



Networking

IYD has been an active participant of network of voluntary organizations at the local, state and national levels:

- Federation of Voluntary Organizations for Urban and Rural Development-Karnataka (FEVOURD-K), IYD is One of the Founder Member
- KAS Joint Staff Development Program (JSDP), Konrad Adenauer Stiftung, Germany
- Karnataka/Andhra Pradesh Regional Council for the Indian Rural Energy Network (IRENet), a national association of NGOs promoting renewable energy technologies, and representing this network in its national
- Panchayat Raj Networks in Karnataka & Tamil Nadu
- Karnataka NGOs Network (KARNET)
- GRAMNET, a Confederation of Tamil Nadu NGOs working in rural development.

Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung (KAS) is an international agency working for the upliftment of deserving sections of the population almost all over India through its partner organizations. IYD has been associated with KAS-JSDP since1979

COLLABARATIVE ACTIONS WITH UNIVERSITIES AND INSTITUIONS:

Bangalore University; Tumkur University; Karnataka Rural Development and Panchyatraj University,;Ranichennema University. KAS, YHA ,FAVOURD-K;BIRDS-K

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INSTITUTE FOR YOUTH AND DEVELOPMENT

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Action Transformation and Development

Institute for Youth and Development (IYD) a secular development organization founded in 1978, in order to promote equity, social justice and sustainable development in rural India.

IYD works towards enabling sustainable development through enhancing the knowledge, capacity and skills of the urban and rural poor. IYD believes in the potential of the youth to act as catalysts for change to promote equality, education and opportunity for all.

Vision

Empowering communities with leadership qualities, appropriate skills and social values for achieving sustainable social Development

Empowering youth through positive awareness, life skill education secular social values, employable skills and human values

Mission

Developing and designing sustainable projects and Programs for rural and urban poor, with participation and engagement for their social economic and political development

Capacity, knowledge, skill and value building of rural and urban youth through active engagement and participation



Genesis

Vishwa Yuvak Kendra, Delhi, a pioneering organization in the area of youth development opened its regional center at Bangalore in 1972, to support Department of Youth Services, Government of Karnataka in developing youth programs.

In 1978 IYD became an independent organization to focus on youth, women and the marginalized poor.

Founder Trustees

- Sri P.T Kuriakose, Former Director of Vishwa Yuvak Kendra, Sri S.R. Prabhu, Retd. General Manger, Canara Bank. Rev. Fr. P. Ceyrac, AICUF, and
- Sri T. Pandirajan, Founder Director and Managing Trustee

Objectives

- To equip youth, women and marginalized poor with skills that enable them to function as catalysts in the process of change
- To promote co-ordination among youth and social development organizations in India for sustainable development
- To empower socially and economically weaker sections of their rights and entitlements
- To encourage the spirit of voluntary work by revitalizing local youth and community groups
- Strategic solidarity by forming a common forums of voluntary agencies and community groups concerned with growth and development
- To seek affiliation to national and international organizations for the welfare of youth, at both the national and international levels
- To further Community development, by undertaking social and sustainable livelihood programs in collaboration with development organizations, banks government departments and international agencies
- To initiate and build need-based sustainable rural development projects in Environment, Health, Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, Sericulture, Income Generation etc.

Every year 25-30 MSW/BSW students are absorbed as interns in IYD and they are exposed to the areas of their choice - this provides a valuable experience for future involvement in social development. Students from Tata Institute for Social Sciences, Bangalore University, Bangalore North University, Kolar, Gulbarga University, Christ University, Jyothi Nivas Collage work as interns in IYD.

PROJECTS AND PROGRAMS IMPLEMENTED

YOUTH WORK

- IYD as trained more then 100,000 youth with various development modules
- Established youth clubes and held youth camps for rural development activites
- Trained youth emerged as Panchyat leaders & MLAs

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

- leadership and personality development
- Gender and development
- Participatory Rural Appraisal
- Community and youth mobilization strategies

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

- Planning and management of sustainable development programs
- Thrift and credit management by rural SHGs
- Enterprise-Rajivgandhi Chaitanya yojane and entrepreneurship development programs
- Vocational skill development courses for women and youth

ECOLOGY AND ENVIRONMENT

- Sericulture and silk production
- Dairy farming
- Biomass energy and tree-based farming
- Sustainable Agriculture Program watershed development; dry-land horticulture; farm forestry etc.
- Participatory Tank Rehabilitation Projects
- Sericulture Development Program
- Promotion of Renewable Energy Sources biogas, biomass and solar energy, etc.
- Transition to more water-efficient crops and agricultural methods

HEALTH AND WELLBEING

- Hiv-Aids
- Community Health

URBAN DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

- Swatch bharat activities in two districts
- Skill development activities
- Linkages with micro Finance and SHG groups
- Public distribution monitoring activities

GOVERNANCE

- Joint Staff Development Programs
- Rule of Law and Indian Legal System
- Panchayat Raj and Leadership
- Consumer rights and Human Rights
- Indo EU Relationship conference.



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