financial support and goodwill extended to the Institute. We are also immensely grateful to the organisations and individuals who offered scholarships, fellowships and aid in kind for our needy and deserving students. Our graduating students have been placed in various public and private organisations, including Tata companies, for which we are very grateful.

We thank Shri Vijay Singh, Interim Chairman of our Governing Board for his generous support with his time and valuable guidance. Sincere appreciation is also due to the esteemed members of the Governing Board, the Finance Committee and the Academic Council for their role in our growth and progress.

The faculty, administrative, secretarial and support staff, students, and all officials contributed to making 2022-2023 yet another memorable year during which we supported each other in bouncing back from a devastating pandemic to regain our dynamism and campus vibrancy. Before I close, I wish the graduating students the very best in their personal and professional lives.

With grateful and sincere appreciation to all my colleagues and students, and to everyone present here, thank you!





Mumbai Campus

## **DIRECTOR**

Prof. Shalini Bharat

## **DEPUTY DIRECTOR**

Prof. Bino Paul

## **Director's Office**

Mr. Mohd Tarique

#### **RESEARCH PROJECTS**

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Action Research Study on Police- Social Work Initiatives to Promote Well-being of Children and Families	Research Council, TISS	May 2022	Ongoing	Mr. Mohd. Tarique
An Investigation of the Mixed Modes of CovTech to Enable Inclusive, Sustainable and Smart Cities	International SDG Collaboration Programme, University of Sydney	Aug. 2022	Ongoing	Mr. Mohd. Tarique
Knowledge Partner for Sustainable Finance Working Group (SFWG) for India's Presidency for G20 Summit 2022-23	Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance, Government of India	Mar. 2023	Ongoing	Prof. Bino Paul

#### FIELD ACTION PROJECTS

**Koshish**, estd. 2006 Maharashtra, Bihar and Delhi

#### **Sponsors**

Tata Trust, Azim Premji Foundation, and Individual Contributors.

#### **Objectives**

- Koshish was initiated as a response to the criminalisation of poverty and destitution in the form of Beggary Prevention Legislation. Over 20 states in India have anti-Beggary Legislation where Beggary and destitution is being criminalised and punished. Different situations of vulnerabilities are processed under these laws as offences. Persons with mental illness, the elderly and abandoned, disabled, persons from de-notified communities, transgender, persons affected with leprosy, etc., are all included, and the way beggary has been defined, all these categories of people technically become beggars who can be arrested. It was to oppose and end this 'criminalisation of poverty' that Koshish came into being.
- Started in Mumbai in 2006, the programme expanded to Delhi in 2009 and in 2012, it was extended to Bihar. While the fundamental approach remains the same, we follow different strategies and intervention design in each of these 3 states. With the firm belief in 'Systems Approach', the project has worked in collaboration with the states through the custodial institutions as well as through community-based intervention, with efforts to facilitate rehabilitation of persons processed under the Beggary Law, bringing overall change in custodial conditions and facilitating people's exit from the state of destitution.

#### **Programmes**

 Protection of legal rights, counselling, alliance building & networking, law & policy advocacy, research, employers collective, youth engagement, family repatriation, health & mental health, facilitation of entitlements, education, etc.

#### **Faculty**

Mr. Mohd. Tarique

#### Project Staff

Pallavi Thakare, Sher Bahadur Thapa, Shashikant Bhalerao, Vidhi Golatkar, Sarika Patil, Praveen Dilpak, Nilesh Kamble, As'ad Shah, Richa Joshi, Prashik Tayde, Jyoti Bansal, Asif Iqbal, Prem Narayan Jat, Bhawana Yadav, Sabiya, Mohammad Nadeem, Sachin Nistane, and Anita Patil

## Saksham Pravaah, estd. 2016

Pan India

#### **Sponsor**

The Global Fund for Aids, TB and Malaria through the Central TB Division, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India.

#### **Objectives:**

- To strengthen TB prevention, treatment and care programme through psycho-social counselling services.
- To improve treatment adherence among MDR and XDR patients through counselling and by linking them with required social
  protection services.
- · To build capacities of NTEP staff on patient centric outlook, empathetic approach and counselling soft skills.

#### **Programmes:**

- Psycho-Social Support for Drug Resistant TB Patients to improve treatment adherence in 4 states viz., Maharashtra, Gujarat, Karnataka and Rajasthan.
- Referral Linkages (Social Protection Schemes, Nutrition Support Service and others) to TB Patients and their families.
- · Capacity Building of Frontline TB staff on Counselling Soft Skills Pan India

#### Faculty

Prof. Shalini Bharat

#### **Project Staff**

Shweta Bajaj, AVS Viknesh, Sheethal Rai, Dharmishta Nanavati, Philip Sebastian, Nidhi Jain, Suhas Kadam, Rekha Gupta, Sachin Sakpal, Syed Hameed, Satyajeet Gojame, Sandeep Paikrao, Pranit Bhosale, Nikita Zala, Milan Patel, Kartika Gore, Nagaraja, Vijay Kattimani, Yashpal Singh Rajput, Sunita Yadav, Manisha Jadhav, Geeta Anchan, Pratiksha Singh, Ashok, 160 Saksham Counsellors and 5 Saksham Saathi.

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Prof. Shalini Bharat	OAA @TISS-UK Alumni Network Meet	London	Office of Alum Affairs (OAA), TISS	20 Nov. 2022`
Prof. Bino Paul	Fourteenth One-week 'In Service' Training Programme for All India Service Officers	Mumbai	Department of Personnel and Training, Gol	20-24 Mar. 2023

# **SCHOOL OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES**

Dean: Prof. Ashwani Kumar

Dr. Nitin Bhaskar Dhaktode

## **Advanced Centre for Women's Studies**

Chairperson: Dr. Bindhulakshmi P.

Prof. Meena Gopal Dr. Asha Achuthan Dr. Sangita Thosar Dr. Sujata Chavan Dr. Sujatha Devarapalli

## **Centre for Population, Health and Development**

Chairperson: Prof. P.M. Sandhya Rani

Prof. S. Siva Raju

# Centre for Public Policy, Habitat and Human Development

Chairperson: Prof. Abdul Shaban

Prof. Ashwani Kumar Prof. Sandhya Iyer

## **Centre for Social Theory**

Chairperson: Dr. Suresh Madhavan

Mr. Parthasarathi Mondal

# **Centre for Study of Developing Economies**

Chairperson: Prof. P. Gopinath

Prof. R. Ramakumar Prof. Anita Rath

## **Centre for Study of Developing Societies**

Chairperson: Prof. Ritambhara Hebbar

Prof. Nishi Mitra vom Berg Dr. Jasmine Damle Dr. Prarthana Saikia

# **SCHOOL OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES**

The School of Development Studies (SDS) was established in 2012 and it offers three Master's Degree and Ph.D. programmes in Development Studies, Women's Studies and International Electoral Management and Practices. There are six centres and a research facility located within the School. With the support of the Election Commission of India, and the India International Institute of Democracy and Election Management, the School has started a new teaching and research programme on educating serving electoral officials from India and other countries along with students from the open pool who would be future leaders in areas of electoral management and administration, nationally and globally.

The year 2022-2023 has been very fruitful and productive for SDS in teaching, research and outreach. Seven scholars from Development Studies and 3 scholars from Women's Studies were awarded their Ph.D. Degrees, and 28 students from M.A. in Development Studies and 7 from M.A. in Women's Studies (2021-2023 batch) have been placed in leading development organisations like Sambodhi, IPE Global, CEEW, PRADAN, JM Financial, Bajaj Auto, Magic Bus, SEWA, Fenice Energy, and Rajeevika.

A brief snapshot of the activities of the School's Centre are given below:

The Centre for Study of Developing Societies (CSDS) organised talks by internationally reputed professors

like Prof. Rina Agarwala (Johns Hopkins University), Nandini Deo (Lehigh University), and Prof. Arundhati Virmani (Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales). In collaboration with School of Law, Rights and Constitutional Governance of TISS Mumbai, the CSDS introduced a lecture series on contemporary and international politics. Prof. Sanjay Pandey and and Prof. Ajay Patnaik (both from Jawaharlal Nehru University) were major speakers in the series. As part of a collaborative international research partnership led by Flinders University, Australia, Prof. Nishi Mitra vom Berg has been working on Femicide and Women in Conflict. The Chairperson of CSDS and prominent anthropologist, Prof. Ritambhara Hebbar collaborated with the Quebec Government Office in Mumbai, Bharatiya Gyan, Sanskrit Evam Yog Kendra, SNDT

Women's University and CERIAS at Université du Québec à Montréal to curate an International Research Methodology Workshop on 13 March 2023 titled "Fieldwork Research in India: Issues and Challenges". Her documentary film, *Gudna* was also screened in Quebec's International Indigenous Film Festival on 23 March 2023.

# The Centre for Study of Developing

**Economies(CSDE)** continued with their extraordinary range of research and dissemination activities. The Chairperson of the Centre, Prof. P. Gopinath published articles on issues related to the MSME Cluster in West Bengal, and Interstate migration and socionetworking in Kerala. As part of the advisory board of the International Conference by RSAI held at TISS, Prof. Gopinath reviewed the papers submitted and also chaired a session. He is also one of the core members of the leadership team tasked with implementing the M.A. programme in International Electoral Management and Practices. Prominent development economist and policy expert, Prof. R. Ramakumar is a member of State Planning Board of the Government of Kerala. He has also been recently awarded the prestigious D.B. Bandodkar Chair in Political Economy, Goa University, and Distinguished Visiting Scholar, School of Business and Management, Queen Mary University of London. He has recently published an edited book related to Indian Agriculture After Economic Liberalisation. A reputed expert on public finance related research, Prof. Anita Rath published an article on revenue efficiency of State VAT and GST in EPW, and a participated in workshop on emission trading system simulation. She was also part of the organising committee for International Conference of Regional Science.

# The Centre for Public Policy, Habitat and Human

**Development** organised various conferences such 'International Conference on Social and Regional Resilience: Looking Through the Pandemic Lens' 15-16 December 2022, and 9th Annual 'Cultural Diversity and Development Conference' on 21 March 2023. Chairperson of the Centre, Prof. Abdul Shaban received a Visiting Fellowship to work on a research project titled "Reshaping Business in an Uncertain World (REBUS)" at Universite Paris Cite during 1-30 September 2022. He was also awarded the prestigious grant of the European

Research Council (ERC), European Commission, to work on a research project titled 'Regional Futures: The Territorial Politics of Digitalisation-As-Urbanisation in the Global South". Prof. Sandhya lyer served as the Associate Editor of the *Indian Journal of Labour Economics* and she engaged with Setting Impact Desk for the Pan-IIT Alumni Reach for Jharkhand (PreJHA) Foundation. Prof. Sandhya lyer also delivered a talk on "From Data Analysis to Data Visualisation", at the Atal Bihari Vajpayee Institute of Good Governance & Policy Analysis, Bhopal, on 30 August 2022. Prof. Ashwani Kumar led a collaborative Gender Empowerment Project (Udaan) with IPE Global, and also published working papers and policy briefs on "Preventing Teenage Pregnancies by Educating Girls".

Mentored by leading demographers, the **Centre for Population, Health and Development** has been the knowledge partner for the action project titled Strategic University Network to Revolutionise Indian Solar Energy (SUNRISE), along with Swansea University. Prof. S. Siva Raju has been invited as an Advisor, Sustainable Development Council, Tata Power Co., Mumbai. Prof. P.M. Sandhya Rani delivered the Keynote Address at the National Conference on Youth and Wellbeing, organised by Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth and Development Sriperumbudur, Tamil Nadu during 28-29 March 2023. As the General Secretary of Indian Association for Social Sciences and Health, she organised the annual conference jointly with Sharda University, during 15-17 March 2023.

The **Centre for Social Theory** is helmed by leading social theorists in the SDS. Drawing on his continuing research on methodological exposition of Spinoza, Mr. Parthasarthi Mondal presented seminars and coordinated M.A. dissertations in Development Studies. As one of the Principal Investigators, Dr. Suresh Madhavan is presently involved in a research project, titled "Narayana Guru Digital Research Resource

Platform (NGDRRP): Preservation of Endangered South Asian Literatures". Apart from this, Dr. Madhavan is also working on a research project, "Postcolonial Predicament and Governmental Rationality: The Question of 'Tribal Development' in Kerala, South India".

Led by prominent feminist scholars and researchers, the Advanced Centre for Women's Studies (ACWS) has continued its teaching, research and documentation/ extension activities during the past academic year. The Centre has organised many academic events, seminars and conferences during 2022-2023. Some of the significant events are: a collaborative seminar with the National Human Rights Commission; a dissemination and closure conference of study on addressing Early and Child marriage in India, and two panel discussions to mark International Women's Day in keeping with the UGC mandate. Faculty members from the ACWS serve on Internal Complaints Committees for the prevention of sexual harassment. They also serve on various Institutional Review Boards in various universities and academic institutions.

The ACWS actively collaborates with ICSSR, UNICEF, American Jewish World Service and NHRC and has secured research project grants in 2022-2023. The Centre is an academic partner of the Global Research Network on the Economic Empowerment of Women (ReNEW). A Fulbright scholar from the University of Temple and a Fulbright Nehru Senior Scholar from California were affiliated with the Centre during the academic year. Ph.D. Scholars from the Centre started an academic forum called the 'Savitribai Phule Study Circle', where they organised talks and film screenings. Dr. Sangita Thosar was awarded the Awabai Wadia Fellowship for archiving Women's Voice, a Feminist Study of Satya Shodhak Grameen Kashtakari Mahila Sabha.

# **RESEARCH PROJECTS AND OTHER PROJECTS**

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty		
	ADVANCED CENTRE	FOR WOMEN'S STU	DIES			
Addressing Early/ Child Marriage in India: A Monitoring and Evaluation Study	American Jewish World Service	Sep. 2018	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. Meena Gopal		
A Qualitative Study on Families' Lived Experiences of Using Various Therapies for Persons With Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities	Yash Charitable Trust	Jan. 2022	Writing Report	Dr. Bindhulakshmi P.		
Invisible Disabilities and Long-Term Care: A Qualitative Study of Family and Institutional Care Arrangements for Persons With Intellectual and Cognitive Disabilities In India	ICSSR	Apr. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Bindhulakshmi P.		
Learning from Gender Transformative Programmes: Assessing UNICEF's Interventions in Osmanabad	UNICEF	Jan. 2023	Ongoing	Dr. Sujatha Devarapalli, Dr. Bindhulakshmi P. and Dr. Sangita Thosar		
	ENTRE FOR POPULATION	, HEALTH AND DEV	ELOPMENT			
Investigating New Strategies for Active Ageing Among Diasporas: Working With Tamil Communities to Tell Their Stories and Investigating Tamil Wikipedia as a Platform for Cultural Resilience, Active Ageing and the Intergenerational Transfer Of Knowledge	University of Sydney	Jul. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. S. Siva Raju		
Power to the People: Democratising Energy through Decentralised Manufacture and Production of Affordable, Reliable, Sustainable Solar Power Phase II	Swansea University, UK	Jan. 2021	Writing Report	Prof. P.M. Sandhya Rani		
CENTR	RE FOR PUBLIC POLICY, HA	BITAT AND HUMAN	DEVELOPMENT			
Digitising the Periphery: Co- Producing A Toolkit For Digital Democracy and Inclusive Urbanisation	The British Academy	Mar. 2021	Ongoing	Prof. Abdul Shaban		
Regional Futures: The Territorial Politics of Digitalisation-As- Urbanisation in the Global South	European Research Council	Jan. 2023	Ongoing	Prof. Abdul Shaban		
CENTRE FOR STUDY OF DEVELOPING ECONOMIES						
Preparing Compensation Policy & its Implementation Plan for Project Affected Fisherfolk of Mumbai Coastal Road Project (South)	Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation	Oct. 2021	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. Sandhya Iyer		

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty			
	CENTRE FOR STUDY OF DEVELOPING SOCIETIES						
Social Work Crosses Borders But Does our Education	International Association of Schools of Social Work	Sep. 2021	Ongoing	Prof. Nishi Mitra vom Berg			
Study of Economic Violence against Women	Technical University of Munich, Germany	Jan. 2023	Writing Report	Prof. Nishi Mitra vom Berg			
Decolonising Social Work Practice Education: Build a Tailored Intervention model/action plans for Social Work Schools	International Association of Schools of Social Work	Mar. 2023	Ongoing	Prof. Nishi Mitra vom Berg			

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	ADVANCED CENTRE FOR	WOMENS STUD	IES	
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Seminar on Environment Day	Online	Samvaad Vahini	5 Jun. 2022
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Music Therapy	Online	Samvaad Vahini	28 Jun. 2022
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Doctors Day	Online	Samvaad Vahini	1 Jul. 2022
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Aapatti Niyojan	Online	Samvaad Vahini	26 Jul. 2022
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Mahila Samanta Diwas	Online	Samvaad Vahini	25 Aug. 2022
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Shikshak Aani Vidyarthi	Online	Samvaad Vahini	13 Sep. 2022
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Alzheimer's Day	Online	Samvaad Vahini	20 Sep. 2022
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Jeshthya Nagrik	Online	Samvaad Vahini	1 Oct. 2022
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Man Aani Manasik Aarogya	Online	Samvaad Vahini	10 Oct. 2022
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Jeevan Amulya Aahe	Online	Samvaad Vahini	11 Oct. 2022
Dr. Bindhulakshmi P.	Public Lecture: Mapping the history of Ayurveda: Culture, Hegemony, and Rhetoric of Diversity – A Talk by Dr. Girija K.P.	Online	ACWS	20 Oct. 2022
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Chakori Modnare Purush	Online	Samvaad Vahini	8 Nov. 2022
Prof. Meena Gopal	Closure Convening of the TISS-AJWS Outcome Mapping Initiative on Addressing Early Marriage	TISS Mumbai	American Jewish World Service	10-11 Nov. 2022
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Disability Day - Sarvasamaveshkta	Online	Samvaad Vahini	4 Dec. 2022
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Human Rights Day	Online	Samvaad Vahini	13 Dec. 2022
Dr. Bindhulakshmi P.	Public Lecture: The Spread of Daughter Valuing Practices in Western India by Alice Clark	TISS	ACWS	20 Jan. 2023
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Online Education	Online	Thane	24 Jan. 2023
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Bolne Shikave Lagte	Online	Samvaad Vahini	7 Feb. 2023
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Totrepan	Online	Samvaad Vahini	21 Feb. 2023
Dr. Bindhulakshmi P. and Dr. Asha Achutan	International Women's Day: Historical Reflections on Indian Women's Movement and Present Day Contestation	TISS	TISS	3 Mar. 2023
Dr. Bindhulakshmi P. and Dr. Asha Achuthan	Reflections on Women and Digital India on International Women's Day	Online	TISS	6 Mar. 2023
Dr. Sujata Chavan	Public Lecture: Mahila din Vishesh	Online	Samvaad Vahini	7 Jul. 2023
Dr. Bindhulakshmi P.	Rethinking Autism: Multiple Perspectives	TISS	Yash Charitable Trust and Forum for Autism	2-3 Apr. 2023

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	CENTRE FOR PUBLIC POLICY, HABITA	T AND HUMAN [	DEVELOPMENT	
Prof. Abdul Shaban	International Conference on Social And Regional Resilience: Looking Through The Pandemic Lens	TISS Mumbai	Regional Science Association, India, Regional Science Association International (RSAI), and MMRDA	14-16 Dec. 2022`
Prof. Abdul Shaban	9th Annual Conference on Cultural Diversity and Development	TISS Mumbai	Self	21 Mar. 2023
Prof. Abdul Shaban	Digitising Peripheries	Bhiwandi	The British Council	4 Apr. 2023
	CENTRE FOR STUDY OF DEV	ELOPING ECONO	OMIES	
Prof. R. Ramakumar and Prof. P. Gopinath	Public Lecture: MS Gore Centenary Colloquium Series: Precarity during Covid-19 in USA	TISS	School of Development Studies, TISS	22 Sept. 2022
Prof. P. Gopinath	International Conference on Social and Regional Resilience: Looking Through the Pandemic Lens	TISS Mumbai	Regional Science Association, India, Regional Science Association International (RSAI), and MMRDA	14-16 Dec. 2022`
	CENTRE FOR STUDY OF DE	VELOPING SOCIE	TIES	
Prof. Nishi Mitra vom Berg	2nd International Conference on Sustainable Development, Goals and Gender Perspective	Surat	Sardar Vallabhbhai National Institute of Technology, Surat, Gujarat	15-16 Dec. 2022
Prof. Nishi Mitra vom Berg	Rethinking Schooling In Development Studies	TISS Mumbai	School of Development Studies, TISS	13 Jan. 2023
Prof. Ritambhara Hebbar	Public Lecture: Roots on Ukraine Conflict and it's Ramifications	TISS Mumbai	School of Development Studies, TISS	16 Feb. 2023
Prof. Ritambhara Hebbar	International Research Methodology Workshop on Fieldwork Research in India: Issues and Challenges	Mumbai	Quebec Government Office in Mumbai and UQAM, Montreal	13 Mar. 2023

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# JAMSETJI TATA SCHOOL OF DISASTER STUDIES

In the academic year 2022-2023, two batches of the Master's programme were enrolled at the Jamsetji Tata School of Disaster Studies (JTSDS): 32 students in the Batch of 2021-23 and 31 students in the Batch of 2022-24. The regular activities of the JTSDS resumed after the lockdown in July 2022. The total number of students enrolled in the School across all programmes (Master's, Certificate, Diploma, M.Phil. and Ph.D.) stood at 151 as of April 2023. Graduating students have been placed with organisations such as Deloitte and Reliance Foundation, among others. Several students aspire to pursue further studies too.

The engagement with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 over the last two years resulted in several new programmes and activities in this academic year. The one-year Master's in Disaster Informatics and Geospatial Technologies (DIGIT) was developed by the School faculty and approved by the Academic Council. It will be launched in 2023 along with the Executive Programme on Disaster and Climate Risk Assessment developed last year, in a self-financing mode. A curriculum review of the Master's programme in Disaster Management was undertaken to increase the credits to 80 in compliance with the requirements of NEP 2020 and the same was approved by the School Board and Academic Council. The School also developed a short term specialised course on 'Geo-Social Approaches to Vulnerability Assessment' to be offered in line with the guidance received from NEP, 2020.

International engagement of faculty members took various forms. The online Certificate programme in Disaster Management offered by the School since 2013, in partnership with IFRC, Geneva, continues and we admitted 12, 42 and 22 participants for Cohorts 18, 19 and 20 respectively. The participants were from Iran, Ethiopia, Uganda, Mexico, Haiti, Nigeria, India, France and Bangladesh. In January 2023, the School hosted 14 students and 2 faculty from the University of Manchester for a Winter School on 'Social and Ecological Vulnerabilities of a City: Dynamics of Disaster Management in Mumbai'. The exploration of collaborative opportunities with University of Manchester (UK), Ateneo University (Philippines), Western Sydney University and Griffith University (Australia) is under discussion.

The School successfully completed four international research and networking grant supported projects this academic year in the area of Heat Waves, Higher Education Institution Resilience, Transboundary Water Governance and Civic Engagement, and Gender Consciousness in Disaster Pedagogies. The School faculty actively participated and organised events to disseminate these research activities in international online and offline webinars and public events such as the 'DRR Education for Transformation, Adaptation and Resilience of Higher Educational Institutions: Lessons from COVID-19' and 'Gender and Intersectionality Approaches to Resilience'.

The School continues to anchor the ongoing international research project on 'Disaster Risk Creation in Urban Resettlement Processes' in partnership with the University of Copenhagen (Sweden) and the University of Rosklide (Denmark). The School was awarded a new research project titled "Re-Conceptualising Urban Disaster and Climate Risk: An Ethnographic Exploration of the Everyday Spatiality of Urban Informal Labour in Waste Management" funded by the Global Centre of Spatial Methods for Urban Sustainability, Germany. The JTSDS International Roundtable too was aligned to the thematic area of Urban Risk and Informality and brought together a wide range of stakeholders to deliberate on this emerging area of work on 24-25 January 2023.

The School continued with its field action projects and came up with innovative approaches and models for the social protection of the worst off and Citizens Grievance Redressal Mechanism in the context of recurrent droughts in Marathwada Region. The School is also actively engaged with the National and several State Disaster Management Authorities to forge partnerships to bridge the academia-policy gap in the country. School faculty were also engaged with several policy processes and discourses such as that of the policy for mitigation measures and rehabilitation for people displaced by erosion.

Prof. Janki Andharia was invited by the Home Ministry to Chair a session on 14 March 2023 at the high-profile, multi-country meeting of the Shanghai Co-operation

Organisation in Delhi, of which India is the Chair. The workshop was on Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Response. Faculty members have received research fellowships and published books, book chapters,

journal articles, and written newspaper articles and academic blogs, the details of which are mapped in the relevant sections of this annual report.

# **RESEARCH PROJECTS AND OTHER PROJECTS**

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Droughts, Dalits and Adivasis: A Study on the Impact of Droughts Catalysed by Climate Change on the Dalits and the Adivasis of Marathwada Region of Maharashtra	National Dalit Watch, National Campaign for Dalit Human Rights	Jan. 2021	Completed	Mr. Mahesh Kamble and Dr. Mohammed Irshad
Multi-Hazard Resilience of Higher Educational Institutions in Asia Pacific	ICIMOD – HUC Research Networking Grant, in partnership with Asian Institute of Technology, Thailand	Jun. 2021	Completed	Prof. Jacquleen Joseph
Landslides in Mumbai	M Ward project, TISS	Jul. 2021	Ongoing	Mr. Mahesh Kamble
Infusing Gender Consciousness in Disaster Pedagogies	University College of London	Sep. 2021	Ongoing	Ms. Lavanya Arvind and Prof. Jacquleen Joseph
Disaster Risk Creation in Urban Resettlement Processes	Independent Research Fund Denmark / Social Sciences, in partnership with University of Copenhagen and University of Roskilde, Denmark	Oct. 2021	Ongoing	Prof. Jacquleen Joseph and Dr. Ramesh Veerappan
Regunath Research Fellowship in Social Citizenship and Management	S.P. Jain institute of management	Feb. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Mohammed Irshad
Extreme Heat Wave	Global Disaster Preparedness Centre	Jun. 2022	Completed	Ms. Niti Mishra
Re-Conceptualising Urban Disaster and Climate Risk: An Ethnographic Exploration of the Everyday Spatiality of Urban Informal Labour in Waste Management	Global Center of Spatial Methods for Urban Sustainability	Oct. 2022	Initiated	Dr. Mohammed Irshad, Prof Jacquleen Joseph and Dr Ravinder Dhiman

## **FIELD ACTION PROJECTS**

# AAPTI: An Avenue for Psychosocial and Therapeutic Interventions, estd. 2008

Mumbai

## **Objectives**

- · Understand and document the unique needs, concerns and issues of the survivors
- Study the recovery process and analyse the influencing factors in the Indian context
- · Develop and test contextual theoretical models of response and advocate for appropriate policy change.

## **Programmes**

- · Preparation of the offline version of the virtual exhibition
- · Submission of book proposal of two manuscripts to publisher and submission of one manuscript to the publisher
- · Promotion of the virtual exhibition among concerned stakeholders.

#### Faculty

Prof. Jacquleen Joseph

## **Project Staff**

Ms. Pritha Choudhury and Mr. Satyam (Content Designer)

#### M-CLAP, estd. 2013

M-ward, Mumbai

## **Sponsor**

Export Credit Guarantee Corporation and and others

## **Objective**

· Comprehensive development of M ward of Mumbai

## **Programmes**

Education, Health, and Food Security

## **Faculty**

Mr. Mahesh Kamble

## **Project Staff**

Avinash Madhale and others

## Disaster and Beyond, estd. 2017

Osmanabad

## **Sponsor**

True North Pvt Ltd.

# **Objective**

• Participatory Drought Mitigation: A Pilot Project in Select Villages of Osmanabad District, Maharashtra

## **Programmes**

- · Roll out of the second phase of the Goatery Project
- · Roll out of the Social Projection Scheme
- · End term evaluation
- Interfacing with funders.

#### Faculty

Prof. Jacquleen Joseph

#### **Project Staff**

Vinod Kamble

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Faculty	Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Prof. Jacquleen Joseph	DRR Education for Transformation, Adaptation and Resilience of Higher Educational Institutions: Lessons from COVID-19 Case Study Showcase Webinar	AIT-TISS-Virtural	ICIMOD	15 Dec. 2022
Mr. Mahesh Kamble	Public Lecture: Participatory Democracy	TISS Mumbai	Samyak Samvad	26 Nov. 2022
Prof. Janki Andharia and Ms. Saumya Kumar	TISS-HCRI Winter School on Social and Ecological Vulnerabilities of a City: Dynamics of Disaster Management in Mumbai	TISS Mumbai	Humanitarian and Conflict Response Institute, The University of Manchester	3-14 Jan. 2023
Prof. Jacquleen Joseph and Dr. Mohammed Irshad	JTSDS International Roundtable on Urban Risk and Informality	TISS Mumbai	Global Center of Spatial Methods for Urban Sustainability (German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development)	24–25 Jan. 2023

# **SCHOOL OF EDUCATION**

**Dean**: Prof. Nandini Manjrekar

Prof. Disha Nawani Mr. Nilesh Gourkhede

# **SCHOOL OF EDUCATION**

The fact that education is the most important subsystem of any society and will continue to be can never be challenged. The School of Education responds to the fundamental need of working professionals through a Master's programme in a blended mode and various research requirements of State Governments, NGOs, writing in academic and popular spaces, influencing policies, etc.

#### Research

Learning from Gender Transformative Programmes:
Assessing UNICEF's Interventions in Schools: This is a collaborative project between the School of Education and the Advanced Centre of Women's Studies, TISS Mumbai, to examine the work of UNICEF-supported NGO interventions in government schools in Osmanabad district of Maharashtra.

Education and the Urban: Supported by the Max Weber Stiftung/Forum for South Asian Studies and the German Historical Institute, London, this research aimed to bring together diverse interdisciplinary perspectives on the changing contours of the urban and how emerging social, economic and political contexts have impacted how education, particularly school education, has been approached, designed and enacted. A working paper series of 14 papers in different cities and regions of India have been put together as part of this project (accessible at <a href="https://mwsibo.hypotheses.org/online-articles-india-research-programme">https://mwsibo.hypotheses.org/online-articles-india-research-programme</a>). A volume is currently being edited for publication with Routledge in 2024.

Implementation of 12 (1)C of the Right to Education act 2009 in Tamil Nadu, 2023: This study examined the implementation of one of the most contested provisions of the Right to Education Act, i.e. Section 12(1)(c), which mandates all the private unaided schools to reserve 25 per cent of their seats for DG & WS children in Tamil Nadu.

The findings revealed several complexities in working this provision and highlighted areas that needed focus for reform. Two pathways have been suggested keeping the end objective of quality education in focus. It is recommended that the State either limit the provision to certain areas where access is difficult, thereby complementing the public school system or improve the implementation of the provision. Specific

recommendations about the issues identified have been provided.

#### Students

Scholarships

- Ashita Landge and Abhishek Bhagat received the Rajashree Shahu Maharaj Scholarship for students from Scheduled Castes to study abroard. While Ashita opted to do an M.A. at the Institute of Education, London. Abhishek enrolled for a Ph.D. in Education at the University of Glasgow.
- Ashirwad Wakde received a scholarship for meritorious OBC students to pursue an M.A. in Public Policy at the University of Chicago, USA.

Placements: The nature of our students is different from other students, as a large proportion are already working in diverse spaces like schools, NGOs, government organisations, etc. Therefore, after completing the programme, they either stick to those spaces or join higher positions. Some of our students are now studying in Higher Education Institutions (HEI) in India and abroad, like JNU, APU, DU and others. Some are also in globally renowned universities like Stanford, Harvard, Cambridge, Glasgow, Chicago, Michigan, etc. At the same time, some others have joined HEIs as faculty in leading colleges/universities in India and abroad. A few of them have set up their own organisations, and schools, and are working in remote, tribal or difficult situations with communities where nobody has ever attended school. Our alums are highly respected because of their knowledge, experience and commitment to equity and justice ideals.

# Teacher's Manual on Menstrual Health and Hygiene Management, UNESCO, 2023

This manual is written for teachers working in varied contexts with diverse needs to initiate conversations around Menstrual Health and Hygiene Management in a formal educational context with children across the gender spectrum. The purpose of this manual is couched in a framework of the theory of change that believes in identifying goals and then comprehensively adopting multiple strategies to achieve them, eventually leading to a positive change; in this context, attitudes, behaviours and practices around menstruation.

## **RESEARCH PROJECTS AND OTHER PROJECTS**

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Education and Urban Transformations	German Historical Institute London	Dec. 2018	Completed	Prof. Nandini Manjrekar
Implementation of 12.1.c of the RTE Act 2009 in Tamil Nadu	Samagra Siksha, Chennai	Jul. 2022	Completed	Prof. Disha Nawani
Learning from Gender Transformative Programmes: Assessing UNICEF's interventions in Schools	UNICEF	Jan. 2023	Ongoing	Prof. Nandini Manjrekar

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Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Prof Disha Nawani	State, Society and Education: Emerging Concerns in Higher Education	Webinar	CSSE, TISS	5 Aug. 2022
Prof. Nandini Manjrekar	Public Lecture: Reservation Policy in India	TISS Mumbai	School of Education, TISS	26 Nov. 2022
Prof. Nandini Manjrekar	Public Lecture: Gender and Science	TISS Mumbai	School of Education, TISS	2 Dec. 2022
Prof. Nandini Manjrekar	Higher Education and Gender Equality: Perspectives from India and the UK	TISS Mumbai	School of Education, TISS	27 Feb. 2023

# **SCHOOL OF HABITAT STUDIES**

Dean: Prof. Manjula Bharathy

# Centre for Environment, Climate Change and Sustainable Studies

Chairperson: Dr. Kamal Kumar Murari

Dr. Unmesh Patnaik

# **Centre for Regulatory Policy and Governance**

Chairperson: Dr. Sachin Warghade

Dr. Chandrashekhar Joglekar Dr. Chaitanya Talreja Mr. Sanjeev Chandorkar

# Virtual Centre for Science, Technology & Society

Dr. Geetanjoy Sahu

# **Centre for Urban Policy & Governance**

Chairperson: Dr. Lalitha Kamath

Prof. Amita Bhide Prof. Manjula Bharathy Dr. Ratoola Kundu

# **Centre for Water Policy and Governance**

**Chairperson**: Dr. Pranjal Deekshit

Mr. Sachin Tiwale Dr. Suhas Bhasme

# **SCHOOL OF HABITAT STUDIES**

The Crystal Jubilee Celebrations of the School of Habitat Studies (SoHS) titled, "A Salute to the Past, A Claim to the Future" was held on 9 and 10 March 2023. The Crystal Jubilee Celebrations marked the successful trajectory of the School's pioneering policy interventions in the areas of sustainability across multilevel governance.

Prof. Shalini Bharat (Director, TISS), inaugurated the celebrations and launched the prestigious Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) Chair. Prof. Manjula Bharathy (Dean, SoHS) presented the successful journey of the School, focusing on the important policy interventions. While the School Booklet that maps the journey of the School was released by Prof. Bino Paul (Deputy Director, TISS), Habit@, the School Magazine, was released by Prof. P. K. Shajahan (Dean, Academic Affairs). Seven eminent persons — Prof. S. Parasuraman (who envisioned the School); Prof. Subodh Wagle and Prof. Amita Bhide (who shaped the School); and Prof. T. Jayaraman, Prof. Ashok Pendse, Prof. Himanshu Kulkarni, and Ms. Smita Waingankar, who gave critical contributions to the four Centres of the School — were felicitated as part of the celebrations. Three roundtable conferences around the theme of SDGs, sessions on Voices of Hope from the Ph.D. and Master's alums, and Experience Sharing Sessions were the other important events. 'Voices of Future Synergies' came from Dr. Himanshu Burte (IIT-Mumbai), and Dr. Bejoy Thomas (ISER); while Dr. Ravi Chopra (Director, People's Science Institute, Dehradun), delivered the valedictory speech.

All the Centres in the School are part of vibrant research and policy initiatives of seminal importance, and are listed below:

The Centre for Environment, Climate Change and Sustainability Studies has been actively engaged in teaching, research, and policy advocacy activities. Faculty members Dr. Unmesh Patnaik and Dr. Kamal Kumar Murari have published articles in Q1-rank high-impact journals such as Sustainability, Sustainable Development, and Nature-Scientific Reports. Dr. Unmesh Patnaik is a Member of the Expert Appraisal Committee for Environmental Appraisal of Thermal and Coal Mining Projects, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Gol, while Dr. Kamal Kumar Murari

is an expert member of NITI Aayog's framework on carbon credit for Indian agriculture. Both Dr. Patnaik and Dr. Murari are part of the TISS team acting as knowledge partners for the Ministry of Finance for the development of a sustainable finance plan for India's presidency under G20's Sustainable Finance Working Group (SFWG).

The faculty members of the Centre for Regulatory Policy & Governance actively participated in formal consultations and submitted regulatory analyses and recommendations to government agencies such as the Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI), NITI Aayog, and the Maharashtra Water Resources Regulatory Authority (MWRRA). The formal submissions were on Food Safety and Standards (Labelling & Display) Amendment Regulations, 2022; National Framework for Estimation of Carbon Credits in Agriculture; and Bulk Water Tariff Regulations. The Centre trained 73 regulatory professionals representing various government authorities such as the Electricity Regulatory Commissions, Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Authority, Real Estate Regulatory Authority, Telecom Regulatory Authority of India, Competition Commission of India, and Comptroller and Auditor General of India. The Centre contributed to the regulatory process of the Hon. Supreme Court in the form of a study, prepared in collaboration with the CWRPG, for the Matheran Hill Station Municipal Council on social impact assessment of the introduction of E-Rickshaws in this eco-sensitive region in Maharashtra.

The Centre for Science, Technology and Society was actively involved in addressing various issues related to FRA. These include research and dissemination, policy advocacy, capacity building and training. Faculty members and scholars of the Centre have produced several reports on FRA and written extensively in academic and popular journals. Prof. Geetanjoy Sahu has been one of the coordinators for research work both at the national and state level CFR-LA group. The Centre's studies include resource mapping studies in Gondia, FRA impact and process analysis in Vidarbha region of Maharashtra, analysis of national and state of Maharashtra data on claims, understanding interface of FRA and other laws, etc. A review of the functioning of all state pollution control boards was noted widely

by experts and the media for its critical view of the weaknesses of the pollution control machinery. The Centre's work on environmental jurisprudence and forest rights has been recognised by national and international institutions and communities.

## The Centre for Urban Policy and Governance

(CUPG) continued its unique approach of combining academic and pedagogic engagements with public interface. The year-long Omidyar-CUPG Lecture series, "Land, Housing and Property Rights: Tracing Policy Shifts and Emerging Issues in India and the Global South", ended with the final event of this Series organised as the inaugural CUPG Annual Lecture on 16 January 2023. Titled "Archiving Resistance: Repertoire of Urban Resistance in Jakarta", the lecture was delivered by Elisa Sutanudjaja (Director, RUJAK Centre for Urban Studies, Jakarta). Prof Amita Bhide was a member of the Gol-appointed High-Level Committee comprising urban planners, economists, and institutions to recommend urban sector policies, capacity building, planning, implementation, and governance. The Centre's faculty members also played important roles in various academic committees: Dr. Ratoola Kundu is part of the Economic and Political Weekly's Review of Urban Affairs (RUA) Editorial Collective, Dr. Lalitha Kamath is the Urban Studies Journal's International Correspondence Editor, and Prof. Bhide is on the Editorial Committee of the Environment and Urbanisation, Asia. Prof. Manjula Bharathy is the Team Lead of the Research Project, "Co-Creating Community Resilience to Climate Change-Aggravated High-Tide Flooding in Coastal Kerala", supported by the U.S. Department of State.

The CUPG, under the guidance of Prof. Manjula B. and Prof. Bhide, and in partnership with Mumbai Citizen Forum, are conducting a Survey on Citizen Participation in Governance in all 228 electoral wards in Mumbai. Prof. Manjula B. has co-edited a book titled *Tribal World: Shifting Boundaries & Contested Terrains*.

As part of JJM Chair Professorial activities, the **Centre** for Water Policy & Governance (CWPG) has engaged in several activities. The CWPG organised a policy dialogue workshop on the "Emerging Issues in Rural Drinking Water Governance in India", in collaboration with the Centre of Policy Studies at IIT-Bombay. Representatives of the different state governments, civil society organisations, and academia attended the workshop. This workshop was organised as part of the Jal Jeevan Mission Chair Professorship project, which focuses on researching critical issues on rural drinking water in India, and functions as a policy advisory to the central government. The CWPG focused on community participation in sustainable and secure drinking water services in rural areas. An online meeting was conducted with the Behavioural Insights Unit (BIU) of the Niti Aayog working on behavioural nudges as part of the Social-Behavioural Change Communication (SBCC) on 'Community Participation'. Students of the Master's programme in Water Policy and Governance organised the Water Talk Series on riverine communities and their livelihoods. After a series of meetings with the Director and UNICEF representatives, it was decided that SoHS will offer the PG Diploma Programme in WASH, fully supported by UNICEF. The programme will be anchored at the CWPG.

## **RESEARCH PROJECTS AND OTHER PROJECTS**

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty		
CENTRE FOR ENVIRONMENT, CLIMATE CHANGE AND SUSTAINABILITY STUDIES						
Low-Cost Innovative Technology for Water Quality Monitoring and Water Resources Management for Urban and Rural Water Systems in India	Department of Science and Technology, Gol	Sep. 2019	Ongoing	Dr. Unmesh Patnaik and Dr. Kamal Kumar Murari		
Modelling the Community-Scale Impacts of Climate Change on Crop Productivity Across Different Agro- Ecological Zones in India	University of Sydney	Dec. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Kamal Kumar Murari and Dr. Unmesh Patnaik		

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Knowledge Partner for Sustainable Finance Working Group (SFWG) for India's Presidency for G20 Summit 2022-23	Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance, Government of India	Jan. 2023	Ongoing	Dr. Unmesh Patnaik and Dr. Kamal Kumar Murari
	CENTRE FOR REGULATORY	POLICY AND GOVE	RNANCE	
Environmental Health Resource Hub (EHRH)	Elizabeth Weber	Sep. 2020	Writing Report	Dr. Chandrashekhar Joglekar
Mobility, Livelihood and People: Understanding the Social Environmental Impact of E-rickshaw in Matheran	Matheran Hill Station Municipal Council	Dec. 2022	Completed	Dr. Chaitanya Talreja
VII	RTUAL CENTRE FOR SCIENC	E, TECHNOLOGY AN	ID SOCIETY	
Analysis of Laws and Policies on Commons	Foundation for Ecological Security	Jan. 2021	Ongoing	Prof. Geetanjoy Sahu
Facilitating the Preparation of Community Forest Resource Management Plans and Identifying Potential Areas for Livelihood Enhancement Under the Forest Rights Act 2006	Integrated Tribal Development Office, Chandrapur	Jan. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Geetanjoy Sahu
Empowering Key Stakeholders in the Implementation of FRA	Integrated Tribal Development Office, Chandrapur	Jul. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Geetanjoy Sahu
Sustainable Forest Use and Management in Maharashtra	FLEX Foundation	Jul. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Geetanjoy Sahu
Strengthening Economic Opportunities for the Rural Poor through Natural Resource-based Livelihood Initiatives	Foundation for Ecological Security	Dec. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Geetanjoy Sahu
Facilitating the Preparation and Implementation of Community Forest Rights Conservation and Management Plans	Azim Premji Philanthropic Initiatives	Mar. 2023	Ongoing	Prof. Geetanjoy Sahu
	CENTRE FOR URBAN PO	LICY AND GOVERNA	ANCE	
Towards Sustainable Sanitation in India and Brazil	Royal Society Challenge Fund	Jan. 2018	Writing Report	Prof. Amita Bhide
Land, Housing and Property Rights: Tracing Policy Shifts and Emerging Issues in India and the Global South	Omidyar Network	Jan. 2020	Completed	Prof. Amita Bhide, Dr. Ratoola Kundu and Dr. Lalitha Kamath
Stories of Climate Action: Democratising Planning in Mumbai's Wetscapes	Azim Premji Foundation Climate Fund	Apr. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Lalitha Kamath
URBALTOUR [Subaltern Urbanisation in Touristic Southern and Eastern Asian mountains]	Agence Française de Développement	Jun. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Ratoola Kundu and Prof. Amita Bhide
Co-creating Community Resilience to Climate Change-Aggravated High-Tide Flooding in Coastal Kerala	AEIF, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, USA	Jun. 2022	Initiated	Prof. Manjula Bharathy

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Hightide & Climate Change in Kerala: Community Resilience and Adaptation of the Coastal Community	Ministry of Cultural Affairs, US Government	Jun. 2022	Writing Report	Prof. Manjula Bharathy
An Investigation of the Mixed Methods of Covtech to Enable Inclusive, Sustainable, and Smart Cities	University of Sydney	Jul. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Ratoola Kundu
Global Health Research Group on Disrupting the Cycle of GEndered Violence & Poor Mental Health among Migrants in Precarious Situations (GEMMS)	National Institute for Health Research	Aug. 2022	Initiated	Prof. Amita Bhide
Jal Jeevan Mission Chair Professor	National Jal Jeevan Mission, Department of Drinking Water and Sanitation, Gol	Sep. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Amita Bhide
Writing 2 Publish	Urban Studies Journal	Jan. 2023	Ongoing	Dr. Lalitha Kamath
Omidyar Network Lecture Series	Omidyar Network	Jun. 2023	Completed	Prof. Amita Bhide, Dr. Lalitha Kamat and Dr. Ratoola Kundu
CEN	NTRE FOR WATER POLICY, RI	EGULATION AND GO	VERNANCE	
Fast Forward to SDG6: Acceptable and Affordable Water Supply to Secondary Indian Cities	Department of Science and Technology, Ministry of Environment, Forests, and Climate Change, Government of India	Sep. 2019	Ongoing	Dr. Pranjal Deekshit
Exploring Policy Pathways for Aligning Livelihoods Restoration of Riverine Communities with Conserving Ganga	National Mission for Clean Ganga, Ministry of Jalshakti, Gol	Dec. 2021	Ongoing	Dr. Pranjal Deekshit
Jal Jeevan Mission Chair Professor	National Jal Jeevan Mission, Department of Drinking Water and Sanitation, Gol	Sep. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Pranjal Deekshit Dr. Suhas Bhasme, and Dr. Sachin Tiwale
Mobility, Livelihood and People: Understanding the Social Environmental Impact of E-rickshaw in Matheran	Matheran Hill Station Municipal Council	Dec. 2022	Completed	Dr. Suhas Bhasme

## FIELD ACTION PROJECT

## Transforming M Ward, estd. 2011

M (East) Ward, Mumbai

#### Sponsor

Export Credit Guarantee Corporation, Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai and World Resources Institute

#### **Objective**

The Transforming M Ward project was initiated in 2011, the platinum jubilee of TISS, in response to some of the most contemporary
challenges of our times and set up a model of inclusive and sustainable urban development.

#### **Programmes**

- · Running M Power Library and Study centre
- · Initiating programmes for urban greening
- · Creating models for livelihoods through SHGs

#### Faculty

Prof. Amita Bhide

## **Project Staff**

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Dr. Ratoola Kundu	Negotiating Bio-politics and Social Exclusion: Framing Practices of the Precariously Housed during the COVID-19 Pandemic	Athens, Greece	RC 21	24-26 Aug. 2022
Dr. Lalitha Kamath	Public Lecture: Infrastructure Development in a Cosmopolitan City Like Mumbai	Mumbai	SoHS, TISS	22 Sep. 2022
Dr. Lalitha Kamath	Public Lecture: Alchemising Urban Governance	Mumbai	SoHS, TISS	11 Oct. 2022
Dr. Lalitha Kamath and Dr. Ratoola Kundu	Mumbai Parking Workshop	Mumbai	CUPG, SoHS, TISS	13-20 Oct. 2022
Prof. Manjula Bharathy	Certificate Programme for Probation Officers	Mumbai	Government of Kerala	11-12 Nov. 2022
Prof. Manjula Bharathy	Workshop for Probation Officers	Mumbai	Dept. of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of Kerala	21-22 Dec. 2022
Dr. Sachin Warghade	Statistics and Sampling in Audit	Mumbai	Indian Audits and Accounts Department, Gol	19-20 Dec. 2022
Prof. Manjula Bharathy	Community Resilience and High Tide Flood	Ernakulam	US Ministry of Cultural Affairs	7 Jan. 2023

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Dr. Lalitha Kamath and Dr. Ratoola Kundu	CUPG Annual Lecture: Archiving Resistance – Repertoire of Urban Resistance in Jakarta	Mumbai	Omidyar Network and TISS	16 Jan. 2023
Dr. Ratoola Kundu	Smart Cities Mission in the Face of COVID: An Investigation of Smart Covid Responses In India	Mumbai	TISS	30 Jan. 2023
Dr. Ratoola Kundu	Understanding Covtech Responses in Mumbai from the Gound Up	Mumbai	University of Sydney	31 Jan. 2023
Prof. Manjula Bharathy	Community Mapping	Ernakulam	US Ministry of Cultural Affairs	3-4 Feb. 2023
Prof. Manjula Bharathy	Gender Counter Maps of the Climate Change	Ernakulam	US Ministry of Cultural Affairs	5 Feb. 2023
Dr. Sachin Warghade	Orientation Training on Regulatory Governance	Mumbai	National Academy of Audit and Accounts, Gol	24-25 Feb. 2023
Prof. Amita Bhide	Ideation Meet for Mahila Udhyam Kendra	Mumbai	TISS, Akshara Centre for Women. and Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai	28 Feb. 2023
Prof. Amita Bhide and Dr. Pranjal Deekshit	Emerging Issues in Rural Drinking Water Governance in India	Mumbai	TISS and IIT Bombay	2-3 Mar. 2023
Prof. Manjula Bharathy	Crystal Jubilee Celebration of the School of Habitat Studies	Mumbai	JJM Omidyar, School Fund and School Alums	9 Mar. to 10 Apr. 2023
Dr. Lalitha Kamath	Cities and Climate Action- Panel II	Mumbai	Right to the City Project	10 Mar. 2023
Dr. Ratoola Kundu	Sharing of Experiences on Evictions in Mumbai	Mumbai	University of Sydney, Australia	4 Apr. 2023
Prof. Manjula Bharathy	Gender Counter Maps of the Climate Change	Ernakulam	US Ministry of Cultural Affairs	10 Apr. 2023

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# **RESEARCH PROJECTS AND OTHER PROJECTS**

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Ambitions and Challenges for Person-Centred Health Monitoring in India: Impact of the Digital Transition on Key Populations	NA	Jan. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Nilesh Gawde
Building Capacities for Using Evidence for Tobacco Control: A Follow Up to GATS 2	CDC, Atlanta, USA	Jan. 20221	Ongoing	Prof. K. Anil Kumar, Prof. M. Sivakami, Dr. Nilesh Gawde, Dr. Narendra Kakade and Dr. Priyanka Dixit
A Study on Migrants' Emerging Mobility Patterns, High-Risk Behaviours, HIV Vulnerabilities and Responses During COVID-19 in India	NACO	Mar. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Rakesh Chandra, Prof. K. Anil Kumar, Dr. Nilesh Gawde and Dr. Priyanka Dixit,
Changing Sexual Networks and Unexplored Risk Behaviours of Truckers/Drivers and Allied Population in India	NACO, Gol	Mar. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Priyanka Dixit, Dr. Nilesh Gawde, Dr. Rakesh Chandra and Prof. K. Anil Kumar
A Multi-site Study on Feasibility, Acceptability, and Validity of Different Rapid Methods for Estimation of Potentially Missed Events to Measure COVID-19 Associated Mortality, including Mortalities Associated with Few Selected Comorbidities in India	ICMR	Jun. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Priyanka Dixit
Global Health Research Group on Disrupting the Cycle of GEndered Violence & Poor Mental Health among Migrants in Precarious Situations (GEMMS)	National Institute for Health Research, UK	Aug. 2022	Initiated	Prof. M. Sivakami
Evaluation Study of Community Action for Nutrition Project implemented by SATHI	Tribal Research and Training Institute	Mar. 2023	Initiated	Dr. Narendra Kakade and Dr. Nilesh Gawde
Independent Monitoring and Supervision of Primary Health Care Provisioning through Health and Wellness Centres in the State of Uttarakhand	National Health Mission, Uttarakhand (Uttarakhand Health & Family Welfare Society, Dept. of MH&FW, Govt. of Uttarakhand)	Mar. 2023	Initiated	Prof. Shankar Das

## FIELD ACTION PROJECT

## Saksham Pramaan, estd. 2021

Pan India

#### **Sponsor**

**GFATM through NACO** 

#### **Objective**

· To conduct evaluations of TI and LWS under NACP and programmatic evaluations

#### **Programmes**

- · Partnership with five universities
- · Capacity building at national and regional levels of the evaluations
- · Conducting evaluations of TI and LWS

#### **Project Staff**

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Dr. Feroz Ikbal	NABH Training Programme	Online	Centre for Hospital Managementt, TISS Mumbai	24-25 Jun. 2022
Prof. K. Anil Kumar, Prof. M. Sivakami, Dr. Priyanka Dixit, and Dr. Narendra Kakde	Second Scientific Writing Workshop on Global Adult Tobacco Survey 2	Mumbai	CDC Foundation, Atlanta; Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Gol; and WHO	24-26 Aug. 2022
Dr. Dhananjay Mankar	Webinar on Hospital Planning and Ancillary Services	Online	School of Online Learning, D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai	10 Sep. 2022
Dr. Priyanka Dixit, Prof. K. Anil Kumar, Prof. M. Sivakami, Dr. N. Gawde and Dr. Narendra Kakade	From Evidence to Action Series Workshop-I	Guwahati	CDC Foundation, Atlanta; Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Gol; WHO	10–11 Nov. 2022
Dr. Dhananjay Mankar	Workshop on Healthy Eating During Adolescence	Mumbai	Don Bosco Industrial Training Institute, Mumbai	23 Nov. 2022
Dr. Priyanka Dixit, Prof. K. Anil Kumar and Dr. Narendra Kakade	Third Scientific Writing Workshop on Global Adult Tobacco Survey 2	Online	CDC Foundation, Atlanta; Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Gol; WHO	15-16 Dec. 2022
Dr. Dhananjay Mankar	SIPHAMS 2022 Conference on "Sustainable Health Systems: Retracing Health Challenges through Public Health and Management Competencies"	Online	Saveetha Dental College and Hospitals, Chennai	20-21 Dec. 2022
Dr. Priyanka Dixit	Changing Sexual Networks and Unexplored Risk Behaviours of Truckers/ Drivers and Allied Population in India	TISS	NACO	26-30 Dec. 2022
Prof. Shankar Das	Global Social Action: Innovative and Preferred Practice Models	Online	State University of New York Plattsburgh	9 Jan. 2023
Prof. Shankar Das	Seminar on Artificial Intelligence in Machine Learning and Health Disparities	Online	Stony Brook University, USA	17 Jan. 2023
Prof. Shankar Das and Dr. Dhananjay Mankar	Management Development Programme in Health Care Quality Management and Safety	Mumbai	Department of Health and Family Welfare, Government of Odisha	21 Jan to 25 Apr. 2023
Dr. Dhananjay Mankar	3rd International Healthcare Management Conference: Future of Healthcare Strategies and Policies for Care-delivery and Wellbeing	Mumbai	AMDISA and K.J. Somaiya Institute of Management, Somaiya Vidyavihar University, Mumbai	28 Jan. 2023
Prof. Shankar Das	Seminar on Reframing Resilience: Strengthening Continuity of Patient Care to Improve the Mental Health of Immigrants and Refugees	Online	State University of New York Plattsburgh	30 Jan. 2023
Dr. Priyanka Dixit, Prof. K. Anil Kumar and Prof. M. Sivakami	Use of Multivariate Analysis and Applications	Online	Self-Financed	3–8 Apr. 2023
Dr. Dhananjay Mankar	Workshop on Analysis of Complex Survey Designs	Nagpur	Department of Community Medicine, Summer School of Social Medicine, AllMS, Nagpur	10-11 Apr. 2023

# **SCHOOL OF HUMAN ECOLOGY**

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# **RESEARCH PROJECTS AND OTHER PROJECTS**

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Unpacking the Covid-19 Effect: A Longitudinal Study on the Psychological Impact and Adaptation to Covid-19 in Mumbai and its Suburbs	Research Council, TISS	May 2020	Ongoing	Dr. Sukanya Ray and Dr. Chetna Duggal
How Effective is Supervisor Training? Evaluation of a Supervisor Training Programme in India from the Lens of Trainee Supervisors	NA	Jul. 2021	Writing Report	Dr. Chetna Duggal
Sehyogi Fellowhip: Mental Health and Psychosocial Support Fellowship in India	Americares India Foundation	Jan. 2022	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Dr. Aparna Joshi
Resilience Initiative for Mothers and Children: A Qualitative Evaluation	Porticus	Feb. 2022	Completed	Dr. Chetna Duggal
Mapping Good Practices for Addressing Intersections of Violence against Women and Psychosocial Well-being in South Asia	United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)	Jun. 2022	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Dr. Aparna Joshi
Online Safety and Well-being among Young Women in India	UNFPA	Jun. 2022	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Dr. Aparna Joshi
Global Health Research Group on Disrupting the Cycle of GEndered Violence & Poor Mental Health among Migrants in Precarious Situations (GEMMS)	National Institute for Health Research, UK	Aug. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Aparna Joshi
Mapping Mental Health and Psychosocial Support Interventions for Children and Adolescents in India	UNICEF	Aug. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Aparna Joshi
Youth Mental Health Research Fellowship	Zoomcares Foundation	Aug. 2022	Writing Report	Dr. Aparna Joshi
Reopening of Schools Post Covid-19 Lockdown: Exploring Children's Voices and Experiences	CRY	Sep. 2022	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. Rajani Konantambigi and Dr. Chetna Duggal
Cultural Differences in Students' Attitudes towards STEM Coursework and Mental Health: A Comparative Study between India and the UK	University College of London	Sep. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Sujata Sriram and Dr. Richa Khanna
Psychosocial Impact on Children with Psychiatry Disorders during the COVID-19 Pandemic: An Explanatory Mixed Method Study	Indian Council for Medical Research	May 2023	Initiated	Dr. Chetna Duggal

## **FIELD ACTION PROJECTS**

iCALL, estd. 2012 Mumbai

#### Sponsors

Mariwala Health Initiative, United Nations Population Fund, Americares India, Zoomcares, UNICEF India, and Zoomcares Foundation

#### **Objectives**

- To provide mental health and psychosocial counselling services to individuals in distress (with special focus on marginalised communities)
- · To build capacities of helping professionals & stakeholders involved in mental health service provision
- · To provide expertise, consultancy and services for the development of mental health services to the relevant stakeholders
- · To carry out research activities for knowledge creation in the field of mental health and psychosocial well-being
- · To create awareness around issues of mental health and psychosocial well-being
- To actively initiate partnerships and collaborations to promote well-being of communities and to develop effective psychosocial interventions/responses

## **Programmes**

- Provision of technology-assisted (helpline and email-based), professionally run, and free mental health and psychosocial counselling services to individuals in distress across the lifespan
- Provision of chat-based mental health and psychosocial counselling services at the national level, addressing issues of youth suicide and self-harm
- Provision of helpline-based mental health and psychosocial counselling services at the national level for addressing issues of child and adolescent mental health
- National-level Fellowships for youth mental health research and for integrating mental health in health and development initiatives in India
- · Capacity building of mental health and helping professionals
- Research activities in the area of mental health and psychosocial well-being

## Faculty

Dr. Aparna Joshi

## **Project Staff**

Programme Associate: Madhuri Tambe; Senior Programme Officer: Candida D'Souza; Lead Programme Officer: Neeraja Auti, Programme Officers: Anna Grace Sharon; Shantanu Tamore, Shamoita Bose' Shivani Bhandare, Mansi Bhadra, Senior Research Officer: Charul Katiyar, iCALL Supervisors: Debjani Mitra, Antara Thakur, Samiksha Korgaonkar, Pradnya Kanade, Sr. Counsellor: Kanchi Jain, Simran Kaur Chahal, Jyoti Mehta, Divya Mirani, Counsellors: Bhargvi Talekar, Surabhi Patel, Bandita Das, Jaishree Panwar, Siddhi Mhaskar, Meghna Menon, Neha Gori, Mainak Ghosh, Aneez Raina, Jeni Thakka, Aishwarya Kalra, Vera D'Souza, Nidhi Sinha, Swati Saxena; Youth Mental Health Chatline Counsellor: Reena Murani, Akhil Kumar, Vishva Shah, Dipti Trivedi; Counsellor, ICALL's CHAMPS Helpline: Shubhangi Pingulkar, Iram Fatima, Dinesh Nayak, Mansi Minocha, Debjani Chatterjee, Krithika; Research Officer: Priya Ratti; Research Assistants: Safvana Khalid, Madhullika, Arjita Sharda, Karishma Makhija, Vrinda Kakkar, Deepti Aswal; Programme Assistants: Kanica Bhutoria, Kamakshi Joshi, Manmeet Kaur; Content Creator: Drashti Sanghani; Admin Executive: Amruta Shelar; Admin Assistant: Sudhir Tambe; Accounts Executive: Shivani Potabatti; Part time- HR: Aditi Mehta, Communication Officer: Gayatri Lagu; Accountant: Manisha Jawale, Part Time - Accounts Assistant: Swati Mali; Attendants: Prashant Dethe and Chandrakant More

#### Sukoon, estd. 2017

Mumbai and various districts of Maharashtra

#### **Sponsor**

Mariwala Health Initiative

#### **Objectives**

- To strengthen the individual and relational well-being of communities by providing psychosocial counselling services to individuals, couples and families with matrimonial concerns in legal settings, and by sensitising the legal systems towards well-being issues.
- To build a replicable model of effective counselling interventions to address the psychosocial needs of the litigants with matrimonial concerns.

#### **Programmes**

- Individual, couple and family counselling (pre and post-litigation counselling for addressing couple and family well-being)
- Counselling for issues on Violence against women
- Capacity enhancement of legal personnel, mental health professionals, counsellors and helping professionals in the area of couple and family well-being
- · Conducting research in the area of couple and family well-being

#### Faculty

Dr. Aparna Joshi

#### **Project Staff**

Dr. Amrita Joshi (Project Co-director), Diksha Gupta (Project Officer), Jayesh Kande (Project Supervisor), Counsellors: Madhavi Joshi, Lima James Kannampuzha, Malavika Mukherjee, Divya Iyengar, Manjusha Deshmukh, Diksha Gunjal, Milind Wanjare, Vanita Raut, and Swati Mali (Admin Accounts Assistant)

## School Initiative for Mental Health Advocacy (SIMHA), estd. 2017

Mumbai

#### **Sponsor**

SBI Foundation and Porticus

#### **Objective**

· To establish sustainable mental health-friendly educational systems across contexts in India.

#### **Programmes**

- Mental Health Advocacy: To advocate for child and adolescent well-being with policymakers, school leadership, teachers, students, and parents by increasing mental health awareness and integrating mental health promotion, prevention and intervention in schools.
- Capacity Building: To train and empower school leaders, teachers and counsellors to create safe and emotionally healthy school spaces, promote child and adolescent well-being, and support young people experiencing mental health concerns, focusing on vulnerable groups and contexts.
- Research: To conduct high-quality research in the Indian context on child and adolescent mental health and on creating schools/ educational systems as communities of care with the aim of documenting current practices and developing contextually relevant programmes for mental health promotion, prevention and intervention.

#### **Faculty**

Dr. Chetna Duggal

#### **Project Staff**

Kanak Kataria, Diana Cherian, Shaheen Khan, and other SIMHA team members

#### Rahbar, estd. 2019

Mumbai

#### **Objectives**

#### Research

- To conduct high-quality research on psychotherapy and supervision in the Indian context to document current practices and map the needs of supervisors and supervisees
- To build a culture of evidence-based practice in supervision by creating supervisor training frameworks drawn from empirical research in the Indian context
- To build contextual models of supervision unique to the socially embedded realities of mental health practice in India
- · To evaluate the feasibility and impact of training and professional support interventions for supervisors.

#### Training and Professional Development

- To develop contextualised frameworks for supervisor training which are anchored in social justice and the cultural landscape of mental health practice in India
- To weave key concepts from theory and research on supervision (e.g. models of supervision, supervisee development) into the training framework and encourage critical reflection on their applicability in our context
- To collaborate with mental health professionals in remote parts of the country and facilitate professional development and create supportive spaces using peer networks and technology
- To create a database of supervisors in India, highlighting their experience, training and philosophy of supervision.

## **Programmes**

- Post Graduate Diploma in Supervision for Mental Health Practice
- · Invited lecture series
- · Trainings

#### **Project Staff**

Bakul Dua and Arushi Kothari

#### Faculty

Dr. Chetna Duggal

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#### PROGRAMMES ORGANISED

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Dr. Chetna Duggal	SIMHA: Reset, Review, Rethink — Being Back to School in 2022	Online	SBI Foundation	3-24 Jun. 2022
Dr. Chetna Duggal	SIMHA Well-being Ambassadors Programme	Online	SBI Foundation	6-28 Jun. 2022
Dr. Chetna Duggal	SIMHA First Response Training for SCERT, Sikkim	Online	SBI Foundation	28-29 Jun. 2022
Dr. Aparna Joshi	Sehyogi Fellowship: Integrating Mental Health and Psychosocial Well-Being into Health and Development Initiatives by Building Capacities of Helping Professionals	Online	Americares Foundation	1 Aug. 2022 to 30 Mar. 2023
Dr. Chetna Duggal	SIMHA: Reset, Review, Rethink: Being Back to School in 2022 (in collaboration with CENTA)	Online	SBI Foundation	11-25 Aug. 2022
Dr. Chetna Duggal	SIMHA: Mental Health Sensitisation Programme for Leaders of TDD, Maharashtra	Online	SBI Foundation	20 Aug. 2022
Dr. Aparna Joshi	Capacity Enhancement of One Stop Centre Counsellors of Madhya Pradesh on Provision of Psychosocial Support for Addressing Issues of Violence against Women	Bhopal	United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)	12-14 Sep. 2022
Dr. Chetna Duggal	SIMHA: Mental Health Awareness and Sensitisation Programme for APSWERIS Leaders	Online	SBI Foundation	19 Sep. 2022
Dr. Chetna Duggal	Rahbar Lecture Series	Online		1 Oct. 2022 to 28 Feb 2023

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Dr. Chetna Duggal	Training Programme for Counsellors of GNCT, Delhi	Delhi and Online	SBI Foundation	1-21 Oct. 2022
Dr. Chetna Duggal	World Mental Health Day Event: Launch of Training Manuals for School Stakeholders	Online	SBI Foundation	10 Oct. 2022
Dr. Chetna Duggal	SIMHA Mental Health Awareness and Sensitisation Programme for APSWERIS Teachers and Nurses	Online	SBI Foundation	17 Oct. to 29 Nov. 2022
Dr. Aparna Joshi	Capacity Enhancement of One Stop Centre Counsellors from Mizoram and Manipur on Provision of Psychosocial Support for Addressing Issues of Violence against Women	Guwahati	UNFPA	29 Nov. to 1 Dec. 2022
Dr. Aparna Joshi	Youth Mental Health Research Fellowships	Online	Zoomcares Foundation	1 Dec. 2022 to 1 May 2023
Dr. Aparna Joshi	Mental Health and Psychosocial Support Work With Adolescents and Young People	Bhopal	UNICEF	2–10 Dec. 2022
Dr. Chetna Duggal	Advanced Counsellor Training on A Whole School Approach to Mental Health Programmes	Online	SBI Foundation	28-20 Dec. 2022 and 23-25 Mar. 2023
Dr. Chetna Duggal	SIMHA Consultative Meet on School Mental Health	TISS Mumbai	SBI Foundation	15-17 Feb. 2023

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# **Centre for Police Studies and Public Security**

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# SCHOOL OF LAW, RIGHTS AND CONSTITUTIONAL GOVERNANCE

Since its establishment in 2012, the School of Law, Rights and Constitutional Governance (SLRCG) has been imparting socio-legal education and promoting access to justice to the marginalised and vulnerable groups. The School's main objective is to demonstrate socially relevant legal education and promote access to justice and human rights for all. The SLRCG signed an MoU with the University of the West of Scotland for academic collaborations in migration and forced migration.

The SLRCG offers an innovative Master in Laws Programme in Access to Justice, which prepares students to work towards making formal systems and structures of the law accessible to disadvantaged groups in society. The SLRCG has completed a decade of producing socially committed & people-centric lawyers who have rendered legal services to needy people nationwide. The LL.M. in Access to Justice programme employs multiple pedagogies to develop expertise in socio-legal research, policy analysis, advocacy, legislative reforms and critical legal analysis. Experiential pedagogy has been emphasised during the training to develop empathy and compassion for society's marginalised and vulnerable sections. Fieldwork/field immersion covers exposure for students to learn and deal with issues at grassroot levels and real-time socio-legal issues in urban and rural areas. It allows them to deal with socio-legal nuances and barriers to justice. The students can interact with various functionaries at governmental, judicial, quasi-judicial bodies, and civil society organisations. This refines their critical thinking and ability to develop human rights and social justice perspectives.

During the current academic year, the LL.M. students were placed for fieldwork across India in leading NGOs, and various judicial and quasi-judicial bodies. Some students worked closely with the Child Rights Commission, Maharashtra, where they proposed introducing Bal Adalat for speedy justice for the children victimised under the POCSO cases. A group of students was placed at the Maharashtra State Human Rights Commission (MSHRC), Mumbai, where they conducted fact-finding excersises in various government hospitals, prisons, beggar's homes, homes

for senior citizens, and children's homes. This factfinding report was released by the Hon'ble Governor of Maharashtra, Shri Bhagat Singh Koshyari on 10 December 2022, also celebrated as International Human Rights Day.

To provide field-based exposure to the LL.M. students, the SLRCG in collaboration with TISS Tuljapur Off-Campus, organised a public hearing in Karamba, Karambawadi, and Honala villages. Many women, elderly, youth and children enthusiastically participated and narrated their unmet socio-legal demands. The public hearing was attended by the Collector and this was an initiative to empower the community and access justice through legal instrumentalities.

Evidence-based research on socio-legal issues is also a core component of the LL.M. programme. The students were encouraged to choose topics of interest relating to Law and Development, Tribal Rights, Bonded Labour, Gender & Law, Juvenile Justice, Criminal Justice Administration, Victimology, International Humanitarian Law, Refugee, Statelessness and, Environmental Justice, etc. The students engaged in empirical research with a strong element of legal reforms and relevant suggestions and recommendations having significant implications on the lives and livelihoods of the marginalised sections of society.

The SLRCG collaborated as a knowledge partner in the research study on the 'Role of the Criminal Justice System in combatting the crime of Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC) in 5 districts of West Bengal from 2000 to 2019'. Conducted by the International Justice Mission, Kolkata, the report was published in 2022. The School was also associated as a knowledge partner with the Centre for Excellence in Criminal Law at ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad, in organising an International Conference on "Prismatic Perceptions of Victimology: Theory and Practice" from 9-11 September 2022. It participated as a knowledge partner in an international conclave on Green Criminology, Environment, and Justice in March 2023 with Maharashtra National Law University, Mumbai.

The SLRCG has been engaged with knowledge dissemination and capacity building through

numerous training programmes for the Indian Forest Service Officers, Prison Officials, Senior Officers of the Indo-Tibetan Border Police (ITBP), Ministry of Home Affairs, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change; and senior Police Officers of Madhya Pradesh. A capacity-building workshop with the Centre for Law, Policy, Research, Bangalore, was organised on "Indian Constitutional History & Supreme Court Observer" on 17 September 2022. The SLRCG and School of Habitat Studies jointly organised a Workshop for Probation Officers of the Department of Social Justice & Empowerment, Government of Kerala, on 21 & 22 December 2022.

The School organised an Alumni Meet on 11 February 2023 with the objectives of strengthening the TISS Office of Alum Affairs and effective implementation of the UGC circulars on" Student Career Progression & Alumni Network" 2019 & 2021. Alums from 2014 onwards participated in both the online and offline modes. It is noteworthy that our alums are serving as Civil Judges /Judicial Magistrates in various States. Some of them have qualified UGC/NET and are pursuing Ph.D. from leading universities in India

and abroad. Many are part of the legal faculty at prestigious law universities nationwide. Several alums are engaged in litigation in various courts across the country and have initiated their community-based legal organisations to provide access to justice for marginalised and vulnerable people.

The SLRCG, in collaboration with the School of Development Studies, organised a series of lectures on the Ukraine-Russian War and Indian and Pakistani Policies to emphasise the ongoing international policy nuances and development. During the year 2022-2023, the SLRCG two courses (2 credits each) in M.A. in International Development Practice, jointly offered by TISS & Monash University, and Master' in International Development Practice launched by the School of Development Studies, TISS Mumbai.

Prof. Arvind Tiwari has been nominated as a Member, UGC Committee for Drafting Learning Outcome based Curriculum Framework in Criminology. Dr. K.M. Parivelan has been nominated as Member of Advisory Committee for Sri Lankan Tamil Refugees Welfare by the Government of Tamil Nadu.

#### RESEARCH PROJECTS

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Role of the Criminal Justice System in Combatting the Crime of Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC) in 5 districts of West Bengal from 2000 to 2019	NA	Mar. 2018	Completed	Prof. Arvind Tiwari
Fact Finding Report Promoting, Monitoring and Upholding Human Rights for Marginalised Section of Society in Maharashtra	Maharashtra State Human Rights Commission	Dec. 2022	Completed	Prof. Arvind Tiwari, Dr. Devkumar Jacob and Dr. Sonali Kusum

#### FIELD ACTION PROJECT

## Access to Justice to the Adivasi Population in MP, estd. 2015

Betul, Harda and Khandwa Districts of Madhya Pradesh

#### Sponsor

TISS Mumbai

#### **Objective**

· To make justice accessible to the tribal and other marginalised population in MP

#### **Programmes**

- · Legal Intervention and access to courts
- Legal literacy and legal awareness to Adivasi Population
- · Empowerment of the marginalised to access justice

#### **Faculty**

Dr. Shamim Modi

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# **PROGRAMMES ORGANISED**

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Dr. K.M. Parivelan	Responding to Refugees in Complex Emergencies	Online	University of the West of Scotland and Edinburgh University, UK	20 Jun. 2022
Dr. Shamim Modi	Emotional Intelligence and Policing	Bhopal	Madhya Pradesh Police Academy	22-24 Aug. 2022
Prof. Arvind Tiwari	Prismatic Perceptions of Victimology: Theory and Practice	Hyderabad	Centre for Excellence ICFAI Law School, IFHE, Hyderabad	9-11 Sep. 2022
Dr. Sonali Kusum	Workshop on Indian Constitutional History & Supreme Court Observer Workshop	TISS Mumbai	SLRCG, Centre for Law, Policy, Research and Supreme Court Observer, Bengaluru.	17 Sep. 2022
Prof. Arvind Tiwari	Training Programme on Leadership & Managerial Skills for Second-in- Command Officers of the Indo- Tibetan Border Police (ITBP)	Mumbai	ITBP, Ministry of Home Affairs, Gol	3-4 Oct. 2022
Dr. Shamim Modi	Mid-Career Training on Enhancing Emotional Intelligence for Sensitive Policing	TISS, Mumbai	Madhya Pradesh Police Academy( MPPA)	25-29 Oct. 2022
Prof. Arvind Tiwari and Dr. Sonali Kusum	Workshop for Probation Officers	Mumbai	Dept. of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of Kerala	21-22 Dec. 2022
Dr. Sonali Kusum	Alumni Meet of LLM Students	TISS Mumbai	SLRCG, TISS Mumbai.	11 Feb. 2023
Prof. Arvind Tiwari	International Conclave on Green Criminology: Crime, Justice & Environment	Mumbai	Maharashtra National Law University, Mumbai	25-26 Mar. 2023

# **SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT AND LABOUR STUDIES**

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# **SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT AND LABOUR STUDIES**

The School of Management and Labour Studies (SMLS) has several milestones to claim while offering a variety of academic, executive and management development programmes. It offers five Master's Degree programmes in Human Resources Management and Labour Relations; Labour Studies and Practices; Social Entrepreneurship; Data Analytics; Organisation Development, Change and Leadership; and a BS in Analytics and Sustainability Studies. The School also offers Executive Post-Graduate Diploma Programmes (EPGD) in Human Resources Management; Organisation Development and Change; Analytics; Social Entrepreneurship; and Innovative Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR), and an Online Programme in Social Entrepreneurship (OPSE).

Customised Management Development Programmes (MDPs) is yet another vertical in which the School has demonstrated significant contribution. The School has been steadily working towards enhancing its engagement in terms of the number and variety of MDPs. During the year, the SMLS conducted programmes of different durations for large private sector corporations and public sector units, amongst others. Some of the programmes were conducted independently by the School and others with knowledge partners. Depending on the client's requirements, the programmes were conducted on campus, virtually, or in the client's premises. The MDPs organised during the year 2022-2023 were on:

- "Aligning and Achieving Business Strategy using Balanced Scorecard" for managers of a large public sector bank (organised by Dr. Sunil Budhiraja).
- "Advanced Development Programme on Employer Branding" with a knowledge partner (organised by Dr. Gordhan Kumar Saini).
- "Human Relations Certificate Programme' for a large automobile major (organised by Dr. Noel G. Machado)
- "Employee Relations Certificate Programme (ERCP)" for a large automobile company (organised by Prof. Sasmita Palo)

- Programme for a public sector power company on "Notable HR Practices, HR Dashboards and HR Analytics" (organised by Dr. Sarala Rao).
- Programme for a public sector bank offering inputs on Strategic HRM and Future of HR, Managing Motivation of a Multigenerational Workforce, Design Thinking, Role of HRM Practices in Managing Change, Digital Tools & HR Analytics and Mental Wellness (organised by Prof. Sreeram Sivaramakrishnan).
- "Performance Management" for a large Mutual Fund house (Prof. Zubin Mulla and Dr. Sunil Budhiraja).

# Centre for Human Resources Management and Labour Relations

The Centre for Human Resources Management and Labour Relations (CHRM&LR) successfully completed instruction for the M.A. HRM&LR batch of 2022-2023, as well as the tenth Batch of EPGD in HRM. The highlights of the M.A. programme are emphasis on multiple learning contexts – fieldwork, research, and classroom discussions. The Batch, which had 23 women, had 100% successful placement. 65 students out of the participating Cohort of 69 received a package of Rs. 20 Lakhs and above, while 27 students received pre-placement offers. The participating companies included Accenture, Accenture Strategy, Aditya Birla Group, Asian Paints, Deloitte India, Flipkart, HUL, ITC, Korn Ferry, Marico, Nestle, and TAS. First time recruiters included Google, IDFC First Bank, PI Industries, Pine Labs, ReNew Power, and UPL. The sector-wise placements were: FMCG/FMCD (25.8%), Engineering and Technology, Conglomerates, and Manufacturing (13.6% each), Consulting (10.6%), BFSI (7.6%), PSUs and E-Commerce (4.5% each), and IT/ITES, Pharmaceuticals and Healthcare (3% each). The Summer Placement Process for Batch of 2022-2024 with 77 students (including 32 women) also recorded 100% success.

The 25<sup>th</sup> edition of Manthan, the flagship Annual Management & Cultural Fest of the Students was held on 17 and 18 February 2023. The theme was 'Revive, Rejuvenate, Reimagine' with events related to Management & Cultural, Case-Competitions & Games

and DJ night. Students from reputed institutions like XLRI, IIM Lucknow, SCMHRD and SIBM, participated.

25 Students participated in various academic competitions and won awards demonstrating academic talents. The major Awards were ET National Award for Best Student in Management, Best Research Paper at FICCI First International Industrial Relations Summit, and Prof. Ram Charan Young HR Icon Award 2022. Also, Mr. Krishna Kumar Thakur, student of the 10<sup>th</sup> batch of EPGDHRM and Officer of Indian Railways Personnel Services (IRPS) - 1998 was selected as Director, Human Resources, Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd (BHEL) - a Maharatna PSU.

# **Centre for Social Entrepreneurship**

28 students are graduating in M.A. in Social Entrepreneurship from the Centre for Social Entrepreneurship (CSE). Students have initiated social start-ups in groups and also as individuals. A group of four students have come together to launch the start-up 'Water Blossom' to offer composting solutions and Bio-enzyme natural cleaners as key offerings.

18 students opted for placement so as to contribute to solving social problems while working in the development sector, CSR departments of companies, finance and consulting firms. The major recruiters were Social Alpha, Lets Endorse, NuSocia, Tata Power, Swadesh Foundation, Bajaj Auto Swakarma Finance, Aavishkaar Capital, EY and Intellecap.

The Centre also offers Dual Master's Programme – M.A. in Social Entrepreneurship (TISS) & M.S. in International Business (Queen Mary University of London, UK). The OPSE was offered to two cohorts of 32 students, to train professionals from different disciplines on social entrepreneurship. In addition, the Centre also offered the EPGD in Social Entrepreneurship at Hyderabad. 16 students from Cohort 1 completed the programme in 2023 and 9 are currently pursuing it in the second Cohort. The other collaborative programmes include WISE with Chaitanya, Avahan under Rural Fellowship Certificate Programme, and Certificate Course on 'Management of SHGs and Federation'.

The Centre organised its annual International Conference on 'Uncertainty, Social Entrepreneurship and Role of Technology' from 22-24 February 2023.

It was attended by 180 delegates including students, academicians, scholars, practitioners and policymakers. Prof. Sankaran Venkatraman (MasterCard Professor of Business Administration and Senior Associate Dean for Faculty and Research at Darden School, University of Virginia, USA) delivered the Sharit Bhowmik Memorial Lecture. Some of the invited Expert Speakers were, Mr. Shridhar Venkat (CEO, Akshaya Patra Foundation); Dr. Sophie Bacq (Larry and Barbara Sharp Professor, Kelley School of Business, Indiana University, USA, and Field Editor, Journal of Business Venturing); and Dr. Pradeep Singh Kharola, Retd. IAS (Chairman of National Recruitment Agency, Ex-Secretary, Ministry of Civil Aviation, Gol and Ex-CMD, Air India).

Prof. Satyajit Majumdar briefed the Hon'ble President of India, Shrimati Droupadi Murmu at Rashtrapati Bhawan on the Round Table on Inclusive and Sustainable Development' which he Co-Chaired at the 'Festival Innovation and Entrepreneurship organised by National Innovation Foundation (Department of Science and Technology, Gol). Professor Samapti Guha delivered the Keynote Address on 'Women Representation in Management in India' at the National Seminar on Women in the Urban Economy at Mumbai. Dr. Archana Singh was invited to deliver a lecture on the 'Role of Universities and Incubators to Promote and Support Social Entrepreneurship: The TISS Model' at the International Conference on 'Building Social Entrepreneurial Ecosystem for a More Sustainable and Resilient Society' organised by GNLU, Gandhinagar. Dr. Edakkandi Meethal Reji was a Panelist on 'Challenges of Women Entrepreneurship in India' as part of the National Conference of Women Entrepreneurship: Challenges and Opportunities held at Bhopal. Dr. Surendra Kansara delivered sessions on 'Warehouse Management' at the IMT-Nagpur.

Entrepreneurship-Cell (E-Cell): This was initiated in 2010 to foster the spirit of social entrepreneurship amongstudents. It has many initiatives to its credit including expert speaker sessions and iPreneur'23. It is also instrumental in undertaking various activities on innovation and entrepreneurship of Institutions Innovation Council (IIC) under the guidance of Incubation Centre. IPreneur'23, the flagship event of the Students was held on 4-5 March 2023.

**Incubation Centre**: This is now a Section 8 Company called TISS Incube Foundation, which runs the

incubation programme to support early-stage social start-ups, entrepreneurs and innovators. The Centre incubated five start-ups at various locations in India, 12 in Chhattisgarh and 20 in Jammu & Kashmir. A major highlight of the Incubation Centre is as 'Knowledge Partner' of the 'Social Innovation Immersion Programme' of the Biotechnology Industry Research Assistance Council (BIRAC) of the Department of Biotechnology, Gol where it supports 127 technology start-ups located at various locations in the country. The Incubation Centre also leads the Pernod Ricard India Foundation (PRIF) Transformation Fellowship Programme for Transgender Youth, a one-of-a-kind programme aimed towards training, guiding and supporting transgender youth to craft their career goals. The Centre has partnered with Pernod Ricard India Foundation and Collective Good Foundation to support 14 transgender youth across the country.

## **Centre for Social and Organisational Leadership**

Students of the Centre for Social and Organisational Leadership (CSOL) have showcased their skills and capabilities in internal consulting, building learning organisations, and organisational transformations. They have also won competitions, while getting widespread appreciation from recruiters for their unique approach to organisational diagnosis, analysis, and solution implementation. The Centre has revised and improved the Leadership as Service (LAS) initiative in the M.A. in Organisation Development, Change and Leadership programme wherein the students worked with non-profit and start-up organisations as consultants and added fieldwork in manufacturing and operations to get substantial inputs on business and operations.

Dr. Sunil Budhiraja's research paper on 'Outcomes of Learning Organisation: A Bibliometric Analysis and Future Research Agenda' has been accepted for presentation at the Academy of Management Meetings to be held in Boston, USA, Dr. Koel Nath's research proposal titled 'Doing 'emotion' as doing 'gender': Building a case for inclusion in higher educational institutions' has been accepted for presentation at the Critical Edge Alliance Conference 2023 to be held at Al Akhawayn University in Ifrane, Morocco.

Major events of the Centre include sessions of odX by Prof. Ramnarayan Subramaniam on 'Three Mindsets for Dealing with Non-routine Challenges' and by Prof. Neharika Vohra on 'Managing Change and Creating Employee Engagement'.

The 4<sup>th</sup> Edition of Samagam, the annual alumni meet of the Centre was organised by the Aspirants & Alumni Relations Team (AART), wherein 200 stakeholders including faculty, resource persons, staff, alumni and current students attended. The highlight was a panel discussion on 'Leadership in OD and How OD Facilitates Leadership', with panellists Ms. Bhavana Issar (Author & Founder CEO, Caregiver Saathi Foundation), Mr. Sankarasubramanyan Ramamoorthy (Director, Changeworks India) and Mr. Joel Gonsalves (VP, Human Capital, Dentsu) with Dr. Joseph George (Adjunct Faculty, CSOL) as moderator.

#### **Centre for Labour Studies (CLS)**

The Centre for Labour Studies (CLS) continued its commitment to advancing knowledge and awareness about labour and work issues while offering a range of opportunities to the students, faculty, and the larger community, including internships, lectures, and workshops. An internship is an integral part of the curriculum allowing students to gain practical experience in labour-intensive organisations and trade unions. Internships were offered in organisations like Aditya Birla Group, Asian Paints Limited, Crompton and Greaves Limited, Cipla Limited, GRP Limited, Godrej Limited, Indian Oil Corporation Limited, Havells India Limited, Haier, IFB Industries Limited, Owens Corning, Pepsico Inc., V-Guard India Limited, and trade unions like Rashtriya Mill Mazdoor Sangh, NASVI Delhi, Street Hawkers Federation of India, Mumbai Port Trust Dock and Employees Union. Students also attended a month-long workshop on Organisation and Management Studies covering various subjects like organisation theory and design, organisational behaviour, compensation and benefit, performance management, business strategy, consumer behaviour, and sales & distribution.

The Centre organised a Leadership Talk Series featuring pioneers in the industry who shared their experiences and views about relevant topics on labour. This year's speakers were from Khaitan and Co. and Dalberg. The themes covered were related to advancing opportunities for women and men in decent and productive work in conditions of freedom, equity, security, and human dignity.

The Centre organised its Annual Labour Conclave "Vaishvik" on the theme 'Labour and Work: Potence and Possibilities'. The Conclave provided a platform for scholars, practitioners, and students to come together and discuss key labour issues. That included keynote speeches, panel discussions, and lectures, covering a wide range of topics such as labour laws, gender and work, informal labour, and digital labour. Experts from the International Labour Organisation, Labour Department of the Gol, National Institute of Industrial Engineering, Kamgar Sanrakshan Samman Sangh, Rashtriya Mazdoor Sangh, Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung, Bosch India Limited, Everest Industries Limited, Genpact, Adani Ports and SEZ Limited, TATA Power and ABG Grasim Industries delivered the sessions.

#### **Labour Market Research Facility**

The Labour Market Research Facility's (LMRF) first M.A./M.Sc. Analytics Batch will witness 22 students graduating with placement in organisations like actyv. ai, Axtria, Deloitte, EXL Analytics, Experian, E&Y, Holcim, Lucy Electric, McKinsey, Mindtickle, Rebel Foods, Sutherland, Thermo Fisher Scientific, and UPI.

The LMRF has undertaken several research projects that address important issues in various fields. Major projects include "Low-Cost Innovative Technology for Water Quality Monitoring and Water Resource Management for Urban and Rural Water Systems in India" funded by the European Union and the Department of Science and Technology, Gol; "Confidence Index Measurement Tool Development for Schools in India", funded by Leadership Boulevard Private Limited"; "Impact of Soil Health Card in Semi-Arid Regions in India", funded by the IMPRESS Scheme at ICSSR; "Due Diligence in Leather Tanning Industry in Tamil Nadu", funded by ITX TRADING S.A, Switzerland; and "Impact of Digital Platforms in Small Enterprises and Employment in India", funded by MSL Group.

The LMRF, in collaboration with the Directorate of Higher Education, Goa, hosted a 10-day Faculty Development Programme to enhance faculty members' quantitative data analytical skills and academic writing. 35 faculty members from 18 colleges under the Directorate of Higher Education, Goa, participated.

#### RESEARCH AND OTHER PROJECTS

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Financial Health of Slum Dwellers in Mumbai	Research Council, TISS	Sep. 2019	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. Samapti Guha
Women Entrepreneurship in India	SMLS	May 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Samapti Guha
Living Wage Estimation for Garment Industry	Asia Floor Wage Alliance	Aug. 2022	Completed	Dr. Rahul S.
Employee Relations Certificate Programme	Tata Motors Limited	Oct. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Sasmita Palo
Value Chain Analysis of Electronics Industry in Tamil Nadu India	CIVIDEP	Apr. 2023	Initiated	Dr. Rahul S.

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# **PROGRAMMES ORGANISED**

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Prof. Satyajit Majumdar	Social Innovation Immersion Programme	Mumbai and other locations	BIRAC Technology Industry Research Assistance Council, Department of Biotechnology, Gol	1 Jun. 2022 to 14 May 2023
Prof. Satyajit Majumdar	Transformation Fellowship Programme for Transgender Youth	Mumbai	Pernod Ricard India	1 Jul. 2022 to 14 May 2023
Prof. Sasmita Palo	Employee Relations Certificate rogramme	Online	Tata Motors Limited	12 Oct. 2022 to 31 May 2023
Prof. Gordhan Kumar Saini	Advanced Employer Branding Development Programme	TISS Mumbai	TISS and People Business	17-19 Nov. 2022
Dr. Rahul S	Public Lecture: Conversing Sustainability – A Talk Series for Our Sustainble Futures	TISS	LMRF	15 Jan. to 31 Mar. 2023
Dr. Sarala Rao	Notable HR Practices, HR Dashboards and HR Analyticss	Mumbai	Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd	16-18 Jan. 2023
Prof. Sreeram Sivaramakrishnan and Prof. Sasmita Palo	Contemporary Practices in Human Resource Management	Mumbai	Central Bank of India	17-19 Jan. 2023
Dr. Archana Singh and Prof. Samapti Guha	International Conference on Uncertainty, Social Entrepreneurship and Role of Technology	TISS Mumbai	ICSSR	22-24 Feb. 2023
Prof. Sasmita Palo	Competence-based Interviews	Kochi	Federal Bank	5-6 Apr. 2023

# **SCHOOL OF MEDIA AND CULTURAL STUDIES**

**Dean**: Prof. Lakshmi Lingam (till 28 February 2023) **Dean**: Prof. Shilpa Phadke (from 1 March 2023)

# **Centre for Critical Media Praxis**

Chairperson: Mr. K.V. Nagesh

Ms. Nithila Kanagasabai Dr. Harmanpreet Kaur Dr. Shilpi Gulati

**Centre for the Study of Contemporary Culture** 

Chairperson: Dr. Faiz Ullah

# **SCHOOL OF MEDIA AND CULTURAL STUDIES**

The School of Media and Cultural Studies continues to realise its vision and commitment towards critical media education, research, production, dissemination, and extension as well as networking. This year has been the first full academic year that we have been on campus since the Covid-19 pandemic. It has been a difficult, but also exhilarating, year to return to our campus programmes and activities, including the biennial Cut.In student film festival, which had a very successful 12<sup>th</sup> edition in February 2023.

#### **Teaching Programmes**

SMCS has an ongoing M.A. in Media and Cultural Studies that is in its 16th year. The current M.A. student strength is 32 (8 seniors and 24 juniors).

#### **Research and Production**

The School of Media and Cultural Studies has partnered with the US Consulate for a project titled "Lights, Camera and Time for Action: Recasting Gender Equality Compliant Hindi Cinema". The project aims at studying gender parity in Hindi films, both on-screen and behind the screen, from a multi-stakeholder perspective. This project included a quantitative study on the state of gender both on and off screen in Hindi cinema and three qualitative studies titled: (a) Calling the Shots: Women Directing Hindi Cinema; (b) Scripting Change: Women Screenwriters in Contemporary Hindi Cinema; and (c) Talking Back: Creative and Critical Audience Responses to Skewed Gender Representation in Hindi cinema.

As part of this project, students of the class of 2021-23 made four short public service announcements (PSAs) titled: *To-Let Toilet, Project Stree-Finding Faces, Sanskriti Ai* and *Not an Option,* and three short documentary films, titled *New Girl in the City, Dekho Magar Pyar Se,* and *Kaali Peeli* focussed on gender, the city of Mumbai and the film industry. An Advisory Committee composed of noted personalities in filmmaking was formed to support the project for facilitating the dissemination of the research findings and active engagement with multiple stakeholders.

Presentations based on this research, which included the screening of the student-made PSAs, have been made at the India Film Project (IFP) (Mumbai, October 2022), 53<sup>rd</sup> International Film Festival of India (Goa, November 2022), Pune International Film Festival (Pune, February 2023), SamaBhav Film Festival (Mumbai, February 2023), Cinema Collective (Mumbai, March 2023), and International Association of Women in Radio and Television (New Delhi, March 2023). The four PSAs by SMCS students have travelled with the SamaBhav Film Festival to pan India locations, including Symbiosis (Pune), Ahmedabad University, Kashmir University, IIT Guwahati, and Christ University (Bangalore), to name a few.

A project titled 'Exploring Gendered Access to Digital Technologies', funded by the American Jewish World Service, was a collaboration with CORO India, a grassroots organisation in Maharashtra managed by Scheduled Caste and Muslim men and women. As a part of the project, youth leaders from the community were involved in the video voice methodology and smartphone filmmaking. The project culminated in the production of six films exploring ideas of freedom as experienced and expressed by the filmmakers. The films broadly capture the ideas of sexual desire, personal expression through Instagram reels, access to public spaces, conventions of beauty and the meaning of freedom in contemporary India as experienced by young men. The project also conducted a qualitative study on the broader issues of freedom, unfreedom, and gendered access to technology through interviews and focussed group discussion within the community.

The School has also received a new grant from the American Jewish World Service for a research and media production project titled "Exploring Digital Citizenship Among Youth in India: Expressions, Assertions, and Negotiations". The project will explore how young people understand digital and citizenship to be related in contemporary times and how they use digital and online technologies to make citizenship claims in their everyday, local and national contexts. The year-long project will commence in July 2023.

# **School Events**

**Cut.In** is a biennial national students' film festival led by the students of the SMCS with faculty support. The 12th edition of Cut.in was held from 15-17 February 2023. The three-day festival began with a workshop on "Gender Representation, Inclusion, and Cinema". Curated by the School for all the young participating film-makers, it included a presentation and discussion on select insights from our ongoing study 'Lights, Camera, Time for Action: Recasting a Gender Compliant Hindi Cinema'; screening of student PSAs on the theme of gender and cinema; and an interactive session on creative film criticism by *The Swaddle*, a popular health, gender, and culture magazine.

The festival featured 9 short fiction and 9 documentaries by student filmmakers from across the country. The films were curated by the students of the SMCS who selected the line-up of films from 25 entries for documentary and 23 for fiction. Prof. Anjali Monteiro and Prof. K.P. Jayasankar (former faculty members of SMCS) served as the jury to select films for awards in the technical and non-technical categories. Renowned filmmaker Leena Yadav was the Chief Guest who presented the awards to the prize winners.

The School conducts **public talks** open for TISS students across the campus. Dr. Perveez Mody (University of Cambridge, UK) gave a talk on 'Dislocations of Kinship & Times of Care: "Forced Marriage" in the UK: The School also partnered with Netflix in organising an event titled 'Refracting Reality: Conversation with Actors & Makers of *Trial By Fire'* – a Netflix series based on the Uphaar Cinema Tragedy. In addition, a media industry-oriented interactive session was organised for the students with the filmmaker Ashwiny lyer Tiwari in November 2022.

The **Adda Film Club** is a faculty-guided, student-led activity where documentaries/short films are screened along with an interaction between the filmmakers and students. This year, the Club organised 8 film screenings online. A variety of established filmmakers and students from SMCS and other institutes were invited by the club committee. Films screened by the club include: *We Make Films* by Shweta Ghosh, *Ee. Maa. Yau* by Lijo Jose Pelliser, *Manthan* by Shyam Bengal, *In the Mood for Love* by Wong Kar Wai, and *Three Colours: White by Krzysztof Kieslowski*.

#### **Placements**

The students who graduated from the School are involved in the CDFC and school-level placement process with organisations like Bajaj, Scroll Eco, Habitat for Humanity India and Breakthrough.

#### **Student Films**

The students of SMCS actively engage in several short and long non-fiction projects as a part of their coursework. As a part of 'Working with Video I', the junior students produced 8 PSAs on the broad theme of accessibility. The teams explored issues of meat ban in educational institutions, challenges faced by women tenants, increasing fees in universities of higher education, food wastage, improper road infrastructure, inclusive bathrooms, and religious freedom. The short films made by the senior students as a part of 'Working with Video II' demonstrated their engagement with the city of Mumbai with the Hindi film industry and issues of gender. In terms of form, the films explored personal narratives, archival material, and character-based storytelling, merging the boundaries of fiction and nonfiction.

The students produced two films as their final media project. Stillness in Motion captures impressions about the city of Mumbai as experienced in the multiple journeys taken in the local trains. The filmmakers poetically delve into the idea of 'sonder' by capturing evocative visuals of the women's compartment, fleeting moments of rest and leisure, and the everyday negotiations with the chaos, commitments and pressures of living in the metropolis. In *Tol Mol*, the student filmmakers explored the persistence of caste identities and caste-based discrimination against the broader social mobility trends facilitated by migration, urbanisation, anti-caste social and political movements, and constitutional provisions for substantive representation. The filmmakers navigate this complex terrain through reflections of men and women across three generations who, while making political and economic progress, often face a social order that, even while professing liberal values, remains rigid and exclusionary.

# **RESEARCH PROJECTS AND OTHER PROJECTS**

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	<b>Present Position</b>	Faculty
Gender & Safety Mapping: Initiatives to make Hyderabad Safe for Women and Girls	Hyderabad Police, Govt. of Telangana	Mar. 2020	Ongoing	Prof. Lakshmi Lingam
Exploring Gendered Access to Digital Technologies among Resource Poor Communities in Mumbai	American Jewish World Service	Jul. 2020	Ongoing	Prof. Lakshmi Lingam and Prof. Shilpa Phadke
Testing and Scaling Approaches and Interventions to support Gender Transformative Work with the National Rural Livelihoods Mission	Chaitanya	Mar. 2021		Prof. Lakshmi Lingam
Friendship and its Possibilities	Self	Jun. 2021	Ongoing	Prof. Shilpa Phadke and Ms. Nithila Kanagasabai
"Lights, Camera, and Time for Action": Recasting Gender Equality Compliant Hindi Cinema	US Consulate	Sep. 2021	Writing Report	Prof. Lakshmi Lingam, Prof. Shilpa Phadke, Dr. Faiz Ullah, Dr. Harmanpreet Kaur, Ms. Nithila Kanagasabai and Dr. Shilpi Gulati.

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# **PROGRAMMES ORGANISED**

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Dr. Harmanpreet Kaur	Frames of Reference Online Post-Graduate Student's Seminar: Interrogating Gender in Hindi Cinema	Online	US Consulate, Mumbai	22-26 Jun. 2022
Dr. Harmanpreet Kaur	3rd AFSSA Online Conference: Borders and Conflicts in Cinema(s)	Online	Prof. Vivek Sachdeva (GSSIP University, Delhi), Dr. Hariprasad Athanickal (EFL University, Hyderabad), Dr. Chandrakant Langare (Shivaji University, Kolhapur), Prof. Nishat Haider (Jamia Milia Islamia, Delhi), Dr. Harmanpreet Kaur	4-6 Nov. 2022
Prof. Lakshmi Lingam, Prof. Shilpa Phadke and Dr. Faiz Ullah	Gender Representation, Inclusion, and Hindi Cinema	TISS Mumbai	US Consulate, Mumbai	15 Feb. 2023

# **SCHOOL OF RESEARCH METHODOLOGY**

Associate Dean: Prof. Anil S. Sutar

Prof. D.P. Singh

# SCHOOL OF RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

The School of Research Methodology anchors the coursework component of the Ph.D. programme of the Institute. The School faculty also coordinates the Modular Workshops on Research Methodology for the off-campus Ph.D. students. The School's faculty members are members of the Doctoral Advisory Committees (DAC) of Doctoral scholars across the Schools and Centres in the Institute. Apart from Ph.D. related teaching and guidance, they are also involved in teaching the Research Methodology courses at different Master's level programmes of the Institute.

In 2022-2023, the SRM faculty members researched and published several papers in education, demography and research methodology. They have also organised several national-level workshops on Research Methodology and Data Analysis. The faculty have

contributed as resource persons, discussants and chairpersons of the panel discussions and as paper presenters at national and international workshops/ seminars/conferences promoting the practice of research, advocacy and capacity-building.

The School faculty have represented TISS in the TESA (Teaching Evaluation in South Asia), a collaborative project of several universities and institutes from Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Afghanistan, Nepal and India. The project has brought out a curriculum for a teaching programme in Evaluation to be launched at universities in South Asia. As part of this collaboration, the School is working towards launching Diploma and Certificate programmes in Evaluation Research. The School faculty have also worked as members of several public boards/committees and have contributed to policy-making.

#### **RESEARCH PROJECT**

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Caste, Politics and Development: A Study of Reserved Constituencies in Karnataka	Research Council, TISS	Jun. 2011	Ongoing	Prof. Anil Sutar

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

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# RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

**Deputy Director**: Prof. Bino Paul

Dr. Sanchita Das

# RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

Research and Development is pivotal in integrating the Institute with its vision and mission. It coordinates doctoral programmes, research funds, and capacity building.

#### **Doctoral Students Office**

During 2022-2023, aligning with the University Grants Commission Regulation 2022, the governance of Ph.D. programme was revised. The Doctoral Student Office (DSO) developed a new framework for the governance of doctoral programmes. A crucial change is that Ph.D. becomes a more time-bound programme with clear milestones and reporting of progress for scholars. The Research and Development team, chaired by the Deputy Director, is collaborating with the Information Technology team of the Institute to launch a life cycle management system for the Ph.D. scholars and their guides/supervisors.

The new framework of Ph.D. programme was approved by the Research Council (RC) and informed to the Academic Council (AC). The DSO engaged with the School/Campus Ph.D. coordinators and students to coordinate assigning guides to the scholars and monitor the progress of attaining landmarks like proposal presentation and synopsis.

## **Faculty Research**

The Institute has earmarked financial resources for faculty research and faculty are to submit research proposals in a prescribed format. A peer reviewer will examine the proposal and the research project commences provided the RC approves of it. The status of RC-funded projects is as follows:

 'Collaborative Research Partnership Grant' by Prof. Manish Jha (ongoing)

- 'Close Circuit Television Surveillance in Rural Marathwada: Privacy, Social Control and Subversion' by Dr. Kalpana Dixit (ongoing)
- 'Role of Rotating Saving and Credit Associations in the Life of Slum Dwellers in Mumbai, by Prof. Samapti Guha (completed)

The DSO closely worked with the Sir Dorabji Tata Memorial Library to digitalise M.Phil. and Ph.D. theses by uploading them to the Shodhganga platform (https://sgsubjects.inflibnet.ac.in/). They also coordinated Ph.D. coursework and diverse capacity development initiatives. The Deputy Director's office coordinated the All-India Service Officers training in March 2023, focusing on Social Policy and Governance. Ph.D. scholars participated in the training and field visits as co-learners in the programme.

#### **Institute Review Board**

TISS is firmly committed to the highest ethical research and practice standards. The Institute Review Board (IRB) reviews, approves and monitors different research proposals involving human participants to safeguard the dignity, rights, safety, and well-being of all actual and potential research participants. The IRB comprises internal and external experts from public health, bioethics, law, social work, medicine, management, research methodology, demography, psychology, sociology, community development, and education. The IRB receives research proposals from faculty, doctoral scholars, and visiting research scholars on international scholarships/fellowships. During 2022-2023, the IRB held **seven** meetings and approved **34** research proposals.

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# **SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK**

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# **Centre for Disability Studies & Action**

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# **Centre for Equity and Justice for Children and Families**

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# **Centre for Lifelong Learning**

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#### **Centre for Livelihoods and Social Innovation**

Chairperson: Prof. Sunil Santha

Prof. Swati Banerjee Dr. Devisha Sasidevan

## **Centre for Social Justice and Governance**

Chairperson: Dr. Bodhi S.R.

Prof. Alex Akhup Dr. Samta Pandya Mr. Biswaranjan Tripura

#### **Centre for Women-Centred Social Work**

Chairperson: Dr. Shewli Kumar

Prof. Anjali Dave Dr. Trupti Panchal Dr. Sandali Thakur

# **SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK**

The School of Social Work, TISS Mumbai, has developed a robust and intensive four-year **Bachelor of Social Work (BSW)** programme based on the National Education Policy 2020. The curriculum has been developed through a series of consultations and academic contributions from faculty members at TISS, our alumni, and eminent social work educators from other institutions across the country. As part of the BSW curriculum building process, the SSW also organised a National Consultation titled "Building Solidarities through Shared Vision for Social Work Education and Practice". The curriculum developed has 172 credits and we are ready to welcome the first BSW 2023-2028 batch this coming academic session.

#### **Research and Field Action**

The Centres were engaged in over 50 path-breaking research and documentation projects in collaboration with government, international funding bodies and local stakeholders on a range of topics. These include Police-Social Work Initiatives; Socio-Legal Interventions, Crimes in the Name of Honour; Increasing vulnerability due to COVID-19; Inclusive Education Policies; Healthcare-seeking Behaviour of Elderly Women in Mumbai City; and Reducing Discrimination faced by MSM and Transgender Women in Public Hospitals. The 16 Field Action Projects of the SSW continue to make inroads at the field and policy level.

# **Programmes Organised**

Faculty participation in programmes as well as organising Conferences, Seminars, Workshops, and Training Programmes, including UGC-HRDC programmes at the international, national and government forums, has been quite expansive in the year under review. These include about 24 programmes aligned to social justice and SDG goals at national and state levels.

A sampling of the range of programmes organised by the School of Social Work (SSW) in 2022-2023 are listed below:

 As part of the MS Gore Centenary Celebrations, the SSW organised a two-day event on "Social Work Education and Practice: Responding to Changing Realities".

- The Centre for Women-Centred Social Work organised the State Convention on Crimes on the Implementation of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act 1989 And Rules 1995.
- The Centre for Criminology and Justice and its field action project, Prayas, partnered in collating and launching the *India Justice Report 2022*.
- The Centre for Equity and Justice for Children and Families organised a book launch for the book on Child-Centred Social Work in India: Journeys and the Way Forward (Routledge).
- The Centre of Disability Studies and Action observed the International Week of Deaf People and Sign Language and also organised the 6th National Conference on Disability, Accessibility, Inclusion and Well-Being.
- The Centre for Social Justice and Governance organised the Doctoral Scholars Lecture Series on 'Social Research and the Methodologies of the Peripheralised'.
- The Centre for Health and Mental Health organised a talk by Dr. Sten H. Vermund from the Yale School of Public Health on "Climate Change and Health" and a Panel Discussion on "Right to Health in India: Reflections and Way Forward".
- The Centre for Lifelong Learning organised the Fourth Biennial Global Summit on Dance Movement Therapy for Change on "Addressing a World in Crisis: Building Resilience Through Dance Movement Therapy (DMT) and Creative Art Therapy (CAT)". They also organised a one-day National Consultation on Draft Youth Policy 2021.

#### **Publications**

The SSW had over 40 publications in the form of books, chapters in books, journal articles and research papers, among others. The school faculty documented an innovative social work intervention project on children and seasonal migration titled "A Report on Reducing Vulnerabilities of Children in Seasonal Migration Families: An Innovative Kinship Care Model".

The Journal of Disability Studies and Research received the RNI Number MAHENG/2021/81181 and ISSN: 2583-603X.

#### **Collaborations and Special Programmes**

Frankfurt UAS-India connection has been collaborating with TISS since 2021 in a DAAD-funded project on 'Inequalities Within and Among Countries (IWAAC-10)'. The 2022-2023 academic year saw intensive work on the collaboration through a series of podcasts and exchange programmes.

The general studies module 'IndAbility' (Prof. Ziegler and Philipp Müller) included TISS in their trip with students to various places in India. Correspondingly, the Prof. P.K. Shajahan (Dean, Academic Affairs) and Prof. Bipin Jojo (Dean, SSW) returned the visit and attended the International Week at the Faculty of Social Work and Health, and taught, among others, in the IndAbility seminar.

The SSW faculty hosted the South-South Research Workshop and Prof. Rinie Schenk (University of the Western Cape, another IWAAC partner), trained TISS students and staff of Jagori Grameen, a local NGO in participatory research methods.

#### Awards, Fellowships and Scholarships

- Dr. K.P. Asha Mukundan (Centre for Criminology and Justice) received the Fellowship Award from the Indian Society for Criminology in recognition of her outstanding contribution to the Criminology.
- Prof. Vijay Raghavan (Centre for Criminology and Justice) received a Commendation Certificate from the Bureau of Police Research and Development, Gol, for co-developing prison training manuals.
- Prof. Sandhya Limaye (Centre for Disability Studies and Action) was selected and sponsored by the Indonesian Disability Right Group to be the Indian Representative for Gender, Equality and Disability in C 20 in Bali, Indonesia, in October 2022
- Bharti Varun (Batch of 2021-2023) won the 1st
   Position in the Essay Contest on Gender Justice and
   Forestry, Forest-Plus 2.0, organised by the United
   States Agency for International Development and
   Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change.

- Vikas Tatad (Batch of 2017-2019) received the Carmela and Marie F. Volpe Fellowship, Spring 2023, for International Service in Education, Teachers College, International and Comparative Education Program, Columbia University.
- Saroj Choudhari (Batch of 2016-2018 of M.A. Social Work in Public Health ) was selected for the Chevening Scholarship by the Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office of the British Government to pursue an M.Sc. in Global Public Health and Policy at the Queen Mary University of London.
- Manisha Vala (Batch of 2014-2016) won two bronze medals at the Asian Kickboxing Championships held in Bangkok.
- Anju Joy (PG Diploma in Counselling, Batch 2021-2022), was selected as the Youth Speaker at WHO's Mental Health Report in June 2022. She was among 15 Fellows selected for the Compassionate Leadership Summit in October 2022 with His Holiness the Dalai Lama, organised by the Centre for Healthy Minds, The University of Wisconsin-Madison.
- Sonam Maske, of the Certificate in Youth Leadership & Social Change (20-21 Batch), received 'The Solve Ninja Leadership Accelerator" fellowship from REAP Benefit.
- Priyam Jain (Diploma in Youth Leadership and Social Change, Batch of 2022-23) got selected for the Khelo India Internship, an initiative of the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports in Kolkata.
- Sanjana Kakkad (current student of the Certificate in Youth Leadership & Social Change) was awarded the "Helping Hand Award" for her exemplary work in fieldwork practicum by Youngistan Foundation, Hyderabad.

#### **Placements**

Students got placed in settings across the civil society sector, networks, alliances, private philanthropic initiatives, fellowships, entrepreneur start-ups, community empowerment groups, organised public-private initiatives, and government programmes. These include Lend a Hand India, Ummeed Child Development Center, Deloitte, SBI Foundation, Tata Motors Fellowship, Cholamanglam, Jan Sahas, iTeach, Rangoonwalla Trust, Dignity Foundation Trust, Little Hearts Learning Centre, Don Bosco School, and Apnalaya.

# **RESEARCH PROJECTS AND OTHER PROJECTS**

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
	DE	AN		
Sharing Best Practices in Crisis Preparedness in Social Work	Team Finland Knowledge	Nov. 2021	Ongoing	Prof. Bipin Jojo
Certification & Training for Ayushman Mitras	Pfizer CSR	Jan. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Bipin Jojo
CSR Impact Assessment	Ultra Tech	Apr. 2023	Initiated	Prof. Bipin Jojo
CENTRE F	OR COMMUNITY ORGANIS	ATION AND DEVELO	PMENT PRACTICE	
Slum Clearance, Urban Restructuring and (Re)Emergent Communities in Mumbai	University of Chicago Center in Delhi	Feb. 2017	Ongoing	Prof. Manish K. Jha and Prof Mouleshri Vyas
Organisational Perspectives on Accountability and Learning (OPAL): School Management Models and the Social Impact of Schooling in Mumbai and Kathmandu	Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC), UK	Jan. 2018	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. P.K. Shajahan
Organisational Perspectives on Accountability and Learning: Cases Highlighting Innovative Practices OPAL- CHIP)	Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC), UK	Jan. 2021	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. P.K. Shajahan
Teacher and Students' Experiences of the Migration from the Campus to Digital Learning Environment under Corona Pandemic	Lund University-Swedish Government	Apr. 2021	Completed	Prof. Manish K. Jha
Migrant Workers and Urbanisation in Politically Sensitive Areas: A Study of Kashmir & Manipur	Indian Council of Social Science Research	Aug. 2021	Completed	Prof. Manish K. Jha
Preparing Compensation Policy & its Implementation Plan for Project Affected Fisherfolk of Mumbai Coastal Road Project (South)	Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation	Oct. 2021	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. P.K Shajahan
Sharing Best Practices in Crisis Preparedness in Social Work	Team Finland Knowledge	Nov. 2021	Ongoing	Prof. Manish K. Jha
NOHA International Master's in Humanitarian Action	Network of Humanitarian Action (NOHA)	Feb. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. P. K. Shajahan
The Making of Inclusive and or Exclusive Cities in India and Switzerland	ZHAW Leading House, South Asia and Iran	Dec. 2022	Initiated	Prof. Manish K. Jha
TRANS-lighthouses	European Commission	May 2023	Initiated	Prof. P.K. Shajahan
	CENTRE FOR CRIMIN	OLOGY AND JUSTIC	CE	
ndia Justice Report 2022	Tata Trusts, Rohini Nilekeni Philanthropies, Tree of Life Foundation, Lal Family Foundation	Nov. 2021	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. Vijay Raghavan

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Scope of Dance Movement Therapy in an Urban Setting: A Study in Mumbai & Kolkata	Centre for Lifelong Learning and Kolkata Sanved	Jan. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Roshni Nair-Shaikh
Implementation of Probation of Offender's Act: A Mapping Study	National University of Juridical Sciences, West Bengal	Jan. 2022	Completed	Dr. K.P. Asha Mukundan, Prof. Vijay Raghavan and Dr. Roshni Nair-Shaikh
Developing a Rights-based Gender and Child-Friendly Policing Syllabus for Madhya Pradesh Police	UNICEF	Jan. 2022	Completed	Dr. Ruchi Sinha and Dr. Roshni Nair-Shaikh
Media Landscape of Child Sexual Abuse	CIFF	Apr. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Ruchi Sinha and Dr. Roshni Nair-Shaikh
Action Research Study on Police- Social Work Initiatives to Promote Well-being of Children and Families	Research Council, TISS	May 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Sharon Menezes and Prof. Vijay Raghavan
IPF Smart Policing Survey 2022 Index of Public Perceptions & Citizen Satisfaction	Indian Police Foundation and TISS	Dec. 2022	Completed	Dr. Ruchi Sinha
A Study of Role of Social Work and Legal Fellows in Legal Aid System	Azim Premji Foundation	Apr. 2023	Ongoing	Prof. Vijay Raghavan and Dr. Sharon Menezes
Experiences of Persons Released on Bail: Accessing Bail and Post Bail Situation	Azim Premji Foundation	Apr. 2023	Writing Report	Prof. Vijay Raghavan and Dr. Sharon Menezes
	CENTRE FOR DISABILIT	Y STUDIES AND ACT	ΓΙΟΝ	
Role of NGOs for Persons with Disabilities for Advocating Inclusive Education Policies	UoM	Jan. 2022	Completed	Prof. Sandhya Limaye
School ReadON Plus: Assessment and Intervention for Reading Fluency and Executive Functioning using ML/Al-based app	Orange Neuroscience	May 2023	Initiated	Prof. Sandhya Limaye
CENT	RE FOR EQUITY AND JUSTI	CE FOR CHILDREN A	ND FAMILIES	
A Report on Reducing Vulnerabilities of Children in Seasonal Migration Families: An Innovative Kinship Care Model	UNICEF, Maharastra	Sep. 2022	Completed	Dr. Mohua Nigudkar
Increasing Vulnerability? The Toll of COVID-19 on Mental Health of People With Disabilities and Mental Illness Residing in an Urban Slum In Mumbai, India	Mc Donell Foundation, in collaboration with Brown School, Washington University at St. Louis	Nov. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Srilatha Juvva
Exploring Living and Work Experiences of Persons with Intellectual Disabilities in Sristi Village: A Participatory Research	Sristi Foundation, Villlupuram	Dec. 2022	Initiated	Prof. Srilatha Juvva
CSR Impact Assessment	Ultra Tech	Apr. 2023	Initiated	Dr. Pekham Basu

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
	CENTRE FOR HEALTH	AND MENTAL HEAL	тн	
Engaging Providers, Community Members, and Young Women to Adapt and Pilot a Youth- Friendly Sexual and Reproductive Health Package in Low-Income Communities in India	National Institutes of Health, US	Sep. 2020	Ongoing	Prof. Shubhada Maitra
Reducing Discrimination Faced By M and Transgender Women in Public Hospitals: A Pilot Multi- Level Intervention Using a Quasi- Experimental Design	NACO	Dec. 2020	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Dr. Ketki Ranade and Dr. Smitha Nair
Documenting Mental Health Practice with Transgender Clients in India: A Multi-centre, Mixed Method Study	American Jewish World Service (AJWS)	Jan. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Ketki Ranade
Adaptability and Innovations in Social Work Field Education During the Pandemic of COVID-19: A Study of Student's Experiences across Campuses in India and Canada	International Associations of Schools of Social work (IASSW)	Mar. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Smitha Nair and Prof. Ashabanu Soletti
Investigating New Strategies for Active Ageing Among Diasporas: Working With Tamil Communities to Tell Their Stories and Investigating Tamil Wikipedia as a Platform for Cultural Resilience, Active Ageing and the Intergenerational Transfer Of Knowledge	University of Sydney	Jul. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Ashabanu Soletti
Evaluation Study of Community Action for Nutrition Project implemented by SATHI	Tribal Research and Training Institute	Apr. 2023	Initiated	Prof. Ashabanu Soletti, Dr. Smitha Nair and Dr. Archana Diwate
	CENTRE FOR LIFE	LONG LEARNING		
Diploma in Community-based Participatory Research and Advocacy	PUKAR	Jan. 2016	Ongoing	Dr. Saigita Chitturu
Diploma in Youth Leadership and Social Change	Chhatrapati Shahu Institute of Business Education and Research, Kolhapur	Jun. 2019	Ongoing	Dr.Saigita Chitturu
Certification & Training for Ayushman Mitras	Pfizer CSR	Jan. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Saigita Chitturu and Dr. Lata Das
Scope of Dance Movement Therapy in an Urban Setting: A Study in Mumbai & Kolkata	Centre for Lifelong Learning and Kolkata Sanved	Jan. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Sabiha Vasi
Life Skills in Adolescents and Youth in India 2022: A Scoping Study	Self	Jun. 2022	Completed	Dr. Saigita Chitturu

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty		
CENTRE FOR LIVELIHOODS AND SOCIAL INNOVATION						
Organisational Perspectives on Accountability and Learning (OPAL): School Management Models and the Social Impact of Schooling in Mumbai and Kathmandu	Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC), UK	Jan. 2018	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. Swati Banerjee		
Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL)	University of California, Santa Cruz	Nov. 2020	Writing Report	Prof. Swati Banerjee		
Organisational Perspectives on Accountability and Learning: Cases Highlighting Innovative Practices (OPAL- CHIP)	Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC), UK	Jan. 2021	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. Swati Banerjee		
Contextualising Intersectional Societal 'Structurescapes': Creating a Research Agenda on Structure- agency-education Dynamics Driving Grassroots Social Change and innovations in South Asia (CISS- South Asia)	European Commission/ University of Bath	Jun. 2021	Writing Report	Prof. Swati Banerjee		
Small-Scale Fisheries, Governanace and Transformative Social Innovations in the Indian Ocean Region	Social Science Research Council	Sep. 2021	Ongoing	Prof. Sunil Santha		
Preparing Compensation Policy & its Implementation Plan for Project Affected Fisherfolk of Mumbai Coastal Road Project (South)	Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation	Oct. 2021	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. Swati Banerjee		
Adaptive Innovation and Climate Action: A PAR with Students, Social Entrepreneurs, and Community Actors (Transforming Universities for a Changing Climate)	ESRC/University College London	May 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Sunil Santha and Dr. Devisha Sasidevan		
Forests, Lifeworld and Livelihoods of 'Marginalised' Communities: Historicity, Transitions and the Contemporary Context	German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)/ University of Bonn	Aug. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Swati Banerjee		
TRANS-Lighthouses	European Commission	May 2023	Initiated	Prof. Swati Banerjee		
CENTRE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND GOVERNANCE						
Healthcare Seeking Behaviour of Elderly Women in Mumbai City	Bhagini Samaj and Niramay Kendra	Jul. 2022	Completed	Dr. Samta Pandya		
Habitus and Fellowship of New Age Guru Movements	American Sociological Society, Washington DC	Aug. 2022	Completed	Dr. Samta Pandya		

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty	
Teaching About Faith-Based Organisations in Social Work Education	Society for NonProfits and Third Sector Studies, Baltimore	Aug. 2022	Completed	Dr. Samta Pandya	
Sociality and Female Gurus: The Case of Mata Amritanandamayi Mission	Asia Society, Washington DC	Sep. 2022	Completed	Dr. Samta Pandya	
CENTRE FOR WOMEN CENTRED SOCIAL WORK					
Inequality Within and Among countries Implementing a Research- based Social Work curriculum on SDG 10 (IWAAC-10)	DAAD Germany	Jan. 2021	Ongoing	Dr. Shewli Kumar	
Caste Based Sexual Violence and State Impunity	DHRDnet and LSE	Oct. 2021	Completed	Dr. Shewli Kumar	
Violence against Adolescent Girls: A Study on Socio-Legal Interventions	American Jewish World Service	Apr. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Anjali Dave and Dr. Sandali Thakur	
Crimes in the Name of Honour	DHRDnet and LSE	Oct. 2022	Completed	Dr. Shewli Kumar	

#### FIELD ACTION PROJECTS

## CENTRE FOR COMMUNITY ORGANISATION AND DEVELOPMENT PRACTICE

**Mumbai Education Research Innovation and Training (MERIT)**, estd. 2014 Mumbai

# Sponsor

P.M. Foundation

## **Objectives**

- Support underprivileged children and youth in education and employment through creating support network, training and capacity building.
- Enable children from underprivileged sections to develop aptitude for science through science camps
- To create additional learning opportunities in communities.

# **Programmes**

- Creating local network of support team at different locations
- Mentoring for school children for higher studies
- Establishing and running community learning centres
- Providing fieldwork learning opportunities for Social Work students of TISS and other institutions

## Faculty

Prof. P.K. Shajahan

#### **Project Staff**

Pournima Shenoy (Coordinator CLC)

## TISS-Tata Motors Ltd. Fellowships for Development Practice, estd. 2015

Chandigarh

#### **Sponsor**

Tata Motors Ltd.

#### **Objective**

• To bring in young professionals to contribute to CSR initiatives of the company at specific locations.

#### **Programme**

Contribution to implementation and management of an Augmented Virtual Learning programme in Jawahar Navodaya
 Vidyalayas across several states in north India aimed at children from Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe communities.

#### Faculty

Prof. Mouleshri Vyas

#### **Project Staff**

Satyam Sharma

#### **CENTRE FOR CRIMINOLOGY AND JUSTICE**

#### **Prayas**, estd. 1990

Mumbai, Thane, Navi Mumbai, Raigad, Latur, Pune, Nasik, Nagpur, Aurangabad, Bharuch and Narmada districts

#### **Sponsors**

Azim Premji Foundation, Balaji Foundation, HDFC Bank CSR, Lal Family Foundation, Motivation for Excellence Trust, Rohini Nilekeni Philanthropies, SBI Foundation, Tata Motors, Tree of Life Foundation, Western Union CSR, and Individuals

#### **Objectives**

- To demonstrate the need for social work intervention in the criminal justice system such as police stations, prisons, courts and institutions for women.
- To work towards the rehabilitation of persons coming out of or vulnerable to crime, sexual exploitation or destitution
- To improve access to the legal rights of persons processed by the criminal justice system and to promote the use of correctional laws to aid the rehabilitation of vulnerable groups
- To identify issues relevant to rehabilitation and attempt to address them at the policy level
- To increase awareness in government and society about issues related to the rehabilitation of persons affected by crime, sexual exploitation or destitution
- To generate knowledge in the field of social work, criminology and corrections through research, documentation and analysis
  of field experience.

#### **Programmes**

- · Protection of legal rights and rehabilitation of vulnerable groups in criminal justice
- NGO Placement Programme: A specially designed rehabilitation model for criminal justice or socially stigmatised populations
- Advocacy of law and policy change related to legal rights and rehabilitation of marginalised groups in criminal justice through research and documentation of field experiences
- Organising workshops, seminars, and training programmes with stakeholders towards effective implementation of legal rights of custodial populations and implementation of correctional laws and policies.
- Creation of a multi-stakeholder platform at district, state and national levels towards effective coordination among government departments, agencies and civil society organisations to promote legal rights and rehabilitation of CJS-affected populations.

Prayas is a member of various state and national level committees related to prisoners' rights and rehabilitation, anti-human trafficking, rehabilitation of custodial populations and crimes against women. It is a founder-member of an alliance of socio-legal initiatives in criminal justice. It is the national convenor of the National Forum on Prison Reforms. Prayas has signed a three year MoU with the

Home Department, Government of Maharashtra to appoint social workers in 5 central prisons in the state. Prayas was invited by NALSA, at the suggestion of the Supreme Court, to submit suggestions to release undertrial prisoners granted bail but languishing in prison in the Sonadhar Vs. State of Chhattisgarh case. Prayas has been supporting released women prisoners and women rescued from commercial sexual exploitation to start self-employment enterprises and training women to produce cloth based bags and stationery items which are sold through Prayas.

#### Faculty

Prof. Vijay Raghavan and Dr. Sharon Menzes

#### **Project Staff**

Pradnya Shinde, Sudhakar Madupuri, Sunil Mhaske, Silvin Kale, Vikas Kadam, Surekha Sale, Kalpana Randive, Vishakha Dekhane, Sujata Jagtap, Varsha Lad, Babita Salvi, Sonali Bundke, Jyoti Lokhande, Sangeeta Gavali, Sakshi Desai, Pramila Madupuri, Smita Jadhav, Chandrakala Bhojane, Reena Jaiswal, Meenal Kolatkar, Priyanka Kamble, Komal Phadtare, Karuna Sangare, Aruna Nimse, Murlidhar Jagtap, Vijay More, Shahnawaz Pathan, Shankar Pokharkar, Devchand Randive, Chandrakant Shinde, Shailendra Ghodke, Nilesh Gore, Mahesh Jadhav, Siddharth Dolas, Pravin Patil, Vijay Johare, Vitthalbhai Solanki, Anilbhai Vasava, Ashish Barot, Pooja Shrimali, Krupa Shah, Nitaben Gajjar, Divya Solanki, Megha Thakkar, Devayani Tumma, Meenakshi Karoth, Sharli Mudaliyar, Harshada Sawant, Mahesh Ghosalkar, Rajesh Gajbiye, Shital Sakharkar, Divya Sakpal, Maithilee Mohite, Yash Karia, Sadanand Dalvi, Geeta Kokkula, Yallubai Naik, Uma Kokkula, Jyoti Kachre, Rakesh Kshirsagar, Pratik Joshi, Khyati Sharma, Prachi Gupta, Sumita Basu, B.M. Kadve, Sanober Sahni, Mahadev Dongre, Amar Sawant, Dhanpal Meshram, Dadasaheb Lahane, Lakhan Kumavat, Pravin Mahire, Meena Latkar, Hinakusar Sayyed, Krishna Padvi, Anupama Munde, Sunil Koli, Sandip Dighe, Reshma Bhoite, Surendra Waghmare, Vidya Torane, Suchi Kale, Dnyaneshwar Bhairi, Rama Kale, Manisha Shikhare, Rupesh Kamble, Rohan Raut, Bhujang More, Saugata Hazra, Manohar Phansekar, Pramod Gade, Nilesh Mohite, Deepak Babu Pawar, Ganesh Akhade, Rajendra Pardeshi, Sheetal Gupta and Nilesh Gaikwad.

#### Resource Cell for Juvenile Justice, estd. 2005

Mumbai

#### **Objectives**

- To engage with the Juvenile Justice System (JJS) and work towards a child-friendly implementation of the Juvenile Justice Act (with special focus on CCL)
- To work on issues related to rehabilitation and social integration of children into society
- To build capacities of JJS functionaries towards their effective functioning in the system
- To generate knowledge and information on various aspects related to children in the JJS.

## **Programmes**

• Due to Covid, the activities of the Resource Cell had come to a halt. This academic year, efforts are ongoing restart the 'Help Desk' programme for which a consultation was held on 11 April 2023.

#### Faculty

Dr. Asha Mukundan

#### **Towards Advocacy Networking and Developmental Action (TANDA)**, estd. 2011 Navi Mumbai

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#### Sponsor

Rotary Club of Hiranandani Estate and Individuals

#### **Objectives**

- To reduce malnutrition among children under the age of 6 years towards reducing morbidity and thereby mortality among them by promoting community participation and capacity building
- To reduce maternal morbidity and, thereby, mortality by means of focusing and intervening during the first 1000 days

- To improve menstrual awareness and hygiene sanitation among adolescent girls
- To improve access to essential medical services, by training community leaders and sensitising health care providers for mother and their children
- To build the capacity of community leaders, and local organisations to support economic development in improvised communities
- · To develop opportunities for productive work by encouraging traditional art and skills by establishing a quilt business
- To reduce poverty in ex-criminal tribe communities with a special focus on women.

- Women and child health: (i) Provision of ante-natal care to pregnant women, (ii) Provision of post-natal care to lactating mothers;
   (iii) Nutritional support to children under 5 years monitoring of malnutrition; (iv) Awareness programmes for adolescent girls regarding menstrual hygiene and nutrition
- Women's economic empowerment programme: (i) Quilt manufacturing initiative for 200 women at 4 locations; (ii) Women self-help groups have been registered at 4 project locations in order to encourage savings habit and to initiate the collective entrepreneurship.

#### **Faculty**

Prof. Vijay Raghavan

#### **Project Staff**

Lalita Dhanavate, Ashwini Kamble, Ranjana Suryawanshi, and Sarika Vathare

#### TISS Balaji Fellowship Programme, estd. 2022

Pan India

#### **Sponsor**

Shri Balaji Foundtaion

## **Objective**

• To encourage new areas of work, especially where there is a dearth of trained human service professionals, and to demonstrate the scope of criminal justice social work.

## Programme

• Work in the field on the issue of legal rights of the prisoners, re-entry and rehabilitation of young adults and implementation of victim compensation schemes.

#### Faculty

Dr. Roshni Nair-Shaikh

#### **Project Staff**

Rashmi Divekar

## **CENTRE FOR DISABILITY STUDIES AND ACTION**

#### iCBR: Inclusive Community Based Rehabilitation, estd. 2013

Mumbai

#### **Objectives**

• To enhance the access to educational services and schemes for drop out and never enrolled children with disabilities and ensure inclusion and effective learning with other non-disabled peers.

- To provide career guidance, vocational counselling and skill training to youth with disabilities to generate income and sources of livelihood through self or open employment.
- To provide detailed information and knowledge about their rights, various facilities and schemes available for them through various government programmes and making them aware of the process and requirements, while accessing those services and schemes and need-based advocacy.
- To ensure inclusion and integration of people with disabilities in village communities at various spheres of life by providing opportunities for proper medical care, inclusive education, vocational training and livelihood support within the community

The Inclusive Community based Rehabilitation (iCBR) project has built a good rapport with the community, government authorities and non-governmental organisations and gained community acceptance to work with them in their villages on their identified issues in the broad domains of Health Care, Inclusive Education and Sustainable Livelihood and conduct various workshops for different stakeholders. In Mumbai's M Ward, the same works have been done in collaboration with Pratham Vidya Vardhini, Social Welfare Department, SSA. These include identifying people with disabilities, pension schemes, concessions, disability certificates, and disability awareness programmes by conducting programmes and workshops on livelihood for people with disabilities.

#### Faculty

Prof. Sandhya Limaye and Dr. Madhura Nagchoudhuri

## Micro Level Planning of Disability in M Ward, estd. 2013

Mumbai

#### **Objectives**

- To initiate early identification of children with disabilities with developmental delays in M-Ward, Mumbai.
- · To develop an early intervention centre for children with disabilities in collaboration with NGO set up.
- To develop referral based service for people with disabilities in alliance with GO/NGO on early identification, health, nutrition, education, livelihood.
- · To identify accessibility barriers faced by children with disabilities living in the slum communities of M Ward and SSA schools.
- To network with government departments, health officials, ICDS programme and train the anganwadi workers on early identification of children with disability to facilitate early intervention with multidisciplinary approach.

#### **Programmes**

- · Early intervention for children with disabilities by providing free therapeutic services through collaboration with an NGO.
- Awareness building on the importance of home-based rehabilitation
- · Family participation in rehabilitation and family-centred intervention
- · Community engagement and stakeholders training

#### **Faculty**

Dr. Vaishali Kolhe

#### I Access Rights Mission, estd. 2013

Mumbai

#### **Objectives**

- · To take steps for accessibility issues at the university level regarding students with disabilities
- To understand the emerging issues and challenges of students with disabilities in higher education
- To create awareness and sensitisation programmes to promote an inclusive culture among all students on campus using various art forms like media, painting and theatre.
- To develop guidelines for teachers and peers regarding students with disabilities and work towards designing academic activities & curricula on universal design and accessibility for inclusion.

- I Access: Classroom Teaching & Learning Process towards inclusion
- I Access: Mehfil Awareness & Facilitating inclusive culture with Peers
- · I Access: Audits ICT, Innovative steps, Access Audit and Diversity Issues
- I Access: Buddy Peers volunteer programme as buddies for day to day functioning towards independence.

#### Faculty

Dr. Vaishali Kolhe

#### **CENTRE FOR EQUITY AND JUSTICE FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES**

#### ROOTS-Rekkalu, estd. 2018

Hyderabad, Telangana

#### Sponsor

Dept. of Juvenile Welfare, Correctional Services and Welfare of Street Children, Government of Telangana

#### **Objectives**

- Provide psychosocial support to children through individual and group counselling, case expeditions, family tracing, family conferencing, preparing/assisting in preparing case reports and ICPs and working with specific JJBs by the caseworkers and counsellors.
- Skilling and vocational education through programmatic interventions, namely, (i) referrals for vocational courses, (ii) providing in-house skill training, (iii) entrepreneurship, on-job training and (iv) pre-vocational training facilities in partnership with different stakeholders
- Enhance the psycho-social well-being of care leavers, build confidence and self-esteem in them, facilitate their abilities to gain employment in their area of interest, and enable their meaningful participation in society.

#### **Programmes**

- · Individual and group counselling with children
- Family conferences
- Profiling of children and case report preparation to enable case expedition
- · Working with the JJB and providing counselling children at the JJB sittings
- · Life skills sessions
- Engagement of student interns and young professionals from various disciplines in direct work with children
- · Creative inter-home competitions among children in celebration of Children's Day during the Child Rights Week
- Reorganisation of ROOTS and Rekkalu projects into an integrated approach towards building comprehensive rehabilitation of children
- · Case expedition of institutionalised children in need of care and protection and children in conflict of law
- Family tracing and reunification of rescued children
- · Understanding and developing ways of Assessment of CCIs for Suicide Risk and Prevention
- · Networking and referrals to professionals for children with special needs, in need of medical and psychiatric intervention
- Strengthening case management and documentation through submission of Individual Care Plan (ICPs), Rehabilitation Plan, Aftercare Plan, etc.
- Two project staff participated in a weeklong invitational training on Social Role Valorisation in Delhi; Food and Beverage Training provided to 20 adolescents by the Institute of Hotel Management; 2 batches of 35 students were provided Salon Training; Computer training provided for 20 girls; and Skill lab and STEM sessions were organised for children in the Children's Homes.

#### **Faculty**

Dr. Josephine Anthony

## **Project Staff**

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#### **CENTRE FOR HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH**

## Muskaan, the Child and Adolescent Guidance Centre of TISS, estd. 1938

Mumbai, Thane, Pune

#### **Sponsor**

TISS

#### **Objectives**

- To provide clinical services to children and adolescents experiencing emotional, behavioural and other difficulties
- · To create awareness about child and adolescent mental health
- To provide therapeutic services to children whose parents seek divorce
- To facilitate issues related to custody and access from a child-centred perspective

#### **Programmes**

- · Clinical/ therapeutic services to children and adolescents across different sites and settings
- · Online counselling services to children and parents
- Mental health awareness sessions with school children and aanganwadis in M Ward
- · Mental health interventions with children in Chembur Children's home

#### Faculty

Prof. Shubhada Maitra

#### **Project Staff**

Gayathri K.R. and Rakhi Howal

#### Pragati-IRHDP, 1986

Shahapur Taluka

#### **Sponsor**

NAM-India

#### **Objectives**

- · To develop a culture sensitive, comprehensive need-based health, mental health and livelihood interventions in the community
- To strengthen and facilitate positive changes in the basic education facilities available for the tribal children through skills programme
- To bridge the community with government initiatives for tribal development
- Evolving livelihood initiatives to enhance capabilities and also to ensure availability, access and consumption of nutritional food for the people in the community.

#### **Programmes**

- Livelihoods: In livelihood interventions, Pragati aims to improve both farm-based and non-farm income of farmers through crop diversification (beyond paddy) bringing improvement in current farming practices and adoption of new techniques for rice cultivation. Non-farm income enhancement is through the adoption of livestock development (poultry and goat rearing). Land and water development programmes in padas to ensure sustained water supply through the year.
- Education: Skill development interventions with school students include providing Basic Skills in Education Technology (BEST) that is a vocational training programme for students in Ashram School, Aghai; and conducting knowledge building workshops on health (including mental health), nutrition and hygiene with students, teachers, parents, and other staff of the school.
- Health: This component has three main interventions health camps for women and children with focus on anemia detection and reduction; establishment of kitchen gardens in schools, households and anganwadis, and mental health awareness and life skill trainings.

#### **Faculty**

Prof. Ashabanu Soletti and Dr. Smitha Nair

#### **Project Staff**

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## Tarasha, estd. 2011

Mumbai, Thane

#### **Sponsor**

Prayas Trust and Individual donors

#### **Objectives**

- To support women recovering from mental disorders in making a transition from institutions back into the community through networking, capacity building and sensitisation
- To facilitate the process of recovery in women aimed at addressing issues related to psychosocial well-being, shelter, sustainable livelihoods and economic independence
- To shift society from a mind-set of exclusion and stigmatisation to inclusion and acceptance, thereby supporting to create safe, non-threatening spaces for women living with mental disorders
- · To influence policy through advocacy and networking

#### **Programmes**

- · Deinstitutionalisation: to facilitate recovery and reintegration of women in the society
- · Livelihoods to provide and create livelihood opportunities for women living with mental disorders in the hospital
- Reduction of stigma and discrimination at the workplace
- · Care-givers support programme
- · Good Practices towards upholding the rights of persons with mental disorders within state-run mental hospitals in Maharashtra.

#### Faculty

Prof. Shubhada Maitra

#### **Project Staff**

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#### **CENTRE FOR LIVELIHOODS AND SOCIAL INNOVATION**

#### Right Livelihood College, RLC Mumbai, estd. 2018

Mumbai

#### **Sponsor**

Right Livelihood Foundation, Stockholm

## **Objectives**

- To connect academia and local/global practice by building partnerships/engagements with Right Livelihood Laureates/Laureate
  organisations (recipients of Alternative Nobel Prize) who are working on innovative solutions to contemporary social problems.
- To create spaces/appreciate field-based learning of RLC Mumbai students (from the Centre for Livelihoods and Social Innovation, School of Social Work) through field placement/engagements with Laureates and annual RLC Certificate/Shield for Best and 2nd Best student for fieldwork in livelihoods promotion/social innovation.

- · Livelihood Lecture/Panel Discussions/Conferences/Other dissemination activities.
- Strengthening local engagement through mentoring of students with RLC Laureates/fieldwork and Award to two Master's students from Social Work in Livelihoods and Social Entrepreneurship with a Right Livelihood Certificate/Shield a year for excellent contribution in fieldwork on the issues of Right Livelihood Laureates and issues in livelihood promotion and social innovation.
- · Collaboration with other Right Livelihood Colleges.

#### Faculty

Prof. Swati Banerjee

#### CENTRE FOR WOMEN-CENTRED SOCIAL WORK

**Special Cells for Women & Children Maharashtra, estd. 1984**, institutionalised 2005 All districts of Maharashtra

#### Sponsor

DWCD (Govt. of Maharashtra)( Grants in Aid)

#### **Objectives**

- · Work with & within the Police system for coordinated, effective multi-agency response to violence against women & children
- · Provide quality psycho-socio-legal services to violated women & children, through trained social workers placed at Police Station
- · Work with individuals to rebuild violated women's self-esteem and dignity through developmental/empowerment counselling
- Engage Police help in registering complaints
- · Make appropriate & necessary referrals for further medical & legal aid, shelter etc.
- Liaise between Police & women's groups/community-based organisations working with women & children/intervening on violence
- · Create awareness & mobilise communities, all other stakeholders on VAW, women's issues & rights
- Document work (processes & outcomes), to feed back into social work education vide curriculum development, anchoring students' fieldwork, etc.

## **Programmes**

- Supporting 32-member team (4 Regional Coordinators & 28 social workers) in implementation of 14 Special Cells across 7 districts & coordination of 127 Cells in total across 34 districts in programme implementation, monitoring, review, planning, personnel selection, review/appraisal & training, reporting & advocacy work.
- 40 Special Cells for Women & Children provided psycho-social-legal services to 16,067 women & children survivors of different forms of violence (registered applications + one-time interventions).
- The work of Special Cell includes creating an environment of acceptance & visibility for the issue of VAW, in this process undertaking awareness & advocacy activities with community, colleges & schools, local leaders. This year, 189 programmes were conducted by Special Cell personnel, and field work students placed at the Special Cell offices. These programmes are conducted with other stakeholders like the Police, and Protection Officers with the Special Cell workers called in as resource persons. A rally along with other NGO members and CBo members was taken out on 8 March to mark International Women's Day.
- On 8 June 2022, State Sukanu Committee Meeting (Monitoring Committee) under the Chairmanship of Assistant Chief Secretary (Home) was held to discuss the starting of the pending new Special Cells and Functioning of the Special Cells across the State.
- Refresher training was organised on 21 March 2023 for Special Cell workers on latest Judgements on DV laws and CLL.
- Social workers & Coordinators are on various Internal Committees as third-party external members. They also conduct training programmes for the organisations on the same subject. A total of five inquiries were conducted and two programmes organised on sexual harassment at workplace.

#### **Faculty**

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## Resource Centre for Interventions on Violence Against Women, estd. 2007-08

Maharashtra, Bihar, UTs of J&K and Ladakh, and Assam

#### **Sponsors**

Direct interventions funded by Central and State Governments, including DWCD (Govt. of Maharashtra) & WCDC, Govt. of Bihar, National Commission for Women (Govt. of India) and JHPIEGO, India

## **Objectives**

- Coordinate, handhold, & strengthen existing work of Special Cells for Women programme in Maharashtra, and other States, through continued formal engagement of collaborative work & advocacy with State Governments, especially the Police & protection system
- Promote strategies of Special Cells approach through (i) adaptation/replication & expansion in new geographies, and (ii) piloting & facilitating institutionalisation of this & other models of VAW intervention, towards effective multi-agency coordinated response, with a focus on engaging Police support
- Explore & innovate newer strategies to respond to VAW, and build capacities (skills & perspective) of stakeholders at various levels (State systems, CSOs, academic institutions, communities, etc.)
- Initiate & sustain research, documentation & larger educational activities (awareness, training, etc.) on VAW issues & interventions.

#### **Programmes**

- Bihar: During the period of April 2022 to March 2023, these Cells have carried out interventions with 981 women survivor of violence. This includes work with 766 individuals on a long-term basis and 215 individuals who approached the Cell for one-time intervention.
- Assam: During the period of April 2022 to March 2023, the 11 Special Cells in Assam carried out interventions with 1441 individuals facing VAW. This includes work with 876 survivors on a long-term basis, also known as New Registered applicants, and 565 individuals who approached the Cell for a one-time intervention.

#### Other programmes in Assam included:

- the inauguration of Special Cells and Community Approach by Director General of Police, Shri Bhaskar Jyoti Mahanta on 8
  June 2022.
- a Round Table Conference to strengthen the response to gender-based violence (GBV) in collaboration with DHEW, Directorate of WCD with support from Jhpiego, India on 25 August 2022
- a State Level Apex Monitoring Committee Meeting was held on 22 December 2022 where institutionalisation of Special Cell
  for Women in Assam was discussed and setting up of Cells at District Police Headquarters of all 36 districts of Assam was also
  suggested.
- Gender Community of Practice was kickstarted on 27 September 2022 to connect development organisations, networks and practitioners working on strengthening gender equality in Assam. Since then, meetings have been taking place every month, building capacities on issues such as intersectionality, human trafficking and rights of LGBTQIA+ community.
- *UTs of J&K and Ladakh*: During the period of 01.04.2022 to 31.03.2023, the Special Cells carried out interventions with 2369 individuals of violence against women. This includes work with 1152 survivors on a long-term basis, also known as New Registered applicants, and 1217 individuals who approached the Cell for a one time intervention.
- Other programmes included two Monitoring Committee Meetings of 12 pilot Special Cells for Women to review the working
  of the Special Cells for Women and to engage the administration in processes towards institutionalising the service. On 10
  February 2023, a meeting of stakeholders (Special Cell for Women, One-Stop Centres, Family Counselling Centres, Women
  Police Stations/Women Cells & 181 Helpline) to strengthen the response to gender-based violence. The NCW, Govt. of India &
  TISS signed an MoU to work together in continuing implementation of 12 Special Cells for Women, UTs of J&K in March 2023
  under the "Violence-Free Home: A Woman's Right" project in collaboration with Home Department (Police) & Social Welfare
  Department for a period of two years.

Training/critical education of other stakeholders:

- Training of Jeevika Group of Muzaffarpur district of Bihar State on 9-10 June 2022, Gaya district on 20 July 2022 & Ara district on 16 November 2022 on the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005 & the services available at National/ State level to respond to violence against Women & Children in collaboration with Women & Child Development Corporation, Govt. of Bihar.
- Two days of training for functionaries of One Stop Centres of Jammu & Kashmir in collaboration with the Dept. of Mission Shakti, Social Welfare on 30 November and 1 December 2022 in Srinagar.
- Facilitated six days of training in two batches for functionaries of One Stop Centres and Protection Officers of Raipur and Jagdalpur division of Chhattisgarh State in collaboration with the School of Social Work, TISS Mumbai from 9-11 and 16-18 January 2023.

#### **Faculty**

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#### **PROGRAMMES ORGANISED**

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates		
	DEAN					
Prof. Bipin Jojo	Summer School on Climate Change, Migration and Crisis Preparedness in Social Work	Jyväskylä, Finland	Team Finland Knowledge Programme	6-10 Jun. 2022		
Prof. Bipin Jojo	Combating Human Trafficking: A Five-Day National Training Programme	TISS	Self-Financed through participants fees	19-23 Dec. 2022		
Prof. Bipin Jojo	Winter Course on Climate Change, Migration and Crisis Preparedness in Social Work	Mumbai and Kochi	Team Finland Knowledge Programme Finland	16-21 Jan. 2023		
Prof. Bipin Jojo	Building Solidarities through Shared Vision for Social Work Education and Practice	Mumbai	School of Social Work	10-11 Mar. 2023		
	CENTRE FOR COMMUNITY ORGANISATION AND DEVELOPMENT PRACTICE					
Prof. Manish K. Jha	Summer School on Climate Change, Migration and Crisis Preparedness in Social Work	Jyväskylä, Finland	Team Finland Knowledge programme	6-10 Jun. 2022		
Dr. Rekha Mammen	Professor M.S. Gore Memorial Talk	Mumbai	School of Social Work	17 Jun. 2022		
Prof. Manish K. Jha	Special Lecture on Development Dilemmas: A Political Ecology of the Future from What is Happening in Tinsukia District, Assam	Mumbai	Calcutta Research Group & TISS	5 Aug. 2022		
Prof. P.K. Shajahan	Field Work Supervision in Social Work and How We Grow: An International Perspective	TISS, Mumbai	School of Social Work, TISS	12 Aug. 2022		
Prof. P.K. Shajahan	Public Lecture: Justice Delivery and Protection of Children, Young People and Woman: Global Perspective from Scottish Social Work	TISS Mumbai	School of Social Work, TISS	12 Aug. 2022		
Prof. P.K. Shajahan	Consultative Workshop on 'Preparation of Compensation Policy & its Implementation Plan for Project Affected Fisherfolk of Mumbai Coastal Road Project (South)	TISS Mumbai	TISS Mumbai	24 Aug. 2022		

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Prof. P.K. Shajahan	Consultative Workshop with Stakeholders for Research Project on 'Preparation of Compensation Policy & its Implementation Plan for Project Affected Fisherfolk of Mumbai Coastal Road Project (South)	TISS Mumbai	Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai (MCGM)	7 Nov. 2022
Prof. P.K. Shajahan	OAA @TISS-UK Alumni Network Meet	London	Office of Alum Affairs (OAA), TISS	20 Nov. 2022`
Prof. Manish K. Jha	Winter Course on Climate Change, Migration and Crisis Preparedness in Social Work	Mumbai and Kochi	Team Finland Knowledge Programme Finland	16-21 Jan. 2023
Prof. P.K. Shajahan	Public Lecture: Master Class on Problem Based Learning and its Relevance for Human-Centred Design Thinking: The Roskilde Model	TISS, Mumbai	School of Social Work, TISS Mumbai	16 Mar. 2023
	CENTRE FOR CRIMINOL	OGY AND JUSTICE		
Dr. Roshni Nair-Shaikh	Professor M.S. Gore Memorial Talk	Mumbai	School of Social Work	17 Jun. 2022
Dr. Ruchi Sinha	Certificate Course in Qualitative Research: Method & Applications	Mumbai	SOPAN's Suvidya College of Special Education, University of Mumbai	26-27 Aug. 2022
Prof. Vijay Raghavan	Release of Report on Legal Aid For Undertrials in Maharashtra	Mumbai	Azim Premji Foundation	28 Jan. 2023
Prof. Vijay Raghavan and Dr. Sharon Menezes	Consultation on Strengthening Collaborations to Combat Human Trafficking	TISS Mumbai	Prayas, Saprem, and Mumbai Smiles	31 Jan. 2023
Dr. Sharon Menezes and Prof. Vijay Raghavan	Consultation on Rehabilitation and Social Re-integration of Women Released from Prisons	TISS Mumbai	Rohini Nilekeni Philanthropies, Motivation for Excellence Trust, and Azim Premji Foundation	3 Apr. 2023
Prof. Vijay Raghavan	Launch of India Justice Report 2022	New Delhi	Tata Trusts, Rohini Nilekeni Philanthropies, Tree of Life Foundation, Lal Family Foundation	4 Apr. 2023
	CENTRE FOR DISABILITY S	TUDIES AND ACTI	ON	
Prof. Sandhya Limaye	Consultation on Draft of National Education Policy 2020 for People with Disabilities	Mumbai	NA	7 Jul. 2022
Dr. Vaishali Kolhe	MEHFIL: A Festival of Inclusion — International Day for Deaf People and Sign Language	TISS Mumbai	School of Social Work	27 Sep. 2022
Dr. Vaishali Kolhe	Early Intervention of Children with Developmental Disabilities	TISS	Micro Level Planning of Disability in M Ward	18 Oct. 2022
Prof. Sandhya Limaye	International Conference on Inclusive Education	Mumbai	NA	20-22 Dec. 2022

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Dr. Vaishali Kolhe	6th National Conference on Disability Accessibility, Inclusion and Wellbeing	Mumbai	Narayan Bhargawa Trust	24 Dec. 2022	
	CENTRE FOR EQUITY AND JUSTICE	FOR CHILDREN AN	ND FAMILIES		
Prof. Srilatha Juvva	Certificate Course in Qualitative Research: Method & Applications	Mumbai	SOPAN's Suvidya College of Special Education, University of Mumbai	26-27 Aug. 2022	
Prof. Srilatha Juvva	Radical Transformational Leadership: Here and Now 1	Online	RTLWorks	23-25 Sep. 2022	
Dr. Mohua Nigudkar	Book Launch on Child-Centred Social Work in India: Journeys and the Way Forward	TISS Mumbai	School of Social Work, TISS Mumbai	14 Oct. 2022	
Prof. Srilatha Juvva	Mental Health and Wellbeing for Children and Families: Prioritising Action and Advocacy	Online Webinar	School of Social Work, TISS Mumbai	18 Oct. 2022	
Prof. Srilatha Juvva	Radical Transformation Leadership for Self-Care and Mental Health	Online	RTLWorks	24 Sep to 26 Oct. 2022	
Prof. Srilatha Juvva	Radical Transformational Leadership: Here and Now 2	Online	RTLWorks	28-30 Oct. 2022	
Prof. Srilatha Juvva	Radical Transformational Leadership: Here and Now 3	Online	RTLWorks	9-11 Dec. 2022	
Dr. Josephine Anthony	Doing Qualitative Research on Transgenerational Effects of Trauma: The Value of Biographical-Narrative Interviews	TISS	School of Social Work, TISS Mumbai	30 Jan. 2023	
Prof. Srilatha Juvva	Consultation Meeting on Inclusive WASH	TISS Mumbai	Water Aid, Odisha	10 Apr. 2022	
Prof. Srilatha Juvva	Radical Transformational Leadership for Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) 2023 - 1	Online	RTLWorks	15-17 Apr. 2023	
Prof. Srilatha Juvva	Learning in Action Programme (LIAP) on Fostering Agency, Designing Holistically and Critical Cartography for Field Interventions	Mumbai	TISS	20-30 Apr. 2023	
Prof. Srilatha Juvva	Radical Transformational Leadership for Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) 2023 - 2	Online	RTLWorks	13-15 May 2023	
CENTRE FOR HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH					
Ms. Brinelle Dsouza	Human Rights Advocacy in Relation to the Sustainable Development Goals	Goa	Justice Coalition of Religious, New York	13-15 Aug. 2022	
Ms. Brinelle Dsouza	Response to TB Prevention & Treatment in Mumbai	Mumbai	Sankalp Rehabilitation Trust and Jan Swasthya Abhiyan, Mumbai	7 Oct. 2022	
Prof. Shubhada Maitra	Understanding Mental Health	Mumbai	Mumbai First, SPARC	7 Oct. 2022	

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Dr. Smitha Nair and Ms. Brinelle Dsouza	Public Lecture: Right to Health in India – Reflections and Way Forward'	Mumbai	School of Social Work, TISS Mumbai	28 Oct. 2022
Ms. Brinelle Dsouza and Dr. Archana Diwate	Pre Proposal Consultation on Understanding the Intersections of Marginalisation of Nurses in India	TISS Mumbai	CEHAT and TISS	29 Nov. 2022
Dr. Smitha Nair	Building Solidarities through Shared Vision for Social Work Education and Practice	Mumbai	School of Social Work	10-11 Mar. 2023
Ms. Brinelle Dsouza	Human Rights Advocacy in Relation to the Sustainable Development Goals	Indore	Justice Coalition of Religious, New York	14 Oct. 2022 to 16 Apr. 2023
	CENTRE FOR LIFELO	NG LEARNING		
Dr. Saigita Chitturu	Redefining LLL in the Light of National Education Policy 20	Online Webinar	CLL, TISS	22 Jun. 2022
Dr. Saigita Chitturu	National Consultation on Draft Youth Policy 2021	TISS	CLL, TISS	13 Jul. 2022
Dr. Saigita Chitturu	Combating Human Trafficking: A Five-Day National Training Programme	TISS	Self-Financed through participants fees	19-23 Dec. 2022
Dr. Sabiha Vasi	Biennial Global Summit on Dance Movement Therapy for Change Addressing a World in Crisis: Building Resilience Through Dance Movement Therapy(DMT) and Creative Art Therapy(CAT)	Jaipur	CLL. TISS; Kolkota Sanved; Mariwalla Health Initiative; Global Fund for Children; and Vipodha Wellness Foundation	12-13 Jan. 2023
Dr. Lata Das	Global Lecture on Mental Health Practices with Children and Youth: A Global Perspective from North America	Online Webinar	CLL	16 Jan. 2023
	CENTRE FOR LIVELIHOODS AT	ND SOCIAL INNOV	ATION	1
Prof. Swati Banerjee	Professor M.S. Gore Memorial Talk	Mumbai	School of Social Work	17 Jun. 2022
Prof. Swati Banerjee	Field Work Supervision in Social Work and How We Grow: An International Perspective	TISS Mumbai	School of Social Work, TISS	12 Aug. 2022
Prof. Swati Banerjee	Public Lecture: Justice Delivery and Protection of Children, Young People and Woman: Global Perspective from Scottish Social Work	TISS Mumbai	School of Social Work, TISS Mumbai	12 Aug. 2022
Prof. Swati Banerjee	Consultative Workshop on 'Preparation of Compensation Policy & its Implementation Plan for Project Affected Fisherfolk of Mumbai Coastal Road Project (South)	TISS Mumbai	TISS Mumbai	24 Aug. 2022
Prof. Swati Banerjee	Office of Alum Affairs (OAA) Advisory Committee Meeting	TISS Mumbai	Office of Alum Affairs (OAA), TISS	14 Sep and 22 Nov. 2022
Prof. Swati Banerjee	Consultative Workshop with Stakeholders for Research Project on 'Preparation of Compensation Policy & its Implementation Plan for Project Affected Fisherfolk of Mumbai Coastal Road Project (South)	TISS Mumbai	Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai (MCGM)	7 Nov. 2022

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Prof. Sunil Santha	Participatory Research Methods & Adaptive Innovation	TISS Mumbai	CLSI	9-10 Nov. 2022
Prof. Swati Banerjee	OAA @TISS-UK Alumni Network Meet	London	OAA, TISS Mumbai	20 Nov. 2022`
Prof. Swati Banerjee	Inaugural Event of the Office of Alum Affairs (OAA), TISS	TISS Mumbai	TISS, Mumbai	30 Dec. 2022
Prof. Sunil Santha and Dr. Devisha Sasidevan	CLSI Annual Action Research Conference on 'Notes from the Field: Climate Change, Action Research, and Adaptive Innovation'	TISS Mumbai	Climate-U	23 Jan. 2023
Prof. Sunil Santha	Dialogue Conference on Heirloom Seeds and Climate Resilience	Kanjikovil, Erode	Climate-U	23-25 Jan. 2023
Prof. Sunil Santha	Application of Log Frame Approach and Results-based Framework in Project Planning	TISS Mumbai	CLSI	4 Feb. 2023
Dr. Devisha Sasidevan	Building Solidarities through Shared Vision for Social Work Education and Practice	Mumbai	School of Social Work	10-11 Mar. 2023
Prof. Swati Banerjee	Public Lecture: Master Class on Problem Based Learning and its Relevance for Human-Centred Design Thinking: The Roskilde Model	TISS Mumbai	School of Social Work, TISS Mumbai	16 Mar. 2023
Prof. Sunil Santha	Research Paper Writing Workshop: An Action Research Approach	TISS Mumbai	CLSI	3-6 Apr. 2023
	CENTRE FOR SOCIAL JUSTIC	CE AND GOVERNA	NCE	
Dr. S.R. Bodhi	Social Research and the Methodologies of the Peripheralised	TISS Mumbai	Centre for Social Justice and Governance	27 Sep. to 1 Nov. 2022
	CENTRE FOR WOMEN-CEN	ITRED SOCIAL WO	RK	
Dr. Shewli Kumar	Professor M.S. Gore Memorial Talk	Mumbai	School of Social Work	17 Jun. 2022
Dr. Shewli Kumar	Participatory Research Methods on Waste Management	Jagori Grameen, Rakkar, Himachal Pradesh	DAAD Germany	14-19 Nov. 2022
Dr. Trupti Panchal	Induction Training for Social Workers of Special Cell for Women, Maharashtra	TISS	Department of Women and Child Development , Maharashtra	5-17 Dec. 2022
Dr. Trupti Panchal	Combating Human Trafficking: A Five-Day National Training Programme	TISS	Self-Financed through participants fees	19-23 Dec. 2022
Dr. Trupti Panchal	Stakeholders meeting on Violence against Women	Jammu	National Commission for Women	10 Feb. 2023
Dr. Shewli Kumar	State Convention on Crimes in the name of Honour & The Implementation of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act 1989 and Rules 1995	Mumbai	DHRDnet and LSE London	30 Mar. 2023

# **SCHOOL OF VOCATIONAL EDUCATION**

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## SCHOOL OF VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

The School of Vocational Education (SVE) was set up to spearhead the Institute's vocational education and training programme, keeping with its vision of creating an ecosystem that would bring the dignity of labour to professional services and occupations. The School's core vision is to create sustainable sources of income for the youth of India by skilling them in core industry-relevant job competencies for better employability that would promote better livelihood and a brighter future, and subsequently contribute to the nation's economy.

The various vocational education programmes are implemented with a focus on giving job-specific skills to the students through work-integrated vocational education programmes, based on the guidelines developed by the National Skill Qualification Framework (NAQF), and the guidelines of the University Grants Commission (UGC). The TISS-SVE is emerging as a model for skill development through workintegrated training, in line with the New Education Policy of India. The strength of the Institute has been in the development of multi-disciplinary social science courses to train human service professionals for the country. With the expansion of the SVE, we are now adding a new dimension to the Institute's goal to create opportunities and sustainable sources of income for the youth of our country.

The SVE has evolved a robust method of strategic partnerships with Domain Experts, Industries and Knowledge Partners for Skill Training (KPSTs) to deliver its programmes. The Domain Experts develop the course structures and study materials for its different skill programmes. Partnerships with 137 Service Providers mobilise students and render local facilitation in aligning them to Industries/Knowledge Partners for Skill Training nationwide. The School has partnerships with around 3530 industry partners, who provide vocational and practical training to students.

During 2022-2023, students from the School undergo on-the-job skill training with 1114 Industry Partners in 53 locations, pan India. Through the 'Internship-Embedded Skill Training Programme' with Industry Partners, the students may also earn a modest stipend. Currently, students undergoing their on-the-job skill training with the industry partners receive stipends

ranging between Rs. 5000-24000 per month, as per the skill-sector standard, and region where they are located. The School's industry collaboration has helped the students in skill training and securing employment.

With the unique scalable delivery mechanism it has devised, TISS-SVE is currently handling 269 batches of students and conducts several rounds of examinations every semester across 14 skill sectors. Post-pandemic, 1490 students of 2022 batch appeared for the offline examinations in 54 locations across the country. The total number of students who have graduated from the School till 2022 is 8952. The total student enrolment in the School during 2022–2023 was 2139 across 14 sectors and 33 programmes. The School, currently, has 4762 active students.

## **Academic Programmes**

Currently, the SVE offers 59 vocational education programmes in 17 skill-sectors; 34 undergraduate B.Voc. programmes in 18 sectors, 19 Post-Graduate Diploma Programmes in 8 sectors, and 6 stand-alone Diploma programmes in 4 sectors. The 18 skill sectors are Agriculture, Automotive, Electronics, Healthcare, Media and Entertainment, Banking, Financial Services and Insurance, Management and Entrepreneurship, Power, Retail Association, Tourism and Hospitality, Sports, Life Sciences, Logistics, IT-ITeS, Capital Goods, Child Care, Food Processing, and Education.

#### **Innovations**

As per the latest National Credit Framework, TISS-SVE has designed the teaching/training hours of all its programmes in such a way that the total programme duration is 1200 hours, out of which classroom-taught sessions are for 600 hours, i.e., 40 credits per year. The skill training component is 50-60% ranging from 600 to 720 hours per year, depending on the industry requirement. The skill training component includes onthe-job training and internship.

Currently, TISS-SVE is offering various 3-year B.Voc. Programmes corresponding to NSQF level 4.5 (issuing a certificate on completion of first year); NSQF level 5 (issuing diploma on completion of two years); and NSQF level 5.5 (awarding B.Voc. degree certificate

on completion of the intended three-year degree programme).

#### Major Events of 2022-2023

Content Review Workshop: A Content Review Workshop was conducted on 4 and 5 July 2022 wherein various Domain Experts across 18 verticals gathered together to review/revamp the content of all the B.Voc. programmes. Both domain and generic contents were revised to suit Outcome Based Education (OBE) and also incorporate the contemporary industry-relevant skill sets that match the Qualification Packs (QPs)/ National Occupational Standards (NOS) pre-defined by the respective sector skill councils.

World Youth Skills Day: To celebrate World Youth Skills Day on 15 July 2022, seven students of TISS-SVE participated in the webinar organised by National Skills Network (NSN) with experts from the industry. A panel discussion on "Leave no Youth Behind in India's Economic Development" was also held.

MoU with Samagra Shiksha: The TISS SVE signed an MoU with Samagra Shiksha, Government of Maharashtra under the Maharashtra Young Leaders Aspiration Development Programme (MYLAP) on 21 September 2022, to take B.Voc. courses to the students of Higher Secondary Schools in the State. The MoU was exchanged in the presence of Shri Deepak Kesarakar, Hon'ble Cabinet Minister for the Ministry of Education, Ministry of Environment and Climate Change, and Ministry of Marathi Language, Government of Maharashtra.

**Exposure Visit Programme for Principals of CBSE Schools:** The SVE collaborated with the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) and organised a two-day exposure visit programme for the Principals of CBSE Schools on 9 and 10 February 2023.

## **Convocation Ceremony for Graduating Students:**

A Convocation for students graduating from SVE was held on 20 February 2023. Dr. Rajagopal Devara, IAS, Additional Chief Secretary and Development Commissioner, Planning Department, Government of Maharashtra, was Chief Guest. He delivered the Convocation Address and Prof. Shalini Bharat (Director,

TISS) presided over the convocation ceremony, which saw 563 students receiving their certificates in person and 1661 in absentia.

Institutional Partner for CANRUN 2023: The SVE was an institutional partner for CANRUN 2023 organised on 5 March 2023. This marathon was supported by TATA Memorial Hospital and managed by Fitizein India. The objective of the run was to create awareness about cancer. The marathon aims to create awareness about healthy lifestyles, cancer detection, and prevention.

#### **Students**

Scholarships: From April 2022 to March 2023, 221 students of SVE received scholarships from Apraava Energy Private Ltd. The School also received INR 33,38,450 for supporting the students from marginalised sections studying B.Voc. Third Year and Advanced Diploma in various fields such as Medical Laboratory Technology, Patient Care Management, Medical Imaging Technology, Dialysis Technology under Healthcare, Renewable Energy Technology, Dialysis Technology and Power sectors. As per the capping amount decided by Apraava Energy Private Ltd. the students received scholarships in the range of INR 15000 to 39000.

**Higher Education:** SVE Students secured admissions in prestigious universities for pursuing higher education in leading institutions in India and abroad. The following students secured full scholarships to study abroad:

- Dilna Joseph, a graduate from B.Voc. in Medical Imaging Technology, is pursuing her Master's Degree in Public Health from the University of Central Lancashire (UCLan), Preston, UK.
- Dhruvi Kansara, a graduate from B.Voc. in Software Development, is pursuing her higher studies at the Institute of Technology and Advance Learning, Ontario, Canada.
- Nazim Malik, B.Voc. in Medical Imaging Technology, is pursuing his Master's programme from Tzu Chi University of Science and Technology, Taiwan.

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## **INDEPENDENT CENTRES**

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## CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE IN TEACHER EDUCATION

The Centre of Excellence in Teacher Education (CETE) is an Independent Centre established with the aim of synergising the revitalisation of teacher education in India. CETE was seeded with support from the Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching and the Tata Trusts in 2019-2020, and launched on 12 November 2021 with Tata Trusts as the founding partner. The Centre's multidisciplinary team has been working on various aspects of education policy, practice, educational technology and teacher education since 2014. The 2022-23 year was one of celebration of returning to Campus after two years of COVID-19 related lockdown.

Teaching: 23 M.A. Education, 33 B.Ed.-M.Ed. and 7 Doctoral students joined the Centre's programmes for the 2022-23 academic session, while 21 M.A. Education and 9 B.Ed.-M.Ed. students graduated and received their degrees in the 2023 Convocation. Students engaged with several organisations and the Centre's research and field action projects for their field attachment, gaining valuable experiential learning accruing to their overall understanding of the educational practice. On 18 June 2022, the Centre's Alumni Chapter was formally launched, followed by an in-person meeting on 12 November 2022 on campus. With postgraduate students starting with the M.A. (Teacher Education) programme offered to students in Afghanistan, the first batch of M.A. Education graduating in 2020 amidst COVID-19 and the first batch of B.Ed.-M.Ed. graduating this year, the Centre now has an alumni strength of 80 students. The Student Festival 'Sifar' was celebrated enthusiastically on 24 and 25 March 2023.

The Doctoral students organised two research methods workshops and presented their ongoing work in the biannual work-in-progress seminars held in October 2022 and May 2023. SPARC-Grant supported two doctoral scholars, Punam Medh and Ankit Dwivedi, to attend MIT for a two-month-long fellowship. At the Centre's fortnightly "Tuesday Seminars in Educational Research" series organised by the doctoral and master's students of the Centre, 16 researchers from India and abroad, including faculty from the Centre, presented their research.

A new M.A. Education and Technology programme has been designed and launched based on the last eight years of work of the Centre in using Technology in Educational Contexts. In addition, the Centre is collaborating with IISER Pune and IIT Madras to launch the B.Sc.- B.Ed. programmes, which have received NCTE recognition. In preparation for this, IISER and TISS have entered into an MoU, while TISS and IIT Madras jointly organised and offered INQUIRE—a pilot course on constructivist teaching of mathematics.

## **Short Term Professional (STP) Development**

Courses: The Centre's suite of online 2-credit course offerings on TISSx for continuous professional development of teachers offered 22 courses in 2022-23 including Constructivist Teaching and Learning with Technology, which was offered in five Modern Indian languages. In collaboration with State Governments via MoUs, support from UNICEF, and through two rounds of open calls to teachers, the STP offerings in 2022-23 reached 2996 teachers nationwide. Twelve new Open Educational Modules on PCKin Science and Mathematics aspects have been prepared and will shortly be released as part of the Centre's "COOL"-OERs on TISSx. Through these experiences, the Centre has gained valuable insight into practices for offering TPD@ Scale that can foster teacher learning.

Rachana, CETE's Resource Centre and Design Lab conceptualised and organised a highly successful first round of the Rachana Fellowship. Between 26 November and 1 December 2023, 85 student teachers from 14 states in India attended a week-long Winter School to explore resources and engage with new educational perspectives and ideas. Twelve School Synergy Seminars to share pedagogical practices and innovations with practising teachers were held this year, reaching nearly 900 participants.

Research and Publications: Papers presented at a conference organised in 2019 to mark 25 years of the Yashpal Committee Report was published as a book edited by Prof. Mythili Ramchand, Dr. Arindam Bose and Dr. Ritesh Khunyakari (*Learning without Burden'* Routledge, 2023). Peer-reviewed journal articles and several book chapters were also published this year. Several important research reports were completed

and released including Situational Analyses reports from the Multimodal Approach to TPD and the CLeAR on IE report.

Engaging with and strengthening of the teacher education system in India—including teacher professional development and district and subdistrict institutions for teacher support—is an important focus area of the Centre. Research studies were carried out on aspects of the teacher education system in India including a situation analysis of DIETs in Uttar Pradesh, the study of NISHTA in Telangana, and a study of best practices in the Kendra Pramukh Leadership Programme in Maharashtra. These studies have provided insights into the working and strengthening of these institutions. A Policy and Practice Brief on curating Open Educational Resources for Interactive Flat Panels was developed and released. Dr. Nishevita Jayendran and Dr. Poonam Sharma were lead authors of the Non State Actors and Teacher Education in South Asia — a background paper which was a part of UNESCO GMR 2022 report. The South Asia report was launched on 11 November 2022 in Delhi.

Going forward it is envisaged that more of the research work of the Centre will be anchored in its six Research Groups: Critical Humanities, Educational Development and Policy, Science and Mathematics Education, Educational Technology and Inclusive Education. The EDP research group is primarily engaged with research on Innovative Financing in Education. The Science and Mathematics Research Group is engaged with the professional development of the faculty of a Maritime Institute. The Inclusive Education Research Group has been involved in convening the 'South Asia Research Hub on Inclusive Education" (SARHEI) for the second year—two interactive panels on practices relating to inclusive education were organised this year. CLeAR on IE will be reaching out to 50 teacher educators in its second phase.

## **Partnerships with Central and State Governments:**

The Centre has been collaborating with several State governments to strengthen teacher education systems and the use of ICT in education. CLIx, the Centre's flagship field action project supported by the Tata Trusts, entered its final year of the second phase, with Chhattisgarh, Telangana and Mizoram. In its second phase, CLIx reached 463 teacher educators, 870 schools, 32,800 students, and over 12,000 teachers

(5300 for district training and 9453 for technical PD). CLIx in Mizoram will continue for another year, with support from the HCL. The work in Telangana continues with CLIx and TISS teams supporting the state government in adopting IFPs in schools—to curate resources and support teachers with professional development and professional learning circles. New possibilities of working together are being evolved with the Government of Chhattisgarh.

The Technology-enabled Learning for Teachers and Adolescents of 21st century (TELTA)—supported by Capgemini—is working closely with 50 schools and 2514 students in the M-Ward of Mumbai, and is now in its second year. Two camps on constructivist projectbased learning have been conducted for students and 52 teachers. The World of Work Project for the Delhi Government's Schools of Specialised Excellence for Grades 9 and 10 was completed with 15 modules being developed. The Centre has been awarded a new project to develop a curriculum for Grades 11 and 12. Three new initiatives have been added this year: with SCERT Delhi to strengthen social science and mathematics teacher education, with Tamil Nadu where CLIx English has been taken up for state-wise use, and with the Government of Madhya Pradesh to support the NIPUN Bharat Mission fellowship programme. The Centre is also a part of the Gol's, Ministry of Education, STARS Project Management Unit with responsibility for the areas of teacher professional development and Decentralisation and School Leadership.

International Collaborations: The Centre is the technical lead partner in two major international collaboration projects: Connected Learning for STEM (CL4STEM) and MultiModal Approach to TPD (MATPD), supported through the KIX-GPE Global and regional grants. These research projects involve scaling core TPD ideas that have been piloted successfully by the Centre in India, to countries in Sub-Saharan Africa and South Asia. Both projects completed major milestones in the year 2022-2023, with a full implementation cycle and the focus shifting to research and communication.

MATPD organised a two-week-long meet of 45 fellows across South Asia, between 27 June and 7 July 2022. CL4STEM organised a six-week-long research lab and writing exercise with eight researchers from partners participating in an intense six-week-long research analysis and writing lab. Eight papers from CL4STEM

were presented at the Comparative and International Education Conference in April 2023.

Two major SPARC-supported grants also came to a close this year. SPARC-UKIERI: Teacher Preparation for Equity and Inclusion—Possibilities and Prospects, in collaboration with the University of Sussex led to the developing a BRICS comparative study of teacher education which will be published shortly. The collaboration also paved the way to a second grant through which a course on "Global Teacher Education Policies and Practices for Equitable and Quality Education" was developed and offered to 50 students in India from TISS, Ambedkar University, Jamia Milia Islamia and NIEPA, and 15 students from the University of Sussex. Prof. M.S. Vijay Kumar. (MIT) gave a Public Talk "Towards a new Landscape of Learning Opportunities" to mark Teachers' Day, and an International Symposium

"Scaling models of TPD in the Global South" was held on Sep 6, 2022.

The National Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences, South Africa, supported collaboration between CETE (TISS Mumbai), Azim Premji School of Education (TISS Hyderabad), Centre for International Teacher Education, Cape Peninsula University of Technology, and the SARHIE Chair, University of Johannesburg, and organised a four-part seminar series in 2022-2023: "Reimagining Research and Teaching and Learning During times of Crisis". Which was aimed at faculty and research students of the collaborating universities. Additionally, a hybrid International Symposium on "Crisis Transformation and Equity in BRICS Countries: Reflections on Society and Economy in Light of COVID-19" was held on 25 January 2023.

#### RESEARCH PROJECTS AND OTHER PROJECTS

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
The Role of Non-State Actors in Teacher Preparation and Teacher Professional Development	UNESCO GEM, Paris	Dec. 2020	Completed	Dr. Nishevita Jayendran and Dr. Poonam Sharma
Connected Learning for STEM	Ibrahim Badamsi Babangida university, Lapai, Nigeria/ IDRC-KIX- GPE	Apr. 2021	Ongoing	Prof. Padma Sarangapani, Prof. Mythili Ramchand and Dr. Vikas Maniar
World of Work	Delhi Board of Secondary Education	Apr. 2021	Completed	Prof. Padma Sarangapani
A Study of Curricula and Graduate Competency for Sustainable Mountain Futures in Bhutan, India, Nepal and Pakistan	International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development	Sep. 2021	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. Padma Sarangapani
Re-imagining Research and Teaching and Learning During Times of Crises	National Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences, South Africa	Sep. 2021	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. Padma Sarangapani
Multimodal Approach to Teacher Professional Development	International Development Research Centre	Nov. 2021	Ongoing	Dr. Ruchi Kumar, Prof. Mythili Ramchand, Dr. Anusha Ramnathan, Dr. Bindu Thirumalai and Dr. Amnia Charania
Digital Badges	Open University, UK	Nov. 2021	Completed	Dr. Amina Charania
Global Teacher Education Policy and Practice	British Council	Feb. 2022	Completed	Prof. Mythili Ramchand and Dr. Meera Chandran

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Assessment of National Initiatives for School Heads' and Teachers' Holistic Advancement (NISHTHA) Training in Telangana	Telangana SCERT	Feb. 2022	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Dr. Anusha Ramanathan and Dr. Bindu Thirumalai
Longitudinal Study in Teacher Education (LiSTEn)	CETE	Apr. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Padma Sarangapani, Prof. Mythili Ramchand, Dr. Meera Chandran, Dr. Nishevita Jayendran, Dr. Anusha Ramanathan, Dr. Shamin Padalkar, Dr. Ruchi Kumar, Dr. Arindam Bose, and Dr. Richa Sharma
Re-imagining Research and Teaching and Learning during times of Crises	National Institute for the Humanities and Social Sciences	May 2022	Writing Report	Prof. Padma Sarangapani and Dr. Meera Chandran
Innovative Financing for Education to Leave No One Behind	NORRAG	Jun. 2022	Initiated	Prof. Archana Mehendale, Prof. Padma Sarangapani and Dr. Emon Nandi
Learning Achievement Survey: CLIx Schools in Chhattisgarh, Mizoram and Telangana	Tata Trusts	Jun. 2022	Writing Report	Dr. Anusha Ramanathan
Action Research on Scaling	IIT-M	Jul. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Mythili Ramchand and Dr. Bindu Thirumalai
Impact of Leadership in CTLT	UNICEF	Sep. 2022	Completed	Dr. Amina Charania
Situational Analysis Report of the DIETs in Uttar Pradesh	UNICEF Uttar Pradesh	Sep. 2022	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Dr. Bindu Thirumalai and Dr. Arindam Bose
Shala Granthalayachi Ghosti (The Story of School Libraries in Maharashtra)	UNICEF	Sep. 2022	Writing Report	Dr. Anusha Ramanathan
Connected Learning and Research on Inclusive Education (CLeaR on IE) Phase II	Cognizant Foundation	Nov. 2022	Ongoing	Prof Mythili Ramchand
Curation of Content for IFPs: Strengthening Teacher Education in Telangana	Govt. of Telangana	Dec. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Padma Sarangapani, and Dr. Bindu Thirumalai
Faculty Development of Anglo Eastern Maritime Academy	Anglo-Easter Maritime Academy	Dec. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Padma Sarangapani, Dr. Arindam Bose, Dr. Shamin Padalkar and Mr. Rafikh Shaikh
Investigating the Functioning of District Institutes of Education and Training (DIETs) in Telangana State	Telangana State Council of Educational Research and Training	Dec. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Bindu Thirumalai
Shaala Siddhi: Strengthening Teacher Education in Telangana	Govt. of Telangana	Jan. 2023	Ongoing	Dr. Gomathi Jatin

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Study of DIETS in Telangana State: Strengthening Teacher Education in Telangana	Govt. of Telangana	Apr. 2023	Ongoing	Dr. Bindu Thirumalai
World of Work Module Development	DBSE and Boston Consulting Group	Apr. 2023	Initiated	Prof. Padma Sarangapani, Dr. Nishevita Jayendran and Dr. Richa Sharma

#### FIELD ACTION PROJECTS

## Connected Learning Initiative (CLIx) 2.0, estd. 2015

Chhattisgarh, Mizoram, Telangana

#### **Sponsor**

Tata Trusts

#### **Objectives**

- Integrate high quality IT enabled curricular resources in Communicative English, Mathematics and Science in secondary schools
- · Impact quality of student learning in secondary schools
- Impact teacher knowledge and classroom practice
- · Improve ICT usage and the use of science labs, hands-on and field activities in secondary schools
- · Create a system of sustainable growth of the initiative

#### **Programmes**

- CLIx incorporates thoughtful pedagogical design and leverages contemporary technology and online capabilities. Resources for students are in Mathematics, Sciences, Communicative English and Digital Literacy, designed to be interactive, foster collaboration and integrate values and 21st-century skills. These are being offered to students of government secondary schools in Chhattisgarh, Mizoram, Rajasthan and Telangana in their regional languages and released as Open Educational Resources (OERs).
- Teacher Professional Development is available through professional communities of practice and the blended Post Graduate Certificate in Reflective Teaching with ICT. Through research and collaborations, CLIx seeks to nurture a vibrant ecosystem of partnerships and innovation to improve schooling for underserved communities.

#### Faculty

Prof. Padma Sarangapani and Dr. Anusha Ramanathan

#### **Project Staff**

Saurav Mohanty, Karthik S. and Diksha Rehal

#### Connected Learning for STEM (CL4STEM), estd. 2019

Bhutan, Tanzania, and Nigeria

#### **Sponsor**

IDRC KIX, Canada

## **Objectives**

• The project seeks to build capacities of newly qualified teachers (NQT) of middle and secondary school in science and mathematics for fostering inclusive higher-order learning in their classrooms. It aims to pilot the innovative Connected Learning

Initiative innovation, developed and scaled in India, to new contexts in Bhutan, Nigeria, and Tanzania, through a South-South collaboration, and research its effectiveness and potential for scaling.

## Programme

· Reflective teaching with ICT

#### Faculty

Prof. Padma Sarangapani, Prof. Mythili Ramchand, Dr. Ruchi Kumar and Dr. Shamin Padalkar

#### Project Staff

Rafikh Shaikh, Geetha M., Deepika Bansal, Sarika Bansode, Jeenath Rahaman, Tanushree Datta, and Shubo

# **TELTA-21: Technology Enabled Learning for Teachers and Adolescents of the 21st Century**, estd. 2021 Mumbai

#### **Sponsor**

Capgemini

#### **Objectives**

- TELTA-21 aspires adolescents (classes 6 to 10) from government schools to be:
- 21st-century learners, analytical and critical thinkers, innovative producers and constructors of deep knowledge using digital technology and technology adapters
- Design curriculum-connected, technology-enabled learning experiences for adolescents
- · Prepare a cohort of teachers as adaptive and expert teachers in constructivist teaching and learning with technology
- Leverage infrastructure support by the school and the project.

#### **Programmes**

- Study process and impact using appropriate research methods in 70 BMC schools and teachers
- Use PBLT in classrooms, camps, and study impact.

#### Faculty

Dr. Amina Charania

#### **Project Staff**

Raoson Singh, Uchita Bakshani, Sandeep Wade, Durba Sarkar, Noor and Umera

## Technology-based School Intervention in Assam-CLIx English, estd. 2022

Assam

## Sponsor

Centre for Microfinance and Livelihoods

#### **Objective**

• To leverage technology based education in government schools in Assam with a focus on implementing CLIx English modules.

## Faculty

Dr. Anusha Ramanathan

## Project Staff

Saurav Mohanty

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## **PROGRAMMES ORGANISED**

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Dr. Shamin Padalkar	Panel discussion on National Scientific Temper Day	TISS Mumbai	СЕТЕ	23 Aug. 2022
Dr. Ruchi Kumar and Dr. Vikas Maniar	Scaling Models of Teacher Professional Development in the Global South: A Symposium	Online	СЕТЕ	6 Sep. 2022
Dr. Shamin Padalkar and Dr. Ruchi Kumar	Rachana Fellowship Winter School	TISS Mumbai	СЕТЕ	26 Nov. to 1 Dec. 2022
Dr. Amina Charania	Multi State and UNICEF partnership for CTLT	TISS, Mumbai	UNCIEF	23 Dec. 2022
Dr. Meera Chandran and Prof. Padma Sarangapani	Re-Imagining Research and Teaching and Learning during Times of Crises	TISS Mumbai	NIHSS	23-25 Jan. 2023
Dr. Ruchi Kumar	Workshop on Mathematical Modelling and Reasoning	TISS Mumbai	SCERT Delhi	14-16 Mar. 2023
Dr. Ruchi Kumar	School Synergy Workshop Series	Online	Tata Trusts	21 Jul. 2022 to 28 Apr. 2023
Dr. Anusha Ramanathan and Dr. Richa Sharma	Delhi SCERT Practitioner Research FDP	TISS Mumbai	Delhi SCERT	2-6 Jan. 2023
Dr. Shamin Padalkar	Science Fair for National Science Day	TISS Mumbai	СЕТЕ	28 Feb. 2023
Prof. Archana Mehendale	Doctoral Workshop on Education Policy	TISS Mumbai	CETE	28 Apr. 2023

## CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION

The Centre for Studies in Sociology of Education worked to consolidate and expand its academic work. The Centre, through its various academic activities, addressed theoretical and policy issues in sociology and education with a focus on studying the role of the institution of education in reinforcing/challenging social inequality, exclusion and marginalisation in society.

The sociology of knowledge, indigenous knowledge, and the sociology of minorities are other areas of intervention and exploration. This year, the Centre faculty worked on changing institutions of education, nationalism, identity politics, ghettoisation and, the pluralistic health system in India.

With the knowledge built over the years, the Centre faculty developed an integrated M.Phil./Ph.D. programme in Social Sciences with specialisation in Sociology of Education. The M.Phil. programme continued till 2022 benefiting 5 batches of students. In 2022, it came to a close due to policy changes in the education system in India. The alumni of the Centre are pursuing their higher education in international and national universities, with some continuing their higher education (Ph.D.) at the Centre and other Schools/ Centtes of the Institute.

The Ph.D. scholars are active in academics, participating in many international and national conferences and workshops. One scholar has organised two international workshops in Paris, France. Three have publications in national and international books and journals. Five of our students worked in colleges, universities and NGOs, while pursuing their Ph.D. Our research scholars have acquired prestigious scholarships like, UGC NET & JRF, ICSSR Centrally Administered Full Term Doctoral Fellowship, and Maulana Azad National Fellowship.

It gives us great pride to share that one of the Centre's Scholar, Mr. D. Bagul, has been awarded

"Angels of Mumbai" award conferred by the Free Press Journal on 16 February 2023. The award recognises the impact of the awardee on the lives of the Mumbaikars.

The Centre faculty continues to focus on research, teaching and supervision. They are teaching in Foundation Courses and have also taught a course for M.A. in International Development Practice (MIDP) in collaboration with TISS & Monash University along with many special invited lectures in and outside TISS. They participated in around 25 conferences, workshops and training programmes, presenting papers and chairing sessions.

They have reviewed books, documented on ghettoisation and have one international publication to their credit. They are members of various committees within and outside TISS, holding positions of importance like Executive and Advisory boards of various Universities, Institutes and Government bodies. Some salient positions are Senate member, National Institute of Technology, Calicut; Scientific Advisory Committee, ICMR - National Institute of Traditional Medicine; Ashgar Ali Engineer Memorial Committee; Board of Studies in Sociology, Sophia College. They are on the advisory boards of academic journals like Rajasthan Journal of Sociology and Asian Journal of Social Sciences and Peace Studies (AJSSPS), Nagaland. They function as reviewers for various national and international scholarly journals and forthcoming books.

The Centre, in collaboration with the School of Education, organised 'M.S. Gore Memorial Webinar on 'State, Society and Education: Emerging Concerns in Higher Education' in August 2022. Esteemed sociologists and educators participated in the webinar, with more than 300 participants attending various webinar sessions.

## **RESEARCH PROJECT**

Title	Sponsor	Date of Commencement	Present Position	Faculty
Plural Medicinal Knowledge and Practices: Societal Groups and Power Structures	Self Financed	Jan. 2021	Initiated	Prof. Leena Abraham

## **PUBLICATION**

S. Chaturvedi, J. Porter, G.K.G. Pillai, **L. Abraham**, D. Shankar, and B. Patwardhan (2023). India and its pluralistic health system: A new philosophy for Universal Health Coverage. *The Lancet Regional Health - Southeast Asia*. <a href="https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/52772368222001536">https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/52772368222001536</a>.

## **PROGRAMME ORGANISED**

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Prof. Ranu Jain	State, Society and Education: Emerging Concerns in Higher Education	Webinar	CSSE, TISS	5 Aug. 2022

## CENTRE FOR STUDY OF SOCIAL EXCLUSION AND INCLUSIVE POLICIES

The Centre for Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policies (CSSEIP) is a multidisciplinary research centre established in 2007 through the initiative of the University Grants Commission (UGC). The focus of the Centre has been on the social identities of communities that face social exclusion, discrimination, and atrocities. The Centre stresses the efficacy of the system and processes that the State has put in place to ensure social justice and dignity to the excluded communities. The Centre completed 16 years of its inception this year and has carved out a niche among Centres studying Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policies in India.

The CSSEIP has made significant academic contributions to the discourse on development in the country and has played a major role, through research and teaching, to realising the vision of the Indian Constitution. The primary academic activities of the faculty members of the Centre include:

- (a) Researching issues of exclusion, discrimination and marginalisation faced by excluded communities such as the Scheduled Castes (Dalits), Scheduled Tribes (Adivasis) and religious minorities, and to understand how the State addresses their issues through inclusive policies, and the outcome of such State intervention,
- (b) Teaching, supervision and guidance to research undertaken by M.A., M.Phil. and Ph.D. students/ scholars across schools, and
- (c) Organising workshops, seminars, and conferences on relevant themes at regional, national and international levels.

One of the major academic activities of the Centre was its integrated M. Phil.–Ph.D. Programme on "Inclusive Development and Social Justice" offered from 2014. However, under the NEP 2020, the M.Phil. has been discontinued, though the Ph.D. programme continues. Between 2014-2022, 53 scholars were awarded an M.Phil. and 1 scholar their Ph.D. degrees.

Academic Contribution during 2022-2023: The academic contribution of the faculty members of the Centre during the academic year 2022-23 includes seven articles published in 'Web of Science', UGC Care Approved Journals and Referred Journals, and three chapters published in edited volumes. Two Research Projects have been completed, and one is initiated and ongoing. The Centre also organised four Public Lectures and one Memorial Lecture.

## **Major Events Organised**

- The CSSEIP PhD Colloquium on Contemporary
   Debates in Ambedkarian Thought (Public Lecture)
   on 10 November 2022.
- A Book Talk on "An Intellectual Biography of B.R. Ambedkar: The Evolution of Pragmatism in India" on 14 April 2023.
- Consultation on "OBCs and Political Reservation", given the cancellation of reservations in local bodies in Maharashtra. This event was a joint endeavour of CSSEIP and Advanced Centre for Women's Studies on 2 July 2022.
- Public lecture on "Caste and Public Policy" by Prof.
   Tanojkumar Meshram, Associate Professor, SPJIMR,
   Mumbai) on 24 March 2023.

## **RESEARCH PROJECTS AND OTHER PROJECTS**

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
A Study on Women Domestic Workers Amid the COVID-19 Related Lockdown: A Combination of Literature Review and Pilot (Field) Study on the Problems of Women Domestic Workers Working in Navi Mumbai, Maharashtra	Research Council, TISS	Apr. 2019	Writing Report	Prof. C.J. Sonowal

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Problems and Prospects of Rural Transformation in Rural Tribal Domain: A Study in Assam	ICSSR, Delhi	Nov. 2019	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. C.J. Sonowal
Violence against Women (Domestic and Spousal) among the Tribes in Northeast India: Complementing Qualitative Information with NFHS Data	IIPS, Mumbai	Jun. 2022	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. C.J. Sonowal
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#### **PROGRAMMES ORGANISED**

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Dr. Sai Thakur	Consultation on OBCs and Political Reservation	TISS Mumbai	CSSEIP, TISS	2 Jul. 2022
Dr. Shaileshkumar Darokar	Public Lecture: The CSSEIP PhD Colloquium on Contemporary Debates in Ambedkarian Thought	TISS Mumbai	CSSEIP, TISS	10 Nov. 2022
Dr. Shaileshkumar Darokar	Book Talk on "An Intellectual Biography of B. R. Ambedkar: The Evolution of Pragmatism in India"	TISS Mumbai	CSSEIP, TISS	14 Apr. 2023

## SIR DORABJI TATA MEMORIAL LIBRARY

The Sir Dorabji Tata Memorial Library (SDTML) is a Networked Library System that connects all four campuses of TISS to provide a single platform to search and access library resources. With effective integration of ICT and Open Source tools, SDTML has evolved into an enabler to provide the highest level of support for learning, teaching and research needs. Staffed by a dedicated team of professionals, it continually makes an effort to acquire and disseminate learning resources in all formats. Its print collection includes about 1,28,683 volumes covering principal domains of social science and subscribes to over 9000 plus print and e-journals.

The Online Catalogue, Web OPAC, is the most accessed tool amongst all services which clocks over 2 lakh hits annually. Its user-friendly interface provides a visually appealing "Virtual Shelf" to browse library book stacks online. Users can also manage their library account for renewals, reservations, etc. Digital Library etd@ TISS is an Institutional Repository for archiving faculty projects, theses/dissertations of Master's, M.Phil. and Ph.D. programmes. The etd@TISS currently hosts about 12,000 plus documents and witnesses about 3.5 lakh searches/downloads. The Library strives hard to achieve wider dissemination of the Institute's research output. Thus, collecting, preserving and providing access to such content is central to the aims of the Library as it accords the highest level of importance to research support.

Additionally, a significant number of Ph.D. scholars are enrolled every year. A dedicated team of Liaison Librarians work closely with course coordinators, students and faculty to ensure that they get personalised support from the Library. This school-specific innovative support has enhanced the usage of library resources manifold and made the library team an integral part of the research process. It provides training on advanced research tools like Turnitin for detecting plagiarism and Zotero, Mendeley for managing citations and references. The Library also offers an optional "Digital Scholarship" course for Master's students to train them in research skills. The Library responds creatively by providing

efficient teaching and research support services through Current Awareness Service Bulletin, Article Alert Services, Plagiarism Detection and Avoidance, Document Delivery Service, Reference Service, etc. Cyber Libraries are collaborative learning spaces to provide seamless access to electronic and print resources put together. The Library has two fully air-conditioned facilities that accommodate 150 workstations, a central printing facility and 1 Gbps internet access. The M.K. Tata Memorial Learning Centre for the Visually Challenged has specialist software and hardware enabling visually challenged students to access both print /online resources.

The Library's innovative practices to promote resources and services have been duly recognised as TISS is one of the top universities with extensive usage of eResources from UGC e-ShodhSindhu Consortia. We get access to 11 online databases under the consortia, again augmented by library subscriptions to another 11 leading online databases in social sciences. Currently, the Library provides access to over 9,000 online journals and 22 databases. Prominent among them are J-Stor, Project Muse, Oxford University Press, Emerald Management, EBSCO Business Source Elite, PsychArticles, Indiastat.com, World eBook Library, Routledge, Oxford University Press (e-books), Net Library eBooks Collection, India Business Insight Database, etc. All these resources are accessible through the Library Portal.

The SDTML collections are accessible to our users anywhere in the world through the Remote Login facility. More than 6,000 users across four campuses use this single sign-on service, which saw over 12 lakh sessions in one year. Users are always connected with the Library, whether on campus or on the field. Since the Library encourages collaborative learning, its floors are designated as Discussion Zone, Study Zone and Complete Silence Zones, to meet requirements of all levels of study types. About 507 students can study in the Library at any given time. The Library has WiFi connectivity across all floors and users have seamless access to learning resources across multiple devices.

# Library Academic Programmes: Centre for Library and Information Management Studies

To fill the widening gap of the non-availability of qualified information professionals with employability skills, the SDTML established the Centre for Library and Information Management Studies in 2012 to offer academic programmes. The PG Diploma in Digital Library and Information Management (PGDLIM) is a one-year, dual-mode programme aimed at capacity building of mid-career professionals. This unique programme has been getting students from across the country, and the 12th batch will be graduating this year. The full-time Master's Programme in Library and Information

Science (MLIS) has an intake of 15 students, and the 9th batch has graduated this year. With 6 faculty recognised as Supervisors, the Ph.D. programme currently has about 12 research scholars and 14 Ph.D. degrees have been awarded till date. The research areas are Digital Libraries, Information Access and Services, Knowledge Management, Information Seeking and Research Behaviour, Classification and Ontology, Scientometrics, etc. Within a short time, our academic programmes have gained credibility and popularity among career seekers as SDTML provides an excellent opportunity for theoretical expertise and practical exposure to modern library and information systems with best practices, thus allowing experiential learning.

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TULJAPUR Off-Campus

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## **TISS TULJAPUR**

The TISS Tuljapur Campus was established in 1987 with the mission of promoting initiatives for the sustainable, eco-friendly, and equitable socio-economic development of rural communities, with a focus on social justice. Through its programmes, TISS Tuljapur seeks to contribute to the revival of the rural economy, society, and polity by promoting alternatives in development. To achieve this, TISS Tuljapur has evolved a four-dimensional programme comprising teaching, training, field action, and research & documentation. It has built a strong team of multi-disciplinary faculty drawn from social work, philosophy, sociology, economics, agriculture, and other related disciplines.

TISS has always emphasised interdisciplinary learning and the Tuljapur Off-Campus' programmes are professional and involve training in different social sciences disciplines. All teaching programmes involve intense field engagements within Maharashtra and across India at different stages of learning. With the adoption of the New Education Policy 2020, existing curricula are being revised. The new 4-year programmes for B.A. in Social Sciences and B.A. Social Work integrates Health and Yoga, Value Education, Decolonisation of the Indian Knowledge System, and Vocational Training in its curricula.

It was a busy year for the faculty of the TISS Tuljapur Off-Campus. In addition to their regular teaching, projects, fieldwork and publications, they also organised and participated in various programmes. These include Faculty Development Programmes; workshops on research writing for students, memorial lectures, community engagement drives, etc. Some highlights of the 2022-2023 academic year are enumerated below.

#### **National Rural Youth Festival**

The 13th edition of the National Rural Youth Festival (NRYF) was celebrated from 3-6 March 2023, on the theme of "Tales of Rural India". The NRYF aimed to showcase rural India's rich cultural heritage and promote rural youth's talents and innovations. This edition of the NRYF featured a range of cultural, literary, and sports events, as well as activities for farmers, SHGs, and also showcased rural innovations, and entrepreneurship.

The NRYF was a platform for rural youth to showcase their talents, exchange ideas and experiences, and develop new skills. The Festival allowed them to connect with their peers and learn from experts in various fields. By promoting rural entrepreneurship and innovation, the NRYF aimed to empower young people to drive sustainable development and create a brighter future for themselves and their communities. Eighteen colleges from Maharashtra and Telangana, and youth and women from 25 villages of Dharashiv District participated in the NRYF.

The main events of the 13th NRYF were:

- Gramnovation, an interactive platform where key stakeholders shared ideas and experiences to learn about and get insights into social entrepreneurship and innovation.
- SHG Mela was an immersive experience for the participants as the SHGs shared their ideas and insights gathered over the years.
- Kisan Sambodh was a dedicated 'talk' space for farmers where they shared their lived experiences and learnings with the students and participants at NRYF.
- Jeevani, a blood donation camp in association with Red Cross India, wherein 78 students of the TISS Tuljapur Off-Campus donated blood.
- Inno-Vision was a B-Plan Competition jointly organised with the E-Cell of TISS Tuljapur. This was an opportunity for students with a passion for entrepreneurship to showcase their innovative ideas, compete against the best entrepreneurial minds in the country, and be recognised and rewarded.

In addition to the above events, the NRYF also felicitated Mr. Raju Kendre, an alum of the TISS Tuljapur Off-Campus, for receiving Time Magazine's prestigious "Young Achiever Award". The event also had Dr. Rajendra Singh, also known as the Waterman of India, deliver a talk on water issues in India, with special reference to the rejuvenation of rivers in Rajasthan's Alwar District.

# MoU with Maharashtra State Faculty Development Academy

An MoU was signed between the TISS Tuljapur Off Campus and the Maharashtra State Faculty Development Academy (Govt. of Maharashtra) to conduct Faculty Development Programmes in "Community Engagement". The MoU was signed in the presence of Shri Chandrakant Patil (Minister, Higher & Technical Education, Govt. of Maharashtra), Dr. Nipun Vinayak (Executive Director, MSFDA), Shri Vikas Chandra Rastogi (Principal Secretary, Higher & Technical Education, Govt. of Maharashtra) and Prof. Ramesh Jare (Deputy Director, TISS Tuljapur Off-Campus).

#### **Goat Distribution Programme**

Mardi, Bendkal and Nagaral from Lohara Block of Dharashive District were selected for the goat rearing project with 120 women participations. Ninety-five per cent of women paid the interest-free loan, which has now been distributed to 50 women for next cycle. Overall, the women were encouraged and empowered to rear goats more sustainably and after this livelihood intervention the number of livestock in each village increased by 30-50 goats. This is part of the Disaster and Beyond: Community Engagement Field Action Project sponsored by True North Manager LLP, and spearheaded by the Jamsetji Tata School of Disaster Studies (TISS Mumbai) and facilitated by the Tuljapur Off-Campus.

## **Commemorative Days and Campaigns**

- The 8th edition of International Day of Yoga was celebrated on the theme of "Yoga for Humanity" on 21 June 2022.
- International Widows' Day was observed by the TISS Tuljapur Off-Campus at Mangrul Village, Block Tuljapur on 26 June 2022. "Invisible Women, Invisible Problems" was this year's theme to recognise widows and the unique conditions worldwide.
- Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan Awareness Rally was organised from 4-10 August 2022 as part of the Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav celebtayions. The rally saw the participation of more than 300 students, faculty and staff of the Off-Campus. Various competitions were also conducted such as Poster Making, Elocution Competition, Rangoli and Slogan Writing ion in which around 150 Students

participated in different events. This programme was also organised for the College of Apsinga village, where 250 students participated in the awareness generation programme. The programme concluded with the screening of a movie on Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan. TISS Tuljapur Off Campus also celebrated the Har Ghar Tiranga campaign from 13-15 August 2022.

- Bhartiya Bhasha Diwas was celebrated on 11
   December 2022 where more than 175 students
   actively participated in various competitions
   organised to commemorate the day singing,
   dancing, debate, poetry, etc. A fashion show was
   also organised as part of the celebrations.
- National Panchayat Raj Day was celebrated on 24
   April 2023 in collaboration with Panchayat Samiti
   Tuljapur at Mangrul Village Panchayat Office. A
   workshop was organised on this occasion for
   Panchayat and Gramsabha Members.

#### Students

**Placements:** The TISS Tuljapur Off-Campus achieved 100% placement for all four of the 2020-2022 batch of Master's students. The students have been placed in various capacities in different government and private organisations viz., BAIF, ICICI Foundation, Raajevika, Shiv Nadar Foundation, Pradan, Morningstar, and ORMAS. Around 70% of the organisations participating in the placement process had approached the Institute for the first time, and this was possible due to the constant efforts and diligence of the CGPC team.

#### **Exchange Programmes**

- Jedidiah Asriel (B.A. in Social Sciences) was selected to study his Fifth Semester at Macquarie University, Australia, from 18 July to 25 November 2022.
- Prakriti Mishra (M.A. in Development Policy, Planning and Practice) was selected to do her Third Semester at Sciences Po Lille, France from September to December 2022.

## **Award**

Dr. Veeresh B. Hanchinal (Deputy Librarian) received the BOSLA–Prof. Koganuramath Best Librarian Award 2023 at a Seminar jointly organised by BOSLA-KES Shroff College on 11 February 2023 at KESS College, Mumbai.

## **RESEARCH PROJECTS AND OTHER PROJECTS**

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty In-charge
Droughts, Dalits and Adivasis: A Study on the Impact of Droughts catalysed by Climate Change on the Dalits and the Adivasis of Marathwada region of Maharashtra	National Dalit Watch, National Campaign for Dalit Human Rights	Jan. 2021	Completed	Dr. Sampat Kale
Impact Assessment of Birsa Munda Krishi Kranti Yojana	Department of Tribal Development, Integrated Development Plan, Kinwat, Nanded	Aug. 2021	Ongoing	Dr. Gunvant Birajdar
Strategic Research and Extension Plan (SREP)	Agriculture and Management Technology Agency, Osmanabad under Ministry of Agriculture, Maharashtra	Nov. 2021	Ongoing	Dr. Gunvant Birajdar
Diploma in Agricultural Extension Services for Input Dealers	ATMA, Osmanabad Under the Department of Agriculture	Dec. 2021	Completed	Dr. Gunvant Birajdar
Impact Assessment Project of "Mission 500 Crores Water Conservation"	Rotary Club of Chembur, Mumbai	Dec. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Ramesh Jare, Dr. Rohit Mutatkar and Dr. Sridhar Samant
Close Circuit Television Surveillance in Rural Marathwada: Privacy Social Control and Subversion	Research Council, TISS	Apr. 2023	Initiated	Dr. Kalpana Dixit

## **FIELD ACTION PROJECT**

## Disaster and Beyond, estd. 2017

Osmanabad

## Sponsor

True North Pvt Ltd.

#### **Objective**

Participatory Drought Mitigation: A Pilot Project in the Select Villages of Osmanabad District, Maharashtra

## **Programmes**

- Roll out of the second phase of the Goatry Project
- Roll out of the Social Projection Scheme
- End term evaluation
- Interfacing with funders.

## Faculty

Prof. Ramesh Jare

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## **PROGRAMMES ORGANISED**

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Sri Krishna Sudheer Patoju	Workshop on Research Methodology	TISS Tuljapur	TISS Tuljapur	28 Aug. 2022
Dr. Gunvant Birajdar	Workshop on Sustainable Agriculture Practices	TISS Tuljapur	MAHA FPC Pune	3 Sep. 2022
Prof. Ramesh Jare	Participatory Rural Appraisal and Rural Development	TISS Tuljapur	JSW Foundation and iVolunteer	21 Sep. 2022
Prof. Ramesh Jare	Community Engagements in National Education Policy 2020.	TISS Tuljapur	Mahatma Gandhi National Council for Rural Education, Hyderabad	12 Nov. 2022
Dr. Sri Krishna Sudheer Patoju	B'Plan Expo	TISS Tuljapur	Student Council, TISS Tuljapur	27 Feb. 2023
Dr. Byasa Moharana	Public Lecture: Birsa Memorial Lecture	TISS Tuljapur	TISS	19 Mar. 2023



## TISS GUWAHATI OFF-CAMPUS

Deputy Director: Prof. Kalpana Sarathy

## SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

## SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES

**Dean**: Dr. Santhosh M.R.

Dean: Prof. Jagannath Ambagudia

# Centre for Community Organisation and Development Practice

Chairperson: Dr. Shivani Chauhan Barooah

Dr. Joseph Riamei

## **Centre for Counselling**

Chairperson: Dr. Meghali Senapati

Dr. Monica Kaothala

## **Centre for Livelihoods and Social Entrepreneurship**

Chairperson: Dr. Pradeep Ramavath Jayanaik

Dr. Razdan Sarim Rahman

## **Centre for Public Health**

**Chairperson**: Dr. Jennifer Kipgen

Prof. Kalpana Sarathy Dr. Santhosh M.R.

# Centre for Ecology, Environment and Sustainable Development

Chairperson: Dr. Namita Brahma

Dr. Abhinandan Saikia Dr. Ritusmita Goswami

## **Centre for Labour Studies and Social Protection**

Chairperson: Dr. Rajdeep Singha

Dr. Ramya Ranjan Patel

## **Centre for Peace and Conflict Studies**

Chairperson: Dr. V. Sawmveli

Prof. Sanjay Barbora Prof. Jagannath Ambagudia Dr. R.K. Debbarma Dr. Yengkhom Jilangamba

## **Centre for Sociology and Social Anthropology**

Chairperson: Dr. Subeno Kithan

Dr. Stephen Pamei Dr. V. Sawmveli

# INDEPENDENT CENTRE FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

Chairperson: Dr. Minakshi Buragohain

Ms. Navaneeta Deori Dr. Limasenla Jamir

## UNIT FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

Chairperson: Dr. R.K. Debbarma

## **TISS GUWAHATI**

The **TISS Guwahati Off-Campus** was established in 2012 to undertake education, training, research and related activities across eight states of North-East India. These goals are carried out by the School of Social Sciences and Humanities, School of Social Work, Unit for Research and Development, and Centre for Undergraduate Studies.

It aims to enhance the capacities of this region's organisations, communities, states, and markets, especially focusing on indigenous communities, including state and non-state organisations in the subregion. One of the aims is also to contribute to social justice and the overall social development processes of the region. The TISS Guwahati Off-Campus has constantly engaged with the region through various government projects, PSUs of the national level, support to Universities and NGOs, and its students and alumni.

#### **New Initiatives and Innovations**

Launch of Entrepreneurship Cell: The Centre for Livelihoods and Social Entrepreneurship (School of Social Work) launched the Entrepreneurship-Cell (E-Cell) on 10 March 2023. The E-Cell, which is mandated by the UGC and the NEP 2020, was launched with a series of events. It was attended by a host of alumni, representatives from NGOs and faculty from the Mumbai and Guwahati Campuses. Over 30 entrepreneurs, start-ups, alumni and students put up their stalls.

**Quiz Time:** On the occasion of World Alzheimer's Day on 21 September 2022, the CLSE organised an online Quiz. Unlike an offline quiz with questions answered with a show of hands, this one had participants answering the quiz on their phones. There were prizes to be won for every correct answer to keep the spirits high. The quiz had questions on Alzheimer's disease and included geography, movies, brands, and general awareness. Around 50 students participated in the Quiz, and they found the event to be both refreshing and stimulating.

**Fund-raising:** While coping with the online to offline transition, the Centre for Counselling (School of Social

Work) initiated a fund-raising drive for flood-affected people in lower Assam. The Centre mobilised Rs. 36,000 along with clothes and other essentials like stationery through Gramya Vikas Manch (GVM), a social development organisation based in the Nalbari District of Assam.

Revised Curriculum for B.A. Social Sciences: The B.A. in Social Sciences curriculum underwent major revisions since its introduction in 2012. There have been three major revisions to the curriculum (2020, 2021 and 2022) following the implementation of the NEP. The new undergraduate programme (BASS) enables graduation following four years with the possibility of different exit options built into the programme. The programme structure includes new vocational, value and ability enhancement courses. The uniqueness of this programme lies in the pooling of faculty resources across the four campuses of TISS.

## Interactive Sessions, Workshops, Conference Paper, Lectures

The TISS Guwahati Campus organised over 20 interactive sessions during this academic year. These include "Governance of Electronic Waste in the Emerging Economics" by Dr. Anwesha Borthakur (Rachel Carson Centre for Environment and Society, Germany) on 14 October 2022; "Climate Change and Agroecology" with Dr. Gajanana Hegde (UNFCCC) and Samir Bordoloi (Farmer) on 12 December 2022; "Decolonising Labour & Economy" by Prof. Ravi Bhandari (UC Berkeley) on 27 February 2023; "Agriculture and Union Budget" by Prof. Parmod Kumar (Director, Giri Institute of Development Studies) on 28 February 2023; "Power of Innovation and Human Ingenuity for Problem Solving" by Mr. Naveen Jha (Senior Advanced Leadership Initiative Fellow, Harvard Business School on 10 March 2023); "Historical Sociolinguistics of Northern India" by Prof. Imre Bangha (University of Oxford) on 20 March 2023; and "Minimum Wage: Player of the Match on the Pitch of Poor Economics" by Mr. Kumar Amritesh (Central Labour Service Officer) on 1 April 2023.

The faculty of the TISS Guwahati Off-Campus also organised workshops on topics ranging from climate

change, sustainability, and disaster management to data management and analysis. They were also invited as resource persons, present conference papers, moderate panels and sessions, and deliver lectures and keynote addresses in addition to their regular teaching and research activities.

#### **Students**

 Nipul Chakma (Second Year, M.A. Environment, Ecology and Sustainable Development) presented a paper on "Asian Elephants and People Relations along the Assam and Arunachal Border" at National Seminar on Tribes, State and the Environment: Contemporary Research from Northeast India organised by Department of Anthropology, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh.

- Arya Meher (Second Year, M.A. Environment, Ecology and Sustainable Development) received the Erasmus Scholarship by European Union to study at the Roskilde University, Denmark.
- Mayurika Das (Second Year, M.A. Peace and Conflict Studies) was selected for a semester exchange at Sciences Po, Lille, France.
- Rupiin Kaur (Third Year, B.A. Social Sciences) was selected as an exchange student for Macquarie University, Australia.
- Samridhi Bhardwaj (First Year M.A. Social Work in Community Organisation and Development Practice) secured the First Position in Mayor Speech Competition at "Prajatantra: National Youth Festival 2023" organised by National Youth Conclave (Y20).

#### RESEARCH PROJECTS

Title	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty
Inorganic Arsenic in the Food Chain through Irrigation Water-Soil-Crop Pathway: Risk Assessment for Sustainable Agriculture in Brahmaputra Floodplain	Science and Engineering Research Board, DST, Gol.	Feb. 2021	Ongoing	Dr. Ritusmita Goswami
Occurence of Pharmaceutical and Personal Care Products and Associated Antibiotic Resistance in the Aquatic Environment: A Correlation Perspective with Urban Bionetwork	Science and Engineering Research Board, DST, Gol.	Jul. 2021	Ongoing	Dr. Ritusmita Goswami
Practicing Food Sovereignty	Swedish Research Council	Jan. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Sanjay Barbora

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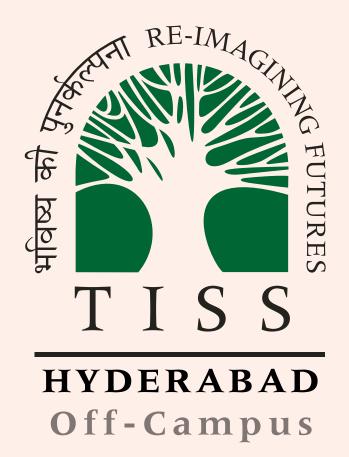
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## **PROGRAMMES ORGANISED**

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Dr. Meghali Senapati	Training Programme on Psychosocial Support for ICDS Workers in Barpeta District	Barpeta District, Assam	IGSSS, Guwahati	11-13 Jun. 2022
Dr. Namita Brahma	Interaction Session with Dr. Rajendra Singh, Waterman of India	TISS Guwahati	Indian Himalaya River Basins Council	12 Aug. 2022
Dr. Pradeep Jayanaik	Public Lecture: Disaster, Displacement and Meanings of Home in Assam	Guwahati	TISS Guwahati	5 Sep. 2022
Dr. Shivani Chauhan Barooah	Public Lecture: Not Me, Let's Talk About You: Bridges Not Barricades by Shri Harmeet Singh (Commissioner of Police, Guwahati and Special DGP Assam)	TISS Guwahati	TISS Guwahati	9 Sep. 2022
Dr. Namita Brahma	Workshop on Capacity building on Climate Change	TISS Guwahati	Assam Climate Change Management Society, Govt. of Assam	17 Sep. 2022
Prof. Sanjay Barbora	Indigenous Foodways: The Future of Seeds, Food, and Community in the Eastern Himalayan Region	Guwahati	North Eastern Social Research Centre	16 Sep. 2022
Dr. Monica Kaothala	Panel Discussion on the Occasion of World Alzheimer's Month	TISS Guwahati	ARDSI, Guwahati Chapter	21 Sep. 2022
Dr. Pradeep Jayanaik	Implementation of NEP-2020: Roadmap for Higher Education Institutions	Webinar	TISS Guwahati	22 Sep. 2022
Dr. Namita Brahma	Workshop on Disaster Management and GIS application	TISS Guwahati	Barnali Chakraborty, PMRF Fellow, Architecture and Regional Planning, IIT Kharagpur.	10-14 Oct. 2022
Dr. Rajdeep Singha	North East CSR Forum 2022	TISS Guwahati	Council for Social and Digital Development	28 Oct. 2022

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Prof. Sanjay Barbora	Sustainable Future: Agriculture, Ecology, and Conservation in India	Dibrugarh	NESRC and Dibrugarh University	14-16 Dec. 2022
Dr. Razdan Rahman	Data Management and Analytics	TISS Guwahati	NA	28 Jan. 2023
Dr. Razdan Rahman	Building 21st Century Skills	Webinar	Piramal Foundation	3 Feb. 2023
Dr. Jennifer Kipgen	Careers in Public Health	Webinar	Centre for Public Health,	18 Feb. 2023
Dr. Shivani Chauhan Barooah	Public Lecture: Community Mobilisation and Grassroots Intervention With LGBTQIA+ Community by Rituparna (Queer Rights Activist and Founder, Akam Foundation)	TISS Guwahati	TISS Guwahati	22 Feb. 2023
Dr. Shivani Chauhan Barooah and Dr. Namita Brahma	Workshop on Understanding HAM Radio: The Way Forward"	TISS Guwahati	TISS Guwahati	27 Feb. 2023
Dr. Shivani Chauhan Barooah	Panel Discussion on the occasion of International Women's Day: Digitall — Innovation and Technology for Gender Equality	TISS Guwahati	TISS Guwahati	1 Mar. 2023
Dr. Pradeep Jayanaik	Learning the Treasures Within: Social Entrepreneurship for New India	TISS Guwahati	TISS Guwahati	10 Mar. 2023
Dr. Shivani Chauhan Barooah	Workshop on Theatre as a Communication Tool	TISS Guwahati	TISS Guwahati	6 Apr. 2023



## TISS HYDERABAD OFF-CAMPUS

**Deputy Director**: Prof. Aseem Prakash

## **SCHOOL OF EDUCATIONAL STUDIES**

Chairperson: Prof. Rekha Pappu

Dr. Anu Joy Dr. Murali Krishna Mallepaku Dr. Ritesh Khunyakari Dr. Sonia Sawhney

## SCHOOL OF GENDER STUDIES

Chairperson: Prof. Gyanmudra

Dr. Neetha Rani P. Dr Nilanjana Ray Dr. Sowjanya Tamalapakula Dr. Sunayana Swain

## SCHOOL OF LIVELIHOODS AND DEVELOPMENT

Chairperson: Dr. Bibhu Prasad Nayak

Dr. Amit Upadhyay
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## SCHOOL OF PUBLIC POLICY AND GOVERNANCE

Chairperson: Dr. Ipsita Sapra

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## CENTRE FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND DEVELOPMENT

Chairperson: Dr. Murali Krishna Mallepaku

Dr. Mohan Dharavath Dr. Sajida Sultana

## **TISS HYDERABAD**

Since its inception in 2011, the TISS Hyderabad Off-Campus has been offering innovative and interdisciplinary teaching and research programmes, while also engaging in numerous collaborations with the Central and the State government organisations. In line with the larger vision of TISS, the TISS Hyderabad Off-Campus nurtures excellence in knowledge production and dissemination in sectors to explore fresh grounds in defining social sciences and their relevance to society.

With a diverse group of talented students, brilliant faculty, and efficient non-teaching staff, we were able to successfully transition from a COVID-induced completely online mode in 2020-2021 to a hybrid mode in 2021-2022 and to the present offline mode of teaching, research, and other academic activities. Our focus on excellence in education, and research resulted in the introduction of new programmes and discipline specific initiatives.

During the 2022-2023 academic year, the School of Public Policy and Governance (SPPG) initiated new academic degree and post-graduate programmes in "Cities and Governance". The Azim Premji School of Education (TISS-APSoE) collaborated with faculty from the Centre for Excellence in Teacher Education at TISS Mumbai and Indian Institute of Technology, Mumbai to develop and offer a Certificate course for Mathematics teachers on "An Inquiry Approach to Inclusive Mathematics Teaching". TISS-APSoE and the CETE also developed and offered Certificate Courses in Inclusive Education for Teachers, and Teacher Educators.

This academic year saw the faculty work on 26 research projects and 3 field action projects. Two Field Actions Projects "Sakhi One Stop Centre" that addresses medical, and psycho social concerns of violence against women; and "Social and Behavioural Change Interventions" for addressing concerns of women and children drew accolades from the Government of Telangana in general and society at large.

They also had 22 publications in books, peer reviewed journals, book chapters, educational resources, and

popular press. Our faculty members, students, and research scholars also presented papers at various national and international conferences. A total of 90 talks, workshops, and public and memorial lectures on social and policy concerns were delivered by eminent academicians and experts from various fields in both offline and online mode across the Schools.

Drawing from the mandate of NEP 2020, the Experiential Learning programmes were further strengthened. A novel initiative called "Academic Commons" was launched with an objective to enhance the capacities of students from across the School in Software for the analysis of micro and big data sets.

The student placement drive was encouraging with 103 of the 156 students who appeared for placement receiving offer letters. Students from across the Schools continued to attract meaningful internship opportunities.

TISS signed several MoUs for institutionalising programmes and activities anchored at the Hyderabad Campus. TISS-APSoE, in collaboration with the CETE an MoU with the School Education Department, Government of Telangana to improve the quality of education delivery and teaching practice in Telangana. The SGS signed an MoU with the World Bank to strengthen State responsiveness to address genderbased violence in Kerala. The SPPG inked an MoU with the School of Planning and Architecture, Bhopal for collaborative teaching and research.

Beyond the regular curricula, the SGS organised a Visual Documentation Skills workshop for their students. They also organised a film festival on gender issues where films made by SGS students were screened. The School of Livelihoods and Development Studies (SoLD) conducted a student-led plogging initiative on Community Engagement for Sustainability Action in the areas adjoining our campus; this resulted in collecting 30 kgs of plastic waste within an area of 700 mts.

The SC, ST, and Equal Opportunity Cell, TISS Hyderabad, initiated financial grant support to needy students to procure laptops. A committee was constituted to screen the applications and based on the assessment of students' needs, 10 most needy students received a grant of Rs. 25,000/- each towards procuring a laptop of their preference; these laptops will remain with them even after they graduate. In addition to this, 21 students received laptops from the Institute's laptop bank.

The faculty members continue to serve on various governing boards and advisory bodies of public and private universities, review committees, state planning boards, and non-state institutions. Many of our students have received awards and appreciation in various national and international conferences, and have been selected for the student exchange programme at SciencesPo, Paris and Lille.

#### RESEARCH PROJECTS AND OTHER PROJECTS

Title of Project	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	Present Position	Faculty In-charge
Safety Audit	Safe City Project, Hyderabad Police	Jan. 2019	Ongoing	Dr. Ipsita Sapra
Assessing Social and Emotional Learning of Students	Learning Curve Life Skills Foundation	Jul. 2019	Completed	Dr. Sonia Sawhney
Humanising Death: A Public Policy Perspective on Death in the Context of a Pandemic	Research Council, TISS	Jun. 2020	Ongoing	Dr Aseem Prakash, Dr. Ipsita Sapra and Dr. Khushboo Srivastava
Implications of COVID-19 on Informal Business and Revival strategies: A Study of Petty Traders in Hyderabad City	Research Council, TISS	Nov. 2020	Completed	Dr. Poulomi Bhattacharya
A Study of Curricula and Graduate Competency for Sustainable Mountain Futures in Bhutan, India, Nepal and Pakistan	International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development	Sep. 2021	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. Rekha Pappu
Re-imagining Research and Teaching and Learning During Times of Crises	National Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences, South Africa	Sep. 2021	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. Rekha Pappu
An Economic Assessment of Electronic National Agricultural Market (e-NAM) on the Livelihood of Farmers	Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education (MGNCRE), Hyderabad	Sep. 2021	Ongoing	Dr. Poulomi Bhattacharya
Quantum and Spread of Government Support to Households: A Case Study of Direct and Indirect Transfer of Subsidies, Goods and Services in NCT of Delhi	National Institute of Urban Affairs (NIUA), New Delhi	Dec. 2021	Writing Report	Dr. Arvind Pandey and Prof. Aseem Prakash
Socio Economic Impact of COVID-19 in South East Asia	WHO, South East Asia	May 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Aseem Prakash, Dr. Arvind Pandey, Dr. Ipsita Sapra, Dr. Krithi S. and Dr. Amit Upadhyay
Developing a Multisectoral Accountability Framework for Vulnerable Populations in South East Asian Countries	World Health Organization, SE Asia	Jun. 2022	Writing Report	Prof. Aseem Prakash, Dr. Ipsita Sapra and Dr. Sunayana Swain
Make Design Learning Visible: An International Comparative Research Project	Design & Technology Association	Jun. 2022	Completed	Dr. Ritesh Khunyakari

Title of Project	Sponsor	Date of Sanction	<b>Present Position</b>	Faculty In-charge
Action Research on Scaling	IIT-M	Jul. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Sonia Sawhney
Socio-Economic Impacts on Vulnerable Population in South East Asian Countries	World Health Organization	Jul. 2022	Completed	Dr. Srinivas Surisetti, Prof. Aseem Prakash and Dr. Arvind Pandey
Strengthening State Responsiveness for Preventing Gender-Based Violence: Towards A State-Civil Society-Community Framework for Kerala	World Bank	Aug. 2022	Writing Report	Prof. Gyanmudra, Dr. Nilanjana Ray and Dr. Neetha Rani P.
Redesigning of School Textbooks: Strengthening Teacher Education in Telangana	Department of School Education, Govt. of Telangana	Oct. 2022	Completed	Prof. Rekha Pappu and Dr. Sonia Sawhney
Connected Learning and Research on Inclusive Education (CLeaR on IE) Phase II	Cognizant Foundation	Nov. 2022	Ongoing	Dr. Sonia Sawhney
Curation of Content for IFPs: Strengthening Teacher Education in Telangana	Govt. of Telangana	Dec. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Rekha Pappu and Dr. Sonia Sawhney
Factors Associated with a Decline in Stunting in India: An Analysis of Exemplars in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana State	Gates Ventures and Department of Biotechnology, Government of India	Dec. 2022	Completed & Accepted by Funding Agency	Prof. Gyanmudra and Dr. Nilanjana Ray
Development of Case Study for Civil Service Officers	MCR Institute of Human Resource Development	Dec. 2022	Ongoing	Prof. Aseem Prakash
To Analyse Factors Associated with a Decline in Stunting in India: An Analysis of Exemplars in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana States	International AIDS Vaccine Initiative	Jan. 2023	Ongoing	Prof. Gyanmudra and Dr. Nilanjana Ray
Shaala Siddhi: Strengthening Teacher Education in Telangana	Govt. of Telangana	Jan. 2023	Ongoing	Dr. Sonia Sawhney and Prof. Rekha Pappu
Understanding Impact of Learning Biomimicry on Problem-solving Approach of Engineering Students	Plaksha University	Jan. 2023	Ongoing	Dr. Ritesh Khunyakari
Comprehensive Survey and Study of ST Community in Telangana State: Mapping of Data and Resources on a Spatial Domain	Telangana State Council for Science and Technology (TSCOST), and Environment, Forests, Science & Technology, Department, Government of Telangana	Jan. 2023	Initiated	Dr. Srinivas Surisetti, Dr. Poulomi Bhattacharya, Dr. Amit Upadhyay Dr. Karunakar Peda, and Dr. Mohammed Kashif Khan
Baseline Study and Needs Assessment in CSR Villages of Ultratech Cements in Bhogasamudram	Ultratech Cements, Andhra Pradesh	Jan. 2023	Ongoing	Dr. Srinivas Surisetti, Dr. Sonia Sawhney Dr. Sunayana Swain Dr. Karunkar Peda, and Dr. Mohammad Kashif Khan
Leaving No One Behind: Approaches to Access Social Protection in Urban Areas, especially in Slums and Informal Settlements	UNICEF New York and NIUA, New Delhi	Feb. 2023	Ongoing	Prof. Aseem Prakash and Dr. Arvind Pandey
Study of DIETS in Telangana State: Strengthening Teacher Education in Telangana	Govt. of Telangana	Apr. 2023	Ongoing	Dr. Ritesh Khunyakari and Dr. Sonia Sawhney

## **FIELD ACTION PROJECTS**

#### Sakhi: One Stop Centre, estd. 2017

Telangana

#### **Sponsor**

Department of Women Development and Child Welfare, Government of Telangana

#### **Objective**

 To provide a range of services including police facilitation, medical aid, psycho-social counselling, legal counselling and temporary shelter to women affected by violence in an integrated manner under one roof.

## **Programme**

• The TISS Hyderabad Off-Campus is the knowledge partner for this Field Action Project.

#### Faculty In-Charge

Prof. Gyanmudra and Dr. Nilanjana Ray

#### State Resource Centre for Women, estd. 2017

Telangana

#### **Sponsor**

Department of Women Development and Child Welfare, Governm sent of Telangana

#### **Objective**

 To prepare state action plans on issues related to women, and to ensure implementation of gender sensitive programmes, laws and schemes

#### **Programmes**

• Work on inter-sectoral issues affecting women by undertaking research, maintaining gender related data, and engaging in training and capacity building programmes for enhanced understanding on women's issues and issues related to women from vulnerable and marginalised communities in particular.

#### Faculty In-Charge

Prof. Gyanmudra and Dr. Sowjanya Tamalapakula

## UNICEF-Risk Communication and Community Engagement (RCCE) for Telangana, estd. 2022

Telangana

#### **Sponsor**

UNICEF

#### **Objective**

 To provide technical support at the district level to accelerate promotion of COVID-19 Appropriate Behaviours (CAB) as well as demand generation for Covid Vaccine

#### **Programmes**

 Extending technical assistance through District SBCC Coordinators or COVID-19 Communication Coordinator and working in close collaboration with the district administration in order to support need-based planning, implementation, monitoring and reporting of communication interventions.

#### Faculty In-Charge

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## **PROGRAMMES ORGANISED**

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates		
	SCHOOL OF EDUCAT	TIONAL STUDIE	:S			
Prof. Rekha Pappu	Reimagining Research, Teaching and Learning during times of crises	Mumbai, Cape Town and Johannesburg	National Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences, South Africa	1-25 Jun. 2022		
Dr. Ritesh Khunyakari	Education, Sustainability and Design: Towards an Exploratory Gauging of Learning in Early Schooling	Jharkhand	CoRDaTE and TSLP, Jamshedpur	31 Oct. to 2 Nov. 2022		
Dr. Ritesh Khunyakari	Education, Sustainability and Design: Towards an Exploratory Gauging of Learning in Early Schooling	Odisha	CoRDaTE and TSLP, Jamshedpur	3-6 Nov. 2022		
Dr. Sonia Sawhney	Sharing of Inclusive Pedagogic Practices within the Region as Part of the South Asia Research Hub for Inclusive Education (SARHIE)	Online	TISS	11 Nov. 2022 and 3 Feb. 2023		
Dr. Murali Krishna, Dr. Sunayana Swain, and Dr. Sajida Sultana	Introduction to Research Methods and Academic Language Skills in Social Sciences	Hyderabad	TSWREIS	1-14 December 2022		
Dr. Ritesh Khunyakari	Assessment and Learning for College Teachers from Higher Education Institutes in Maharashtra	Pune	MSFDA, Pune	9-11 Jan. 2023		
Prof. Rekha Pappu and Dr. Sonia Sawhney	Workshop on Shaala Siddhi	Hyderabad	Government of Telangana	8-10 Feb. 2023		
Dr. Sonia Sawhney	Perspectives on Disability and Inclusion in Educational Settings	TISS Hyderabad	TISS	13-15 Mar. 2023		
Dr. Sonia Sawhney	Workshop on Tool Development	TISS Mumbai	Cognizant Foundation	5 Apr. 2023		
Prof. Rekha Pappu and Dr. Sonia Sawhney	State-Level Workshop on Shaala Siddhi	Hyderabad	Government of Telangana	8-10 May 2023		
	SCHOOL OF GENDER STUDIES					
Dr. Sunayana Swain	Workshop on R Software	Online	School of Gender Studies, TISS Hyderabad	29 Dec. 2022		
Dr. Sunayana Swain	Workshop on STATA	Online	School of Gender Studies, TISS Hyderabad	19-20 Jan. 2023		

Faculty	Programme Title	Place	Sponsor	Dates
Dr. Sunayana Swain	Workshop on NViVO	Online	School of Gender Studies, TISS Hyderabad	21 Jan. 2023
Prof. Gyanmudra and Dr. Nilanjana Ray	Workshop on Gender Responsive Budgeting	Hyderabad	School of Gender Studies, TISS Hyderabad	10 Mar. 2023
Prof. Gyanmudra	Public Lecture: Rights of Girls and "Honour" Based Violence	TISS Hyderabad	TISS Hyderabad	18 Mar. 2023
Prof. Gyanmudra and Dr. Sowjanya Tamalapakula	Film Festival on Gender and Related Themes	TISS Hyderabad	TISS Hyderabad	20 Mar. 2023
	SCHOOL OF LIVELIHOODS	AND DEVELO	PMENT	
Dr. Karunakar Peda	Brainstorming Workshop with Scientists on Survey and Study of ST Community in Telangana State: Mapping of Data and Resources on a Spatial Domain	Hyderabad	TSCOST	1 Apr. 2023
	SCHOOL OF PUBLIC POLIC	Y AND GOVER	NANCE	
Prof Assem Prakash and Dr. Ipsita Sapra	Public Lecture: Inauguration of Post Graduate Programmes in Cities and Governance	Hyderabad	National Institute of Urban Affairs	1 Sep. 2022
Prof. Aseem Prakash and Dr. Ipsita Sapra	Workshop on Linking Social Sciences Research with Policy Practices and Outcomes	TISS Hyderabad	JNU, University of Sussex, and King's College, London	22-23 Feb. 2023





# **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

## **ORGANISATION MANAGEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT**

# Women and Gender Development Cell and Internal Committee

The WGDC, Mumbai campus, commenced its activities for the past year in July 2022, with an orientation session for incoming students. During the past year, the WGDC has been continuing its work towards making the campus a more gender-aware space for all stakeholders.

The gender-aware code for teaching and non-teaching staff, that had been rolled out in November 2019, was further developed in an online format in 2020, and continues to be, in this period, offered as a pledge amongst faculty and non-teaching staff. This code asks for a commitment to zero tolerance to discrimination based on gender and sexuality, in accordance with the UGC and the Saksham guidelines, from all stakeholders at TISS. It also asks for support to survivors and help with accessing WGDC-IC, and a commitment to not obstructing any of the processes for the same.

The WGDC is ready to roll out, for consultations within the university community, a gender policy and a sexual harassment policy for TISS, keeping in mind the UGC guideline documents on harassment and anti-discrimination, and recent judgements and legislations on sexuality rights and transpersons' rights. These documents, the WGDC hopes, will help initiate more widespread conversations within the university community on questions of gender and sexuality in the classroom and campus.

In keeping with the mandate of the UGC, the TISS WGDC has a student-centred **Gender Advocates programme** that follows and builds on the UGC mandate of Gender Champions to cater to the student community. The Gender Advocates are selected from among volunteers in the first year of the M.A. programmes, and is responsible for awareness and advocacy. The WGDC had 32 advocates across programmes and Schools this year. The Gender Advocates held an open-mic event alongside a campaign on gender pronouns on 10 September 2022. They have also been active in bringing gender-sexuality awareness in the conducting of student

events throughout the year. In collaboration with the School of Social Work, the WGDC brought to campus, on 27 January 2023, a Hindi play by MAVA [Men against Violence and Abuse] titled Bas Itni Si Baat, written by an alumnus of TISS and performed by a group of youth from 5 colleges across Mumbai, based on the theme of everyday misogyny and sexism.

The WGDC, in collaboration with the Advanced Centre for Women's Studies, organised two events on International Women's Day this year. The first of these was on 3 March 2023, titled 'International Women's Day: Historical Reflections on Indian Women's Movements and Present-day Contestations', bringing together eminent feminist historian Uma Chakravarti, feminist sociologist Gita Chadha, and poet/activist Disha Sheikh. The second event was on 6 March 2023, titled 'Reflections on Women and Digital India on International Women's Day', bringing together international speakers including Nishant Shah (Professor of Global Media, Chinese University of Hong Kong), Payal Arora (Professor, Erasmus University, Rotterdam), and Bishakha Datta (Programme Lead, Point of View, Mumbai).

#### **SC/ST and OPEM Cells**

The primary objective of the SC/ST and OPEM Cells of TISS is to ensure that the reservation policy is implemented both in admission and recruitment and that neither students nor faculty or staff of TISS are subjected to any discrimination or deprivation or harassment based on their social identity. The following are some of the mandated activities these Cells undertook during the academic year 2022-2023.

#### **Pre-Admission and Post-Admission Orientation**

**Programmes**: The Cells organised an Online Pre-Admission Orientation Programme (PAOP) for the SC/ST, OBC (NC), PWD and Minority candidates who had applied for the TISS Common Entrance Test (CET) for the batch beginning in 2023. In all, 159 candidates from all over India attended the PAOP, with faculty members orienting the candidates about the various aspects of the admission process. The Post-admission orientation programme is annually organised by the

OSA, with the SC/ST and OPEM Cells orienting the new batch of students belonging to SC, ST, OBC and Minority communities.

Representation in Admission Panels: The Cell extends necessary support to the TISS administration in the admission process and implementing reservation policy in admission and recruitment. For admission of candidates for the academic year beginning in 2023, 104 admission panels were set up across campuses, wherein, 205 faculty members were from within the Institute and 60 from outside the Institute resered as the SC/ST representative in the admission panel.

**Representation in Recruitment**: Between June 2022-May 2023, the SC/ST and OPEM Cells of TISS was represented by its Liaison Officer and other nominated faculty members in 8 recruitment selection panels to protect the interests of SC/ST and OBC candidates who faced interviews for the teaching/non-teaching positions.

## Facilitating students for availing Scholarships/

**Fellowships**: One of the most important activities that the SC/ST and OPEM Cells are regularly engaged in is to facilitate the reserved and other category students applying for various kinds of government scholarships. The facilitation activities include: (a) informing the students through emails and other means as and when the scholarship portal of the government is opened for receiving applications, (b) verifying the validity of their documents about their (i) caste/community, (ii) annual family income from all sources, and (iii) the academic programme they are admitted to.

There are various kinds of government scholarships for the SC, ST and OBC students. For the SC students there are two kinds of scholarships, sponsored under the Central Sector Scholarship Scheme of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (MSJE), Gol: Top Class Education Scholarship (TCES), and the other one is called Post Matric Scholarship (PMS). Similarly, the Ministry of Tribal Affairs has also introduced both TCES and PMS for ST students. The MSJE has introduced PMS for the benefit of the economically poor OBC student, also called OBC (NC) students.

Among the ST students of academic year 2021-22, 5 senior and 4 junior students have received the TCES; 9 ST students of academic year 2022-2023 of TISS Mumbai have successfully completed their application for the TCES, and are awaiting the result. Among those students for whom the Cell has facilitated securing the PMS, 76 belonged to SC, 42 ST, 69 OBC (NC), 3 PWD, and 5 Minority Categories. These students include seniors and juniors of the Mumbai campus.

#### **Administration**

## **Appointments, Promotions and Retirements:**

There are 181 UGC-sanctioned positions of which 164 (including that of the Director and Deputy Director) are filled. There are also 98 Ad-hoc academic positions of which the Tata Trusts fund 51. There are 252 administrative positions (including Technical and Service Staff) of which 162 are filled. Seven teaching and 6 non-teaching appointments were made in 2022-2023. Two teaching and 6 non-teaching employees of TISS superannuated this year.

**Long Service Award**: The following TISS employees completed 20 years of service at the Institute and were felicitated on Institute Day.

- Prof. Kanchan Mukherjee, School of Health Systems Studies
- Dr. Shaileshkumar Darokar, Centre for Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policies
- Dr. Sabiha Vasi, School of Social Work
- Dr. Vaishali Kolhe, School of Social Work
- Dr. Satish Kanamadi, Sir Dorabji Tata Memorial Library
- Mr. Rahul Phadke, Personnel and Administration

Name	Designation	Effective Date			
APPOINTMENTS					
Dr. Sreeram Sivaramakrishnan	Professor	1 Jul. 2022			
Dr. Nirmalya Choudhury	Associate Professor	1 Jul. 2022			
Ms. Arti Wankhade	Section Officer	6 Sept2022			
Mr. Srinivas Kota	Deputy Registrar	26 Sept. 2022			
Dr. Ramya Ranjan Patel	Assistant Professor	4 Oct. 2022			
Mr. Basant Mohapatra	Deputy Registrar	10 Oct. 2022			
Dr. Surendra Kansara	Assistant Professor	3 Nov. 2022			
Dr. Dhananjay Mankar	Assistant Professor	28 Nov. 2022			
Dr. Montu Bose	Assistant Professor	16 Dec. 2022			
Dr. Madhurima Shukla	Assistant Professor	22 Dec. 2022			
Mr. Pankaj Kumar Singh	Section Officer	20 Mar. 2023			
Ms. Swetha Gundala	Lover Division Clerk	9 Mar. 2023			
	PROMOTIONS				
Ms. Sheela Rajendra	Assistant Registrar	29 Dec. 2022			
Mr. Ramchandra Rathod	Assistant Registrar	29 Dec. 2022			
Mr. Dilip Poyyarra	Section Officer	29 Dec. 2022			
Ms. Manisha More	Section Officer	29 Dec. 2022			
Ms. Jitkaur Kotangale	Section Officer	29 Dec. 2022			
Ms. Sonal Gajaria	Assistant	29 Dec. 2022			
Mr. Vikas Gawari	Upper Division Clerk	29 Dec. 2022			
Ms. Manisha Koli	Upper Division Clerk	29 Dec. 2022			
	RETIRED				
Mr. Mustafa L. Momin	Assistant Registrar	30 Jun. 2022			
Mr. Mahesh S. Kirloskar	Hostel Attendant	31 Aug. 2022			
Prof. Surinder Jaswal	Deputy Director	31 Oct. 2022			
Mr. Ravindra Shinde	Library Assistant	31 Oct. 2022			
Dr. S.G. Narwade	Horticulturist	31 Oct. 2022			
Dr. Poonam Gulalia	Field Work Co-ordinator	31 Oct. 2022			
Ms. Rasika Naik	Hostel Attendant	31 Dec. 2022			
Dr. Lakshmi Lingam	Professor	28 Feb. 2023			

# **FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENT AT A GLANCE, AS ON 31 MARCH 2022					
	UGC Funded				
2020-21	PARTICULARS	2021-22			
	INCOME (Rupees in Lakhs)				
1,091.76	Academic Receipts	1,121.91			
7,444.97	Grants & Donations	8,615.70			
1.32	Income from Investments	-			
1.99	Interest Earned	0.39			
55.28	Other Incomes	75.31			
8,595.31	TOTAL	9,813.32			
	EXPENDITURE (Rupees in Lakhs)				
7,794.38	Staff Payments & Benefits	9,230.27			
181.15	Academic Expenses	87.63			
423.44	Administrative and General Expenses	366.78			
20.99	Transportation Expenses	20.53			
170.00	Repairs & Maintenance	101.95			
0.35	Finance Costs	0.78			
5.01	Other Expenses	5.37			
258.12	Depreciation	238.89			
8,853.43	TOTAL	10,052.21			
(258.12)	Deficit carried to Balance Sheet	(238.89)			

## **COMMEMORATIVE EVENTS**

- The 8th edition of International Day of Yoga was celebrated on the theme of "Yoga for Humanity" on 21 June 2022.
- International Widows' Day was observed by the TISS Tuljapur Off-Campus at Mangrul Village, Block Tuljapur on 26 June 2022. "Invisible Women, Invisible Problems" was this year's theme to recognise widows and the unique conditions worldwide.
- The Har Ghar Tiranga celebrations got off to a rousing start at TISS Mumbai with Mohari, one of the children attending the TISS Daycare Centre (DCC), handing the Indian tricolour to Prof. Shalini Bharat (Director, TISS). The children, who were dressed in costumes inspired by Indian leaders, walked in a procession from the DCC to the Director's Office and then to the Quadrangle. It was a short and sweet ceremony with TISS students, faculty, and staff gathered there to cheer the DCC children.
- All campuses commemorated the Nasha Mukt
  Bharat Abhiyan, the flagship programme of the
  by Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment of the
  Government of India through rallies, quizzes, slogan
  writing competitions, and rangolis, among others.
- On the occasion of World Alzheimer's Day on 21
  September 2022, the Centre for Livelihoods and
  Social Entrepreneurship (School of Social Work,
  TISS Guwahati) organised "Quiz Time". This was
  conducted online, and had questions on Alzheimer's
  disease and also included geography, movies,
  brands and general awareness. Around 50 students
  participated in Quiz Time, with Institute faculty
  members supporting and guiding them to make the
  event a vibrant success.
- World Mental Health Day were observed on 10
   October, and this year the School Initiative for
   Mental Health Advocacy (SIMHA) of the School
   of Human Ecology launched three manuals for
   stakeholders in school systems. These manuals
   will serve as resources to promote children's and
   adolescents' mental health and well-being in
   schools.

- International E-Waste Day is celebrated on the
  October every year to promote the correct disposal
  of e-waste. This day is celebrated the world over to
  increase re-use, recovery and recycling rates. The
  Centre for Ecology, Environment and Sustainable
  Development (School of Social Sciences and
  Humanities, TISS Guwahati Off-Campus) organised
  a lecture on "Governance of Electronic Waste in the
  Emerging Economies: Experiences from India" by
  Dr. Anwesha Borthakur (Rachel Carson Center on
  Environment and Society, University of Munich,
  Germany).
- Bhartiya Bhasha Diwas or Indian Language Day
  was celebrated on 11 December 2022 across all
  the TISS Campuses. This event was part of the "Ek
  Bharat Shrestha Bharat" initiative to commemorate
  Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav. Students, staff, faculty
  and campus children enthusiastically participated in
  the celebrations, which included poetry recitation,
  dance and music performances, poster making, and
  rangoli. Banners were displayed on the Institute
  premises to create awareness and celebrate our
  languages.
- A Millets Mela the first of many events was held on 18 January to commemorate 2023 as the International Year of Millets. Organised by the Office of Students' Affairs (OSA), the Millets Mela was inaugurated by Prof. Nagamani Rao (TISS Alumna, and Faculty Member of Karve Institute of Social Service, Pune). Pragati-IRHDP, a Field Action Project of the School of Social Work, partnered with the OSA in setting up stalls selling millets grown in the project area as well as products made from millets. There was a lot of music, dance, good food, selfies and good cheer all around.
- Prof. Shalini Bharat (Director, TISS) and Ms. Shweta Bajaj (Senior Programme Manager, Saksham, TISS) attended the high-level summit organised by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India (MoHFW-Gol) at Varanasi to observe World TB Day 2023 on 22 March 2023. Saksham, a Field Action Project of TISS, partners with the MoHFW-Gol

and supports the National Tuberculosis Elimination Programme for counselling aspects and addressing social determinants of TB.

• **National Panchayat Raj Day** was observed on 24 April 2023 by the TISS Tuljapur Off-Campus in

collaboration with Panchayat Samiti Tuljapur at Mangrul Village Panchayat Office. A workshop was organised on this occasion for Panchayat and Gramsabha Members.

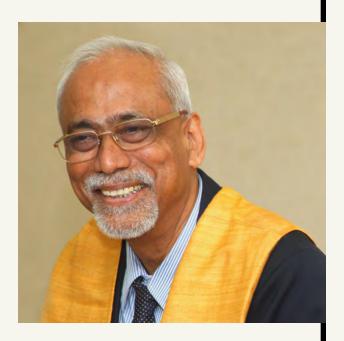
Prof. Shalini Bharat (Director, TISS) and Ms. Shweta Bajaj (Senior Programme Manager, Saksham) at Varanasi to observe World TB Day 2023.

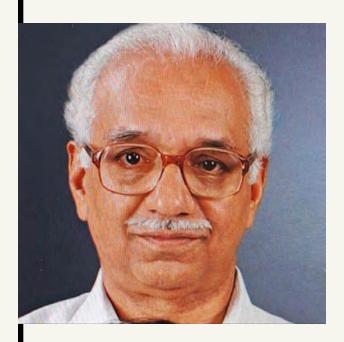


## **IN MEMORIAM**

**Prof. S. Parasuraman**, Former Director of the Tata Institute of Social Sciences (16 August 2004 to 5 February 2018), passed away on 2 September 2022.

Prof. Parasuraman started his career in TISS with the Unit for Child and Youth Research before moving to the Department of Research Methodology. During his tenure as Director, he oversaw the restructuring of the Institute, the introduction of several new academic programmes, and the transition of the Rural Campus at Tuljapur into a full-fledged Off Campus. Under his leadership, the TISS Guwahati Off-Campus and TISS Hyderabad Off-Campus were also established.





**Prof. Jacob Aikara**, former Deputy Director of TISS, passed away on 9 May 2023. He was appointed Deputy Director of TISS on 20 March 1998 and Officiated as Director of TISS from 1 November 1999 to 31 July 2000. He retired as Professor at the URSE in June 2004. An eminent researcher in the field of Sociology of Education, Prof. Aikara made various contributions to the field. He also served as a member of many national-level committees.



# **CONVOCATION 2023**

## **Candidates from TISS Mumbai for the 83rd Annual Convocation**

#### **DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

Sunita Jadhav Amla Patwardhan Appasaheb Naikal
Narayan Narbat Gautam Narayan Patil Ranjit George
Ashwathy S. Priyanka Jadhav Shailendra Kumar
Soham Bhattacharya Meghamrita Chakraborty Carla Pacheco
Shruti Bharadwaj Bhargavi Simona Sarma

Aarohi Khar Rahul Sivarajan

#### **MASTER OF PHILOSOPHY**

Binita Ekka Fhulari Chakma Mabel Ann Santhosh

Rupa Girish Chaubal Mohammad Danish Raza Bharti Kumari

Krithika Narayanswamy Iyer Vaibhav Vaijinath Khodke Rupali Suresh Kadlak
Mayur Helia Mridul Kiku Baishali Lodh Chowdhury

Julina Kashyap

## **MASTER OF ARTS IN SOCIAL WORK (CHILDREN AND FAMILIES)**

Rachel Hanson Bhimanpalliwar Shreya Kailas Nandu Salve
Alakandy Sajana Rajan Anukriti Roy Deepti Nagesh Sawant
Dionysia Sohkhlet Gangurde Pradnya Bhagawant Sindhu Luna Mansukhani

Parvathy T. Jayan Risva Ritwik Mund

Sarah Alaqband Seena Kimhoihching Shah Slesha Dharmin
Sonu Kumar Srinidhi Srinivasan Subhanjali Basu
Toshiba Chaurasia W. Ronnal Mathew Minaketan Neha Nizam

#### **MASTER OF ARTS IN SOCIAL WORK (CRIMINOLOGY AND JUSTICE)**

Priyadarshi Piyush Brinda Bhattacharya Ankush Shwetank Vats Aditi Mishra Aditya Prasad Rath **Archit Kumar** Disha Jain Aishwarya Rai Himanshi Talwar Divisha Singh Divya Chandel Kranti Khode Manash Baishya Mahika Nidha Parveen J.A. Pankesh Anil Bombarde Pedapalli Dayasagar Bansode Pratik Vijay Pratyusha Roychowdhury Puja Prabhakar Urkude

Sheetal MehtaShreya S.Simran NarulaSuditi SrinivasV.LalhruaitluangiVidushi Kaul

#### MASTER OF ARTS IN SOCIAL WORK (COMMUNITY ORGANISATION AND DEVELOPMENT PRACTICE)

Ilene Ann SanthoshDevishree PantAasina BaralKhandizod Ajinkya SanjayMrinal Kanti SahaAamir AkhtarAanchal UpadhyayAfnan A. SalamAlok Reon Baiju N.

Anushka Jain Aseem Srivastava Azmat Fatima

Bhawna Arya Bhrajith P. Chandan Singh Yadav

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Limekua T. Kinimi Manikya G. Bhat Muhammed Shefas V.H.

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# **ACADEMIC PRIZE/SHIELD/MEDAL WINNERS**

Name of Medal / Prize / Shield	Name of the Student
TISS MUMBAI	
NTPC Gold Medal to the Student for <b>Best Field Work, Master of Arts in Social Work</b>	Brinda Bhattacharya
NTPC Gold Medal and M.K. Tata Prize and the Institute Shield to the <b>Best Student in</b> Master of Arts in Social Work	Sahana L.
United Way Mumbai Award for an All Round Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work	Sahana L.
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work</b>	Brinda Bhattacharya
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Children and Families)</b>	Anukriti Roy
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work, Master of Arts in Social Work (Children and Families)</b>	Sindhu Luna Mansukhani and Risva
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts in Social Work (Children and Families)	Shah Slesha Dharmin
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Criminology and Justice)</b>	Brinda Bhattacharya
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work in Master of Arts in Social Work</b> (Criminology and Justice)	Brinda Bhattacharya
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts in Social Work (Criminology and Justice)	Brinda Bhattacharya
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Community Organisation and Development Practice)</b>	Sithara George
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work, Master of Arts in Social Work (Community Organisation and Development Practice)</b>	Tilkesh Bhadala
Shiva Chandra Dhakal Shield instituted by the CODP Students of 2009-2011 batch for the <b>Best</b> Field Intervention with People's Struggles	Ritesh Vitthalrao Pathade
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts in Social Work (Community Organisation and Development Practice)	Manikya G. Bhat
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Disability Studies and Action)</b>	Sahana L.
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work, Master of Arts in Social Work (Disability Studies and Action)</b>	Ann Jyothy Thomas
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts in Social Work (Disability Studies and Action)	Sahana L.
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Dalit and Tribal Studies and Action)</b>	Bharti Varun

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Prize and Shield to the Best Student in Field Work in Master of Arts in Social Work (Dalit and Tribal Studies and Action)	Akshay Laxman Gujar
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts in Social Work (Dalit and Tribal Studies and Action)	Bharti Varun
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Livelihoods &amp; Social Entrepreneurship)</b>	Rochelle Douglas Menezes
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work in Master of Arts in Social Work (Livelihoods &amp; Social Entrepreneurship)</b>	Saurabh Gopal Hatkar
Right Livelihood Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work for Livelihood Promotion and Innovation (Social Work with Livelihoods &amp; Social Entrepreneurship)</b>	Rochelle Douglas Menezes
Right Livelihood Shield to the <b>Second Best Student in Field Work for Livelihood Promotion and Innovation (Social Work with Livelihoods &amp; Social Entrepreneurship)</b>	Ghurshida Jabeen M.K.
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts in Social Work (Livelihoods and Social Entrepreneurship)	Afla C.P. and Rochelle Douglas Menezes
Prize and Shield to the Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Mental Health)	Kshiti Vikas
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work in Master of Arts in Social Work (Mental Health)</b>	Aneeqa Khalid
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts in Social Work (Mental Health)	Aneeqa Khalid
Prize and Shield to the Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Public Health)	Vipul Kumar Shukla
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work in Master of Arts in Social Work (Public Health)</b>	Vipul Kumar Shukla
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts in Social Work (Public Health)	Kumbhika
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Women Centered Practice)</b>	Abi Babu
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work in Master of Arts in Social Work (Women Centered Practice)</b>	Aravind R. Syam and Pratik Buddham Dhainje
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts in Social Work (Women Centered Practice)	Abi Babu
Institute Gold Medal, Alumni Association of Health Administrator's Chapter Shield and Prize instituted by the MHA Students in 2001-02 Academic Year to the <b>Best Student in Master of Public Health in Health Administration</b>	D. Tejashwari Naidu
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Public Health in Health Administration</b>	Prajapati Bijal Bhavesh
Prize to the <b>Best Research Project in Master of Publice Health in Health Administration</b>	D. Tejashwari Naidu

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Institute Gold Medal, Alumni Association of Health Administrator's Chapter Shield and Prize instituted by the MHA Students in 2001-2002 Academic Year to the <b>Best Student in Master of Hospital Administration</b>	Konasala Vijay Sahithya
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Hospital Administration	Suyash Anil Khubchandani
M. K. Tata Prize to the <b>Best Student in Master of Public Health in Health Administration &amp; Hospital Administration</b>	Konasala Vijay Sahithya
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Hospital Administration	Suyash Anil Khubchandani
Institute Gold Medal and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Public Health (Health Policy, Economics and Finance)</b>	Nilakshi Devi
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Public Health (Health Policy, Economics and Finance)	Poonam Sharma
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Public Health (Health Policy, Economics and Finance)	Sohan Chandraprakash Durugkar
Institute Gold Medal and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Public Health (Social Epidemiology)</b>	Jagtap Yamini Shashikant
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Public Health (Social Epidemiology)</b>	Patel Zeba Farooque
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Public Health (Social Epidemiology)	Patel Zeba Farooque
NTPC Gold Medal to the <b>Best Girl Student in Master of Arts (Human Resources Management and Labour Relations)</b>	Jessica Nagpal
Institute Gold Medal & S. Kalsi Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts (Human Resources Management and Labour Relations)</b>	Pranav Manghat
NIPM Silver Medal to the <b>Student Securing Highest Marks Master of Arts (Human Resources Management and Labour Relations) of 2020-2022 Batch</b>	Harshabardhan
M. K. Tata Prize to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts (Human Resources Management and Labour Relations)</b>	Pranav Manghat
Mrs. S. R. Panakal Shield and prize to the <b>Best Student in Field Work in Master of Arts (Human Resources Management and Labour Relations)</b>	Pranav Manghat
Institute Silver Medal and Prize instituted by the PM&IR Students of 1987-1989 batch to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts ( Human Resources Management and Labour Relations)</b>	Ajay Wadhwani
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts (Human Resources Management and Labour Relations)	Achintya Mohan
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts (Social Entrepreneurship)</b>	Furqaan Ahmed Jafri
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts (Social Entrepreneurship)	Vuppula Mohitha Sree

Name of Medal / Prize / Shield	Name of the Student
Prize to the Best Student Field Work Project, Master of Arts (Social Entrepreneurship)	Vuppula Mohitha Sree
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts (Social Entrepreneurship)	Anurag Shukla
Institute Gold Medal to the Best Student in Master of Arts (Labour Studies and Practice)	Priyanka Raghunath Dalvi
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts (Labour Studies and Practice)	Ashima Gupta
Institute Gold Medal to the Best Student in Master of Arts (Organizational Development, Change & Leadership)	Shantanu Pandey
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts (Organizational Development, Change & Leadership)	Annam Praveen Venkat
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts (Organizational Development, Change and Leadership)	Ankita More
Prize to the <b>Best Field Immersion</b> , <b>Master of Arts (Organizational Development, Change and Leadership)</b>	Shantam Kanungo
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Analytics)</b>	Radhika Singhal
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Analytics)	Amrita De
Prize to the Best Student Field Work Project, Master of Arts/Science (Analytics)	Rohit Kumar Suman
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts/Science (Analytics)	Rathod Sairam
Institute Gold Medal to the Best Student in Master of Arts (Development Studies)	Kapil Dhabu
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts (Development Studies)	Hanan Ghafor
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts (Development Studies)	Sourabh Kumar
Institute Gold Medal to the Best Student in Master of Arts (Women's Studies)	Saima S. Hussain
Prof. Chhaya Datar Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts (Women's Studies)	B. Shreya
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts (Women's Studies)	Semanti Chakladar
Prize and Shield to the Best Student Field Attachment, Master of Arts (Women's Studies)	Semanti Chakladar
Institute Gold Medal to the Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Environment, Climate Change and Sustainability Studies)	Sarat Chandran K.P.
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Environment, Climate Change and Sustainability Studies)	Malavika Thampi
Prize to the Best Dissertation, Master of Arts/Science (Environment, Climate Change and Sustainability Studies)	Priyanka Arun

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Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Regulatory Policy and Governance)</b>	Tanmoy Das
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Regulatory Policy and Governance)</b>	Deeksha S.
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts/Science (Regulatory Policy and Governance)	Deeksha S.
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Urban Policy and Governance)</b>	Ranu Duhan
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Urban Policy and Governance)</b>	Muskan Bhat
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts/Science (Urban Policy and Governance)	Ranu Duhan
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Water Policy and Governance)</b>	Srishty Pandey
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts /Science (Water Policy and Governance)	Kunal Gautam Kashyap
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts/Science (Water Policy and Governance)	Srishty Pandey
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Education</b>	Bushra Parveen
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts in Education</b>	Shetty Sneha Naresh
Prize to the Best Research Dissertation, Master of Arts in Education	Bushra Parveen
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in B.Ed-M.Ed (Integrated)</b>	Smruti Shovna
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in B.Ed-M.Ed (Integrated)</b>	Aditi Malik
Prize to the <b>Best Research Dissertation</b> , <b>B.Ed-M.Ed (Integrated)</b>	Smruti Shovna
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Applied Psychology (Clinical and Counseling Practice)</b>	Pratista Reddy Kethireddy
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts in Applied Psychology (Clinical and Counseling Practice)	Sanjula Gupta
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work in Master of Arts in Applied Psychology</b> (Clinical and Counseling Practice)	Pratista Reddy Kethireddy & Sakshi Joshi
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Disaster Management)</b>	Syona Roy
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Disaster Management)</b>	Nimisha Shrivastava
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Arts/Science (Disaster Management)	Abhimanyu M.

Name of Medal / Prize / Shield	Name of the Student
Certificate of Merit for the Best Second Year Internship, Master of Arts/Science (Disaster Management)	Nimisha Shrivastava
Prof. Vijay Tendulkar Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts (Media and Cultural Studies)</b>	Aakriti Thatal
Narayan Surve Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts (Media and Cultural Studies)</b>	Abhibyanjana Rubhi Thatal
Smitu Kothari Certificate and prize to the <b>Best Research Project, Master of Arts (Media and Cultural Studies)</b>	Aakriti Thatal
Waqar Pyare Khan Certificate to the <b>Best Media Project, Master of Arts (Media and Cultural Studies)</b>	Aakriti Thatal
Waqar Pyare Khan Certificate to the <b>Best Media Project, Master of Arts (Media and Cultural Studies)</b>	Abhibyanjana Rubhi Thatal
Waqar Pyare Khan Certificate to the <b>Best Media Project, Master of Arts (Media and Cultural Studies)</b>	Rebekah Abigail Awungshi
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Library and Information Science</b>	Sagar Narayan Revandkar
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Library and Information Science</b>	Katyayani Kapil
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Library and Information Science	Ikshita Rao
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Education (Elementary)</b>	Kanchana Suryakumar
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts in Education (Elementary)	Shivani Sinha
Certificate of Merit to the Best Field Attachment, Master of Arts in Education (Elementary)	Swati Jain
Institute Gold Medal to the Best Student in Master of Laws (LLM) (Access to Justice)	Aarushi Malik

Name of Medal / Prize / Shield	Name of the Student
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Laws (LLM) (Access to Justice)	Anukriti Sharma
Prize to the Best Research Project, Master of Laws (LLM) (Access to Justice)	Anukriti Sharma
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Field Work, Master of Laws (LLM) (Access to Justice)</b>	Agna Prem
Mr. Emmanuel E. Agabalizu Shield for the <b>Best International Student</b>	Brinda Bhattacharya

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TISS TULJAPUR OFF-CAMPUS	
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Rural Development)</b>	Jyothika James
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Rural Development)</b>	Shivam Shandilya
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work, Master of Arts in Social Work (Rural Development)</b>	Md. Saif
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts in Social Work (Rural Development)	Jyothika James
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Sustainable Livelihoods and Natural Resources Governance)</b>	Ankita Konar
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Sustainable Livelihoods and Natural Resources Governance)	Suvo Samanta
Prize and Shield to the Best Student in Field Work in Master of Arts/Science (Sustainable Livelihoods and Natural Resources Governance)	Ankita Konar
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts/Science (Sustainable Livelihoods and Natural Resources Governance)	Suvo Samanta
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Development Policy, Planning and Practice)</b>	Anand
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts/Science (Development Policy, Planning and Practice)</b>	Prakriti Mishra
Prize and Shield to the Best Student Field Work in Master of Arts/Science (Development Policy, Planning and Practice)	Anand
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts/Science (Development Policy, Planning and Practice)	Anand
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts (Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship)</b>	Eshitva Singh
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts (Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship)</b>	Atlanta Madhukalya
Prize and Shield to the Best Student Field Work in Master of Arts (Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship)	Eshitva Singh
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts (Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship)	Prachi Binnani
Ms. Dosi Vakeel Gold Medal for the <b>Best Student in Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Social Work</b> (Rural Development)	Raiyan Arshad
Ms. Dosi Vakeel Silver Medal for the <b>Second Best Student in Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Social Work (Rural Development)</b>	Nehal Jain

Name of Medal / Prize / Shield	Name of the Student
Ms. Dosi Vakeel Bronze Medal for the <b>Third Best Student in Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Social Work (Rural Development)</b>	Mouli Wahal
Institute Gold Medal for the <b>Best Student in Bachelor of Arts In Social Sciences</b>	Jedidiah Asriel
Institute Silver Medal for the Second Best Student in Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences	Gayathri V.
Institute Bronze Medal for the Third Best Student in Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences	Soumili Roy

Name of Medal / Prize / Shield	Name of the Student
TISS GUWAHATI OFF-CAMPUS	
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences</b>	Swapnil Singh
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences	Aditya
Bronze Medal to the <b>Third Best Student in Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences</b>	Ruppiin Kaur
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student</b> in <b>Master of Arts in Ecology, Environment and Sustainable Development</b>	Arya Meher B.S.
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts in (Ecology, Environment and Sustainable Development)	Jyanashree Koch
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts in Ecology, Environment and Sustainable Development	Nipul Chakma
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Labour Studies and Social Protection</b>	Swarnadipta Saha
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts in Labour Studies and Social Protection</b>	Vandana Pareek
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts in Labour Studies and Social Protection	Vandana Pareek
Institute Gold Medal to the Best Student in Master of Arts in Peace and Conflict Studies	Ali Afrina Shaheen
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts in Peace and Conflict Studies</b>	Mayurika Das
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts in Peace and Conflict Studies	Ali Afrina Shaheen
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student</b> in <b>Master of Arts in Sociology and Social Anthropology</b>	Drupad Umesh
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts in Sociology and Social Anthropology</b>	Frangle B.R.
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts in Sociology and Social Anthropology	Drupad Umesh
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work</b>	Hiba Basheer
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work</b>	Mary Salini Tomy
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Artsin Social Work (Counselling)</b>	Sabhyata Ranjan
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work in Master of Artsin Social Work (Counselling)</b>	Deeksha Fartyal
Prize to the Best Research Work in Master of Arts in Social Work (Counselling)	Sabhyata Ranjan

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Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Community Organisation and Development Practice)</b>	Hiba Basheer
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work in Master of Arts in Social Work (Community Organisation and Development Practice)</b>	Monica Murmu
Prize to the <b>Best Research Work in Master of Arts in (Community Organisation and Development Practice)</b>	Mary Salini Tomy
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Livelihoods and Social Entrepreneurship)</b>	Basundhara Aditya
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work in Master of Arts in Social Work (Livelihoods and Social Entrepreneurship)</b>	Violet Duttson
Prize to the Best Research Work in Master of Arts in (Livelihoods and Social Entrepreneurship)	Violet Duttson
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts in Social Work (Public Health)</b>	Rimzhim Boruah
Prize and Shield to the <b>Best Student in Field Work in Master of Arts in Social Work (Public Health)</b>	Rimzhim Boruah
Prize to the Best Research Work in Master of Arts in Social Work (Public Health)	Taniskha Lokhonary

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TISS HYDERABAD OFF-CAMPUS	
Institute Gold Medal to the Best Student in Master of Arts (Development Studies)	Rutvik Darshan Upadhyay
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts (Development Studies)</b>	Metta Venkata Naga Sai Sravya
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts (Development Studies)	Sangita Priyadarshini
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts (Education)</b>	Purvang Seth
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best in Student Master of Arts (Education)</b>	Anna T.M.
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts (Education)	Anna T.M.
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts (Public Policy and Governance)</b>	Yashasvi Khurana
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts (Public Policy and Governance)</b>	Arun Regi Chacko
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts (Public Policy and Governance)	Yashasvi Khurana
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts (Rural Development and Governance)</b>	Keerthi A.K.
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts (Rural Development and Governance)	Pankhuri Kaushik
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts (Rural Development and Governance)	Megha Bhatt
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts (Women's Studies)</b>	Abantika Saha
Institute Silver Medal to the Second Best Student in Master of Arts (Women's Studies)	Aishwarya Rathna
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts (Women's Studies)	Smrithi M Nair
Institute Gold Medal to the <b>Best Student in Master of Arts (Natural Resources and Governance)</b>	Amrita Das
Institute Silver Medal to the <b>Second Best Student in Master of Arts (Natural Resources and</b> Governance)	Nikita Yardi
Prize to the Best Research Project in Master of Arts (Natural Resources and Governance)	Amrita Das



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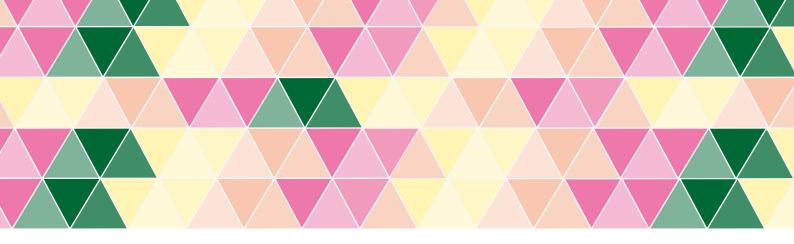
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