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## **EDUCATION**

- UG-BSc(Zoology, University of Madras, 1993)
- PG-MA(Social Work-Medical and Psychiatry, University of Madras, 1995)
- Phd-Social Work, University of Madras, 2019)

## **Short Profile of Dr Janice Shiji**

Dr Janice Shiji is an MSW graduate specialised in Medical and Psychiatry with an experience of 16 years of teaching the social work students and 8 years of working in the area of mental health in the hospitals and schools. She had completed her NET eligibility exam in the year 1996 and Ph D in Social Work in the year 2019. She is very passionate in dealing with children specially, children with Learning disability which was her topic for research for her Ph D. She also devotes her time for a charitable trust called Share Foundation which works towards promotion of mental health among school children. She offers counselling to people with psychological problems and is specialised in marital counselling. She conducts workshops for parents and teachers at various schools in Chennai. She also is a trainer on soft skills where she had offered 25 training programmes to the KVB bank employees on customer service excellence at Chennai, Bangalore and Karur.

Dr Janice shiji is very interested in planning and organising events in the department. She thinks creatively and involves the students to do things differently and encourages them to do

everything for the welfare of the community people directly or indirectly. She is a strong advocate in promoting social responsibility, civic sense especially in creating awareness about Solid waste management.

Dr Janice Shiji has started a you tube channel called Directions for Life through which she propagates the word of God , Life skills and very important psychological topics benefitting the students, teachers and parents at large .

CV Link

**Dr Janice Shiji**

**Ph D in Social Work, University of Madras, India**

**MA (Social Work) Specialization in Medical and Psychiatry, Madras Christian College(Autonomous) Affiliated to Madras University, Chennai, India**

**UGC (NET) Examination in June 1996**

**BSc (Zoology), Stella Maris College(Autonomous), Affiliated to Madras University, Chennai, India**

Attended a Faculty Development Programme on Outcome based Field Education in Social Work from 28th September 2021 to 4th October 2021 organised by GAD Teaching Learning centre, University of Delhi in collaboration with Rajagiri college of Social Sciences.

Attended a Refresher course/Faculty Development programme on Interdisciplinary Massive open online course (MOOC) organised by Ramanujam College, New Delhi from May 11-May 25 2021.

**PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN**

- Sensitizing the teachers of select schools in Chennai on the identification of children with Learning disability and drawing up strategies for their Inclusion, supported by United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia ,USA.(2015-16)
- Awareness building on Conflict Resolution among adolescent school students in Chennai-A Peace building Initiative.supported by United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia ,USA.(2014-15)
- Life skills Lessons from the Bible – a component of practical Christianity teaching for Adolescents.supported by United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia ,USA.(2016 -18)

## **PAPERS PUBLISHED:**

- Published paper on “The need for training teachers on Remedial Training-A primary step towards Inclusion”at the National Conference on Teacher Education in India, Organised by Department of Education,University of Madras on 21st and 22nd March 2019 with ISBN number978-93-88680-10-3
- Social Work Intervention model in enhancing creativity among the Social work students  
Organised by International Conference on Youth and Sustainability Challenges Department of Social work , Sacred Heart College, Tirupattur19th and 20th of January 2016Sacred Heart Journal of Science and Humanities ISSN 2277-661.
- Enhancing Creativity for Social work students –A step towards Social transformation and Promotion of Mental Health in schoolsNational study conference on Social Policy and Social Transformation-A Social work Perspective Department of Social Work, Madras Christian College .8th and 9th of October 2015Journal of Management Science with ISSN number 2249-1260
- Promotion of Mental Health in Schools –A Social PolicyNational study conference on . Social Policy and Social Transformation-A Social work Perspective Department of Social Work, Madras Christian College8th and 9th of October 2015The Journal of Management Science with ISSN number 2249-1260
- Changing work Ethics –The Business of Human Trafficking”Emerging Issues in “Global economy , Commerce and Management : Challenges and strategies for International Competitiveness”International Conference organized by the Department of Commerce , Madras Christian College14th and 15th September 2015 . ISBN number 978-93-81899-55-7
- An Analysis of Creativity and Innovation among various businesses and the causes for the decline of the sameNational Conference organized by the Department of Social work, MCC Department of Commerce (SFS) , MCC 14th of SeptemberBook titled"Creativity and Innovation in Business" with ISBN Number 978-93-81006-82-5.
- Member of the Editorial committee for the Book of Proceedings National Conference organized by the Department of Social work , MCCDepartment of Social work , MCCSeptember 25th and 26th 2014 ISBN Number 978-93-81208-38-0.

- “Life Skills Education-An integral Component of Social Work Education” National Conference organized by the Department of Social work, MCC Department of Social work, MCC September 25th and 26th 2014 ISBN Number 978-93-81208-38-0.
- Redefining the Business horizons in providing Holistic Education –A challenge in India International Conference organized by the Department of Commerce (SFS) , MCC Department of Commerce (SFS) , MCC September 10th 2013 the ISBN Number 978-93-81006-82-5.
- The Occupational health of women Gender Matters” edited by Dr Florence John the Associate Coordinator of Gender Studies at MCC Centre for Women studies MCC 14th May 2013.
- The psychological health of women Gender Matters” edited by Dr Florence John the Associate Coordinator of Gender Studies at MCC Centre for Women studies MCC 14th May 2013.
- The Reproductive health of women iGender Matters” edited by Dr Florence John the Associate Coordinator of Gender Studies at MCC Centre for Women studies MCC 14th May 2013.
- Member of the Editorial committee for the Book of Proceedings National Conference organized by the Department of Social work , MCC Department of Social work, MCC January 10th 2013 ISBN Number 978-93-81006-50-4
- A Study to emphasize the need for Life skills Training in Colleges the National Conference organized by the Department of Social work , MCC Department of Social work, MCC January 10th 2013 ISBN Number 978-93-81006-50-4
- Life Skills Development-A dominant Principle of Health Education the National Conference organized by the Department of Social work , MCC Department of Social work, MCC January 10th 2013 ISBN Number 978-93-81006-50-4
- The Efficiency of Social Group Work in imparting Psycho-social competence among adolescents through Life Skills training 4th International Conference on Life Skills Education RGNIYD in collaboration with Department of Applied Psychology at University of Mumbai 13th December ISBN Number 978-93-82062-80-6
- A study to emphasize the need for Life Skills training in Colleges National Conference organized by the Department of Social work , MCC Department of Social work , MCC January 10th 2013 ISBN Number 978-93-81006-50-4

- Life skill based Health Education in Higher secondary schools Second International Conference organized by RGNIYD RGNIYD8th to 10th December 2010, Book of abstracts of RGNIYD: ISBN 978-93-80697-34-5
- Women in Tourism National Conference organized by the Department of Geogaphy , Travel and Tourism , MCC Department of Geogaphy , Travel and Tourism , MCC 23rd and 24th of February 2012 ISBN: 978-93-81006-12-2 RESEARCH INTERESTS
- Mental Health, Life Skills, Counselling, Social work and Health care, Social Responsibility and Good Governance , Learning Disability, Social work with differently abled, Youth development and Event management.

### **COURSES TAUGHT ( UG and PG)**

Human Behaviour, Economic and Political System, Social Responsibility and Good governance, Social work with differently abled, Essentials of Psychology, Social welfare administration, Social work Resaerch and Value Education.

### **RESOURCE PERSON**

1. Confluence 2.0v, 2021 - International Student Faculty Exchange Programme. St. Aloysius' College Jabalpur (M.P.) ,India.
2. Addressed as Chief Guest on Emaphetic Listening organised by Saveetha School of Law on 11th October 2021 .
3. Panelist for the Interview for IAS Aspirants at Officers IAS Academy on 16th of Feb 2019.
4. Addressed on Stress Mgt and Academic performance organised by MCC Community college on 13th of Feb 2019
5. Chief Guest for the Annual day function for the VI and VII students and parents at SSM School, Chromepet on 17th of November 2018
6. Workshop on Customer Service Excellence to the The Asst managers and Clerks of KVB Bank branches( 25 progs conducted till June 2019) at Chennai,Bangalore, Karur , Hyderabad
7. Women and Education to the The participants of the National Seminar and the aspirants at Poonamalle Seminary on 9th of December 2017
8. Career guidance talk to the VII nad VIII std students at St. Johns International School on 8th of December 2017

9. Chief Guest for the Annual day function for the Montessori students and parents at SSM School, Perungalathur on 9th of September 2017
10. Workshop on Effective Communication to the The first year Seminary students at Bishops House, Chengleput on 17th and 24th of June 2017
11. Parental role in dealing with XII std students for the Parents of Class XII students 90 at Alpha Matriculation School Sembakkam on 2nd September 2016
12. Workshop to teachers on Emotional Intelligence Dr Jacob Hi tech CBSE school on 27th August 2016
13. Sensitization programme on B0y-Girl relationship for VIII Std school students MCC Campus school on 29th March 2016
14. Talk on Child Psychology to the Primary school teachers of PSBB Millenium school on 16th September 2015
15. Stress and Mental Health to the The workers of the Organisation at Empee Breweries Thirumazhisai on 20th February 2015

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS HELD**

1. Co-ordinator of SWAWSA Nov 12th 2016
2. Executive Member Indian association on Life Skills Education-Tamilnadu Chapter 21st August 2016
3. Project Advisory Committee member MCC Oxfam School, TambaramJun-10
4. Committee member SWAWSA June 2013 Onwards
5. Consultant Counsellor Rosily Matriculation School , ChitlappakkamJune 2012 Onwards
6. Member Anti Ragging Committee MCC 2009-2011
7. Member Centre for Women studies MCC from 2012-2014
8. Member Rehabilitation Council of India New Delhi 2006-2013
9. Director for the Davidson college Exchange programme 2011

#### **AWARDS**

1. Best Teacher award awarded by ChromePET Malayali Association for Teachers day on 5 /9/ 2021
2. Best Service award given by Cresentia Educational Trust for Women's day 2021