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Key Areas of Interest

- Mental Health
- Socio-emotional learning
- Social Entrepreneurship
- Policy advocacy for Public Health

Soft Skills

- Leadership
- Communication
- Team Building
- Empathy
- Problem Solving

Education Background

Masters in Applied Psychology
Dibrugarh University
Completed in 2018

Professional Experience

Vartamaan| Founder & CEO
Aug 2020 - Sep 2021

Piramal Foundation| Gandhi Fellow
Aug 2018 - Jun 2020

Projects Led

- Mobilization of candidates for L&T's Construction Skill Training Institute. 30 candidates were sent to Kanchipuram for training.
- Revival of a defunct Handloom Centre having capacity to employ about 100 weavers.
- Facilitate the collaboration between Assam Skill Development Mission and L&T CSTI to tap the youth of Assam for training and placement in Construction sector.

Achievements

Sept 2022 Conducted the first DSC meeting with DSDP as its agenda of discussion

Key Learnings

- Building relationships with government officials require consistent communication and readiness to support them in their initiatives.
- There is a need for efficient data management systems and a single repository of information about the district.
- Creating outreach through omni channel approach can make it effective- mass media, social media, gram panchayat representatives