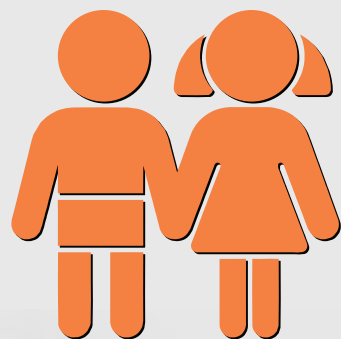


underlying
OUR MISSION

**A COMMUNITY OF
ENTREPRENEURS &
INNOVATORS
COMMITTED TO
CHANGING
THE WORLD**



LAST YEAR
WE IMPACTED **800** CHILDREN



EDUCATIONAL
KITS **500**

225 FOOD FOR
ONE YEAR

UNIFORMS,
BAGS & BOOKS
FOR **35**
GIRLS

TUITION
FEES
FOR **25**
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EDUCATION OR
TECHNOLOGY
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Last year, we supported five organizations in Asia and Africa. Two of these five organizations were inspirations in the founding of our own organization.



THE MISSION BEHIND SLP



Entrepreneurship is a chance to chase one's dreams. This is an extraordinary privilege, which is sometimes lost in the struggles of being an entrepreneur.

We live in a time when over one billion people cannot read or write, and 700 million

people live in abject poverty. In the US alone, one in five children faces food insecurity. Seven million children will die this year from preventable causes.

This is the collective responsibility and the shame of our generation.

So SLP was started as a not-for-profit, with the idea that over time, we would create a network that could make a collective impact.

We have always chosen our Fellows carefully, admitting high-caliber individuals with heart, with demonstrated evidence of helping others. We give these individuals a high-class education and network for life.

In the final class called **"Reflections & How I will change the World"** our Fellows make a public commitment that, whether they fail or succeed on their entrepreneurial journeys, they would use their **talent, wealth or resources** to help those who less fortunate.

We began in Boston in 2006 with seven outstanding innovators and entrepreneurs. We were inspired in creating our unique structure by two organizations. **Room to Read** taught us that it was important that the

participants own the program. In staying lean, we were inspired by **Akshaya Patra**, who provides 1.6 million free meals daily at poor schools so parents would be motivated to send their children to school.

Our growth is thanks to our mission and our extraordinary, giving, big-hearted and high-caliber Fellows who have volunteered their time over the years to educate our entrepreneurs and strengthen our network. Through this brochure, we welcome you to share our own impact, the amazing work our Fellows are doing to help those less fortunate, either through their own products, and startups, or through the startups they support.

We welcome you to this community and thank you for showing an interest.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Anupendra Sharma". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name and last name clearly distinguishable.

Anupendra Sharma
Founder

EXTRAORDINARY ORGANISATIONS WE WORK WITH

The Five Organisations We Supported In The Past Year Are:



AKSHAYA PATRA is the world's largest feeding program, providing free food to 1.6 million children in schools. The Akshaya Patra Foundation is a not-for-profit organisation that strives to fight issues like hunger and malnutrition in India, by implementing the Mid-Day Meal Scheme in the government schools and government-aided schools and also brings children to school. \$28 will feed a child a nutritious meal from high-technology kitchens for an entire year. It was an inspiration behind the way we structured SLP, where our Fellows always get a meal.

ROOM TO READ is the world's largest builder of libraries and schools. They seek to transform the lives of millions of children in developing countries by focusing on literacy and gender equality in education. John Wood's incredible book inspired SLP to model itself on similar principles. While SLP provides the infrastructure, curriculum and network, the Fellows run the Program, thereby vesting them.





EDUCATE GIRLS

provides education in educationally backward regions through a 24-week long learning curriculum implemented in grades 3, 4 and 5 with a focus on building micro-competencies. Educate Girls is holistically tackling issues at the

root cause of gender inequality in India's education system that has helped to ensure over 90% enrollment and significantly higher attendance for all girls as well as improved school infrastructure, quality of education and learning outcomes for all children. SLP is financing the kit called "Gyaan ka Pitaara" (The Wealth of Knowledge) containing 3,000 pieces including 300 worksheets in English, Hindi and Mathematics.



RISE MALAWI

a school by UrbanPromise is dedicated to providing children and youth with the support that they need to succeed academically, grow spiritually, and prepare for

leadership that will bring positive change to their own communities. SLP is seeking to provide books, bags & clothing for high school girls through RISE MALAWI. One of our Fellows, and former Program Leader & Board Member, Rebecca Boudreaux spearheaded fundraising to build a dorm for these girls.





Danish Shaikh from Kranti:

"At the age of 8 I left my mom to live in a shelter. My father died when I was 6, so my mom resumed sex work to feed me and my three sisters, including one who is deaf and mute. From childhood I was told that I should have limited dreams. I wasn't allowed to dream of being a journalist or an actress because my whole life, I was told "a whore's daughter can only become whore." Even my teachers told me this. But this all changed when I joined Kranti, an NGO which empowers daughters of sex workers.

Kranti teaches us to be agents of social change - and

KRANTI educates and empowers trafficked girls, the daughters of sex workers, and otherwise socially marginalized girls to become agents of social change within their communities. By providing them with a healing home, formal and extracurricular education, leadership and job training, as well as the skills and confidence to solve social problems, Kranti enables the Krantikaris to emerge as leaders and economic assets, redefining the value of women in Indian society. Through therapy, workshops, travel, theater, and education, Kranti transforms their lives. These girls have given TedX Talks, spoken on national and international platforms and studied in India and abroad on scholarships. SLP is providing tutors for entrance exams.

happiness. Here I got many opportunities to grow, especially through therapy and travel. Therapy really shaped my life and helped me to come out of the trauma and violence in my past. And thanks to travel, I have another passion too. In 2016 I got scholarship to study in Israel 3 months, and in 2017 I volunteered in Thailand NGO 3 months. Now I want to study psychology to help others heal and change their lives like Kranti changed mine.

I chose this college because I think they value my life and work experience - it is so focused on helping students become compassionate, reflective citizens. I think here I can reach my full potential and have a real impact on other marginalized people after I graduate. But I need your help! I applied for scholarships, but even that won't cover all of my tuition and housing costs. Will you help me fund my studies so I can support my family and also many more marginalized communities??"



IMPACT ORGANISATIONS STARTED BY FELLOWS



We live in a time when 1.1 billion people cannot read or write, and 700 million people live in abject poverty. In the US alone, one in five children faces food insecurity. Seven million children will die this year from preventable causes. Our generation needs to act; this is our collective responsibility, and is integrated in our mission. We believe that giving an education – whether it is basic, or teaching them business and entrepreneurial skills, will equip people with tools to exit cycles of poverty and disease.

With this developmental mission, we choose our Fellows

carefully, admitting focused groups of high-caliber entrepreneurs in cities who are empathetic and care about their communities and the planet. We give them a high-class education and network. In return, in the final class called “Reflections & How I will change the World” our Fellows make a public commitment at the end of our program that along their entrepreneurial journey, whether they fail or succeed, they would use their talent, wealth or resources to help those who cannot help themselves.

IMPACT ORGANISATIONS STARTED BY FELLOWS

Pooja Rai ANTHILL CREATIONS



Bangalore

A not-for-profit social startup creating, developing and delivering self-educational resources for the differently-abled. It is committed to transforming the learning process of visually challenged children through its innovative technology, resources, and aids. It strives to instill confidence, spark-interest, impact learning and empower the differently abled.



Lily Lappena MBE MyBnk

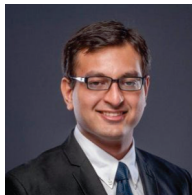
London

MyBnk is a charity that delivers financial and enterprise education directly to schools and youth organisations. It has reached young people in schools, youth clubs and leaving care and youth offender institutes - teaching engaging, practical and relative money lessons, changing attitudes and outlooks, boosting confidence and knowledge.

Abhishek Syal



ARISEImpact



Hyderabad

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Zoe Peden



London

Insane Logic uses evidence based tools, activities and games for measurable language and communication development on mobile tablets. Enabling choice, independence and improved educational attainment. It utilizes Makaton symbols, signs and singing videos in addition to photos and audio.

IMPACT ORGANISATIONS STARTED BY FELLOWS

Nitin J Naik



Mumbai

SynergyConnect is a Social Sector start-up focused on providing end to end CSR Project Management solutions. It help Corporate and NGOs work seamlessly on social sector with simplified CSR Project management tool which helps Stakeholder Management, Project Reporting & Compliance, Data Collection and Analysis, Reports and Real-time Dynamic Dashboards. Programs we work - Women Empowerment, Financial Inclusion, Skill Building & Livelihood, Out of School

Aashish Beergi



New Delhi

MASH Project is a youth led non profit organization which creates platforms and programmes that connects young people with like minded communities, provide skill through training by experts, mentor them throughout their journey across various social sectors and take their stories to masses. MASH aims at fostering a global culture of Social Entrepreneurship.

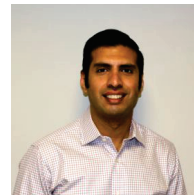
Nikhil Dugal



New Delhi

Aadhan is a social enterprise trying to create impact by enabling agencies directly working with target populations. It manufactures buildings which can be sent to any location in the country. The structures are made from shipping containers retired from their tenure at sea, and other environmentally friendly materials, emphasizing a culture of sustainability.

Sameer Sabir



Boston

The Rehma Fund has been established to equalize access to Healthcare for all children, everywhere. The objective of the fund is to support and work with charitable causes that further the mission. The fund provides funding for specific projects with registered charities which is led by people that are truly passionate about delivering quality, compassionate health care for sick kids and for the ones who understand the importance of providing emotional and psychological support to patient and their families.

IMPACT ORGANISATIONS STARTED BY FELLOWS

Pranav Chopra



London

Chaigaram is a social purpose business focused on empowering refugees by providing them with employment and leadership opportunities within our tea company. The refugees are integrated into our business alongside people who are passionate about providing a positive experience for them as they fulfill jobs ranging from blending and packaging the tea to selling cups of hot chai in food markets.

Esha Shekhar



New Delhi

Ungender Foundation is devoted to promote “inclusion” of women through educational, financial and vocational initiatives. With “Inclusion by Education” as the key ingredient for empowerment, we design comprehensive solutions involving knowledge of one's legal and health rights, skill development and financial literacy

Olivier Ceberio



Boston

Over 1 billion people suffer from the effects of water scarcity with the vast majority being poor residents of developing countries. Desalting seawater is an excellent potential solution, however, because developing countries typically lack sufficient electrical grid capacity and cannot afford the capital or time required to build and deploy traditional R/O systems, RME is proposing an innovative solution to this problem - the world's first wave-driven desalination system (called Wave2O™) that can be deployed quickly, operate completely “off-grid” and supply large quantities of fresh water at competitive cost.

Joana Moscoco



London

Native Scientist is a non-profit organisation that connects immigrant pupils and scientists to tackle educational disadvantage and promote science and language literacy. Since its foundation in 2013, 100+ workshops have been organised, reaching 2500 pupils.

Fellows	Chapter	Startup	Website
Vikas Jain	Bangalore	Camp CPR	www.campcpr.org/
Suntosh Krao	Bangalore	SpotPlay Education	www.spotplay.co
Ann Marie Almariei	Boston	Will-It	will-it.com
Jan Glassman	Boston	DailyGC	www.dailygeneralcounsel.com
Harpreet Singh	Boston	Experfy	www.experfy.com
Suelin Chen	Boston	Cake	https://www.joincake.com
Siddhartha Goyal	Boston	Nivi	www.nivi.com
Sakthivel Pannerselvam	Chennai	The6	www.the6.in
Vinodh Subramanian	Chennai	Fromahome	https://fromahome.com/
Vijayakumar Mani	Chennai	I Support Farming	https://isupportfarming.com
Craig M. Zelizer	DC	PCDN	https://pcdnetwork.org
Shameek Chakravarty	Hyderabad	Farmizen	www.farmizen.com/
Tia Kansara	London	Replenish Earth	www.replenish.earth/
Simon Carter	Melbourne	PredictBGL	https://predictbgl.com
Barry Nguyen	Melbourne	Phyto	www.phyto.com/
Dhaval B	Mumbai	i-Solarite	https://i-solarlite.com/
Hardik Shah	Mumbai	Service Saathi	https://servicesaathi.com
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SLP 5K RUN



True to SLP's Mission, the 5K Run/Walk adopts a theme, picks related NGO/s and then runs for the cause. This year's theme was creating awareness and raising funds for girl child education and health. SLP's network of outstanding founders, leaders, VCs and innovators put on their running shoes in support of this cause. It was also attended by startup ecosystem partners, enthusiasts and the general public willing to support the initiative. The 5K Run/Walk took place across three cities in India - Delhi, Hyderabad and Pune. Last year, SLP Hyderabad organised the SLP 5k Neon Run that raised about 6 lakhs, which was later donated to NGOs - Kishori Vikas and Sankalp.

SLP supported 'Beti Bachao Beti Padhao' with the following organizations this year -

Maher Ashram - Proceedings from the Run/Walk will go towards helping destitute girl children, from all over India, receive the highest quality diet, medical attention and psychiatric counseling.

Pratyusha Support - Proceedings from the Run/Walk will go towards helping girls suffering from life-threatening medical conditions with unparalleled medical support.

Sankalp Foundation - Proceedings from the Run/Walk will go towards the development of destitute and orphaned children by providing the basic needs with quality education in a child-friendly and healthy atmosphere.

Voice Of Slum - Proceedings from the Run/Walk will go towards providing the basic necessities of health, education and shelter to the children staying in slums







Entrepreneurship is a privilege, a chance to chase one's dreams. So we ask our Fellows to make a simple promise; that whether they succeed or not in their entrepreneurial journeys, they will use their **WEALTH, KNOWLEDGE OR RESOURCES** to make a difference for those less fortunate in their lifetime.



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