

World Social Work Day

Marketing Department of The ICFAI University Meghalaya, Tura Campus in Collaboration with the Department of Social Work observed “World Social Work Day” on 31st March, 2023 under the theme, “Respecting Diversity through Joint Social Action”. Students and Teachers from various colleges of Tura participated in the programme.

Ms. Kathy Biginchi Ch Momin hosted the event. Dr.Lindsay Murray M Sangma started by reading out the key concept note on “World Social Work Day”.

Madam VS B Sangma, the Advisor spoke on the importance of Social Work in the Society. She addressed the needs of Professional Social Worker to intervene on social issues scientifically based on social workers and emphasized on joint social action to curb the social differences in the society.

District Social Welfare Officer, West Garo Hills, Madam Hemaritha Ch.Sangma, who attended the programme as guest and speaker, spoke on the topic the “Diverse social work practice in Garo Hills” where she mentioned about different government sectors and private sectors functioning in Garo Hills, which are available for different vulnerable groups, highlighting the importance of Social Work practice in our society, its schemes and allowances available from government and private sectors, and also projecting in social work principles, roles, skills, methods, ethics while dealing with people and while working with them.

Another key speaker Madam Gamchi Timre R Marak, Principal of Educere Higher Secondary School, Williamnagar spoke on the topic “Gender Equality”, highlighting on how to perceive certain things without having any discriminatory perspective towards others. She emphasized on respecting diversity and eliminating stigmatization on gender differences, race, caste, tribe and colors. She talks about the importance and dignity of social services no matter what kind of job one is doing.

Ms.Elleana Marak ended with a vote of thanks.

Different activities like Flash mob, display of charts/poster presentation and fund raising activities were also organized by MSW Students, which benefited the whole crowd in the university.

Media Coverage Links:

<https://hubnetwork.in/icfai-universitys-tura-campus-observes-world-social-work-day/?fbclid=IwAR2eN2XmIQE->

[QsYxHcE309CXmNNpg2Oa596L9zPEmmqljJorgE9yoeLGfvc](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TcbwWmmTM2Y)

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