

College of Social Work (Autonomous) Nirmala Niketan

Annual Report 2021-2022



The year 2021-22 has been a remarkable and memorable journey for the college. The College continued to provide learning opportunities and practices for students embracing changing and innovative teaching-learning pedagogical approaches in the context of pandemic.

Awards and Recognition in 2022

- 71st Rank among Autonomous Colleges in India by Education World
- 69th Rank among Colleges in India by NIRF
- Top and most innovative college of Social Work for UG and PG courses - National Educational Excellence Awards & Conference 2021 - Taj West End, Bengaluru by Begin up

NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE AWARDS & CONFERENCE 2021 - TAJ WEST END, BENGALURU







Admissions for the year 2021-2022



, CHURCHGATE CAMPUS TOTA	AL NUMBER OF STUDENTS
ENROLLED: 310	
Undergraduate	
Bachelor of Social Work	Bachelor of Social Work
Second Year	Third Year
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Postgraduate	
Master of Social Work	PhD Programme
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57	14
	(Three have submitted
	Thesis
	Undergraduate Bachelor of Social Work Second Year 61 Postgraduate

	Undergraduate	
Diploma in Social Work	Certificate Course in Peace Education	Certificate Course in Legal Skills in Social Work Practice
23	21	30
	Postgraduate	
Post Graduate Diploma in Therapeutic Counselling	Post Graduate Diploma in Child Rights and Child Protection	Post Graduate Diploma in Sustainable Development
39	23	17

SHORT TERM COURSES, GOREGAON CAMPUS TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED: 67

Undergraduate

Certificate in Social Work for Para Professionals (Youth)	37 th Batch of the Certificate in Social Work for Senior Citizens	Post Graduate Diploma in Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)
24	6	71

Postgraduate

7 th Batch of the Certificate in	Certificate in
Management of Non-Profit	Basic Skills in Counseling
Organizations	
9	17

Value Added Courses

- Qualitative research
- Media skills- 30 students registered
- Peace Education
- Creative Arts Skills in Social Work- Practice Nurturing Minds Through Arts- 25 for MSW II students in collaboration with Light House Centre for Arts in Therapy
- Foundation in Social Entrepreneurship Add On Certificate Course-18 Students enrolled, 16 Students attended regularly, completed the course requirements and were awarded the Certificates.



Student Induction Program Important component of Fieldwork



Objectives

First Year:

- Socializing (meeting other new students, senior students, student's union, lectures by eminent speakers);
- Associating (visits to University/College, visits to Department/Branch/Programme of study and important places in campus, local area, city)

Second & Third Year

- Governing (rules and regulations, student support)
- Experiencing (lectures based on courses offered, small-group activities, physical activity, creative and performing arts, literary activities)

Hours for Orientation: 30 hours

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VIRTUAL VISITS	1						
ORIENTATION	6	3	3	7	2		
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POLICIES AND							
PROGRAMMES							
REPORT	10.09.2022	10.7.2021	10.7.2021	31.07.022	17.7.2021		
PRESENTATION							
PARENTS MEET	21.08.2022	10.07.2021	10.07.2021	21.08.2022			

FIELDWORK



- PLACEMENTS OF STUDENTS ACROSS 60 + ORGNIZATIONS(MUMBAI, RAIGAD, THANE)
- FIELDWORK INSTRUCTORS MEET; 14TH AUGUST 2021, 27TH SEPTEMBER 2021
- FIELDBASED WORKSHOPS ACROSS ALL CLASSES
- CIRCULARS: PLACEMENTS, CONSOLIDATED TIME SHEET, ASSESSMENT
- BLOCK PLACEMENT COORDINATION OF MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK SECOND YEAR ACROSS INDIA
- COORDINATION OF SMALL GROUP EVALUATIONS, EXTERNAL ASSESSMENT/VIVA VOCE.
- FIELD WORK COORDINATION BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK, SEMESTER I, (TERM I COMPONENTS I,II III)

EXAMINATION

- Student-friendly protocols, decisions on mode of examinations, and standard operating procedures considering UGC and University of Mumbai guidelines.
- SOP were prepared for online examinations
- Preparation of timetables, supervision lists, the conduct of mock online examinations, orientation to invigilators, and students on online examinations were some of the tasks the committee contributed to.



Workshop on Mental Health & Self-Care 18th August 2021

Dr. Vaijayanta Anand, Dr. Anita Machado, Dr. Saman A. and Dr. Smita B.

- To commemorate National Social Workers' Week 2021
- · Resource Person- Ms. Mona Sharma, Manorathi Foundation

Objectives

- To reach out to students, understand issues of mental health and self care
- Help them identify early signs & symptoms of mental distress
- Equip students with practical techniques of stress management.

RUSA SPONSORED WORKSHOPS



Budget as A Tool For Policy Analysis and Advocacy

Mr. Amit Narkar, CEO AEROHAN; 2nd February, 2022

Number of Participants: Online 85, offline 26

Workshop on Right to Information Act, 2005: A tool for Advocacy

Dr. Snehal Donde, Chairperson, Jal Nayak, Yashada, Maharashtra; 8th February, 2022

Number of Participants: Online 98, offline 28

Workshop on Public Interest Litigation- A tool for Advocacy

Ms. Saumya Rai, Canada based researcher and free lancer Date: 22nd February, 2022

Number of Participants: Online 40, offline 45

Conclave on Corporate Social Responsibility and Sustainable Development

- Extension Centre had organised the first online CSR Conclave on 'CSR and Sustainable Development' on 9th October, 2021 to provide a common platform to corporates, government officials, NGOs, Academicians and Civil Society to address the social challenges faced by the State.
- Total of 160 people attended the online conclave.
- The Key Note Speaker was Hon. Dr. Prashant Narnaware, IAS, Commissioner, Social Welfare, Pune and the Valedictory Speaker was Dr. Mahesh Thakur In-charge Director, Karve Institute of Social Service, Pune.



Commissioner of Social Work Visit











Houston University











Raigad E Cell Activities





Student's Council Activities



- Christmas Programme in offline mode on 23rd December 2021 which was loved and enjoyed by all the students and faculty.
- Session on "Preparation for Overseas studies" on 4th January 2022
- Seminar on "Social Media Addiction and Pornography" on 19th January 2022.

Programs organized by Cultural Committee:

CULTURAL COMMITTEE PRESENTS



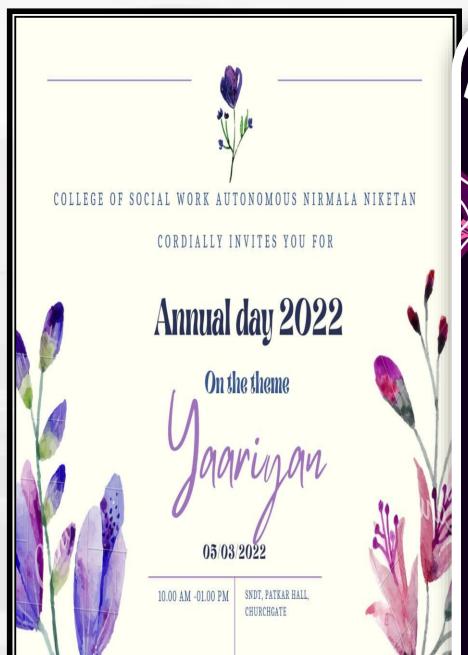
UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

- 24th February Formal dress and appreciation letter writing.
 - 28th February Retro theme Puzzles and quzzes based on retro
 theme.
- 2nd March Saree and flower day
 - 3rd March Common colour code day

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FEBRUARY 24TH - 3RD MARCH, 2022

- Sports committee organized Sports day on 13th December 2021 in hybrid mode- various indoor games like Table Tennis Singles and Doubles, Carom Singles and Doubles and Chess.
- Annual Day,
 5th March 2022
- Farewell Party, 16th March 2022





It's not the end, only a different beginning

WOMEN DEVELOPMENT CELL

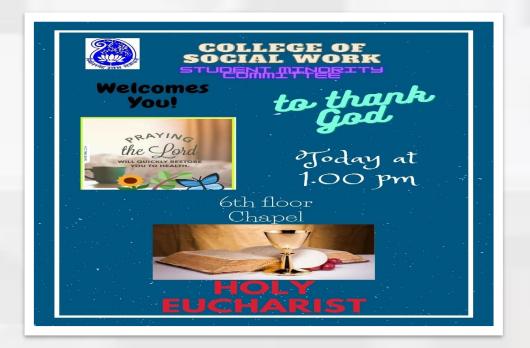


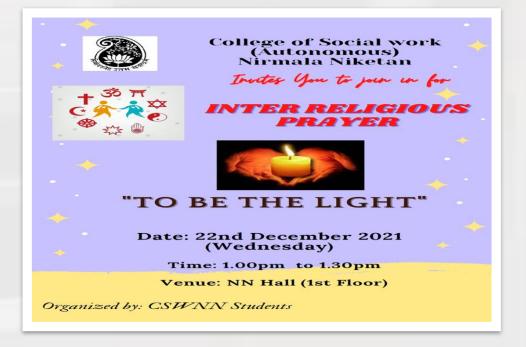
- Talk on Womens' Discrimination in Sports, 11 October 2021
 Speaker- Meha Bharadwaj.
- · 11th Krantijyothi Savitribai Phule Lecture Series, 5th January 2022. Speaker- Rasika Agashe on Gender Discrimination in Cinema and experimental Play Mard Ko Dard Hota Hain.
- Speakers on Theme #BreakTheBias International Women's Day celebration, March 9th 2022.

Minority and Interfaith Cell

Inter-faith prayer service on 22nd December 2021 and invoked blessings on everyone.

They continued to invoke blessings on NN family and for the suffering humanity with their monthly Holy Eucharist.





Rotaract Club of CSWNN



• Club Membership: 25

Club Projects: 3

Major Activities of 2021-22:

Installation Ceremony

Installation of New office bearers to guide the club in its activities for 2021-22. Supported by Rotary Club of South Mumbai and District Rotaract Club representatives

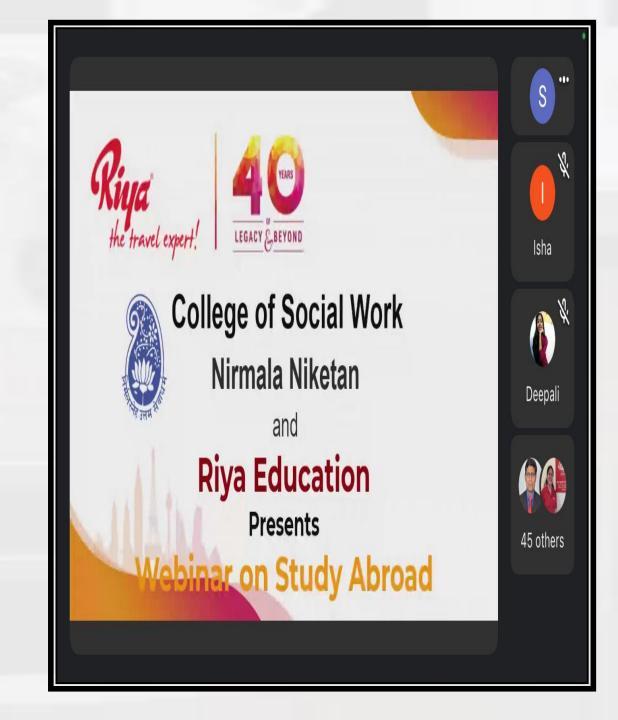
- Eco-brick Challenge
 Eco-brick collection drive organized across 5 classes.
 Collection of 55 bricks and recycled as a Christmas décor.
- Platelet Awareness and Donation Drive
 Organized in association with Tata Memorial
 Hospital aimed at raising awareness on Platelet
 Donation. The event saw a participation of 60
 students overall.





Student Welfare Committee

- Webinar on Study Abroad by Riya Education on 6th October 2021 on "Future Prospects For Studying Abroad".
- Two days workshop was also held on 8th and 9th February 2022 to guide students on "Exam preparation and Study Habits."
- Study Support classes for BSW all classes for students of vernacular mediums



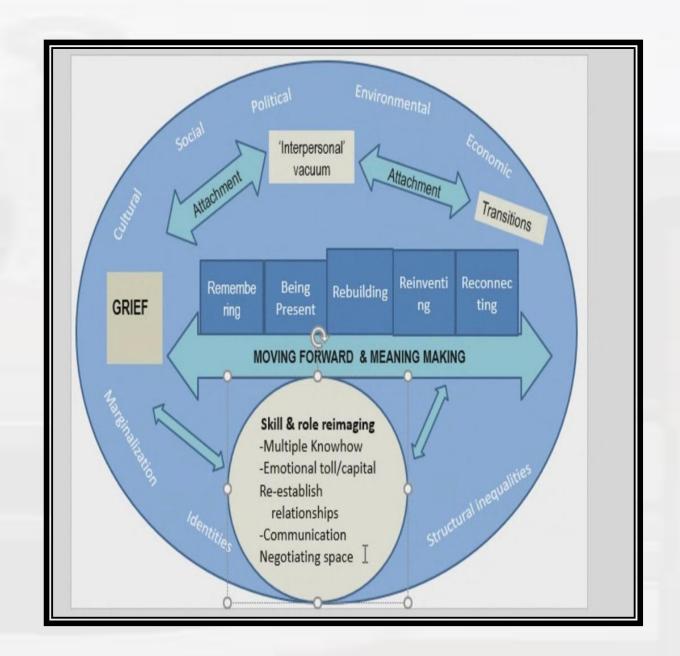
Group Greif Intervention(November 2021 - February 2022)

support group for students of Nirmala Niketan to facilitate grief/bereavement suffered due loss of loved ones, job, financial issues or loss of any kind during the COVID 19 Pandemic

This intervention was organized in collaboration with the organization AMITA that is part of the platform PERLSS.

Total of 12 sessions were conducted and on an average 6 students had taken part in the 8 sessions

the intervention depicted rapport and trust building, sharing, processing, relooking and resolving of the grief in ways unique to each individual.



15th Avishkar Research Convention 2020-21 organised by Department of Student's Development University of Mumbai June 29, 2021.



- College had been always open to inter Collegiate Programme. Like every year this year too many of our PhD Scholars and Students actively participated in Avishkar and Anwesh research presentation as well as in the sports events.
- Ms. Kulkarni Shruti Pravin participated and presented a research proposal titled Financial Literacy and Behaviour among Women in Chalisgaon Town (in Jalgaon District of Maharashtra) in Humanities, Languages and Fine Arts category and PG level and secured SECOND Rank at the Final Round of Avishkar Research Convention.
- Ms. Coutinho Nicole Jane participated and presented a research proposal titled Food Habits and Meal Patterns Among Warli Tribes in Sogave, Dahanu in Humanities, Languages and Fine Arts category and PG level and secured THIRD Rank at the Final Round.



Details about Research Studies by the Research Unit 2021-2022

Sr.	Name of the study	Commissioning	Status
No.		Agency	
1.	To Evaluate the Effectiveness of	IST Research Corp	Completed
	Interventions and Contributions of	(ISTR)	
	IJM, Mumbai to Improved Judicial		
	Processes across Maharashtra		
2.	Impact Evaluation - MUSKAN	MUSKAN Foundation	Ongoing
	Foundation for people with multiple	for people with	
	disabilities'	multiple disabilities	



Proposed Research Studies – 2021-2022

Sr.	Name of the study	Commissioning	Proposal sent on	
No.		Agency		
1	Evaluation of UNICEFs	United Nations	15 th September	
	Education Programme in India	Children's Fund	2021	
		(UNICEF)		
2	Need Assessment and Feasibility	Miracle	20th April 2021	
	study for Community Pilot	Foundation		
	Project by Miracle Foundation			
	India			



Capacity Building Online Workshops organised by the Research Unit April 2021 to March 2022

Sr. No.	Title of the Workshop	Date/Day	Time	No. of benefici aries
1.	RUSA sponsored Online Workshop on Qualitative	24th – 26th February	5:30pm -	21
	Data Analysis with NVIVO	2022(Thursday to Saturday)	7:30pm	
2.	RUSA sponsored Online Qualitative Research	January 2022 to March	6:30pm -	32
	Methodology Add on Course	2020 (Every Wednesday	8:30pm	
		& Thursday)		
3.	RUSA Sponsored - Online Workshop on Research	17th & 18th December	6:00pm -	274
	Report Writing: Delivering Insights Workshop	2021 (Friday & Saturday)	8:00pm	
4.	RUSA Sponsored Online Workshop on the Art of	13th & 14th November	5.30pm -	161
	Writing a Good Research Paper Workshop	2021(Saturday & Sunday)	7.30pm	
5.	Online workshop on Data Analytics Using	20th August to 4th	5.30pm -	19
	Statistical Package for Social Sciences (SPSS)	September 2021 (Friday	7.30pm	
		and Saturday)		

Counselling cell



- The counsellor conducted introductory lectures in all class to introduce herself and the concept of counselling.
- Workshops: 3 Workshops were conducted in this academic year.
- The counselling cell facilitated one orientation workshop in offline mode for BSWII students for getting acquainted with their classmate.
- The Counselling Cell also conducted a two hour session on Parenting for Non-teaching staff. A Total of 25 people attended this workshop. It was a participatory workshop where the participants were given different scenario in day to day life to discuss various parenting methods to handle the issues of children..
- A two hours session was conducted for the students regarding the various ways to deal with failures in life which was organized by the Student Welfare Committee for the students who are little weak in their studies.
- The counselling cell handled 12 cases within a period of 5 months. The issues were quite diverse.

Job Placement Cell



- Job placement cell is headed by Dr. Saman Afroz as the Convenor and Mr. Sameer Mohite as the faculty advisor
- They are assisted by two student convenors each from MSW II and BSW III
- Placement process for the year has already started and in hybrid mode
- JPC has approached more than 150 organisations
- Two of our students have got placement and four pre placement talks have already been organised
- Skill Based workshops: CV writing, Group Discussion and Personal Interviews Interview and Networking





FIELD ACTION PROJECTS



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ANUBHAV YOUTH DEVELOPMENT CENTRE (AYDC)

A Project of College of Social Work (Autonomous), Nirmala Niketan



• The various activities and programmes performed on the theme "Intervention during Covid-19 Crisis" by AYDC

Youth Meetings

• online meetings were organised with Sahayogi, Sathi and Anubhav Samaj level youth on 7th August & 21st November 2021 to discuss new vision, mission, activity plan and also to provide them a platform to share their ideas on spreading awareness about various opportunities available in the market related to fellowships, scholarships, training courses, awards and relevant websites throughout the year.



Livelihood Generation Programmes:

- In Collaboration with 'Shwas Youth Career Guidance Institute, LLP', AYDC shared the course of Account Executive with youth. This course was offered by 'American Indian Foundation'. 32 students took admission for this particular course.
- AYDC also worked towards registration of Youth Mandals (50) and NGOs to register with Nehru Yuva Kendra, Mumbai.



- Orientation to AYDC and Sessions on Constitutional Values
- Webinar on 'Youth Training Program on Prevention of Substance Use' was organized on 4th May 2021. The speaker of the session was Mr. Sameer, Experiential Counsellor from Kripa Foundation, Mumbai. Total 20 youth attended the webinar.
- Workshop on Personality Development including inter-personal Skills and communication skills was organised on 5th December 2021 for Sahyogi & Sathi level youth who were from different colleges and Santosh Nagar community. 47 youth in total participated for this workshop.



Sports Competitions

• On 7th January 2022, the half day sports competitions were organised by AYDC in collaboration with NYK. There were a total of 48 participants from different colleges and communities.

Mumbai Suburban Youth Festival

• The culmination of AYDC yearly programmes and activities will be presented through a youth festival in April 2022.



Session on Gender Sensitization in J. M. Patel College



Workshop on Interpersonal Skills at Extension Centre, Goregaon



Meeting with Sathi Level Students at Extension Centre, Goregaon



Sports competition at Extension Centre, Goregaon



Pravas Project

Documentary on 'Intervention of Pravas'

A short documentary on 'Overall Journey of Pravas' was prepared by the Student Social Workers with the elderly of Bhagat Singh Nagar on 8th May 2021

Survey on 'Impact of Covid-19 Pandemic'

In May 2021, a survey was conducted by the Student Social Worker on 'Impact of Covid-19 Pandemic on the Lives of Elderly People Living in Urban Marginalised Communities of Goregaon West'.

Provision of Senior Citizens' Cards

- Skill Development (Income Generation Activity)
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- Meetings on Income Generation Plans with Elderly Groups and C. B. Kora Institute, 13th October 2021
- Session on 'Government Schemes for Senior Citizens' on 25th September 2021
- Workshop on Dance Movement Therapy on 28th October 2021 and Arts Based Therapy on 18th December 2021
- Survey of Senior Citizens was also undertaken
- Health Care- Eye check up camp on 23rd September 2021 and Camp of Sugar Test (HbA1C) on 31st October 2021
- Celebration- Celebration of Elderly Day (27th August 2021) and World Senior Citizens Day (30th September 2021)



Blood Sugar Check-Up



Senior Citizens' Card Distribution



Senior Citizens Day Celebration



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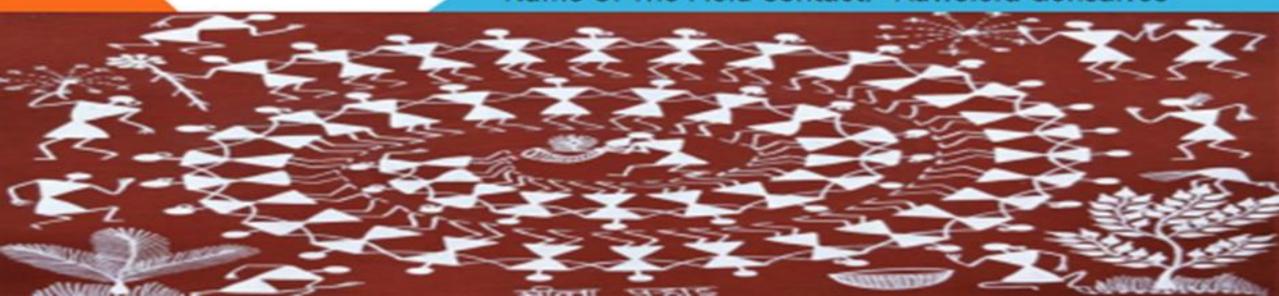


- Health concerns of pregnant women
- Working with local authorities on schemes



SPANDAN

Name Of The Faculty :- Dr. Lidwin Dias Name Of The Field Contact:- Adv.Clera Gonsalves



- Health Awareness sessions
- Sessions with women leaders to spread awareness
- Distribution of folic acid tablets to 200 women
- Distribution of nutrition kits to children in Anwir village
- Celebration of Constitution Day and Human Rights Day and Christmas program, Adivasi Day celebration
- Street Play training





Saksham

- Saksham Pramaan Held a three days National Level training for all Saksham Pramaan staff at TISS, Mumbai
- For building capacities of evaluators, and to coordinate evaluations of Targeted Intervention and Link Workers Scheme along with State Aids Control Society.

Saksham Pravaah: Capacity Building of TB Counsellors

- Started in the month of January 2022
- First quarter of 2022, 65 Master Trainers will be undergoing the training session. 30 MTs each will be from Maharashtra and Karnataka, and Goa will have 5 MTs



PARTNERSHIPS/COLLABRORATION

Certificate Course In Bio-Medical Ethics 2020-2021 By F.I.A.M.C Bio-Medical Ethics Centre In Collaboration With College.

- The course work is conducted at FIAMC Bio-Medical Ethics Centre in Goregoan.
- It consists of 9 modules, with 4 topics in each module.
- Sessions are conducted on the 2nd Sunday of each month, from 9.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and spread over 9 months, from July 2021 March 2022, and was held online.
- There were individual & group assignments and projects work to be completed as part of assessment.

• 35 students registered for the course which began in July 2021

PARTNERSHIPS/COLLABRORATION



Post Graduate Diploma in Sustainable Development Co-Branded with UNESCO- Cardinal Paul Paupard Chair at St. Andrews College, Institute of Indian Culture and College of Social Work.

Total 17 students registered for the fifth batch of the postgraduate diploma program which began in August 2021.

Paper 1: Water, Religions and Interreligious Dialogue.

Paper 2: Governance and Development.

Paper 3: Sustainable Development and Alternative Energy

Paper 4: Project Work

PARTNERSHIPS/COLLABRORATION



Global Campus Online Peace Education programme organized in collaboration with the Global Campus Programme of Tokyo University of Foreign Studies, Japan, and Universities in South Asia- the Gadjah Mada University (Universitas Gadjah Mada), Indonesia; the Pannasastra University, Cambodia; the Peradeniya University, Sri Lanka; Quaid- Azam University, Islamabad, Pakistan; and the Islamic University of Science and Technology, Srinagar, India.

Aims at building societies based on principles of sustainable peace, human dignity, and equality through University partnerships.

Includes 5 modules:

33 Participants Including Students and Faculty Members.

State level Online conference on Child Protection: Concerns and Responses on 4th & 5th October 2021

Aimed towards: initiating/coordinating/spe arheading initiatives in the field work of child within protection the pandemic context; and also work towards policy influencing and practice within the space of child rights and child protection.



State level Online Conference on

Child Protection: Concerns and Responses during Covid-19 Pandemic



A two-day State Level Online Conference is organised by IQAC, College of Social Work, Nirmala Niketan (Autonomous) Mumbai on 4th-5th October 2021. The conference aims to deliberate on concerns related to child rights and child protection in the context of Maharashtra state along with discussing and outlining the response and interventions as undertaken by both government and civil society to respond to the challenges of child protection.

Themes:

- I. Concerns and Responses with reference to children's right to survival, health (physical and mental health) and education during pandemic
- II. Child protection concerns including child marriage, child abuse, child labour and trafficking in the pandemic context
- III. Child protection mechanism including laws, institutional and non-institutional services
- IV. Response of civil society in addressing the child rights and child protection concerns during pandemic

There is no registration fee for the conference.

E-certificate will be issued to those participants who attend the conference for both days.



Dr. Asha Bajpai Keynote Speaker Retired Professor. TISS, Consultant for UNW



Dr. Nilima Mehta Valedictory Speaker Child Protection Expert



Ms. Priti Patkar Human Rights Activist Co-founder and Director, PRERNA

Registration link-https://forms.gle/h8CJfKgmxmS4ds4D6



Mrs. Farida Lambay Former Vice-Principal, College of Social Work, NN Founding Director, Pratham



Ms. Dolly James Project Consultant Navjeevan Centre

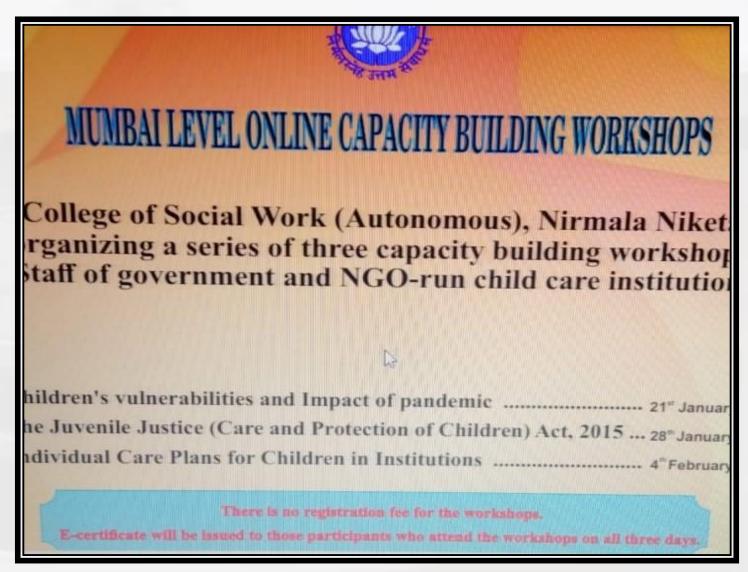


Adv. Maharukh Adenwala Child Rights Lawyer



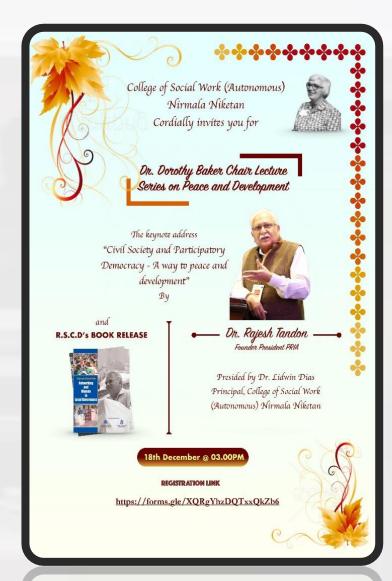
Workshop Series on Capacity building of functionaries engaged on the issues of Child Protection both at Mumbai and Maharashtra level

- Child Protection and Child Rights in Crisis Situations including pandemic
- Overview of Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act 2016 and JJ Rules
- Role of Child Welfare
 Officers in CCIs and
 significance of Individual
 Care Plan (ICP).



Dr. Dorothy Baker Chair lecture Series on Peace and Development 18th December 2021

- Dr. Rajesh Tandon as Keynote speaker who delivered a talk on "Civil society and participatory democracy a way to peace and development";
- On the same occasion Dr. Hazel D'lima released a book titled Networking and Women in Local Governance, edited by Mr. Rajesh Kuruvilla and published by RSCD.
- Mr. Bhim Raskar from RSCD anchored the book release.

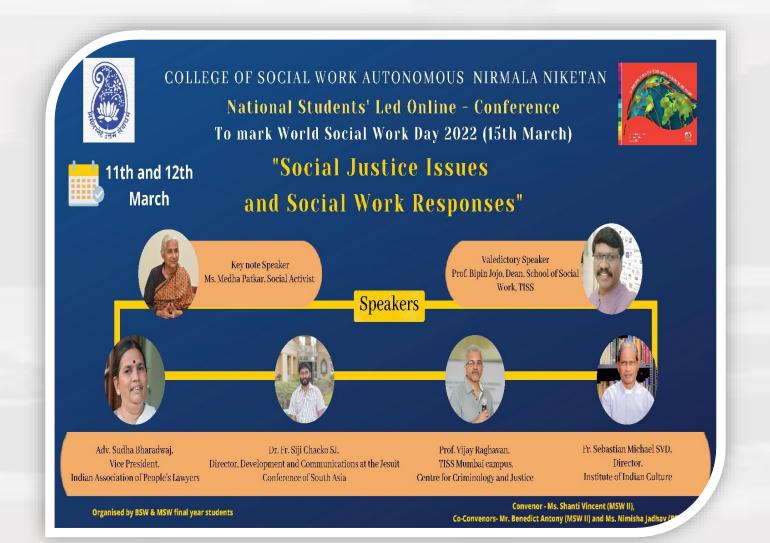


National level Online Conference on Migrant Labor and Covid-19 Pandemic 28th February- 1st March 2022



National Students' Led Online-Conference on "Social Justice Issues and Social Work Responses' 11^{th} - 12^{th} March 2022





Staff Development Program- Non teaching Staff

Session on Parenting for Non-teaching staff of College on 2nd February 2022

• The Counselling Cell also conducted a two hour session on Parenting for Nonteaching staff. A Total of 25 people attended this workshop. It was a participatory workshop where the participants were given different scenario in day to day life to discuss various parenting methods to handle the issues of children



Gyanjyoti Community College, Karasgaon, Talasari Date: 18th-20th February 2022



to provide them an orientation about the issues and challenges of tribal community in karasgaon.

The program was also intended to facilitate team building and also orient staff members about the work of Gyanjyoti community centre.

As part of this program, following sessions were conducted:

ORIENTATION TO THE ZILLA PARISHAD SCHOOL, ANVEER VILLAGE

VISIT TO FAMILIES & FIELDS, ANVEER VILLAGE

ADIVASI DAY CELEBRATION
VISIT TO THE OLD MISSION CENTER:
SESSION ON TIME MANAGEMENT
VISIT TO THE WARLI ART UNIT
SESSION ON TRIBAL, RURAL COMMUNITY





Faculty Development Programs

- 1. Academic Writing by Dr. Melody kshetrimayum on 21st February 2022
- 2. Perspective building in Tribal Social work practice by Fr. Sebastian Michael on 14th March 2022
- 3. Orientation to Issues and Challenges- Tribal Life, through a visit to Gyanjyoti Community College, Karasgoan, Talasari on 18th-19th March 2022

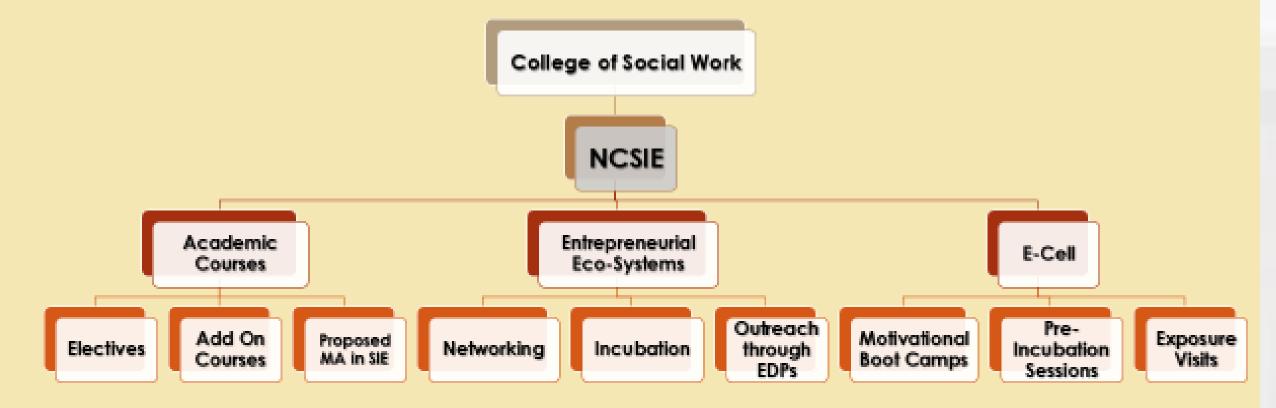


Nirmiti Centre for Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship (NCSIE)

- Nirmiti Centre for Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship was inaugurated on 9th July 2019.
- The centre aims to support social entrepreneurship and offer academic programs where the students get guidance, mentoring, physical space and network for value-based collaboration.
- In the year 2021, college was *ranked as Performer* in the Atal Ranking of Institutions on Innovation Achievements (ARIIA) of Ministry of Education (MoE).



Working of NCSIE



6/14/2021 NCSIE - 2019-21

Details of Co-curricular Events/Activities Organized and Participated

- Ice-breaking Workshop was conducted on the 17th July, 2021
- NCSIE Enrolment and Planning Workshop was conducted on the 2nd November, 2021
- **Problem Solving and Ideation Workshop** was conducted Online on MS Teams on the 9th (Tuesday) November, 2021
- Journey of a Social Entrepreneur Workshop was held Online on MS Teams on the 10th (Wednesday) November, 2021
- **Design Thinking Workshop** was held online on MS Teams on the 15th (Wednesday) December, 2021











Add-On Courses

• The Foundation in Social Entrepreneurship Add On Certificate Course for 2021-22 was offered to the students of BSW II, BSW III, MSW I and MSW II as a two credit add on Course that began on the 15th of Jan and ended on the 31st Jan. 18 Students enrolled, 16 Students attended regularly, completed the course requirements and were awarded the Certificates.

Elective Course

• For the BSW program, (5th semester students) a two credit (30 hours) elective on Social Entrepreneurship is offered from September to November, 2021, 49 students were enrolled for the same.

• *MDP*, *EDP* & *FDP*

• Rural Entrepreneurship Development Programme (EDP) at Raigad on the 29th & 30th January and 26th and 27th February with eleven Rural Entrepreneurs from the four Partners located at Mangaon, Kolad and Roha.. Inputs were shared by Resource Persons – Fr. Richard Quadros on Van Dhan Yojana and its applications and Registration Options for those in the food and nutrition business options by Ms. Julia Delema

Infrastructure & Facilities to Promote I & E Activities: Student Clubs, Innovation, Pre-Incubation and Incubation Facilities, Services and Support



E-Cell (Students Club)

• E-Cell (Students Club), established in 2019 is an *Idea Club* initiative of the Nirmiti Centre for Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship that aims to foster the spirit of entrepreneurship amongst the students at College of Social Work. Currently 55 students are enrolled this year in E-Cell

Pre-Incubation

• Pre-incubation stage starts with ideation. During this period, potential entrepreneur develops the idea to into a 'proof of concept' and prepares understanding the technical feasibility of the idea proposed. Once a marketable service/product idea gets evolved, prototyping and testing are done and the suitable students will be then referred for Incubation Stage. As of now on 31st March 2022. 8 teams are in this stage.

Incubation

• Incubation program shall be fully functional from October 2021. Incubation stage will be 5 months processes of helping start-up companies/ non-profits graft product / service and prepare themselves for marketing. The centre offers a wide array of value-added services to speed up the incubation cycle. As of now, 3 persons/teams are being prepared to undertake this stage of Incubation.

