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MESSAGE

I congratulate the Department of Social Work for taking the initiative of publishing the *Indian Journal of Social Work Education and Practice* as a step towards fostering a culture of academic excellence and encouraging innovative research in the field of social work.

The journal serves as a platform for the exchange of knowledge, ideas, and experiences in social work education and practice. It brings together scholars, practitioners, and students to contribute to the discourse on social issues, welfare, and progressive social work practices.

I am sure that the journal will make immense contribution in disseminating research, sharing best practices, and stimulating intellectual discourse in the field of social work.

I commend the editorial team for their dedication and hard work in curating an insightful journal that showcases the latest research, current trends, and emerging practices in social work education. The diverse range of articles and perspectives presented provide a valuable resource for professionals in the field.

Through the academic rigor and practical relevance showcased in this journal, social work students, educators, and practitioners shall gain valuable insights that can contribute to their professional growth and development.

I believe that the field of social work plays a crucial role in addressing the challenges faced by our society. Through effective education and practice, we can strive for social justice, equality, inclusive development and reach to the farthest corner.

I would like to extend my appreciation to the editor and his team for continued commitment and dedication towards promoting social work education and practice through this journal. I look forward to witnessing the growth and impact of the journal in the years to come.

Yogesh Singh
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Editorial Note

This issue of the *Indian Journal of Social Work Education and Practice (IJSWEP)* (Volume 1, Issue 3, December 2024) presents a diverse collection of scholarly articles engaging with critical themes within the field. Ranging from micro-level interventions to macro-level analyses, these contributions offer valuable insights into contemporary social work practice and research.

Dr. Shashi Rani and Mr. Shyam K. Saroj's case study, "Wellbeing of Children and Adolescents through Field-Based Action Project – A Case Study of Centre for Child and Adolescent Wellbeing (CCAW), University of Delhi," examines the practical application of field-based interventions aimed at enhancing child and adolescent well-being. Dr. Austin Sinesh Das and Dr. Dilip Diwakar G's research, "Effect of Field Supervision and Support System in Enhancing the Quality of Field Practicum in Social Work Education," explores the crucial role of supervision and support systems in optimizing field practicum experiences.

Shifting focus to media representation, Tanwi Suman and Dr. Rahul Kapoor's "Portrayal of Women Characters in OTT Platforms: A Gendered Analysis" provides a timely examination of gender dynamics in contemporary digital media. Simant Chhotara, Neena Pandey, and Md Riyazuddin Khan's article, "Civil Society and its Impact on Curbing Communal Violence: A Study on the 2013 Muzaffarnagar Riots," delves into the role of civil society in mitigating communal violence, offering crucial insights for conflict resolution and peacebuilding.

Prashant Vikas Karale's work, "Gender Dynamics and Sustainable Development in Melghat: A Comparative Analysis of Livelihoods and Environmental Governance," explores the intersection of gender, livelihoods, and environmental sustainability within a specific geographic context.

Dr. Ngaopunii Trichao Thomas, Dr. Sudhir Maske, and Prof. Sanjoy Roy's article, "Early Childhood Care and Education in India: A Social Work Perspective," examines the challenges and opportunities facing early childhood care and education in India within the context of the National Education Policy 2020, offering a crucial social work lens.

Finally, Ashwathi Muraleedharan, Lizy PJ, and Vijesh PV's article, "From the Iron Law of Oligarchy to Building a Heart of Inclusion in the Schools of Social Work," offers a thought-provoking analysis of organizational dynamics within social work education itself.

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This ~~Issue~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~Journal~~ examines contemporary social challenges in India through rigorous empirical analysis and established theoretical frameworks. The diverse perspectives presented within these articles offer valuable insights for researchers, educators, and practitioners, prompting further investigation into critical social problems and advocating for social justice and equal opportunity. We invite readers to engage critically with these contributions and participate in the ongoing scholarly discourse.

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