Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous)

Department of Social Work

Internationalisation

April 2023 - November 2024

International Exposure- Outgoing Faculty Members

Fr. Saju M D Visited Melbourne University, Australia in the month of May 2023 as part of the collaboration activities.

Faculty members from Department of Social Work attended 23rd Biennial Conference of the International Consortium for Social Development held at University of Gavle, Sweden in the month of August.



Dr. Anish K R from social work department visited the University of Finland.



Fr. Joseph M K from the social work department visited Ludwigsburg University, Germany as part of a bigger project called "Transdisciplinary Intercultural International Partnership Project - TIIPP" which is supported by the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD).



Dr. Anish K R from the social work department attend the 2024 International Symposium on Children and Youth Health and Well-being at the University of Saint Joseph in Macau, China, on November 22-23, 2024 and presented a paper titled "Behavioural Addictions in Youth: A Qualitative Study on Perspectives of Mental Health Professionals".



International Exposure-Outgoing Students

A Research Scholar from Rajagiri College of Social Sciences has been selected as an Australia India Research Students (AIRS) Fellow for 2023 and as part of the programme she visited Australia for 4 weeks. The bilateral program, led by the Australia India Institute and funded by the Australian Government Department of Education, supports emerging researchers from India and Australia to undertake short-term research exchanges.



Students from BSW visited Ludwigsburg University, Germany as part of a bigger project called "Transdisciplinary Intercultural International Partnership Project - TIIPP" which is supported by the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD).



Students from the BSW batch did their short-term field placement programme at Malaysia in March and April.



Students from the BSW batch visited Vives University, Belgium as part of their short-term field placement programme in March and April.



Students from the BSW batch visited Jesuit Institute Nepal as part of their short-term field placement programme in the month of March and April.



BSW 5th Semester students had been in Germany from March 22nd till August 4th, 2023 as part of a student exchange program. The students attended the summer semester at Evangelische Hochschule Ludwigsburg, Germany.



Students from the MSW attended the ISUSW International Conference



MSW Students attended block Placement in Malaysia



MSW Students did their Block Placement at University of Edinburg, UK



Research Scholars as part of the TFK Research exchange project, were invited to the University of Jyvaskyla, Finland for a period of three months.



MSW students from the Department of Social Work completed their International Field Placement at Universiti Sains Malaysia and Minds Academy, Malaysia.



Students from MSW visited Edinburgh University, UK as part of the International field placement.



Student from BSW attended the European Summer School organised by Lille Catholic University, France.



International Exposure-Incoming Students

Social Work students from the University of Alabama, USA completed their internship at Rajagiri College.



Student from the University of Melbourne, Australia visited Rajagiri College as part of the Research exchange programme.



International students from different universities in Europe completed their semester exchange study abroad programme at Rajagiri College.



Student from Ludwigsburg University, Germany.



Student from Lille Catholic University, France.



Students from OTH Regensburg, Germany.

Faculty member and students from Franciscan University of Steubenville, USA visited Rajagiri College as part of the Faculty led study abroad programme.



Faculty member and students from St. Ambrose University, USA visited Rajagiri College as part of the Faculty-led study abroad programme



Faculty members and students from Nazareth University, USA visited Rajagiri College as part of the Faculty-led study abroad programme.



Student from Hes-So Switzerland completed Social Work field placement at Rajagiri College.



Students from the University of Edinburgh, UK completed their internship.



Student from the University of Melbourne, Australia completed social work field placement at Rajagiri College.



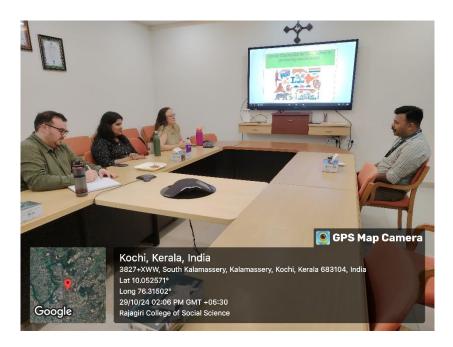
Student from Alabama University, USA currently doing social work field placement at Rajagiri College.



Student from Western Sydney University, Australia currently doing social work field placement at Rajagiri College.



Students from the University of Edinburgh, UK currently doing social work field placement at Rajagiri College.



International fulltime students joined in 2023 under Study in India and ICCR Schemes

Students from Nepal, Rwanda, and Uganda joined the Master of Social Work and Bachelor of Social Work programmes in 2023 under the Study in India and ICCR Scheme.

April 2021 to March 2022

International Exposure - Outgoing Faculty

Dr. Binoy Joseph and Dr. Kiran Thampi attended the International Summer School in Social Work (ISUSW) Conference in the month of July.



International Exposure-Incoming Students

International students from the University of Edinburgh and students from Vives University of Applied Sciences, Belgium have completed their internship at Rajagiri College.



International fulltime students joined in 2021 under the Study in India Scheme

Students from Ghana, Nepal, and South Sudan joined the Master of Social Work and Bachelor of Social Work programmes in 2021 under the Study in India Scheme.

June 2020 to May 2021

International Exposure - Outgoing Faculty

Zoom meeting was held between Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and University Utara, Malaysia. The discussion was about the possibility of collaboration.



Dr. M.K. Joseph, CMI, and Dr. Kiran Thampi attended a virtual meeting in March 2021 with the Dean of BUCSSP, Atty. Alex B. Nepomuceno, Ph.D., the Faculty Members of the BUCSSP Social Work and Psychology Departments. The meeting was facilitated by Prof. Dimson Rivero, the Director of the International Relations Office of Bicol University, and was conducted to explore areas of cooperation and collaboration between BUCSSP and RCSS.



International project titled "Practices, priorities and challenges in student mobility programmes for field education: Developing supervision framework for better outcomes" has been approved under International Projects Fund of the IASSW (International Association of Schools of Social Work) in 2020. Dr Kiran Thampi, (Department of Social Work) is the Project coordinator and Rajagiri is partnering with Hebrew University of Jerusalem and University of South Australia for the project.

Incoming Students

Students from Vives University of Applied Sciences, Belgium completed their Internship in June 2020.



Orientation Session for the Regular International students joined in the academic year 2020-21.

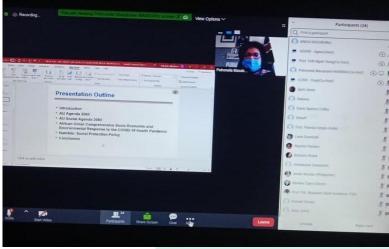


Outgoing Students

Students from MSW IV Sem presented their research papers in the Annual Postgraduate Research Symposium 2021 on "Social Welfare and Social Work in a Volatile World: Policy Research and Practice" organised by the Dept of Social Work, Chinese University of Hong Kong in March 2021.



Students from the MSW Department participated in the ISWED (International Social Work Education and Development) Conference organised in April 2021.





Students from the Department of Social Work participated and presented their themes in ISUSW (International Summer University in Social Work) in June 2020.



June 2019 - May 2020

International Exposure - Outgoing Faculty

Dr. Fr Saju M D and Dr. Kiran Thampi presented their Research findings at the International Conference of Social Work at the University of York, UK.



Fr. Shinto and students from MSW 2^{nd} year visited the University of Maryland, Baltimore in the month of July.



Dr. Anil John and Dr. Anish K R visited Ingolstadt University as part of their UGC-DAAD Project in the month of July.



Sr. Bincy Maria who is a faculty member of the Social Work department visited Vives University of Applied Sciences, Belgium in the month of December and also took a session for the students there.



International Exposure-Incoming Students

Students from the University of Maryland (UMB), USA who completed their Internship at the School of Social Work, Rajagiri College from June 2019 to November 2019



Students from Vives University, Belgium completed the arrival week orientation sessions in the month of February.



Students from the University of Eastern Finland completed an orientation session in February 2020.



International Exposure-Outgoing Students

Second year MSW students were at Kenya, East Africa for their third Semester fieldwork. They are working as Social Work trainees in different schools in Kenya including the special schools



MSW students visited some universities and agencies at Malaysia in the month of July as part of their internship.



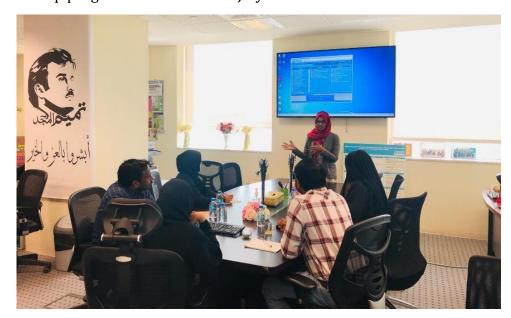
Students from the MSW batch visited the University of South Australia as part of their internship program in the month of July.



MSW Students Visited Kadambari Memorial College and some other agencies in Nepal as part of their internship program



A student from MSW visited Hamad International Hospital at Qatar as part of her internship program in the month of July.



Students from MSW visited the University of Maryland, Baltimore in the month of July.

