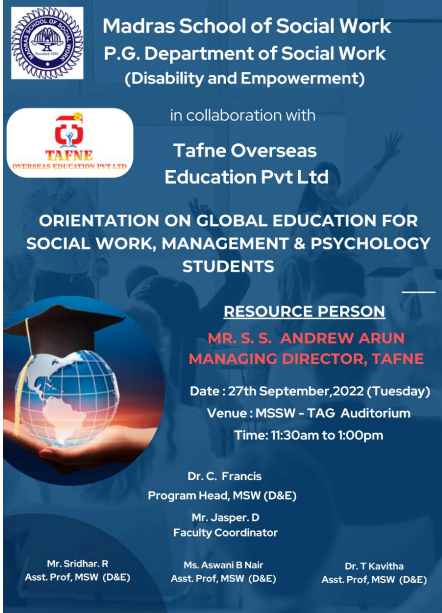


Orientation On Global Education For Social Work, Management & Psychology Students

On 27th of September, 2022, Madras School of Social Work, PG Dept. of Social Work(Disability & Empowerment) organised a session on Orientation on Global Education. The event started at 11:30 am and the emcee for the event was Miss. Padmavathi, a second year PG student. Miss Priya, a second PG year student, read out the profile of the resource person to the audience. Dr. C. Francis, the Program Head of MSW(Disability and Empowerment), felicitated the resource person, Mr. Arun.

Rakesh Kumar, a second year PG student and also, the President of the Aroha Students Forum, shared briefly on Global Education and how it has attracted a majority of the population in India to go abroad and study.

Mr. Arun, an overseas education trainer is a first generation learner. He inaugurated his talk by asking a question to the audience on “Why do you want to go abroad?”



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RESOURCE PERSON
MR. S. S. ANDREW ARUN
MANAGING DIRECTOR, TAFNE

Date : 27th September, 2022 (Tuesday)
Venue : MSSW - TAG Auditorium
Time : 11:30am to 1:00pm

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He, then spoke about his early life and education and how his biggest dream was to come to Chennai as he's from an interior area near Tiruchirapalli. He spoke extensively on the Impact of Global Education and the exams one has to prepare. Mr. Arun introduced the audience to three types of Language Tests: IELTS, TOEFL and PTE and its importance in different countries. IELTS for all the major countries, TOEFL for mainly USA and PTE for Australia. He also gave a brief information on GRE and GMAT. He mentioned that maximum people who opt for higher education abroad, maximum of them are from middle class families. He spoke extensively on five countries: Canada, USA, UK, New Zealand and Australia. He spoke about how each country's visa permit is different from the other. For Ottawa, for a study period of 2 years, a person gets

a work permit of 3 years. One becomes a PR(permanent resident) after 5 years. He also said that direct immigration policy is possible only in Canada.

Mr. Arun concentrated more on the opportunities and from education to part time jobs for the benefit of the students, he covered almost everything. His famous line which will be an eye opener for the students,

“As a human, we should not react always but think always.”

He also emphasised his talk on the need of social workers in various countries. He said that every year, the US needs at least 15% to 16% of social workers.

He also mentioned that social workers have a huge opportunity in Canada. Mr. Arun also,



highlighted on the difficulties of Visa in US and also, about the admission seasons. He spoke briefly about CPT and OPT. For UK, he mentioned about the expenses and the education system and how it is different from that of other countries. For New Zealand and Australia, he mentioned about the work opportunities and also spoke about the PR system over there.

Tafne, as stated by Mr. S.S. Andrew Arun, spoke about helping the students with education loans too. They are representing over 750 Universities and he also assured the students a counselling free of charge.

The participants list included people from social work backgrounds and around 70 of them were present for the session.

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Chrisma	MSW(D&E)

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Jenita	MSW(D&E)
Joseph Francis	MSW(D&E)
Durga Prasad	MSW(D&E)
Manuel Joshua	MSW(D&E)
Merlyn Rozario	MSW(D&E)
Mikhail	MSW(D&E)
Mythile	MSW(D&E)
Rakesh	MSW(D&E)
Subhiksha	MSW(D&E)
Sulagna	MSW(D&E)
Surendhar	MSW(D&E)
Swetha	MSW(D&E)
Tanya	MSW(D&E)
Thejas	MSW(D&E)
Vidhyashree	MSW(D&E)
Yatin	MSW(D&E)
Yeagashree	MSW(D&E)
Indu Jawahar	MSW(Aided)
Lalit	MSW(Aided)
Dharshini	BSW
Avinash	MSW(Aided)
Aishwarya	MSW(Aided)
Rajavarthini	MSW(Aided)
Dhivyashree	MSW(D&E)

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Joseph	MA- Development Studies
Rayees	MSW(D&E)
Anjela	MSW(D&E)
Anjali	MSW(D&E)
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Bhoomika	MSW(D&E)
Christine	MSW(D&E)
Farzain	MSW(D&E)
Hemanandhini	MSW(D&E)
Sneha	MSW(D&E)
Mercy	MSW(D&E)
Bharathi	MSW(D&E)
Jevenantham	MSW(D&E)
Ranjith	MSW(D&E)
Suriyan	MSW(D&E)
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Arun Vignesh	MSW(D&E)
Divinya Roy	MSW(D&E)
Abhimanyu	MSW(D&E)
Kanishkar	MSW(D&E)
Fathima Diya	MA- Development Studies

Name	Dept.
Jerome	MSW(SF)
Gaurav	MSW(SF)
Shreya	MSW(SF)

The session came to an conclusion and there were some doubts and questions by the participants on Criteria for getting a fully funded scholarship for doing PhD.

Deva Hamsa Vardhini, a second year student asked Mr. Arun about European countries providing courses in Asian countries but getting an European certificate. So, why is there a need to go abroad? He mentioned about the exposure one will get if there's a direct visit to the place. There were a list of questions and all of them were answered and he also spoke about his accessibility, which was helpful for the students.

The session was concluded with the vote of thanks by Sulagna, a second year PG student of MSW(D&E).

It was a compact and concrete session on Global Education, very helpful for the students who are planning to go abroad for higher studies. The recourse person was approachable and he has a very positive attitude which helped the students in the best way possible. The students got a clear idea and it was a fruitful orientation.

