



‘In Pursuit of Sustainable Futures: Perspectives from Social Work’

International Capacity Building Workshop

*Jointly organised by Department of Social Work, University of Delhi and
International Association of Schools of Social Work (IASSW)*

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S.No.	Timings	Event/Panel	Details
1.	9.00-9.30 a.m.	Registration and Tea	
	9.30-9.45 a.m.	Group Photograph	
3.	9.45-11.00 a.m.	Inaugural	Speakers
		Compère	Dr. Pushpanjali Jha, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i> Prof. Archana Kaushik, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i>
			<i>Lighting of the Lamp; Kulgeet (University of Delhi’s anthem)</i>
		Introduction to the Workshop	Prof. Pamela Singla, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi,</i> <i>Coordinator of Delhi Board Meeting and Capacity Building Workshop,</i>
		IASSW President’s Address	Prof. Antoinette Lombard, <i>President IASSW, Department of Social Work,</i> <i>University of Pretoria, South Africa</i>
		Chief Guest’s Address	Dr. Vikas Gupta, <i>Registrar, University of Delhi</i>
		Special Invitee	Prof. Manoj K. Jha, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi,</i> <i>Member of Parliament</i>

		Keynote Speaker	Dr. Rukmini Banerji, <i>Chief Executive Officer of Pratham Education Foundation</i>
		Head's Remarks	Prof. Sanjoy Roy, <i>Head, Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i>
		Vote of thanks	Dr. Shashi Rani Dev, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i>
4.	11.00-12.00 p.m	Theme 1	Building Stronger Communities: Indigenous Knowledge in Social Work Education and Practice
		Session Chair	Dr. Janestic M. Twikirize, <i>Secretary IASSW, Department of Social Work, Makerere University, Uganda</i>
		Session Co-chair	Dr. Sudhir Maske, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i>
		Presenter	Prof. Christos Panagiotopoulos, <i>School of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Nicosia, Cyprus</i>
		Presenter	Dr. Nevashnee Perumal, <i>Social Development Professions, Nelson Mandela University, South Africa</i>
		Presenter	Dr. Sanjay Kumar, <i>Founder of Indian School of Purpose & Impact, Former Director, SEWA, Founding Country Director, Harvard Mittal Institute</i>
		Presenter	Prof. Ravi R Patil, <i>Department of Social Work, Jamia Millia Islamia</i>
		Discussion	
5.	12.00-1.15 p.m.	Theme 2	The SDG Journey: Global Dialogue and Local Action
		Session Chair	Prof. Antoinette Lombard, <i>President IASSW, Social Work, University of Pretoria, South Africa</i>
		Session Co-chair	Dr. N.T. Thomas, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i>
		Presenter	Prof. Golam Mathbor, <i>School of Social Work, Monmouth University, USA</i>
		Presenter	Prof. Sabine Bährer-Kohler, <i>Prof. of Social Work, Karlsruhe, Member of the Senate, Germany</i>
Presenter	Prof. Sanjoy Roy, <i>Head, Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i>		

		Presenter	Ms. Annie Namala, <i>Centre for Social Equity & Inclusion, New Delhi</i>
		Presenter	Ms Ishita Agarwal, <i>SDG Division of NITI Aayog, New Delhi</i>
		Discussion	
6.	1.15-2.00 p.m.	Lunch	
		Theme 3	Welfare Systems: Learnings from Emerging Models
		Session Chair	Prof. Neena Pandey, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i>
		Session Co-chair	Mr. Abhishek Thakur, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i>
		Presenter	Prof. Pamela Singla, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i>
		Presenter	Ms. Manjula Singh, <i>Executive Director Children's Investment Fund Foundation</i>
		Presenter	Representative from <i>Centum Foundation, New Delhi</i>
		Presenter	Mr. Manas Satpathy, <i>Lead - Center of Excellence for Climate Action, PRADAN</i>
		Discussion	
		Theme 4	Global Partnerships, Coalitions and Collaborations
		Session Chair	Prof Neera Agnimitra, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i>
		Session Co-chair	Mr. Pratap Behera, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i>
		Presenter	Prof. Barbara Shank, <i>Retired Professor St. Catherine University, School of Social Work, University of St. Thomas, USA</i>
		Presenter	Representative from <i>Anil Aggarwal Foundation, New Delhi</i>
		Presenter	Dr. David Rose, <i>Vice President, IASSW Associate Professor in Social Work, Department of Social Work, The University of Melbourne, Australia</i>
		Presenter	Prof. Ing. Mgr. Zuzana Poklembova, <i>Institute of Educology and Social Work University of Prešov, Slovakia</i>
		Discussion	
8.	3.00-4.00 p.m.		

9.	4.00-5.30 p.m.	Valedictory	
		Compère	Dr. Veda Yumnum, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i>
		Workshop Recap and Road Ahead	Dr. Janestic M. Twikirize, <i>Secretary IASSW, Department of Social Work, Makerere University, Uganda</i>
		Guest of Honour	Prof. Payal Mago, <i>Director, Campus of Open Learning, University of Delhi</i>
		Guest of Honour	Prof. Ratnabali, <i>Dean of Academic Affairs, University of Delhi</i>
		President's Observations	Prof. Antoinette Lombard, <i>President IASSW, University of Pretoria, South Africa</i>
		Concluding remarks	Prof. Pamela Singla, <i>Department of Social Work, University of Delhi</i>
		Vote of thanks	Ms. Rashmi Pandey, <i>Executive Officer, IASSW</i>

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