

# ANNUAL REPORT 2014-15



# SAFP

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## Annual Report 2014-15



SAFP activities from April 2014 to August 2014 were largely focused on the need for a SAFP review which was then held in the latter part of the year. The year 2015 thus began with a series of introspection on completion of a decade of SAFP's evolution as an organization. This introspection ranged from looking into its thematic work and weighing the relevance of that work to the existing SAFP partnerships. The SAFP philosophy of creating partnerships to better achieve its objective of a more just society was rationalized to understand SAFP's core work assessment. The SAFP work during the year focused on activities that helped in synthesis of SAFP learning to strengthen its work around wellness through building better neighborhood relationships at local area level and with other NGOs with an added intent to link work on mental health and resource gaps as its internal experience.

The research work on food security in rainfed areas of India and Dalit women and resources was concluded this year. The research findings were shared with stakeholders i.e. Food and Water Security Coalition of India (FWSCI) and with Dalit groups. New areas of research were taken on. SAFP was hired by Best Practices Foundation (BPF) to provide strategic advice on gender issues in city sanitation plan. It worked with Consult for Women and Land Rights (CWLR) members to refine its learnings over the years to provide inputs to Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation (MoHUPA) on women and property issues.

The work with neighborhoods strengthened this year to establish the Clubhouse model of intervention. With nearly 12 meetings through the year on environment, care for elderly, worker and women development, SAFP consolidated a care team to develop a neighborhood group for those who had a brush with mental health issues themselves or within the family.

The Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA) invited SAFP twice to train town planners and elected representatives on gender issues. The leaders were convinced of SAFP's methodology of gender mainstreaming and have agreed to research on gender gaps in their own constituencies.

Thus, the year 2014-15 has seen new beginnings and consolidated collaborations with SAFP invitations from key stakeholders to provide resource inputs for advocacy as well as programmatic support.





# Partnering on Work with Vulnerable Communities



### Work with Unorganized Sector Workers

SAFP as the core team member of the National Alliance for Labor Rights organized the waste workers, participated in developing legislation for domestic workers, advised construction workers and supported migrant workers to strengthen their alliances in Delhi. On 1st May, 2014, SAFP organized a meeting at the Vivekananda Hall of the ND Tiwari Bhawan to celebrate Labor Day. It also organized a national level convention of workers to respond to the amendment proposed by Ministry of Labor on change of existing legislation on four Labor Acts and followed up on the advocacy efforts through a meeting organized at Gandhi Peace foundation on 6 September 2014.

### Work with Waste Workers

Fund for Global Human Rights and International Partners in Mission supported SAFP to work with waste workers in Delhi. Through SAFP facilitation, these workers participated in forums, consultations and awareness rallies in Delhi, Kanpur, Benares and at national level. At the neighborhood level, SAFP staff members, Shashi Bhushan and Brijesh Gopal helped SAFPs campaign in making compost beds in local areas by converting household waste into manure. This helps the waste workers to source clean household non biodegradable waste in a manner that it can be recycled better. The government of India had invited comments on waste workers engagement with private sector service providers to organise municipal waste. SAFP participated in consultations to organise the issues that waste workers needed advocacy for.

### Work with Migrant Workers



Council for Migrant Workers Rights (Pravasi Mazdoor Adhikar Parishad) was strengthened in NCR by members of the National Alliance of Labor Rights (NALR) of which SAFP is a founding member. The members of this council participated in different activities organized by NALR and its related network members. National Alliance for Labour Rights (NALR) and SAFP have been in partnership since 2012. Towards supporting NALR, Mr Nyogi was requested to take on work of consolidating the Council for Migrant Workers Rights. Three meetings were held in Delhi with domestic workers to develop an agenda for the workers and also in Sonapat in Haryana.



## Work with Education of the Vulnerable

SAFP staff members work with Eduseva continued this year to provide voluntary counseling support to students who have graduated from Pratibha schools of Delhi. Additionally, SAFP also exposed families in Mayur Vihar neighborhood to guide youth and associate its work to co-create new partnerships. SAFP added value to this work by fusing its agenda with Eduseva to make Delhi safer for women.

A Basti level school at Bhuapura in East Delhi was supported through the year with help of the funding partner IPM wherein a teacher could be paid a monthly stipend for taking tuitions of children of rag pickers. Mr Shashi Bhushan Pandit supervised the teacher as part of his work with the Waste Workers Project.

## Work with Youth Groups

SAFP and Bhagta Bharat (BB) have worked as partners in the year 2014-2015 to promote SCAN project to empower women and youth empowerment sports, health, IGP and environment project plans. This partnership is conceptualized jointly after the BB youth leader approached SAFP to develop its mentorship programme based on a signed MOU between the two organisations that included fund raising. Quant Capital supported SAFP this year besides individual donations provided by Mayur Vihar and other neighborhoods hosting events to promote causes that help young people to work with elders. Encouraged by this, the two partners decided to work on events organized by each other and reach out to elders and youth in specific communities such that each community is adopted by local mentors. Local mentors provided direction to youth through campaign, trainings and sports event. They also help to drive simple messages at each event which include keeping our locality clean, staying in school to reach potential and caring for the environment. Capability of youth leaders is constantly improved by providing them with life skills that help them to become leaders within their communities and create the inclusive change. Bhagta Bharat benefits communities and local residents by changing attitude of people towards the discipline of getting into running. It has reached to a 1000 children across more than 10 communities over the last 2 years. SAFP trained 50 youth leaders from within their communities to lead the change. This has created a fertile ground for the communities to come together and help each other.

The premise of the partnership was to work on reducing stress in families, to impact violence in neighborhoods. Equal access to resources for all is a framework that got together BB youth with other youth groups across Delhi to talk about developing skills for group neighborhood enterprise. Youth and women have less access to social networks. SAFP organized a training event on December 17 to set goals to gain spaces for sports and enterprise. 5 partners have begun to work together to transform community lives by seeking support from stakeholders to succeed and celebrate wins in a way collective identity of India transforms as a secure and happier nation.

HeforShe campaign with college youth: SAFP trained faculty of a nursing college in Jagadhari, to undertake HeforShe campaign call of UN women. Students of the college were motivated to organize a poster and slogan competition and take the message from the campaign to the neighborhood.



## Work with Mental Health



**Work with those who have struggled with issues around mental health:** At SAFP we work to find ways to cope with mental health issues in community and neighborhood settings. We create support services for concerned individuals and their families and generate discourse on the concept of rehabilitation in mental illness. In the past year, SAFP launched the Clubhouse pilot project in Mayur Vihar, Delhi, to introduce a neighbourhood self help support group for those with some history of mental un-wellness. The SAFP team was trained by experts on community mental health work. The Clubhouse group meets in each others homes in rotation. Group members reach out to other individuals and families with mental wellness concerns. All members have their individual strengths and potentials which are tapped to make them support each other. Activities such as singing, drama, yoga and dance ring in synergy within the group. The members along with their families become instrumental in evolving the mental health work for the community.

Clubhouses are built upon the belief that every member has the potential to sufficiently recover from the effects of mental illness to lead a personally satisfying life as an integrated member of society. SAFP has a database of counselors and medical professionals on call for referrals incase a need arises. Staff members provide community support for members, to ensure that they receive the benefits and services they need, from both SAFP and from other sources. Through this initiative SAFP has been able to make a difference in the lives of 50 people in a neighborhood. For example a bipolar patient who would not socialize with others has now begun to lead activities in the clubhouse and a schizophrenic patient now has friends in the locality where most people were wary of him. Based on this pilot experience SAFP will upscale this activity to other neighborhoods in the coming year.

Our aim is to create opportunities to try new ways to redefine care and rehabilitation strategies and initiatives. This will be done through a pilot programme comprising of a center with outreach services in close partnership with those affected and other primary stakeholders (medical fraternity that includes psychiatrists, general physician, nutritionist, alternative health therapists, sports physicians and tie ups with local services where the family lives; social development and rehabilitation professionals; prospective employers, HR networks and mentors). This center is planned in a place called Thelessary in Kerela, This centre will evolve into a resource and referral center in time. The SAFP team in Kerela will innovate and create opportunities to build on the strengths of the individual/family. It will focus on developing education programs for the patients and their family members on illness management (including diagnosis); increase the functional capacity as much as possible of those concerned to reclaim their lives and support them to develop methods towards integration into healthy and productive living. For the patient and the related family the pilot centre will encourage the formation of an informed, proactive self-help group. Later - this group will support and initiate other community based family groups in different parts of the city. These will promote the role of the patients and the families as partners in care and rehabilitation by promoting family education on the illness and its dynamics, its day-to-day and long-term management and related coping strategies for support and care leading to better quality of life.

#### Land rights for Women

SAFP continued its work on Land Rights for Women through the year by engaging with other groups who called upon SAFP for its thematic leadership. Towards this end it rebuilt alliance with Urbanscape and Joint women's program to strengthen Ajaala's concept with learning from its work. SAFP Advocacy on women and resource right within the context of smart cities reached the Prime Minister and Delhi Chief Minister's office within the first month of their taking up office. However, with no response, SAFP deepened its research work to continue working with official as well as civil society groups at all levels to work on action to address gender gap in resources.

SAFP researched extensively to develop the conceptual and practical base of its project called Safe Care Aware neighborhoods (SCAN). The action related with this research was through its project SCAN and has helped BB build skills through organized input from SAFP networks and partnerships. This was inclusion effort, where they can see the fruits of their contribution and mentorship first hand. This effort is helping close the gap between people who want to help and children who need help.

The experience of women land rights work in India and SAFP's perspective that land is not just for an individual to stay and harvest was shared through this year at different training and advocacy events. This was backed by evidence building and research by SAFP and CWLR members. For example NACDOR had organised a three day capacity building on land rights of Dalit for their cadre in 5 states where women were expressing more than men as participants who developed their demands and slogans to promote Dalit peoples land rights.

The discussion focused around claiming village land for dalit landless families. This discourse was enriched by different resource persons who have been working on the issue on the ground. The grassroots activists welcomed the research input shared with them as well as experience of land rights movements that have gone by.

SAFP resource person shared that "Demand for individual rights must include plans to serve commons through collective enterprise that promote greens and services to reduce drudgery of work at home and at work. We all need community spaces to meet and nurture each other to fulfill our dreams for a better neighborhood, ward and district." One Dalit woman leader understood the input and said "My land right is our land right too which has space for all to grow and bloom."





## Services Available for Mental Health in India

SAFP held more than ten meetings through the year to develop its strategy on mental health work. Research based on case study documentation was done by the SAFP team members to understand patterns of exclusion and alienation. SAFP work on mental health looks at the link between physical and mental wellbeing. SAFP needs to look into the untouched area of making a module on helping people with mental disability to move on in life. It is about dealing with fear and insecurity to be able to live independently. The module impacts the people who are helping the patient to rehabilitate themselves as well as the patients themselves. SAFP's vision is to create knowledge and action that helps people reach their independent living and productive environment to foster healthy living. For this, SAFP researched on the kind of rehabilitation that is available in India beyond day care institutions. The research has begun on looking at the work mental health sector is doing on rehabilitation. The legal framework and gaps need to be studied to know about the laws that govern care for mental health patients and their families. Concepts in UN Disability Act to explore what it means in practice therefore became an area of work for SAFP. SAFP staff members attended meetings to understand the level of discourse in India. From the participation in meetings we understand that mental health work is a long-term activity that needs to be built slowly for which a group of people need to build capacities to deliver the training on basic modules on mental health.

## Dalit Women and Resource Study

The Dalit women's research study results were shared with dalit groups was sponsored by Ministry of Women and Child in 2012 that was coordinated by SAFP and its partners in 5 states, i.e. in Tamil Nadu the study was conducted by Womens Struggle Committee, in Punjab by CWLR members, in Rajasthan by NACDOR, in Bihar by Drishti-The insight and in Uttar Pradesh by RDMA. The study reaffirmed the need to have sex, age and caste disaggregated data for availing government schemes and this was advocated by groups other than SAFP many times after the study was uploaded on the web. SAFP worked upon different small writes to communicate the research findings. It was found that government offices have no records to find out the fact that the dalit women have access to resources just like the non dalit women. Dalit women face a 70 % gap in comparison to non dalit women in accessing government schemes. Non Dalit women in similar economic strata own 19.6 % more land, 66.6% more shops and production spaces and 60.66% more livestock. This is a clear indication that SCP has not served to bring Dalit people at par with others. Only 25% dalit women knew of government schemes. The need to organize special awareness programmes on government schemes for Dalit women and promote their collectives and organizations to empower them and facilitate reduction in resource gap was felt by both Dalit and non Dalit women.

Considering the resource gaps found out by the study have not been talked about before, this study is one of the pioneers on the basis of which SAFP recommended that the success and failure of every government programme should be measured by their reach and impact on Dalit women. SAFP has been able to suggest very specific actionable tasks within governance and administrative system to address the Dalit women's resource gap. For example, the monthly action taken report of the District Collector should be utilized to monitor the reduction of resource gaps for Dalit women by tracking

implementation of all schemes including SCP and Women component of budgets. The study recommends that land grants for Dalit women in groups needs to be accompanied by infrastructure and training support to begin group enterprises as land and agriculture alone cannot give Dalit women the reason to shift out of traditional degrading occupations.

## Food and Security

Research on food and water security in rain fed areas of India, conducted by SAFP with TAAL and Seva Mandir as part of support for the FWSCI (Food and Water Security Coalition India) was concluded this year. The report results were shared with the FWSCI members and is under a peer review process. The coalition members ever since have applied the research findings and proposed solutions to the ministry on making rain fed home grown vegetables production increase. Mr Gopal of CEC and Tata Institute was honored with an award for his contribution to rain fed agriculture.

## Sexual Harassment Act

The Sexual Harassment Act required that every organisation constitute an 'Internal Complaints Committee' (ICC) as per the Sexual Harassment Prevention Act on an urgent basis. SAFP was invited to 5 organizations who did not have an ICC to handle instances of sexual harassment. These were Jyoti Sagar Associates, K& S legal, Ministry of Food, Society for applied studies and Aam Admi Party. As per the Sexual Harassment Prevention Act, any organization employing 10 or more persons is required to constitute an ICC for handling complaints pertaining to sexual harassment of women working in the organization (irrespective of whether the women are full-time or part-time employees, contract workers, probationers, apprentices or trainees, or women who are working on a voluntary basis). For the guidance of the members of the ICC and senior staff of these organisations, SAFP prepared training material through extensive research to conduct orientation sessions through the year.

## Delhi University and Faculty

SAFP was invited to be a research advisor for two projects supported by Delhi University, innovation programme. The research projects were awarded to Bharti College of Women for research on domestic violence and migration and to Guru Gobind Singh College to research on youth empowerment. SAFP trained research teams in both the colleges, which involved regular visits to the two colleges. These visits also helped link more students with SAFP youth activities to take forward SAFP philosophy. In addition to linking SAFP developed its knowledge base on women and migration issues to suggest action agenda for state governments.

### UNDERSTANDING VAW AND MIGRATION

#### Migration and VAW

- Women Migrate by choice to increase their capabilities
- Evidence of positive experience of resilience
- Highlighting Violence Against Women in context of migration has begun
- Clarifying gender resource gap gaps and in other services

#### Action needed

- o Women paid less and are sexually exploited ,action needed and agreeing to training and networking needs.
- o Make plans to lessen VAW by empowering women at the source, transit and destinations.
- o Understanding the related human rights gaps and advocating, voicing violation
- o Agree on the migration and development agenda.



# Awareness, Trainings and Policy Impact

### Programmes: Local Level

**SCAN PROGRAMME:** The awareness generation activities including, though not limited to, talks, facilitated discussions, film screenings, media releases and school sessions. These events were organized in collaboration with the existing culture of neighbourhood group activities such as linking morning yoga/walkers/laughter clubs and wellness and fitness groups, spiritual group with resident welfare association activities in Mayur Vihar locality.

This experience has helped SAFF to design capacity building sessions to showcase the different available resources and support for carers, professionals providing support services programs to ask for policies that promote common community places and services managed by women residents. These activities will also provide carers and family members with the skills and tools to create a better balance between their responsibilities as careers and their personal well being to prevent or reduce the career burnout. SAFF technical experts, volunteers and staff will build on a number of awareness resources already exist for careers, families and community groups nationally in different languages and internationally.

It is anticipated that the ongoing discussion on caring based on interactions between different sections of society will strengthen neighbourhood networks to advocate on behalf of vulnerable and their careers to build disability friendly spaces and provide person centered services. A result of this raised awareness on caring behaviour is expected to increase an understanding of how safe neighbourhoods increase dignity for all, including women and girls.

### Awareness on Care Giving to Elderly

Care giving to the elderly, particularly those living alone and those who need assistance in daily living is on the rise. Families are getting smaller. At times members' are dispersed and working from a distance. In such situations care of the elderly, the disabled, those ill especially people who need assistance in daily living are challenging needs. Functions of care and nurturing are challenging these days. Care giving normally taken for granted is increasingly requiring a structured approach. Families need new skills and new knowledge. SAFF offered training in care giving especially for elders who need assistance. The training meant for the family and the domestic worker who is taking on the care role of the elderly to manage general, non-emergency medical situations was discussed in three housing societies of Mayur Vihar. Towards this end the managing committees of Resident Welfare Associations were approached to share information on senior citizens. Through a neighborhood voluntary group a number of home visits were made. Doctors were invited at RWA meeting rooms to make residents aware of health related issues. SAFF made regular visits to old age home called Bhagwatdham where it organized a number of event including tree plantation, awareness on dementia and depression etc.



## **Awareness Campaign on Women & Safety**

SAFP wrote two advocacy papers on women and safety and prepared input for election manifestos of all political parties on how dealing with safety of women and men is related with security of tenure of housing and related livelihood options for which spatial and sectoral planning needs to be done with a gendered perspective. After the elections in Delhi a proposal was drafted for Delhi government and it was personally submitted to the Public Works Department Minister. However the Delhi assembly was dissolved soon after for the government to set itself up again. The government after getting reelected, set up CCTV throughout Delhi buses and bus stops.

## **Meeting at Arya Samaj**

A meeting at Arya Samaj womens wing gathering was held on 14<sup>th</sup> Sept 2014. Working with faith groups is an option for SAFP. The discussion at the Arya samaj temple was an attempt to understand how this task should be undertaken. The women members of Arya samaj heard out the presentation by SAFP but made little effort to engage in the discussion as the male leaders who were present were not too open to discussion on the transforming gender roles and altering resource base that at present is under control of males more than females.

## **Programmes: State Level**

### **NACDOR Training Workshop**

NACDOR training workshop on Land Rights was scheduled from 26-28 August, 2014 at Nav Sadhana Kendra, Varanasi. SAFP was invited to conduct sessions on women's land rights and developing an action plan. The participants were from 5 states - UP, Bihar, Jharkhand, Odisha and Uttarakhand. They were social activists and NGO personnel. Only half of them had some experience on land rights, therefore a lot needed to be

### **IIPA Training Workshop**

Thrice this year, Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA) invited SAFP to train town planners and councilors on gender and planning. SAFP. thus was able to advocate for its short terms goal of introducing district level functionaries to develop gender plans within their development plans. The town planners and elected representatives that were trained were from Delhi, Pondicherry, Himachal Pradesh, Hyderabad, Itanagar, Chennai and Trichi. Based on the input provided by SAFP a research project has been initiated by IIPA for collating gender gaps data in

## Inputs to CEPT University

**Input to CEPT University, Ahmedabad, Feb 2015:** This nationally renowned university for design has been in conversation with SAFP through the year to impact its strategy for gender parity mission. CEPT University is committed to creating an educational environment that supports and nurtures all individuals equally. It strives to identify various dimensions of gender disparity and work towards ameliorating them. SAFP worked with the gender parity mission to provide strategic advice aimed at establishing a secure environment of study/workplace where all members can participate in the working of the institution with dignity, without fear of prejudice, gender bias or sexual harassment and any form of intimidation or exploitation. Towards this, SAFP was requested to conduct two workshops with the university staff members and provide input to the university curriculum on an elective paper on gender and the city. Based on SAFP advice, a policy on sexual harassment



## Space, Spatiality and Performance

**Space, Spatiality and performance conference, 7-8 February, Thissur, Kerala:** SAFP presented a paper titled “Designing space and politics of gendered experience” at a conference in Kerala. The audience and participants at the workshops were artists and communicators who may have perhaps not heard much about gender and space work. Three SAFP associates worked on the paper across three national boundaries. Ms Deepika Nair presented the paper on behalf of the SAFP team at Thissur.

## Programmes: National Level

### Learning Event on Land Rights

**Learning Event on Land Rights, 20-21 August 2014, New Delhi:** Centre for Social Justice (CSJ, Ahmedabad) invited SAFP to a Learning Event on Land Rights. SAFP shared its experience on ensuring land rights for different vulnerable sections of society at this event that focused on strategies used by people in their struggle to ensure land rights. At this event different resource people deliberated to identify challenges faced by various social movements in the process of ensuring that *Dalits*, Tribals, Women and Minorities are able to access their land rights. It will draw upon lessons from practical experience of what works and what does not in terms of strategies and practices.

### Consultaion on Child Rights

SAFP is an active member of the India Alliance for Child Rights. In this role it participates in meetings related to fulfillment of India's commitment on child rights under the Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC). SAFP representatives this year focused on the issue of sex ratio and education of Dalit children. Towards this end SAFP also got an opportunity to conduct evaluations of two child rights programmes in Madhya Pradesh and Himachal Pradesh respectively.

## Workshop on Gender Inclusion in Urban Sanitation

**Workshop on including gender in city sanitation plans:** SAFP partnered with Best Practices to train staff members of GIZ in Feb 2015 on including gender in city sanitation plans. The staff of GIZ have been associating with state government and central government on the city development plans. SAFP introduced the gender gap in sanitation concept to the staff. These concepts however were not received well as the bilateral organizations work within the existing framework of the state government only. The learning from this consultancy was taken to a

## Workshop on Rehabilitation, MSW

**Workshop on rehabilitation organized by Ministry of Social Welfare, February 2015:** SAFP was invited to a national workshop organized by Ministry of Social Welfare on rehabilitation of people recovered from mental health disabilities. Two members from SAFP attended this meeting to make advocacy inroads for psycho-social rehabilitation.



## Programmes: International & Regional Level

### ASEAN Land Rights Conference

Ekta Parishad requested SAFP to represent a perspective of Land as a human right at the ASEAN forum . The presentation was made to land rights advocates from Asean countries at two different workshops held in Cambodia 15-17<sup>th</sup> September 2014

SAFP presented India's experience on land rights work at an ASEAN level conference and regional workshop on "Mainstreaming Land Rights as Human Rights. SAFP spoke about the experience of Ekta Parishad, that has worked on mainstreaming land rights as a political agenda with political parties in India. While one party took the agenda positively it did not respond in action to serve the poor. The alternate party changed the legal provisions to suit the rich. The answer was to let human rights mechanism in country to recognize right to land as a human right. Land rights are not prominent in the discourse within ASEAN. Recognizing the importance of linking and mainstreaming land rights with human rights in the National Human Rights Commissions (NHRCs), the Asian NGO Coalition (ANGOC), Consortium for Agrarian Reform (KPA), ILC-Asia, LWA, STAR Kampuchea, Cambodian Center for Human Rights (CCHR) and the South East Asia National Human Rights Commission Forum (SEANF) joined efforts to organize this workshop. The objectives of the workshop were to ask National Human Rights Commission members to begin understanding how poor and marginalized communities suffer. The presentation SAFP made first was understood as by land rights advocates from ASEAN countries and then these advocates presented the perspectives to members of National Human Rights Commission and UN agencies at a workshop held in Pnom Pen.



## Asia Pacific Conference on Gendered violence

### Key findings

Indicates towards the possibility of co creation of gender balanced options by men and women, within communities, as they begin to understand and start using the Gender Resource Gap (GRG) framework for planning of local services.

Spousal income, livelihood opportunities and space are the key resource gaps between men and women.

**Asia Pacific Conference on Gendered violence and violations, 12 February 2015, Sydney:** Ms Sunita Gupta Kotnala of SAFP, participated in this conference to present SAFPs work on “Adopting Gender Resource Gap (GRG)” framework to analyze and address violence against women in India. Ms Gupta presented options on spatial planning that was worked between SAFP partners in the preceding years. At the conference SAFP found that women’s movement representatives did hear SAFP experience to incorporate ideas on spatial and sectoral planning to expand traditional modes of discourse on violations to focus on redress. Ms Gupta presented key findings from SAFP research at the conference as shown in the shot of the slide here. Ms Gupta is also a CWLR member and as part of this forum, she was also invited to become a Regional Coordinator for Asia, VAW initiative, Carr Centre for Human Rights, Harvard Kennedy School of Government this year. Towards this work, Ms Gupta traveled to the United States of America to undertake and share new learnings.

## Women and urban poverty international seminar

SAFP was invited to present a paper at an international conference in Feb 2015 on “Gender and Urban Poverty” supported by the GoI-DFID Project, Support to National Policies for Urban Poverty Reduction (SNPUPR) and subsequently releasing the State of the Urban Poor Report (SUPR) 2014-15. Four CWLR and SAFP members Ms Rajashree Ghosh, Sunita Gupta Kotnala, Shivani Bhardwaj and Deepika Nair jointly worked on a presentation and paper to explain women property issues in context of urban poverty and policy. Individual property rights divides people into haves and have nots. Property that collectively sustains life on earth has become nonviable and since most resources are owned by a very few individuals, insecure people take to violence and over consumption. Woman housing trust have worked with government to get housing for the poor with joint titles. This has not worked for women. Can a woman decide to mortgage a house jointly owned to set money for her dreams? She has to wait for widowhood to decide what she can do for her dreams besides performing roles that make her work longer than the men in the house.

SAFP recommends single titles for men and women and addressing the gap in housing ownership in name of women only, then create any new titles for men, as a mean to control resources. Besides dialogue with men, a change in mind sets by creating public property that allows all to exchange gender roles of care, production and community work can be thought of. Public spaces for performing gender roles can be done.



## SAFP out reach on social media

### Hum Sathi

SAFP set up Humsathi as its social media outreach for mental health awareness. SAFP staff regularly updates this face book page that carries positive messages and awareness on mental health rehabilitation information.

### Love Your Neighborhood

The LYN campaign began last year and had a string of activities planned through the year. Most interesting were events around neighborhood togetherness, sanitation and heritage walks to make residents relate to workers as well as history of the area. LYN was wound up from being a SAFP initiated work to a partnership campaign of four organizations this year.



## SAFP Collaborators and Team

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## SAFP Interns 2014-15

A team of three students from ICFAI, Dehradun law school interned with SAFP in June 2014. They researched on UNCRPD for the SAFP mental health programme.

**Ms Vidushi Kapur** interned with Sathi All for Partnerships from 24 June 2014 from to 25 July 2014. During the internship Vidushi developed a peace building campaign to bridge the generation gap in housing societies of Anand Lok by offering plans of co creating community activities that elders and youth could engage in. Towards this end, Ms Kapur worked with a local community group “Love Your Neighborhood” to organize tree plantation and making compost bed from kitchen waste as an activity that could be taken on by resident welfare association and engaged with SAFP profiling tasks. Ms Kapur organized a public sports event where under privileged youth were honored by senior citizens who volunteered to mentor the young to further their career aspiration. Ms Kapur also contributed to the gender gap portfolio of SAFP for which she represented the organization at a United Nations consultation on gender allocations in the national budget of India. Ms Kapur compiled a report on the event to highlight SAFP vision of gender planning in area development plans that need to precede gender budgeting exercise, not only in India but all across the world. Besides this she edited and designed SAFP annual report and two information brochures.

**Ms Sahaj Kang** from St Andrews College worked with Sathi All For Partnerships during July and August 2014. She assisted Ms Chavi Vohra to set up a helpline for mental health and conduct the background research for it. Sahaj researched on the existing helplines, their modus operandi from inception to developing existing systems. She was trained to conduct interviews with the other NGOs, Alcohol Anonymous groups, Mental Health centers in Delhi, Gurgaon, Maharashtra and Punjab for this search for information.

**Mr. Uma Shanker** was seconded from Bhagta Bharat to work with SAFP youth mobilisation programme in Mayur Vihar from April 2014 to February 2015. Due to his effort youth from underprivileged sections of Mayur Vihar area attended SAFP training programmes to impact events at college level. He was able to learn skills to set up his independent work with the establishment of “Run for Life”, a youth initiative like Bhagta Bharat.



**RECEIPT & PAYMENT ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH,2015**

RECEIPTS	AMOUNT	PAYMENTS	AMOUNT
<b>Balance as on 01-04.2014</b>			
Opening Balance of Axis Bank	47,289.42	<b>SATHI - EXPENSES GENERAL</b>	
Opening Balance of Canara Bank	19,148.54	Bank Charges	619.26
Opening Balance of Cash	8,087.62	Fee for renewal of FCRA	500.00
		Salary Paid	148,690.00
Receipt from Income Tax Refund-2013-14	25,600.00	Telephone Expenses	21,973.49
Receipts from Grant IPM	58,262.40	Travelling	13,138.00
Receipt From Fund for Global Human Rights	601,061.06	Repair & Maintenance	7,575.00
Receipt from KNS Partners	15,000.00		
Receipt from SNPUPR	54,180.00	<b>FGHR EXPENSES</b>	
Receipt from Donation	197,331.00	Awareness material and advertisement	61,905.00
Receipt from MWCD	313,761.00	Consultancy Paid	5,001.00
Shivani Bhardwaj	118,927.00	Seminar Expenses	145,601.17
		Honorarium	396,333.00
<b>Interest</b>		<b>IPM EXPENSES</b>	
Receipts (Axis Bank)	3,735.00	Travelling	23,140.00
Receipts (Canara Bank)	7,734.00	Translation and Publication	2,000.00
Receipt Interest From I.T. Refund-2013-14	2,300.00	Honorarium	33,708.00
		<b>K &amp; S PARTNERS</b>	
		Consultancy	10,000.00
		Travelling	5,616.00
		<b>SNPUPR</b>	
		Honorarium	50,000.00
		Travelling	11,600.00
		<b>Bank/Cash Balance as on 31.03.2015</b>	
		Canara Bank	184,441.88
		Axis Bank	150,069.62
		Cash	200,505.62
	<u>1,472,417.04</u>		<u>1,472,417.04</u>

**AUDITOR'S REPORT**

As per our Audit Report of even date  
For VINEET SHARMA & Co.  
Chartered Accountants

Vineet Sharma  
(Partner)

M.No. 091499

Place: New Delhi

Date : 28th September,2015

For Sathi All for Partnerships

(Shivani Bhardwaj)  
Trustee/CEO



**INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH,2015**

EXPENDITURE	AMOUNT	INCOME	AMOUNT
<b>SATHI - EXPENSES GENERAL</b>			
Depreciation	730.08	Bank Interest from Axis Bank	3,735.00
Bank Charges	619.26	Bank Interest from Canara Bank	7,734.00
Renewal of FCRA	500.00	IPM	59,295.00
Salary Paid	148,690.00	Fund for Global Human Rights	603,075.00
Repair & Maintenance	7,575.00	KNS Partners	15,000.00
Telephone Expenses	21,973.49	SNPUPR	60,200.00
Travelling Expenses	13,138.00	Donation	197,331.00
		I T Refund Interest 2013-2014	2,300.00
<b>FGHR EXPENSES</b>			
Bank Charges	2,013.94		
Awareness material and advertisement	61,905.00		
Consultancy Paid	5,001.00		
Honorarium	396,333.00		
Seminar/Work Shop	145,601.17	610,854.11	
<b>IPM EXPENSES</b>			
Bank Charges	1,032.60		
Honorarium	33,708.00		
Space Hire Charges	23,140.00		
Translation and Publication	2,000.00	59,880.60	
<b>K &amp; S PARTNERS</b>			
Consultancy	10,000.00		
Travelling Exp.	5,616.00	15,616.00	
<b>SNPUPP</b>			
Honorarium	50,000.00		
Travelling Exp.	11,600.00	61,600.00	
Excess of Income Over Expenditure		7,493.46	
	<u>948,670.00</u>		<u>948,670.00</u>

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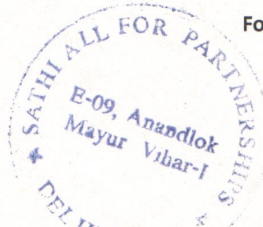
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