

Celebrate Social Work Month



Weaving Resilience & Advocacy...

Social Work is the profession of hope—fueled by resilience and advocacy. Social Workers matter because they help millions of struggling people every day dream differently.



Vimla Nadkarni, Ph.D., M.S.W.

Dr. Nadkarni is an internationally and nationally known leader, scholar and educator in the field of international social work, social work education and practice.

Dr. Nadkarni was the former dean of the TISS School of Social Work and served as head of the Centre for Health and Mental Health for twenty years. She set up a National Network of Schools of Social Work in India and is a founding member of the International Social Work Network in Health Inequalities. Dr. Nadkarni was the 2nd Annual Hokenstad International Lecturer at the Council of Social Work Education Annual Conference and was a recipient of Fulbright and Kellogg Fellowships.

She is a leading expert in community health, health management, monitoring and evaluation, HIV/AIDS policy and interventions, reproductive health, health ethics and human rights, and ecology and health. She has published widely on health, mental health, ecology and HIV/AIDS in national and international journals/books. Her edited book titled "NGOs, Urban Health and the Poor" was published in 2009.

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The Center for International Social Work Studies

Promoting knowledge building and professional competence in international social work.

The Center for International Social Work Studies

invites you to attend a luncheon event with

Dr. Vimla Nadkarni

President of the International Association of Schools of Social Work (IASSW) and Professor, School of Social Work, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, (TISS), Mumbai, India

Global Issues in Social Work Education

Wednesday, March 27, 2013

12:45 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Zachs Community Room

Dr. Nadkarni will identify challenges and new opportunities facing social work and social work education globally. She will draw on her extensive professional experience in India and internationally, including her role as President of the International Association of Schools of Social Work. From rapid change in Asia, the challenges of global fiscal constraints, growing inequalities, and the launch of the Global Agenda for Social Work and Social Development, the next decade will require social work action on many fronts.

To Register

Visit www.ssw.uconn.edu, click on Social Work Month Events and choose this event.

Please register by: Friday, March 22, 2013

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General Information

This event will be held at the University of Connecticut School of Social Work, 1798 Asylum Avenue, West Hartford CT 06117. Free and open to faculty, staff, students, alumni, and the community. Please park in Area B on Trout Brook Drive. Visitors who park in unauthorized lots are subject to ticketing.



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