

Department of Social Work

**International Conference on Sustainability, Innovation, and Social
Responsibility**

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REPORT

NIMIT hosted a vibrant international conference on Sustainability, Innovation, and Social Responsibility. The session aimed to encourage academic inquiry and the dissemination of research among students. The event served as a platform for budding social work professionals to present their research findings, exchange ideas, and receive expert feedback.

The day began with an inaugural session by Dr. Sharon Wilson, Associate Professor at Universiti Tunku Abdul Rahman (UTAR) that set an inspiring tone for the rest of the event. The welcome address emphasized the significance of academic engagement and international collaboration in enriching the social work profession. The keynote message encouraged students to think beyond borders and reflect on social realities with a global perspective. Faculty members, students, and invited guests attended the session with enthusiasm and anticipation.

Following the inaugural session, all 15 MSW students, along with 3 faculty members, showcased their research papers. The presentations spanned a variety of relevant themes in the field of social work, including community development, mental health, elderly care, gender issues, and institutional interventions. Each student demonstrated rigorous research methodology, analytical insight, and a commitment to social change through their findings.

The platform gave students an opportunity to articulate their research outcomes confidently and field questions from both the audience and the judges, fostering a rich environment of academic dialogue and constructive criticism. There were a total of 12 presentations, including 3 online presentations from Christ University, Bangalore.

The presentations were critically evaluated by two esteemed experts:

Ms. Joyshree Mondal, Head of the Department of Social Work, NIMIT and Dr. Sitara, Counselor, NIMIT

Evaluation criteria included:

Content & Relevance – Relevance to social work themes and conference objectives; clarity of the research problem, objectives, and scope; depth of analysis, critical thinking, and originality

Research Methodology – Appropriateness of research design and methodology, data collection, analysis, and ethical considerations

Presentation Skills – Clarity, confidence, and engagement with the audience; effective use of visual aids (slides, charts, etc.); time management

Conclusion & Recommendations – Logical conclusions drawn from findings; practical and innovative recommendations



Q&A Handling – Ability to respond effectively to questions; depth of knowledge and clarity in responses. Both the judges offered insightful observations and valuable feedback to each presenter, encouraging them to further refine their work for publication or field implementation.

The event was marked by high levels of student preparedness and professionalism, original and socially relevant research topics, active audience participation and peer support, constructive criticism that helped sharpen academic thinking, and a spirit of collaboration and shared learning among participants. Notably, the research showcased by the students reflected a growing awareness of global challenges and local responses—an essential hallmark of socially responsive education. The diversity of topics and the depth of analysis illustrated the department's commitment to nurturing research-minded social work professionals.

The Valedictory function was inaugurated by Dr. Jacob P.M., Director of Naipunnya Business School. In his address, he offered words of motivation and encouragement to the students, highlighting the importance of academic rigor and active participation in such forums. At the conclusion of the programme, the judges provided a comprehensive evaluation of the presentations and distributed certificates to all participants of the conference. E-certificates were also provided to the online presenters, ensuring their contributions were equally recognized and appreciated.

The International presentation held at NIMIT was a resounding success. It not only highlighted the academic potential of the MSW students but also served as a motivating experience for all participants. The event reaffirmed the importance of research in social work education and the role of institutions like NIMIT in fostering platforms for student engagement, dialogue, and professional growth.

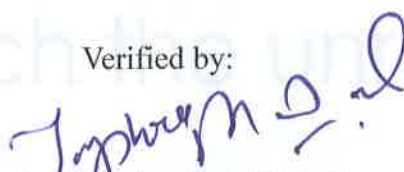
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RESEARCH PAPER PRESENTATIONS

The conference featured 12 insightful presentations, covering a diverse range of topics aligned with the themes of sustainability, innovation, and social responsibility. The following papers were presented:

S.No	Title	Authors
1	Evaluating the impact of MCC couples support system on enhancing marital readiness, stability and parenting guidance	Ms.Ancy Joy , Fr.Arun George
2	Community perceptions of personalized elderly care at Soullux in Chalakudy Santhipuram	Mr.Jith Devassy ,Ms. Joyshree Mondal
3	Grace ripples for capacity building and sustainability	Ms.Anu Biju, Mr. Albin Benny, Fr.Arun George.
4	Need for family counselling centre, ST. Jude family counselling centre, Angamaly	Ms. Anju Menachery, Ms. Nithya Thommy
5	Effectiveness of the KNFD app for visual impaired	Ms. Abhirami P.S, Mr.Christy Antony
6	Reclaiming childhood: a case on KAVAL project effectiveness in rehabilitating children in conflict with law	Ms. Anu Francis, Ms. Reni V Kalayil
7	Monitoring and evaluation in de- addiction: a case study on divine de- addiction centre	Ms. Aswathy V.P , Ms.Ananya Vinod
8	Explorative practices in India banking sector and action plan for a people friendly banking services	Mr. Sebastain A.F
9	The role of social capital in enhancing emotional and educational outcomes for children in orphanages	Ms. Rosemary C.B, Ms. Anjana P.R
10	Exploring the antecedents of Digital workaholicm among Youngsters	Ms. Talitha Mariam Abraham
11	Relationship between organizational inclusion behaviour and job satisfaction of female hospitals staffs	Ms. Prarthana Pradeep

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12	A quantitative study on workplace anxiety among male and female employees in the manufacturing sector	Ms. Agna Mary
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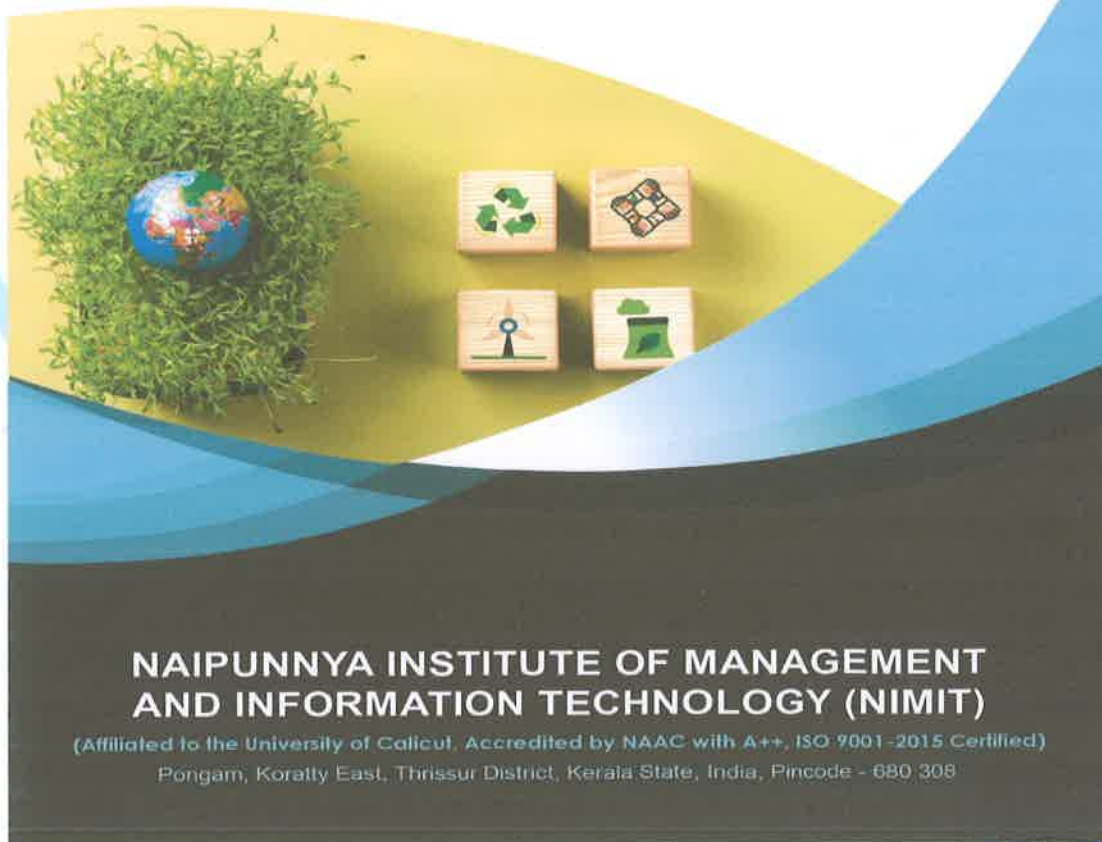


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**RUPANDARAM
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Rural Sensitization Camp

Date : 21-10-2024 to 26-10-2024
Place : Kuttampuzha, Ernakulam

Hands-on Learning :
Students experience rural life and social issues directly.

Community Interaction :
Engage with rural communities through participatory activities.

Skill Building :
Develop social work and assessment skills for professional growth.



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Subject: International Conference on “Sustainability, Innovation, and Social Responsibility” – Report

The Department of Social Work at NIMIT is organizing an International Conference on “Sustainability, Innovation, and Social Responsibility” on 19th February 2025. The conference will serve as a dynamic platform for MSW students to present their research findings, engage in academic dialogue, and receive expert feedback from distinguished evaluators.

Faculty members and students are requested to attend and actively participate in the sessions. Your presence and engagement will contribute significantly to the success of the conference.



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