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Course Faculty & Resources



Sonal Zaveri

An Independent consultant with over 26 years of cross-cultural experience in strategic planning, evaluation and capacity building, Sonal has worked in over twenty countries - in East & West Africa, Asia-Pacific, South, South-east and Central Asia, Middle East and Eastern Europe. She uses diverse evaluation approaches - feminist, utilization-focused, developmental, outcome mapping and various participatory methods - which promote learning and use. Sonal is the Founder & Regional Coordinator, Gender and Equity Network South Asia (GENSA) and Co-chair EvalGender+. She was part of the core faculty team of the FGTE course for all previous iterations.

With over 26 years of experience in the field of evaluation, Renu Khanna is the founder trustee of Society for Health Alternatives (SAHAJ) and has mentored community health and women's organizations. An Erasmus Mundus scholar, she has taught at KIT Amsterdam and QMU Edinburgh. She is on the governance structures of Jan Swasthya Abhiyan, CommonHealth, Health Equity Network India (HENI), and is a Commissioner on the Lancet Commission for Gender and Global Health 2020-23. She was part of the core faculty team of the FGTE course for all previous iterations.



Renu Khanna



Ranjani Murthy

Ranjani has several years of experience in evaluation, mainstreaming, research and training on gender and development; with a focus on issues of agriculture, poverty reduction, climate action, health and SDGs. She works with NGOs, national governments and UN organisations. Ranjani combines field-level evaluations with national and international evaluations spanning several low and lower-middle income countries. She has also carried out meta-evaluations from a gender and human rights lens. She also has experience in managing field level programmes and leading a national organisation working on gender and development. She is on the editorial board of the international journal Gender and Development and was part of the core faculty team for previous iterations of the FGTE course.

Rajib Nandi is the Vice president at Sambodhi Research and Communications Private Limited, New Delhi with 25 years of experience in gender transformative research and evaluation. He has an M.Phil in Applied Economics, a doctoral degree in Sociology and a post-graduate certificate in Development Evaluation (IPDET). He has co-edited two books - Voices and Values: the Politics of Feminist Evaluation (2018), and Recognizing the Connectedness: The Practice of Feminist Evaluation (2021). Rajib is the co-founder and co-leader of the Evaluation Community of India and also a member of the Governing Board, Community of Evaluators-South Asia. Recently, he joined the council of the International Evaluation Academy as coordinator of the evaluation training working group.



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Rituu B Nanda

Rituu has 12 years of work experience primarily in community engagement, monitoring and evaluation, knowledge management and programme management. She also works with an international NGO, Constellation on community development. She is also doing a large Systematic Participatory Action Research project on bonded labour and child labour for Institute of Development Studies, Brighton. Rituu is a core group member of the Evaluation Community of India (ECOI). Using strength-based and participatory practices and approaches in evaluation are her passion.

Alok Srivastava, founder and core group member of ECOI is an M&E expert with more than two and a half decades of experience. He holds double Masters, in Gender & Development Studies; and in Rural Development & Management. He is also an alumnus of the International Programme for Development Evaluation (IPDET). Alok is Director at Centre for Media Studies (CMS) and board member of different Institutional Review Boards on ethics and initiatives taken for Professionalization of Evaluation. Alok is a Resource Person on developing M&E Framework and has developed Poverty Index Tool, Media Credibility Assessment, Ethics Sensitivity Test, among others.



Alok Srivastava

Course Coordinator



Sheena Kapoor

Sheena Kapoor has over 10 years of work experience in the domain of monitoring and evaluation. Her key areas of expertise include qualitative and quantitative research along with program management, field level implementation, community mobilization and development, and training & capacity building of staff and cadre. She has been involved in preparing data collection tools, data management, data cleaning, validation, analysis and report writing. Being an M&E professional, she has the experience of working across sectors including livelihoods, health, WASH, women empowerment etc. She has worked with donors, civil society organizations and CSRs across sectors. She has also developed innovative designs for social development, health & sanitation, agriculture for various projects. In 2020, she had also been awarded the youngest researcher award in the world by the International AIDS conference on COVID-19. Academically, she has earned a post-graduate degree in Rural Management from XIMB. She also has experience of undertaking international assignments in Cambodia and Kenya.