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Project title: Sharing Best Practices in Crisis Preparedness in Social Work	
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Partners University of Eastern Finland, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences	<p>The project aims</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1) to develop mutually relevant curriculum, pedagogy and research activities in the given topics2) to strengthen the cooperation between the member institutions in social work and social policy3) to produce new online teaching content related to these topics4) to provide Master-level and PhD students of the four institutions with high quality short-term and long-term study abroad opportunities and virtual study opportunities, increasing students' academic expertise, intercultural competence and employability

5) to provide financial support that enables physical student and staff mobility between the Finnish and the Indian institutions

6) to increase direct contacts between academics of JYU and the partner institutions in the mentioned fields, facilitating co-creating of research (joint publications) and academic cooperation

The anticipated project results include

- new jointly developed online teaching modules & webinars for Master- and PhD-level students in social work
- Winter School 2022 in India in January/February 2022 for social work students
- Summer School in Finland in August 2023 for social work students
- teaching & research visits, connected to the winter and summer school programmes

- Internships of Finnish social work students in India
- 4 semester-long study & research periods of Indian PhD students in Finland
- tailored short-term mobility opportunities for Finnish and Indian social work students
- co-created research (joint publications) and recognized themes for future research projects



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