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The registration fee payable by participants separately as detailed below:

Registration Fee	
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Working Professionals	

#### **Mode of Payment**

Demand Draft in favour of The Principal, Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru payable at Bengaluru. The registration fees include Lunch, Kit, Refreshments and Certificates. No DA/TA shall be provided to the participants.

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## **DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK**

in collaboration with



### **National Colloquium**

on

# **ENDING POVERTY : A PATHWAY TO SOCIAL JUSTICE**

24<sup>th</sup> February, 2020

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#### **KRISTU JAYANTI COLLEGE**

Kristu Jayanti College, Autonomous, Bengaluru founded in 1999, exemplifies the educational vision of St. Kuriakose Elias Chavara, the founder of the religious congregation, Carmelites of Mary Immaculate (CMI). The college was reaccredited by NAAC with 'A' Grade in 2015 and is an autonomous college under the Bengaluru North University. The robust academic foundation based on professionalism and competence was validated with another gem in the diadem of excellence when it was awarded the Heroes of Bengaluru award. The coronet of excellence continued when the college was awarded the Best Emerging College of the Century in the India Today MDRA Survey 2019. The College is ranked 2nd best college in BCA and MSW, 3rd best in Commerce, 4th in Arts & Science and 6th in BBA in Bengaluru City. At the National Level, it stands 6 th in BCA, 12th in MSW, 19th in Arts, 21st in Commerce and BBA, and 26th in Science by the same survey.

#### **DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK**

The Department of Social Work has always endeavored to chisel students for exceptional social work practice since its inception in 2003. Embedded in social justice and human rights, the Department constantly strives to prepare professionals who can initiate a transformation in the society without compromising on the ethics and values of the vocation. The department aims at providing an augmented educational foundation that incorporates experiential learning and instills professional expertise. The curriculum is designed to facilitate and equip students to adapt effortlessly to the changing global scenario. The social work students are fine-tuned with a plethora of skills to enhance the foundational values of social fairness and to build their societal competencies. Though rigorous field practicum, the students are sculpted as capable, responsible campaigners of progressive social change.

#### WORLD VISION INDIA

World Vision India is one of the Country's largest Child – Focused Humanitarian Organization. With over six decades of Grassroots experience, We employ proven, effective, development, public Engagement and relief practices empowering vulnerable children and Communities living in contexts of Poverty and injustice to become self – sufficient and bring lasting change. We serve all children regardless of religion, race, ethnicity or gender as demonstration of Christ's unconditional love for all people. World Vision India works in 140 districts impacting 26 lakh children and their families over 6200 communities spread across 26 states and union territories to address issues affecting children in partnership with governments, Civil society, donors and corporates.

#### **BACKGROUND OF THE COLLOQUIUM**

The SDG Goals of the United Nations are based on the challenging and pressing problems of the World. The first goal seeks to End Poverty in all its forms everywhere within 2030 and focusing on sustained prosperity for all. It is important to address poverty because 589 million people live in extreme poverty around the World. When SDG: 1 Ending Poverty is addressed which would also solve other challenging problems of the World. Since Poverty is interlinked with other problems it should be addressed comprehensively. World Public Sector Report 2015 recommends for five fundamental transformations to end poverty 1) Leave No One Behind 2) Put Sustainable Development at the Core 3) Transform Economies for Jobs and Inclusive Growth 4) Build Peace and Effective, Open and Accountable Institutions for all 5) Forge a New Global Partnership.

Poverty has various dimensions and promotion of livelihoods would also address poverty. The livelihood capitals are important to take up livelihood a activity which helps to reduce the poverty. Bringing Transformation in the lives of the poor is most important to lead and act with courage in terms of empowering poor households with dignity and authority. We are called to embrace change. Change in our societies. Change in the management of our economies. Change in our relationship to enhance social justice and to end poverty

Social injustice occurs in a society where the equals are treated unequally and the unequal are treated equally. There is huge gap between awareness and implementation in meeting out the real need of the communities. It has created Imbalanced growth across the regions and countries.

All nations are exhorted by UN to take steps on "shared prosperity for all" and to have a push for coherent action in social, economic, environment and political spheres aimed at poverty eradication, decent work for all and social integration in consideration of social justice and human rights.

With the above background, Department of Social Work, Kristu Jayanti Collage, Autonomous, Bangalore is hosting a National Colloquium on Ending Poverty : A Pathway to Social Justice with following specific objectives:

- 1. To understand Sustainable Development Goal: 1 No Poverty
- 2. To probe into the strategies to address poverty
- 3. To examine the role of social justice as a pathway to end poverty

It is sincerely hoped that this Colloquium will help the participants to understand and achieve the above objectives with their active participation and involvement in Ending Poverty and promoting Social Justice.

#### **DISCUSSION TRACK**

- Poverty Reduction
- Skill Development and Employment
- Social Entrepreneurship
- Livelihood Promotion
- Adoption of New Technologies
- Agriculture Productivity
- Social and Economic Development
- Social Justice
- Human Rights, Women Rights & Child Rights
- Legal Legislation & Provisions
- Social Security

#### PARTICIPANTS

The one day Colloquium can be attended by Social Workers, Social Policy Makers, Academicians, Students in the field of Social Work, Rural Development, Social Entrepreneurship , Labour laws, Poverty Reduction and Social justice.

#### ACCOMMODATION

Paid accommodation for outstation delegates can be arranged on prior request. For queries regarding accommodation, please contact Dr. Rubavel M (8754243490)