

# DARPAN CHIB

Mahatma Gandhi National Fellow Oct '21 - Oct '23

Deoria, Uttar Pradesh

## **Projects Led**

- Collaborated with UP NRI Dept. and SIIC, Varanasi to promote and establish Emigration channels
- Conducted Chaupal events Block wise to promote Skill, Livelihood & Allied activities (Primary Sector)
- Started a YouTube Channel: 'Drishti Deoria' on the same lines as Chaupal event
- Initiated 'Haat Bazaar': a weekly marketplace for SHG women held Block wise
- Facilitated Drone Technology training by Polytechnic through DSC approval
- Kickstarted YouTube channel for KVK Deoria for enhanced outreach to farmers
- Member of the Orgnizing Committee to host the Kaushalathon event across Deoria district.

#### **Achievements**

Apr 2022 Successfully submitted District Skill Development Plan Oct 2022 Recognized as "Champion Fellow" by IIM Lucknow for exemplary performance in

the District

## Key Learnings

- Institutional working of district administration, intricacies of activities from grassroot to senior most levels and challenges associated with it
- Prepare reports/case studies on the skilling ecosystem and communicate the insights of these reports to relevant stakeholders.
- Convergence among departments is critical to promote synergy in achieving prospective goals
- Crucial role of field work & data collation to infer policy gaps & recognize potential solutions
- Identification of skill and livelihood gaps to address the employment issues

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## **Key Areas of Interest**

- Employability & Vocational Skills
- Public Policy Analysis & Evaluation
- International Relations
- Polity & Governance
- Macro Economics

## **Soft Skills**

- Leadership
- Diplomacy
- Public Speaking
- Critical Thinking
- Emotional Intelligence

## **Education Background**

Bachelor of Technology GeoInformatics Engineering U.P.E.S. Dehradun Completed in 2019

## **Professional Experience**

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