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SANGWARI CBPR HUB (INDIA K4C HUB)

PT.RAVISHANKAR SHUKLA UNIVERSITY, RAIPUR

(CHHATTISGARH)

WORLD INDIA MAP



Where?

INDIA

Chhattisgarh



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

STATE PLANNING COMMISSION (SPC), CHHATTISGARH, PANDIT RAVI SHANKAR SHUKLA UNIVERSITY (CWS), RAIPUR

AND

SOCIETY FOR PARTICIPATORY RESEARCH IN ASIA (PRIA)

Re: Knowledge for Change (K4C): An Global Consortium for Training in Community Based Research

Preamble

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) documents the nature of the collaboration between the State Planning Commission (SPC), Chhattisgarh Pandit Ravi Shankar Shukla University (Centre for Women's Studies), Raipur and the Society for Participatory Research in Asia (PRIA), New Delhi; in support of the creation of a global training initiative "Knowledge for Change (K4C): An International Consortium for Training in Community Based Research (CBR) under the direction of Dr. Budd Hall and Dr. Rajesh Tandon, UNESCO Co-Chair (the "K4C Consortium").

Purpose

The K4C Consortium will build a Mentor Training Program (MTP) curriculum which will include an online component, face to face interaction and a supervised field research. Mentors trained in the curriculum will be active in various countries which will function as 'training hubs'. This tripartite partnership will function as one among these global hubs. The K4C Consortium will respond to the contemporary societal challenges through an international partnered training initiative focused on the development of research capacities for the co-creation of knowledge through collective action by community groups and academics on issues related to the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

Principles of MoU

This MOU is not intended to create any legally binding obligations on SPC, PRSU or PRIA, but is intended to facilitate discussions of their shared interests and commitment to follow the proposed goals, anticipated outcomes, methodology, and management structure for realizing the objectives of the K4C Consortium.

Details of the implementation of any particular initiative resulting from this MOU shall be negotiated between the parties as each specific case may arise, and if all the three are agreed on the certain issue / issues that could be implemented / made part of agreement. All the three parties understand that financial arrangements will have to be negotiated and will depend on the availability of funds.

This MOU is valid for a period of one year from the date of signing. Any party may terminate this MOU upon 90 days written notice to the other. Modifications to this agreement may be made by mutual agreement of the parties in writing signed by the parties. Upon expiry, the parties may wish to renew the agreement in writing for a period of time to be determined by mutual consent.

Areas of exchange and cooperation

The K4C Consortium, under the overall supervision of PRIA and UVic, and in partnership with SPC, Chhattisgarh, PRSU, Raipur and PRIA, New Delhi will focus on the development of research capacities for the co-creation of knowledge through collective action by community groups and academics working together in various training hubs around the world.

This will contribute to strengthening the trainees' employment and career opportunities, enhancing institutional capacity in CBR at HEIs and CSOs, and generating contextually and culturally relevant learning materials and resources in local languages, which will be accessible to students, academic researchers, activist citizens, civil society organizations and the general public.

The training hub at Raipur, with support from SPC Chhattisgarh, PRSU, Raipur and PRIA, New Delhi will focus on the co-construction of knowledge and its application to the solution of community issues linked to at least three of the UN SDGs (Indigenous development, water governance, poverty and inequality, climate action, gender equality and violence against women).

To achieve this, the expectations from the institutions, party to this MoU are:

SPC, Chhattisgarh

- Supporting the K4C Consortium
- Suggesting research themes to be undertaken, linked to local contextual issues
- Involving other universities in the state
- Using the research findings generated, to find local solutions, linked to UN SDGs.
- Providing financial support, to the tune of INR 5 Lakhs, for MTP
- **The amount of projects will be paid to Registrar, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur Account No. 10049592111**

Centre for Women's Studies, Pt. RSU, Raipur

- Commit to train four mentors each, in the next four cohorts of the MTP in 2018 & 2019
- Designing and conducting the training of students and practitioners in CBR methodology
- Conduct locally relevant research, linked to UN SDGs
- Share the research findings with relevant stakeholders
- Organize six monthly sharing workshops with SPC
- Conduct locally relevant research, linked to UN SDGs "including evaluation of Government policies and schemes and suggest mid course correction and suggest measures for improved delivery through effective implementation.
- Will prepare report of activities performed, annually and share with project partners.

PRIA, New Delhi

- Organize K4C mentor training program
- Provide professional support to PRSU mentors in conducting CBR courses at the university level and in doing research
- Co-convene K4C global consortium consultations in the implementation of K4C with respect to UN SDGs.

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Link of the relevant document: <https://www.unescochair-cbrsr.org/india-k4c-hub-raipur/>
<https://www.unescochair-cbrsr.org/k4c-hubs/>
<https://www.prsu.ac.in/academic-departments/utd-departments/Centre-for-Womens-Studies/9>

SANGWARI CBPR HUB (INDIA K4C HUB (RAIPUR))

Sangwari CBPR Hub was constituted under a tripartite agreement between State Planning Commission, PRIA, and Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur. The objective of the Hub is to co-create knowledge with community groups and academia, focusing on issues related to the UN, SDGs 5.

<https://www.unescochair-cbrsr.org/india-k4c-hub-raipur/>





The CBPR practice in the University has found a mention in the Report of UGC on “National Curriculum Framework & Guidelines, 2020 for Fostering Social Responsibility & Community Engagement in Higher Educational Institutions in India” under Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA), a flagship program of Government of India.

Sangwari hub is one of the 14 hubs worldwide that works for Co-construction of knowledge and its application to the solution for community issues is a part of Community Based Participatory Research. For community appraisal CBPR equitably involves community and academic partners, recognizes the unique strengths of each, shares leadership and resources, addresses issues of the community, and uses information gained for community benefit. The center focuses on SDG 5 and conducts community studies on health issues, women centric issues, community knowledge, environmental problems , gender concerns, poverty and education. Field work is conducted by the students and along with the community partners to find a solution of the community issue for bringing a social change. Knowledge for change (K4C) mentors have contributed 3 projects and 65 projects in last five years have been submitted by the students enrolled in various community issues. These dynamic work together is critical to understand the added value of CBPR in achieving social justice.

The screenshot shows the website for the Sangwari CBPR Hub. At the top, there is a navigation menu with links for HOME, PROGRAMS, RESOURCES, K4C, FOCUS AREAS, IN THE NEWS, GALLERY, EVENTS, BLOG, and CONTACT. Below the navigation is a search bar. The main heading is "India K4C Hub (Raipur)". Underneath, there are logos for Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, UNESCO, and the UNESCO Chair in Community Based Research and Social Responsibility in Higher Education. A central image shows a group of people in traditional attire. To the right, there is a "HUB NAVIGATION" section with a list of other K4C hubs: Cuba K4C Hub, Colombia K4C Hub, Canada K4C Hub (Salish Sea), Canada K4C Hub (TKaronto), Canada K4C Hub (Laval University), India K4C Hub (Jaipur), India K4C Hub (Raipur), India K4C Hub (Christ University), Malaysia K4C Hub (USM), Malaysia K4C Hub (Mizan), and Indonesia K4C Hub (Surabaya). Below the image, there is a "LOCATION" section stating "Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, Chhattisgarh, India" and a "PARTNERS (UNIVERSITY / COMMUNITY PARTNER ORGANISATION)" section.

COURSES OFFERED:

- **Certificate Course on Community Based Participatory Research (The University is part of global consortium on Knowledge for Change (K4C Consortium). First university in India to start the CBPR course.)**
- **Community Based Participatory Research (CBPR) has been introduced an elective credit in Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) from the session 2021-22.**



Minutes of Board of Studies

The meeting of Board of Studies in Regional Studies and Research was held on July 10, 2018 in School of Regional Studies and Research at 12:00 noon.
Following members were present:

1. Prof. Mitashree Mitra, Chairman, BoS
School of Regional Studies & Research, Pt. RSU, Raipur
2. Prof. Promila Singh – Member
SoS in Psychology, Pt. RSU, Raipur
3. Prof. A.K. Pandey – Member
SoS in Economics, Pt. RSU, Raipur

Business transacted:

- : Approval of the Minutes of the last BoS Meeting.
- : Minutes of the last BoS meeting held on July 07, 2018 approved.

Agenda 1: Approval of PG course in Rural Development (2018-19)

- : The existing syllabus of M.A. in Rural Development was thoroughly checked and approved.

Agenda 2: Approval of Ph.D. Entrance (Regional Studies/ Rural Development) & Ph.D. Course Work, M.Phil, P.G. Diploma in Regional Planning and Development, PG Diploma in Theory and Practice in Panchayat Monitoring and Evaluation and Three months Certificate Course on Rural Secretary (2018-19)

- : Ongoing syllabi of P.G. Rural Development, Ph.D. Entrance Test (Regional Studies & Rural Development) & Ph.D. Course Work (Regional Studies & Rural Development) were approved with minor modification.
- Syllabus for entrance test of PG Diploma in Regional Planning and Development was prepared and approved by the committee. Certificate course as mentioned above is approved
- Approved syllabus is enclosed.

Agenda 3: Approval of Certificate Course in Community based Participatory Research (CBPR) (To be run by Centre for Women's Studies)

- : As per MoU (signed on 05.02.2018) between PRSU, State Planning Commission and Society for Participatory Research in Asia (PRIA) under Knowledge for Change (K4C): An Global Consortium for Training in Community Based Research, the Certificate Course in Community Based Participatory Research (CBPR) is approved.

Committee approved the proposal and syllabus.
The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.



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प्रति,

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समस्त अध्ययनशाला
पं. रविशंकर शुक्ल विश्वविद्यालय,
रायपुर

विषय :- द्वितीय एवं तृतीय सेमेस्टर CBCS के पाठ्यक्रम के संबंध में।

महोदय/महोदय,

लेख है कि च्वाइस बेस्ड क्रेडिट सिस्टम (CBCS) में द्वितीय सेमेस्टर के प्रश्न पत्र-"Community Based Participatory Research (CBPR)" एवं तृतीय सेमेस्टर में प्रश्न पत्र-"Gender Sensitization" समाहित किया जाता है।

उपरोक्त पाठ्यक्रम विश्वविद्यालय की वेबसाइट में अपलोड किया जा चुका है।

आदेशानुसार,

उप कुलसचिव

रायपुर, दिनांक 14.07.2021

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3. कुलपति जी के सचिव/कुलसचिव के निज सहायक, पं.रविशंकर शुक्ल विश्वविद्यालय, रायपुर को सूचनार्थ।

कक्ष अधिकारी (अका.)

Community Based Participatory Research(CBPR) International exposure of the Sangwari CBPR Hub



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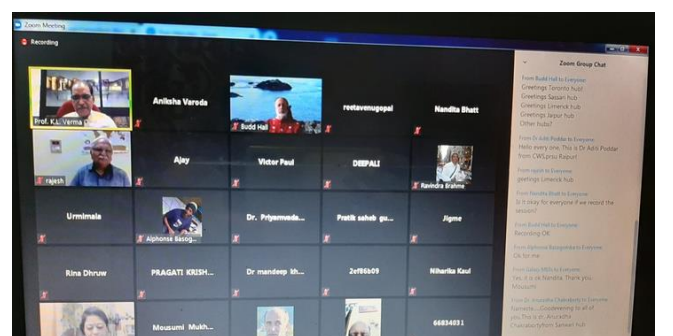
This is the cover of a certificate course titled 'Certificate Course on "Community Based Participatory Research (CBPR)"' for the session 2019-20. The project title is 'IMPACT OF COVID-19 AMONG WOMEN WORKERS OF INFORMAL SECTORS IN CHHATTISGARH'. Supervisors listed are Dr. Reeta Venugopal & Dr. Priyamvada Shrivastava. It is presented by Pragati Kishan, Anisha Varada, Bilesh Kumar, and Bilesh Nathore. The course is submitted to the Center for Women Studies at Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (C.G.).

This is the cover of a certificate course for the session 2021-22. The project title is 'Garima Greh : Shelter home for Transgender Persons'. It is presented by CHHATTISGARH MITWA SANKALP SAMITI in collaboration with the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India. The project title in Hindi is 'ट्रान्सजेंडर का विशेषवासक अल्पवय (फरीसगढ़ राज्य के रायपुर शहर के विशेष वर्धन में) Analytical Study of Transgender (with special reference to the city of Raipur in the state of Chhattisgarh)'. Supervisors are Dr. Reeta Venugopal, Dr. Priyamvada Shrivastava, and Dr. Anuradha Chakravorty. Presented by Ratna Shrivastava. Submitted to the Center for Women Studies at Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (C.G.).

This is the cover of a certificate course for the session 2022-23. The project title is 'GARBAGE PICKERS ATTITUDE & PROBLEMS: A CBPR APPROACH'. Supervisors are Dr. Reeta Venugopal, Dr. Priyamvada Shrivastava, and Dr. Anuradha Chakravorty. Presented by Ms. Deepshikha Dolas and Ms. Pooja Dhusiya. Submitted to the Centre for Women's Studies at Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (C.G.).

This is the cover of a certificate course for the session 2020-21. The project title is 'COVID-19 PANDEMIC: STUDY OF STRESS & COPING STRATEGIES, WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO WORKING WOMEN OF PT. RAVISHANKAR SHUKLA UNIVERSITY, RAIPUR (C.G.)'. Supervisors are Dr. Reeta Venugopal and Dr. Priyamvada Shrivastava. Presented by Rishi Kumar Paswan and Ujjwala Vishwakarma. Submitted to the Centre for Women's Studies at Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (C.G.).

This is the cover of a project report titled 'STUDENTS ATTITUDE ABOUT THE COURSES OFFERED BY PT. RAVISHANKAR SHUKLA UNIVERSITY RAIPUR (C.G.) : A CBPR APPROACH' for the year 2022-23. The project title in Hindi is 'शिक्षकों का विशेषवासक अल्पवय (फरीसगढ़ राज्य के रायपुर शहर के विशेष वर्धन में) Analytical Study of Transgender (with special reference to the city of Raipur in the state of Chhattisgarh)'. Supervisors are Dr. Reeta Venugopal, Dr. Priyamvada Shrivastava, and Dr. Anuradha Chakravorty. Presented by Anisha Varada. Submitted to the Center for Women Studies at Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (C.G.).



AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

- To serve the community with research based knowledge for their development.

OUR GOALS:

- Co-construction of knowledge and its application to deal with community issues, linked to UN SDGs 5.
- Enhance institutional capacity in CBR in university and other institutions.
- Generate contextually and culturally relevant learning materials in local languages, which will be accessible to students, academic researchers, activist, citizens, civil society organisations and the general public.
- To create human resources for community researcher.
- To generate experiential training in addressing SDGs 5.



CERTIFICATE COURSE ON CBPR

THEORY

- History and Development of CBPR
- Steps in CBPR
- Ethics and Values
- Knowledge Mobilisation
- Representation of Knowledge
- Methods in CBPR
- Gender Prospective

FIELD WORK

- Balancing Theory and Practice
- Making Partners
- Establishing Rapport with community
- Reflections from field study
- Sharing of reports

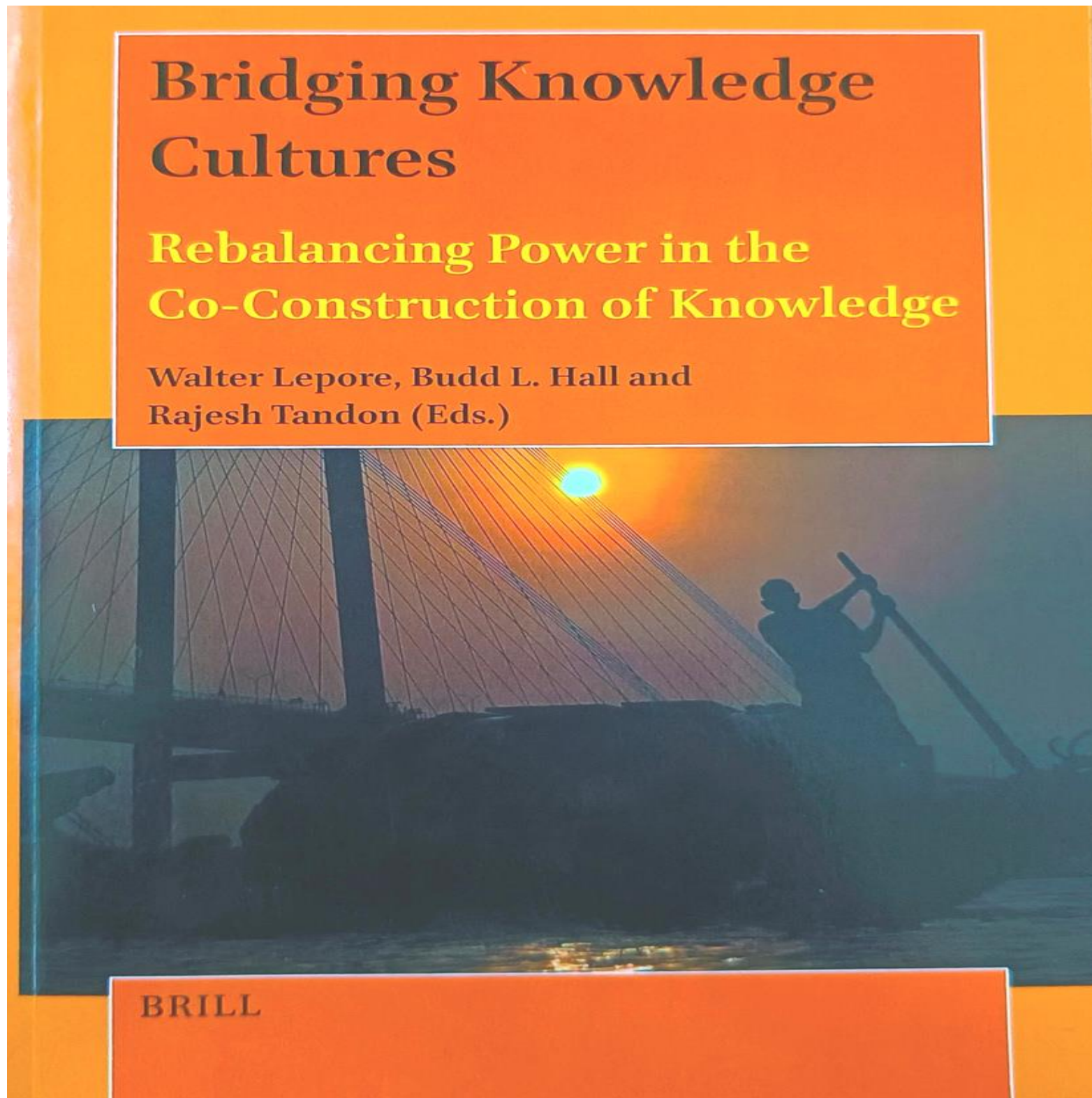
SPONSORED RESEARCH PROJECT



Financial Year	Funding Agency	Title of Project	Amount Received (In Rupees)
2021-22	SSHRC, Bridging knowledge Cultures Partnership Development Grant	Bridging Knowledge in Maternal Health Care in Rural Communities Experience from the Sangawari K4C Hub Chhattisgarh, India	3000 Canadian Dollar

ACHIEVEMENTS AND BEST PRACTICES

Article(s) Published in Book



Title

Bridging Knowledge in Maternal Health Care in Rural Communities
Experience from the Sangawari K4C Hub Chhattisgarh, India

Name of the Book

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PROJECTS OF THE HUB

FIELD WORK, WERE COMPLETED BY THE STUDENTS OF THE CBPR REVOLVING AROUND SDGS3,4,5AND 8.

2018-19

- Awareness and benefits of women and child health care services provided by Anganwadi centre: with special reference to village Amleshwar: Raipur District.
- Sexual Harassment & its awareness at work place with reference to sports women.
- Role of women in Panchayati Raj
- Status of women in the village of Member of Parliament.
- Effect of skill development scheme on economic development of women.

PROJECTS OF THE HUB

2019-20

- IMPACT OF COVID-19 AMONG WOMEN WORKERS EMPLOYED IN INFORMAL SECTORS IN CHHATTISGARH

- Impact of Covid-19 on reverse migration in Chhattisgarh.

2020-21

- Covid-19 Pandemic: Study of Stress & Coping Strategies, With Special Reference to Working Women of Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (C.G.)

2021-22

- Possible solution to preserve the aquatic environment through CBPR approach: A study of "Pandri Trarai of Raipur City ecological damage through human activities.
- Students attitude about the value added courses offered by Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (C.G.) A CBPR Approach
- Study of awareness of Mitamin program among pregnant women.
- Analytical Study of Transgender : With Special Reference to Raipur City of Chhattisgarh State.



PROJECTS OF THE HUB



2022-23

- A Study Of Problems Of Female Students Community Residing In Hostel A CBPR Approach.
- Garbage Pickers Attitude & Problems : A CBPR Approach

2023-24

- Study of Menstrual Hygiene and health audit of in campus Girls hostel
- Ethno medicinal practices and plural medicine among Baiga PVTG
- Reproductive health awareness and community practices
- Assessing the Effectiveness and Socio-Economic Impacts of the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA)
- Exploring the Impact of Family Dynamics on Addiction: A Comprehensive Study of Family-Led Roles



ACTIVITIES OF THE HUB:

3rd -5th December,
2019

Three days training programme "Implementation of Gender Champion Guidelines through tools and training"

22nd -23rd January
2020

National Workshop on Safe Campus: Implementation of UGC Guidelines/Regulations on Gender Champions and Posh

13th -14th
February 2020

Two Days workshop on "Community Based Participatory Research (Cbpr)" in collaboration with State Planning Commission and PRIA

23rd June
2020

One webinar conducted on Preparing the Next Generation of Researchers: Story of Sangwari Hub" in collaboration with PRIA

10th -12th Feb,
2022

Two Days workshop on "Community Based Participatory Research (CBPR)"

ACTIVITIES OF THE HUB:

6th December, 2022

Online Safe Campus Program (make your campus gender just, safe conducive) in collaboration with Martha Farrell Foundation

29th April, 2023

One Day Workshop on Stimulating Social Responsibility Through Community Engagement in Higher Education

16th October, 2024

Training Program on Gender Champions

**THREE DAY WORKSHOP CUM TRAINING
PROGRAMME: TECHNIQUES IN COMMUNITY BASED
PARTICIPATORY RESEARCH (CBPR)" IN
COLLABORATION WITH STATE PLANNING
COMMISSION AND PRIA ORGANIZATION.**

28TH -30TH MARCH 2019



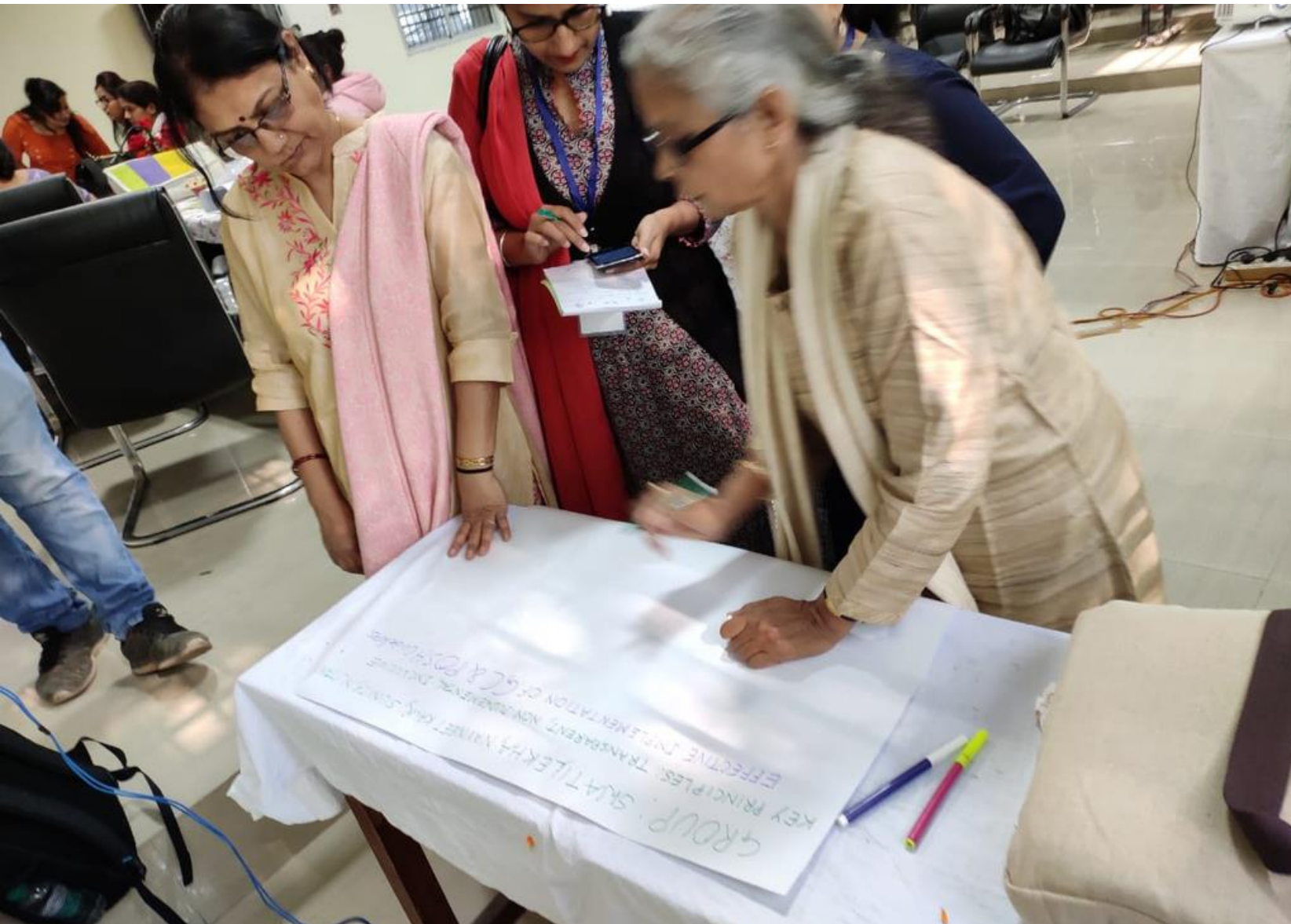
TWO DAYS WORKSHOP ON " COMMUNITY BASED PARTICIPATORY RESEARCH (CBPR)" IN COLLABORATION WITH STATE PLANNING COMMISSION AND PRIA

13 -14 FEBRUARY 2020



TW NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON SAFE CAMPUS: IMPLEMENTATION OF UGC GUIDELINES/REGULATIONS ON GENDER CHAMPIONS AND POSH" IN COLLABORATION WITH ASSOCIATION OF INDIAN UNIVERSITIES (AIU), MARTHA FARRELL FOUNDATION AND PRIA.

22 -23 JANUARY 2020



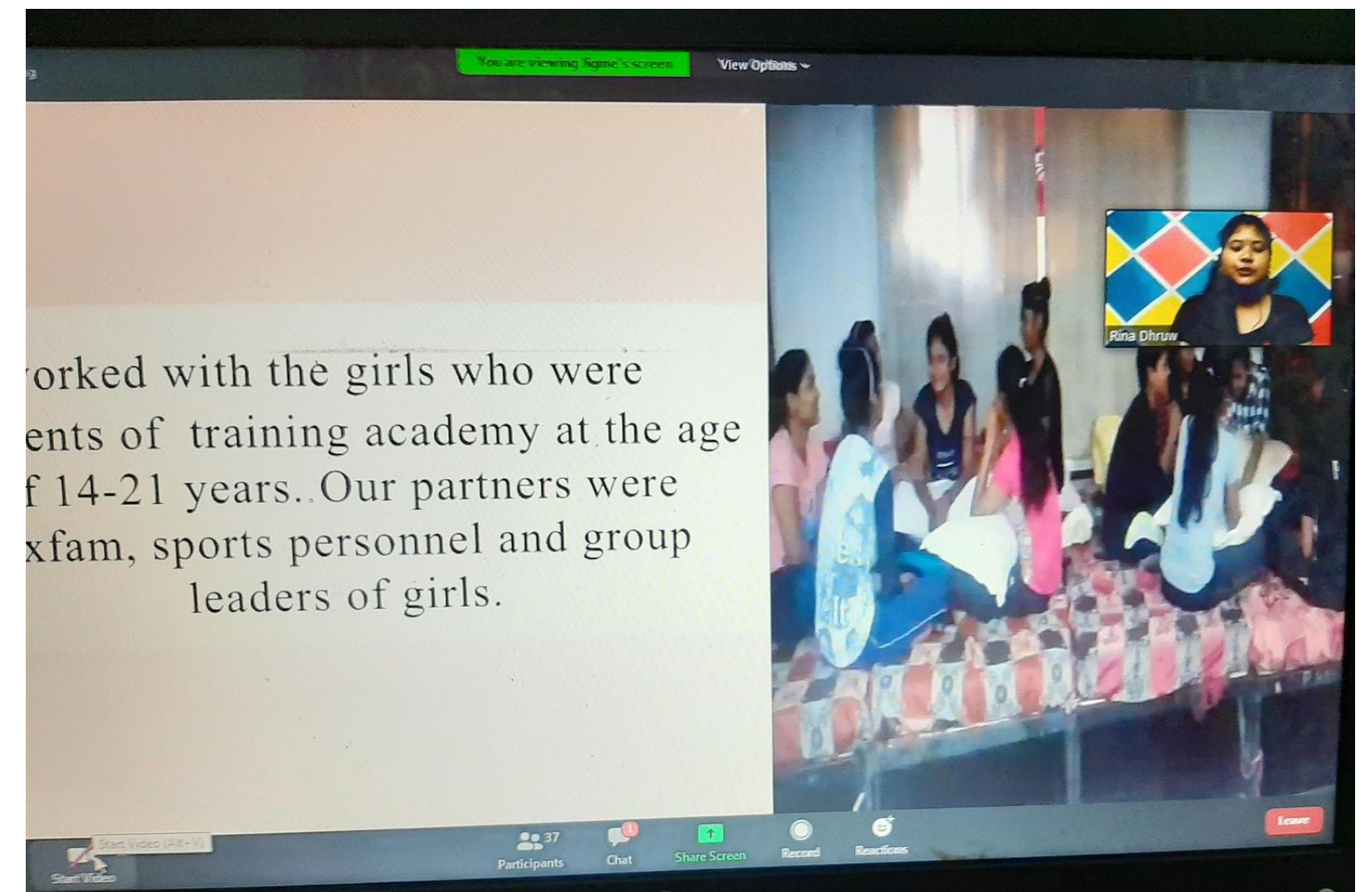
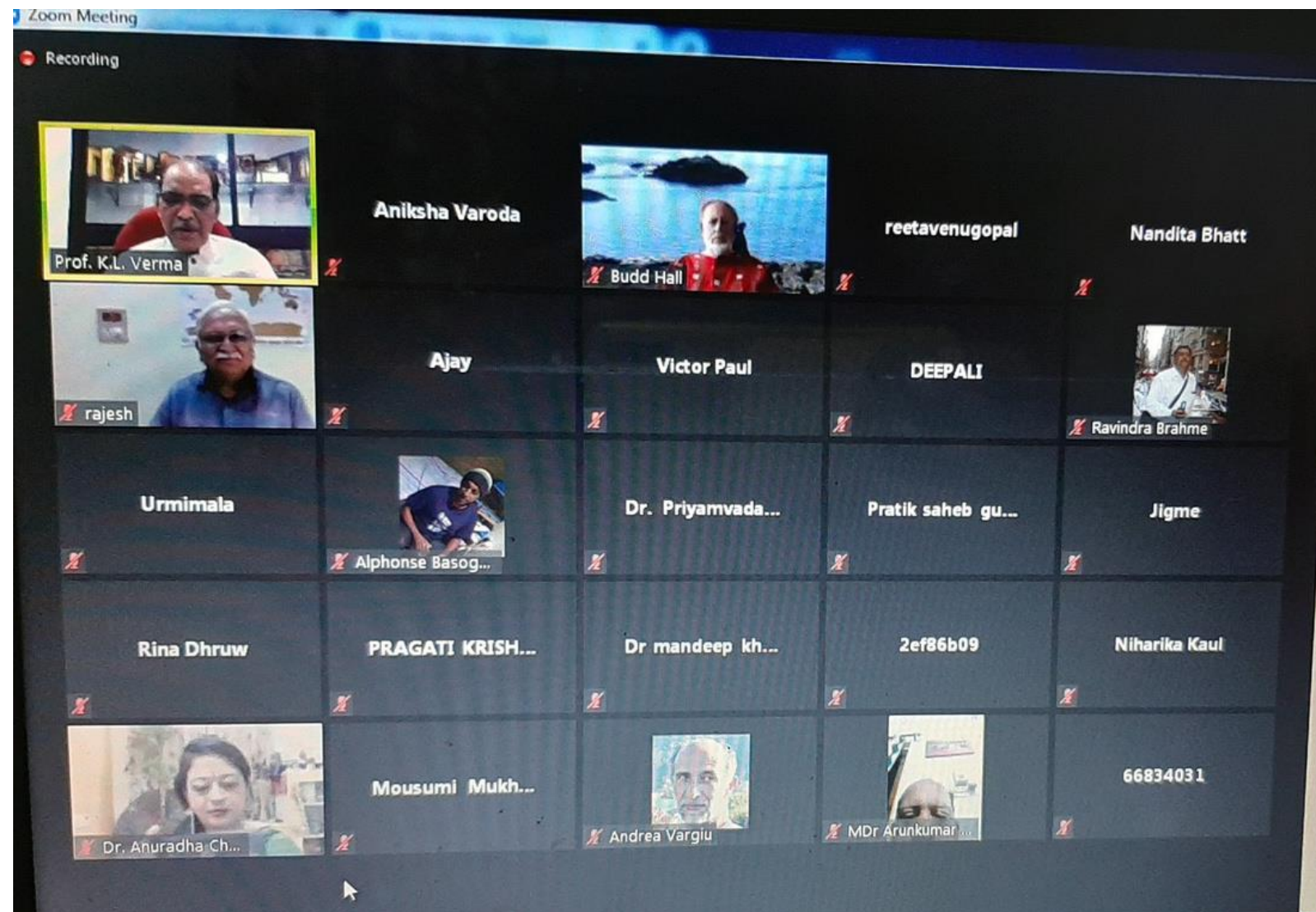
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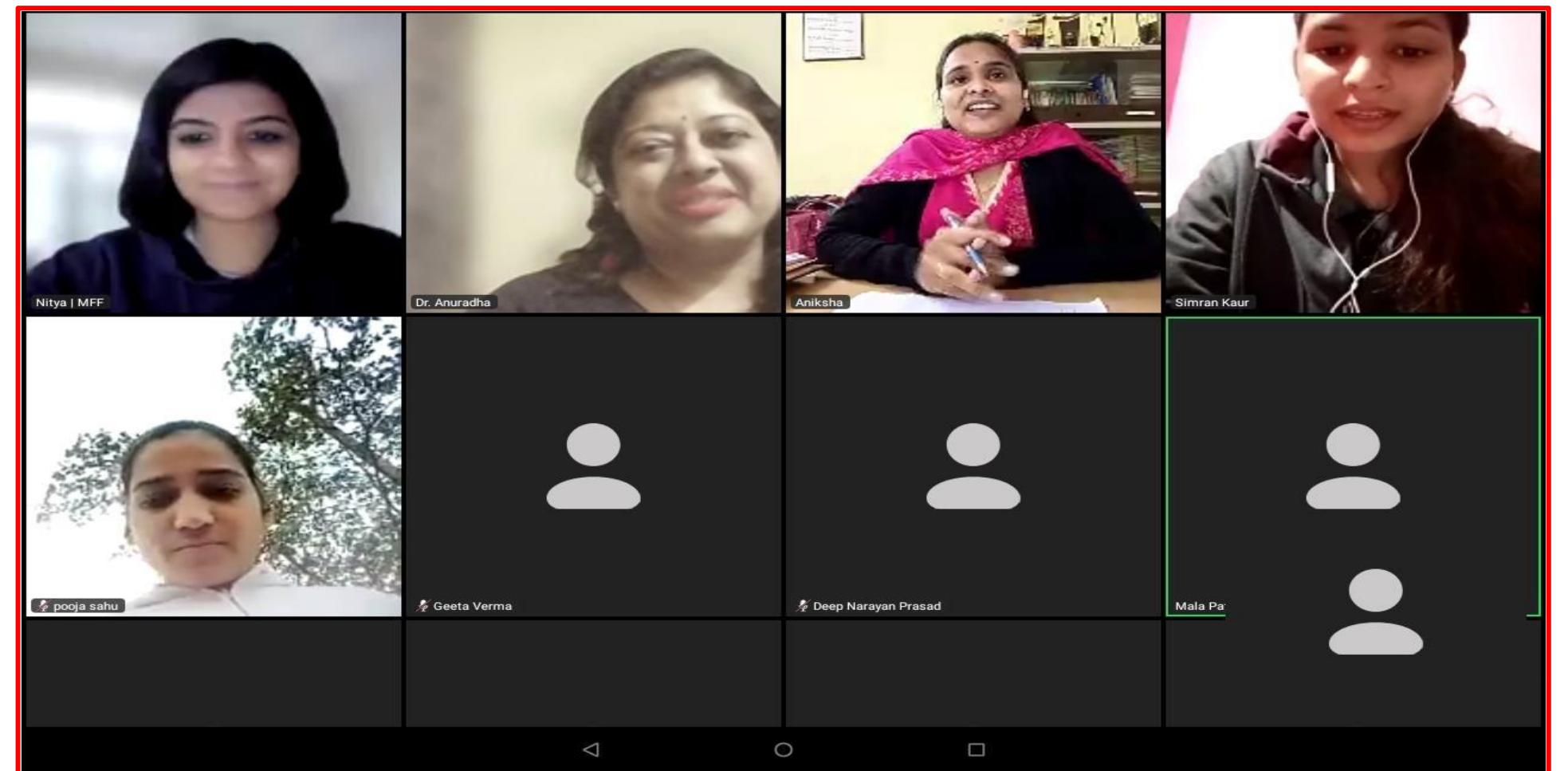
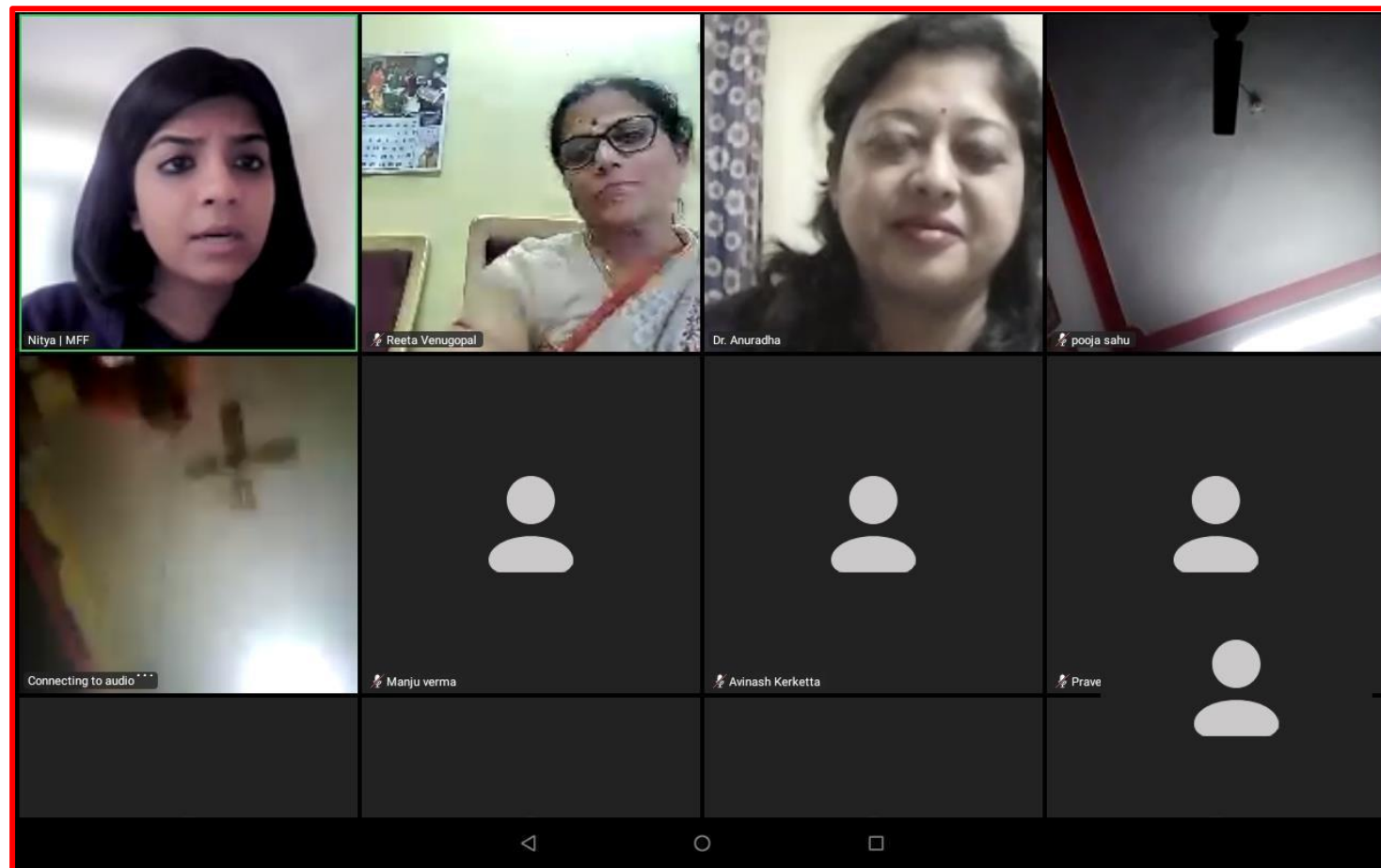
WEBINAR CONDUCTED ON PREPARING THE NEXT GENERATION OF RESEARCHERS: STORY OF SANGWARI HUB” IN COLLABORATION WITH PRIA

23RD JUNE 2020



ONLINE SAFE CAMPUS PROGRAM (MAKE YOUR CAMPUS GENDER JUST, SAFE CONDUCTIVE) IN COLLABORATION WITH MARTHA FARRELL FOUNDATION & PRIA

6TH DECEMBER 2022



One Day Workshop on Stimulating Social Responsibility Through Community

Engagement in Higher Education on 29th April, 2023



Reproductive health awareness and community practices



Ethno medicinal practices and plural medicine in Baiga Tribe





Varied practices for a sustainable economic growth in Baiga PVTG

Exploring the Impact of Family Dynamics on Addiction: A Comprehensive Study of Family-Led Roles



Health audit among the girls of Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University Raipur living in hostels



GARBAGE PICKERS ATTITUDE & PROBLEMS: A CBPR APPROACH

- It is a common sight to see children carrying rags on their backs for picking and collecting reusable plastic bottles, beer bottles, cans, used packing of eatables, cardboards etc in the residential areas and at places near the dumping grounds.
- These children don't go to school in spite the govt providing free education at school level . When we asked them they said they have the issues of social acceptance when they sit in the classrooms because of the professions their families are involved. Hence prefer earning their living through garbage picking and reselling.
- The children involved in garbage picking earn money by selling the collected reusable material.
- Although the scavengers play a crucial role in waste management system but they should not be devoid of formal education rather waste management system has to be made more organized.
- This is how the issue to be addressed was identified.





Activites of CBPR



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ACHIEVEMENTS

- The University is part of global consortium on Knowledge for Change (K4C Consortium). First university in India to start the CBPR course.
- Certificate Course on Community Based Participatory Research (CBPR) has been introduced from the session 2018-19 in collaboration with State Planning Commission.
- University has a UNESCO Chair for CBPR.
- A total of three mentors from the campus, have been trained for CBPR.
- The University is part of global consortium on Knowledge for Change (K4C Consor university in India to start the CBPR course.
- The CBPR practice in the University has found a mention in the Report of UGC on “National Curriculum Framework & Guidelines, 2020 for Fostering Social Responsibility & Community Engagement in Higher Educational Institutions in India” under Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA), a flagship programme of Government of India.
- The Sangwari CBPR Hub has been constitute and it conducts conferences, seminars, trainings, workshops, symposium and awareness programme on CBPR focusing on various sustainable development goals.
- Safety audit of the campus was conducted through CBPR.
- CBPR has also been introduced as an elective subject in Choice Based Credit System (CBCS), M.Phil. and Ph.D. course work.