## MADRAS SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

## DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

## INTERACTIVE SESSION ON 12.09.2022

An interactive session on Closer Australia-India Relations (Interests or Ideology) was organized by the University of Madras in collaboration with The University of Melbourne, Australia on 12.09.2022. Prof. Michael Welsey, Deputy VC, International, University of Melbourne, and Dr. Thamizhachi Thangapandian, Member of Parliament, Lok Sabha were the interactors of the program.



A few students and faculty staff from the Department of Counselling Psychology also attended this program. The seminar covered a variety of subjects, including how close India and Australia's relationship is, trade agreements, education legislation, and academic prospects for Indian students in Australia. Prof.Michael Welsey made us aware of the education policies in Australia and how the University of Melbourne is aiming to Provide Holistic education to the students.



Students' Interaction with the Guests

Additionally, students were given the opportunity to speak with the guests to clarify their doubts, learn more about Australian educational policies, and how useful is it to combine the educational systems of Australia and India.

Overall, the session was enlightening and students learned a great deal more about the link between India and Australia, educational opportunities, etc.

