

# COLLEGE OF SOCIAL WORK NIRMALA NIKETAN

Report for the Add On Course initiated under RUSA



**Title:** Foundation in Social Entrepreneurship Add On Course – Workshop 1 – Idea Generation

**Details on the Coordinators:** Mr. Sameer Mohite and Mr. Cletus Zuzarte.

# Date /Time/ Venue / Offline/ Online Mode and details of the Platform:

30th January, 2022 (Sunday). 10.00am to 11.30pm on Zoom Platform

#### Objectives of the Envisaged Project:

- 1. Provide an active learning environment for students to learn about Social enterprises and develop competencies to work in them.
- 2. Offer an opportunity to ideate test hypotheses around the creation of social ventures, and thereby develop a first-hand understanding of how the field works.
- 3. Participants engage in a process to understand and guide the process of Social Enterprise development with beneficiaries who will pursue the proposed model of social entrepreneurship at the grassroots

## Details on the Collaborating Organization/ Facilitators / Resource Persons:

Ms. Sukhanya Dixit - Serial Innovative Entrepreneur

### Details of the Participants [ Attach Attendance List as Annexures]

16 Student Participants, 2 CSWNN Faculty – Mr. Sameer & Mr. Cletus and Resource Person – Ms. Sukhanya Dixit

### Synoptic Overview on the Contents / Outcome of the Project:

SUKANYA DIKSHIT is an innovator inclined to help social and environmental issues. She shared on how she founded and led several ventures previously into Travel, Cleantech, Healthtech, and Edtech domains building great teams and understanding the nuances of Venture development along the way.

She is also an expert at scientific writing and has successfully secured several awards and accolades for her scientific writing acumen.

A liberal at heart, she wants to build awareness and bust myths around pre-conceived notions of Feminity, women entrepreneurship, and women in STEM. Excited about the potential of biotechnology as a tool to generate employment and add to the national economy.

Shad some unique values and principles that led her to her ways of working and is what can be rightly called "PRODUCTIVELY LAZY" and "UNAPOLOGETICALLY AMBITIOUS":)

- Sukanya has been very active in the start-up ecosystem for the last 5 years. She has been a serial entrepreneur and has been in the founding team of several start-ups earlier.
- ❖ She has a master's in biotechnology from IIT Roorkee & worked on a Cancer Biology research project at IIT-Bombay for a couple of years from 2017-19.
- She decided to switch sides of the table and give back to the start-up ecosystem in India by working with Technology business incubators.





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❖ Before joining DSSE, IIT Bombay as a pre incubation mentoring lead in December, she was with Start-up Incubation & Innovation Centre (SIIC), IIT Kanpur as a Portfolio Manager during February-September 2021 period. After this, she also worked for a couple of months at the AIC RMP incubator in Mumbai. Sukanya is also an investment analyst for 100X.VC, a leading venture capital firm of the country.

While sharing about her journey and achievement she spoke about her stint as an entrepreneur working on bioplastics, Phabio Enterprises Private Limited which was an award-winning start-up leading to a technology patent. She also joined the Gujarat technological University to pursue an MBA in Innovation, Entrepreneurship, and Venture development during her tenure with Phabio and has now graduated successfully. She is currently the CEO and Founder of WeRehab Technologies, a firm specializing in insight-driven physiotherapy and rehabilitative care.

### Feedback of Participants/ Coordinators:

Response of Coordinator - Mr. Sameer Mohite

Cletus it was really wonderful session. I personally really enjoyed a whole session a lot. Thanks for bringing such an amazing resource person

#### Responses by Students:

- This session helped us to think out of the box by giving different situations and in a limited period of time. As a team everyone's experiences came together to come up with an idea. Our mentors experience was shared which was motivating and inspiring.
- Learnt that it was possible to come up with an idea and pursue that with a successful enterprise.
- ❖ It was a wonderful session, interacting with other students and ma'am and thinking about various opportunities we could come up with.

#### **Annexures**

List of Participants

Meeting ID	Topic	Start Time	End Time
83466634353	Foundation in Social Entrepreneurship Add On Course	01/30/2022 09:47:14 AM	01/30/2022 01:40:56 PM
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Nicole Coutinho		229	Yes
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Vaibhavi Kulkarni		232	Yes
Bhavesh Vetam		228	Yes
Shreyash CSWNN (SRS)		52	Yes
Chaitanya Abraham		202	Yes
Manisha		42	Yes
Khushbu Gairola		175	Yes
Shreyash CSWNN		88	Yes
Tanvi Ravrani (Tanvi Ravarani)		158	Yes
Sneha Sharma		172	Yes
Supriya Patil		167	Yes
Tanvi Ravrani		17	Yes