

MR.ALBIN THOMAS
ASST. PROFESSOR
SOCIAL WORK

CAREER GOALS

Prepare individuals who are capable of leadership and positive impact in the society through teaching, training and field action projects.

MAIN INTERESTS

- Sustainable Development
- Social Movements
- Gender Studies
- Teaching Andragogy
- Peace and Communal Harmony

ACADEMIC HISTORY

College of Social Work Nirmala Niketan, Mumbai

Master of Social Work
• Year: 2014-2016

• Pattern: Generic Practice

• Additional Qualification: UGC NET 2016

St. Joseph's College, Pilathara, Kannur, Kerala

BA in English Language and Literature

• Year: 2011-2014

CAREER HISTORY

Social Worker, Navjeevan Centre, Mumbai 2016-2017

Childrens' Home taking care of children from Red Light Areas of Mumbai

- · Psycho social care of children
- Bridge between Child Welfare Committee and the agency.
- · Rehabilitation of Children

Assistant Professor, College of Social Work, Nirmala Niketan (Autonomous) Mumbai. (2017 to present)

Major Responsibilities

- Papers taught; Sustainable Development and Environment, Informal Labor and Informal Sector, Global and Indian Social Movements, Environment Studies, Social Work with Groups, Work with Older Adults and English.
- Resource Person: UNESCO PG Diploma Programme (Topic:SDG and alternate energy), Diploma in Social Work (Work with Groups), Add on Course on Peace and Communal Harmony (Topic: Conflict Management Techniques)
- Committees: Students Committee, Admission Committee, Website Committee, Examination Technical Team, India Today Contest Committee, ARIIA contest committee, Social Entrepreneurship Cell,

Founder Director, Spark Ignition Foundation; An initiative for research, training and field action projects.

CONSULTANCIES AND PUBLICATIONS

- Subject Matter Expert for TATA Consultancy Services.
- Data Analysis of Baseline Study for Sakhya, Women's Development Cell.
- Paper Publication on 'Gender Role Flexibility and Care of Elderly Persons in the Indian Context.'
 Perspectives in Social Work, June 2018 Edition.
- Paper presentation on 'Gender Role Flexibility and Care of Elderly Persons in the Indian Context.' National Conference on Healthy Ageing, organised by College of Social Work, Nirmala Niketan, Mumbai.
- Consultant for the National Women's Commission Research on Safety Audit of Cities in India with St. Xavier's College Mumbai

TRAINING EXPERIENCE

- Conducted One Day Workshop on Gender Sensitization for staff members of Apnalaya, Mumbai.
- Conducted several trainings for teachers and teacher trainers on Effective Teaching through Story Telling.
- Team member in conducting the Rural Entrepreneurship Programme organised by College of Social Work, Nirmala Niketan for villagers in Raigad district.
- Organising team member and resource person for the Rural Entrepreneurship Development Programme for the villagers in Talassari, Palghar District.
- Resource person for Life Skills
 Training for tribal children during
 11th Annual Youth Exchange
 Programme, Goregao, Mumbai.

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