

## Important Dates

Last date for submission of Abstract	Dec.30, 2017
Acceptance of Abstract	Jan. 15, 2018
Last date for submission of full paper	Jan. 25, 2018

A committee will review the abstracts submitted and acceptance will be communicated to the author (s) subsequently. Selected papers will be revised and published in an edited volume with ISSN.

## Registration Fee

Academicians and Practitioners	Rs. 500
Research scholars	Rs.300
Students	Rs.150

The participants have to send duly filled- in registration form, along with registration fee, a DD drawn in favour of **Chairman, Department of Social Work, University of Mysore, Mysuru** payable at State Bank of India, University of Mysore campus, Mysuru, Karnataka. (Registration form may be download from university website :

[www.uni-mysore.ac.in](http://www.uni-mysore.ac.in)

**Account No: 54035421111**  
**IFSC Code: SBMY0041119**

## Travel and Accommodation

The participants are requested to meet their own travel expenses and also make their own arrangements for stay. However, the organisers would make arrangements for stay on payment basis. Further, they are requested to contact the members of organising committee well in advance so that proper arrangements can be made.

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**Department of Studies in Social Work**  
Manasagangotri, Mysuru-06.

**Two - Day National Conference on**

**“Issues of Social Development-  
A Social Work Response”**

Organized by

**Department of Studies in Social Work,**  
and

**UGC-UPE-FA-II,**

University of Mysore, Mysuru-06

**February 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018.**



### About the Conference

Scientific Social Work, as perceived today, is the result of prolonged and gradual evolution in the era of social services. A remarkable change is evident in the present times both in the concept and scope of social work. The initiation of services started with the era of social service, charity and reform. It gradually moved towards scientific social work, as is being practiced today.

It is expressed that social development implies a substantial investment in social services. The concept of social development has two dimensions which are interrelated and interdependent too - the first dimension is of the capacity of people to work for their own as well as for society's welfare, and the second dimension is of the alteration of institutions to suit to the needs of people, realized through improvement in relationship between needs and means to attain them.

The essence of social development, according to Gandhiji, is of welfare of all – Sarvodaya.

At abstract level and from social work point of view, social development aims at creating a new society wherein living conditions of people are improved and major breakdowns or disasters are mitigated. Development of Human Resource, especially of skill development of young professionals would pave way for economic development as well as social development. The issues also include removing rural, urban and regional imbalances, eco-development, rural development, programmes for Universal literacy, comprehensive healthcare services and improved quality of population. This is possible only through active participation of people. Dynamic profession like social work needs to focus its attention especially on issues mentioned above for a healthy society and for sustainable development. A two-day national level conference is proposed to deliberate on issues of social development.

### General Objectives of the Conference

The two-day National Conference aims at discussing the issues concerned with social development, especially, from social work perspective. Further, it plans at evolving a practice and evidence based models in different areas of concern.

The following means are identified to achieve the above.

- To invite eminent researchers and practitioners in the field of social development and to facilitate a healthy and meaningful deliberation on various issues of concern.
- To invite young professionals who have done much value added work in the field of social development and to have a meaningful dialogue.
- To identify areas of social work practice and intervention and the means to achieve the intended goal.

### Sub-Themes of the Conference

The deliberations would focus on the following sub themes:

1. Human Resource Management
2. Healthcare Services
3. Rural, Urban and Tribal Development
4. Family, Women and Child Development
5. Social Justice and Human Rights

### About University of Mysore

The University of Mysore was established on July 27, 1916. It is the sixth oldest in the country and the first in the state of Karnataka. It is the first university of the country to be established outside the limits in the British India. The university was founded as a result of the efforts of the benevolent and visionary Maharaja of erstwhile Princely State of Mysore His Highness Shri. Nalvadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar – IV (1884-1940), and the then Diwan Sir M. Visvesvaraya (1860-1962). It was also the first University to be accredited by NAAC with Five Star Status in 2000. The university is now ranked 36th in the India Rankings 2017, NIRF-MHRD, Government of India.

### About the Department

A two-year Social Work course leading to Master's Degree, affiliated to the University of Mysore, was started in 1967 at the School of Social Work, Mangalore. In the academic year 1977-78 PG course

in Social Work (MSW) was started in the PG Department of Sociology under the stewardship of Prof. C. Parvathamma, Head, Department of Sociology.

To strengthen the research and training activities in the field of social work, the University of Mysore established an independent Department of Studies in Social Work in January 1990, bifurcating the social work course from the PG Department of Sociology.

For the first two years, after the establishment of MSW course in the Department of Sociology, the University offered the course under semester pattern. The annual system was adopted in the year 1979. The semester scheme has been reintroduced from the academic year 2001-02. Presently, the Department is offering MSW course through CBCS system from the academic year 2010-11.

### Call for Papers

Research papers based on primary and secondary sources of data, with an abstract, are invited from academicians, researchers, representatives of NGOs and government organizations working in the field of social inclusion, development and social work. The research papers should be in alignment with the sub themes mentioned above.

### Guidelines for Authors

Abstract not exceeding 300 words and a full paper with the length of 4500 to 5000 words including tables, diagrams, charts, illustrations and references typed in MS word format in Times New Roman with font size 12 with 1.5 spacing for the text, along with the title, name of the author (s), complete address, telephone numbers and email address should be sent by mail to socialworkmys@gmail.com or yssgowdamysore@gmail.com

The author (s) should follow American Psychological Association (APA) format for references and other citations.

# Registration Form

## *Two-day National Conference*

*On*

### *“Issues of Social Development – A Social Work Response”*

Department of Studies in Social Work, University of Mysore, Manasagangotri, Mysuru.

16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> February 2018.

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Signature of the Chairman

Please mail the completed registration form to:

The Conference Director, Department of Studies in Social Work, University of Mysore,  
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