



Celebrating 25 Years of Excellence

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About Us

Established 25 years ago by Mrs. Lila Poonawalla (recipient of the Padma Shri award, 1989, conferred by the President of India, Royal Order of the Polar Star, 2003 & Royal Order of the Polar Star- Commander First Class, Sweden, 2019 conferred by the King of Sweden) and Mr. Firoz Poonawalla, Lila Poonawalla Foundation (LPF) is a FCRA registered Nonprofit Public Charitable Trust in India under the Bombay Public Trust Act, 1950.

LPF works towards the cause of promoting Girls Education and Women Empowerment by offering Merit-cum-Need based Scholarship and Skill Building programs. LPF is accredited by the Credibility Alliance.

Vision

To contribute to the empowerment of Indian women by supporting academically clever but financially challenged girls, through Grant Scholarship to pursue higher education and through building skills to pursue respectable employment.

Mission

To enable socially deprived and financially disadvantaged girls pursue professional degrees, so that they become confident and economically independent, who not only earn for themselves but also take care of their families.

Our Founders



Goal

We are elated to state that we have enhanced the lives of 10,834 Girls to date. We aim to transform 20,000 girls' lives by 2026.

Objectives



To promote girls education



To develop and empower girls



To support girls in becoming economically independent



To promote gender diversity & inclusion

Message from the Chairperson

"The year 2020-21, has indeed been bitter-sweet, on one hand LPF completed 25 Years of Establishment and on the other we are in the midst of a deadly pandemic. No matter what the circumstances are, LPF has adapted itself to the new normal and withered this storm. This year we also started our new operations in Hyderabad, Telangana state. I would like to thank our Board of Trustees, my Staff, Wellwishers, Friends and Families, without their support we would have been incomplete.

In the last 25 years we have welcomed 10,834 LILA Daughters in our ever growing family. Last year, despite the pandemic, we welcomed 1,490 girls across Pune district, Wardha, Amravati, Nagpur (WAN) and Hyderabad district. In the beginning of the pandemic, LPF started the online skill building and training programs and through different online platforms we have conducted over 300+ programs.

We conclude by thanking our partners, their contribution has enabled us to realize our mission and take us into the new era of sustainability.

As the months go by and life slowly comes back to normalcy, we pray for a year filled with positivity, joy, happiness and zeal, which will take us forward and help us build partnerships and relationships that will last a lifetime. Let us all come together and work towards creating a better and positive tomorrow."



**Lila Poonawalla
Chairperson**

Message from the Founder Trustee



**Firoz Poonawalla,
Founder Trustee**

"It was 25 years ago that we started LPF. Little did we know that the seed of hope we planted 25 years ago, would turn into a giant tree of 10,834 LILA Daughters from the School and UG-PG Project from Pune, Wardha, Amravati, Nagpur and Hyderabad.

As the year went by, we saw ourselves in the midst of a serious pandemic. LPF fought through and supported over 3,300+ families of LILA Juniors with a months' worth of food grains and essentials. This year has been challenging, however we are confident, that with the support of our Partners, Board of Trustees, Well-Wishers, Families, Friends and the staff, that we will pull through. We thank everyone who has been a part of this amazing 25 year journey."

Our Board of Trustees



Lila Poonawalla
Chairperson



Firoz Poonawalla
Founder Trustee



Pradeep Bhargava
Trustee



Roda Mehta
Trustee



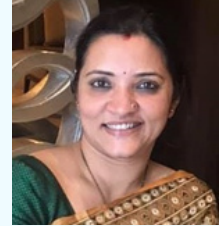
Anant Talaulicar
Trustee



Rati Forbes
Trustee



Vinita Deshmukh
Trustee



Vandana Belitkar
Trustee

Message from the CEO

"Despite the pandemic uncertainties, delays and changing academic criterias, we were able to successfully complete LPF's Scholarship Process 2020-21 for its School, Undergraduate and Postgraduate Merit -cum- Need Based Scholarships. This was possible because of the outstanding commitment and efforts invested by my team and the guidance of our Chairperson and Founder Trustee.

In 2020-21, we have partnered with over 10 new Corporate Partners and continued with our existing partners, who have been engaged with us holistically. With these partnerships, our LILA Daughters are able to build their employability and corporate readiness skills through corporate employee volunteering, leader's mentoring and industry exposure sessions. Some of our girls are also employed by some of our partners, offering them equal opportunity to build their careers. This is adding to enhancing the Diversity, Equity and Inclusion quotient of our partners.

We thank our partners for their continued faith in us and for their amazing contribution in joining our hands in building the industry ready women workforce and the change-makers for the society."



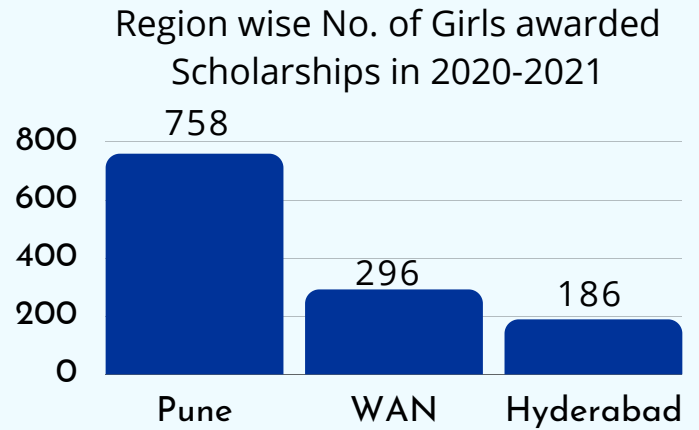
Priti Khare
CEO

Our Performance in 2020-21

(In the COVID-19 Pandemic)



1,490 girls
Awarded School and UG/PG Scholarships



25+
New & Existing Corporate Partners



Many
Individual Donors



LPF in **Hyderabad**



300+
Skill Building & Training Programs



70+
Corporate Employee Volunteering Programs



3,300+
COVID-19 Essential Kits for families
(Food Grains for one month)

Our Projects

School Project - '2Morrow - 2Gether'

(Scholarship, Counseling, Skill Building & Infrastructure Support)

The new batch of LILA Juniors, who come from economically disadvantaged families were awarded the scholarship from the age 12, i.e. from 7th grade right up to her graduation. Through this project, these girls are supported with relevant skill building and training initiatives that will help them in enhancing their knowledge, functional, technical and corporate ready skills. The school project is divided in 3 phases - LILA Juniors - Phase I (7th grade - 10th grade), LILA Seniors - Phase 2 (11th grade - 12th grade) and LILA Girls - Phase 3 (Undergraduation).

School Project Phases



LILA Junior - Phase I
7th to 10th grade



LILA Senior - Phase II
11th to 12th grade



LILA Girl - Phase III
Undergraduation

School wise total number of LILA Juniors for 2020-21 (250)

Sr. No	School	Area	Total No. of Girls
1	Anjuman - I -Islam English Medium	Pune	42
2	Anjuman - I -Islam Urdu Medium	Pune	24
3	Bapusaheb Pawar Kanya Shala	Pune	17
4	CES Marathi Shala	Pune	16
5	CES Chaitanya English Medium School	Pune	31
6	Kalbhairavnath School	Pimpalgaon	15
7	Dr. Kalmadi Shyamrao Kannada Medium	Pune	19
8	Prerana Madhyamik Vidyalaya	Thergaon	08
9	Shri Ram Vidyalaya	Pimpalgaon	17
10	St. Clares School	Pune	14
11	CES Utkarsha Semi English Medium School	Pune	17
12	Zilla Parishad School	Chandoli	15
13	Zilla Parishad School	Gawadewadi	15

Undergraduation Scholarship & Skill Building

We began the year of our Undergraduate (UG) Merit-cum-Need Based Scholarship and Skills Building Project by welcoming the new batch of LILA Girls from Pune, Wardha, Amravati and Nagpur City (WAN) and Hyderabad.

LPF also conducts course relevant skill building and training programs which assists the girls in improving their essential, technical, functional, employability and corporate readiness skills.



Postgraduation Scholarship & Skill Building



The new batch of LILA Fellows were welcomed into our ever growing LPF Family under the Postgraduate (PG) Merit-cum-Need Based Scholarship and Skills Building Project.

LPF also conducts course relevant skill building and training programs which assists the girls in improving their essential, technical, functional, employability and corporate readiness skills.

Region wise - total number of LILA Girls & LILA Fellows (UG & PG) for 2020-21 (1,240)

Sr. No	Category	Pune	Wardha & Nagpur	Amravati	Hyderabad	Total No. of Girls
1	Postgraduation	43				43
2	Bachelor of Engineering/ Technology (4 Years)	227	68	98	151	544
3	Bachelor of Engineering/ Technology (3 Years)	286	35	68	35	424
4	Bachelor of Science	30				30
5	Bachelor of Science in Nursing	110	27			137
6	Bachelor of Pharmacy	62				62

Beyond Scholarship

LPF focuses on 'Beyond Scholarship' by investing in the skill building and development. We invest in our girls, so that they can be employability and industry ready women workforce, who become confident working professionals. In the last year we conducted over 300+ online skill building and training programs for our girls as per their education categories, these programs are designed academic year wise and course wise.

We also provided Internship & Placement support to our girls. This is done in collaboration with our Corporate CSR Partners and other organizations. Given below is the glimpse of the programs organized for our projects.

School Project - '2Morrow 2Gether' Skill Building & Training

LILA Juniors (Phase I) - 7th - 10th grade

Academic skills programs like Spoken English, Computer Enhancement, Science and Maths Enhancement and Non Academic skills program like Personality Development, Etiquette and Mannerism, Awareness of Good Health and Hygiene, Self-Defence, Stress Management, Confidence Building and extra Coaching sessions for academically weak girls were organized.



Spoken English



COVID-19 Awareness



Career Guidance



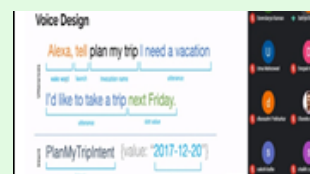
Engineering Prep

LILA Seniors (Phase II) - 11th - 12th grade

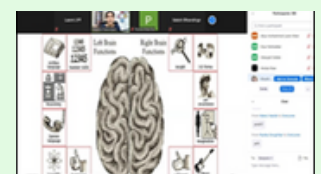
The LILA Seniors had the opportunity to attend programs like Time Management, Spoken English, Self-defence, and Subject Guidance for Science, Commerce and Arts stream, Career Guidance and Computer Fundamental - Internet and Email and MS Office.

LILA Girls (Phase III) - Undergraduation

Course relevant skill building and training programs like Subject Guidance, Career Guidance, Confidence building, Make Learning by Fun, 3D Design and Computer Literacy were organized.

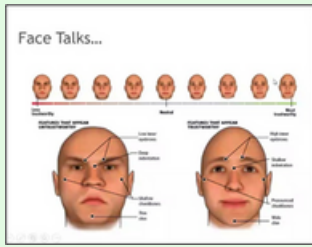


Computer Literacy

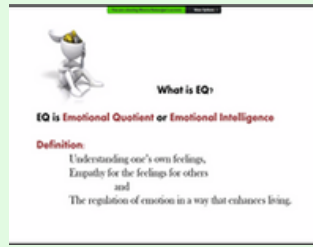


Smart Learners

Undergraduation and Postgraduation Skill Building & Training



Winning With Body Language



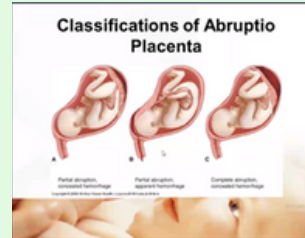
Emotional Excellence

Essential Skills

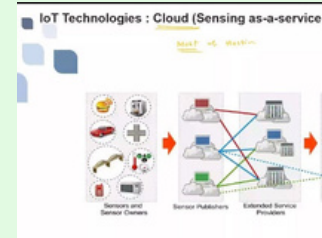
Some of the Essential Skills and Training Programs like Winning with Body Language, Health Awareness, Emotional Excellence, Time Management and English Communications were organized.

Technical/ Functional Skills

Throughout the last year, our girls had the opportunity to attend programs which are in sync with current trends like Artificial Intelligence (AI), Machine Learning, Internet of Things, Quality By Design, Obstetrics & Gynecological Emergencies, Interpreting Engineering Drawings were organized.



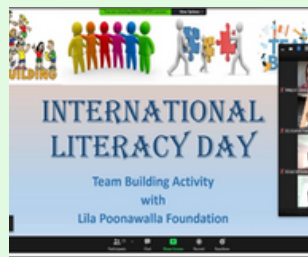
Obstetrics & Gynecological Emergencies



Internet of Things (IoT)



Entrepreneurship



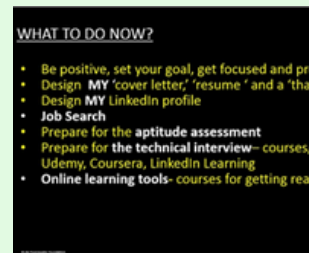
Team Building

Professional Competencies

Some of the professional competency trainings that focused on Presentation Skills, Entrepreneurship, Team Building, Innovation, Personality Development, Leadership, Basic & Advance Excel Basic & Advanced Nursing Skills were organized.

Campus Readiness and Employability Skills

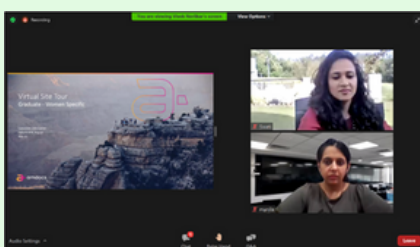
We partnered with industry expert trainers as well as with Corporate Partner's Employee volunteers conducts campus readiness programs to improve the girls' interview skills, resume writing skills and group discussion readiness of our girls. Additionally, we also provided online aptitude assessments to our girls which helped them to improve their attitude towards aptitude.



Off Campus Readiness



Interviewing Skills



Virtual Industry Visit

Industry Exposure

Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, physical/in person industry visits could not be conducted. However virtual visits of industry campuses were conducted for the girls.

Placement

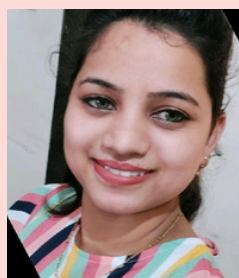
Our girls who have completed Postgraduation and Undergraduation have been placed in reputed companies such as Accenture, Bosch, BYJU's, Concentrix, Infosys, Lupin, SKODA Auto Volkswagen (SAVIPL), TCS and medical institutions Breach Candy, Jupiter Hospital and Ruby Hall Clinic with a package of INR 2.5 to 22 Lacs P.A. Some of our corporate partners like SAVIPL have offered internship and placement opportunities to our girls.

Region wise - Placement Details for April 2020 - March 2021

Sr. No	Category	Total Number of Girls
1	Employed	458
2	Searching for Job Opportunities	321
3	Unemployed	03
4	Internship	07
5	Higher Education	199

*The table includes LILA Daughters across Pune, Wardha, Amravati & Nagpur (WAN).

Some of our girls' placement success story



Chaitrali
LILA Girl 2017
Bachelor of Engineering
after Diploma

Chaitrali belongs to a working class family. Her father runs a small grocery shop and her mother is a home-maker. With finances being a constraint, Chaitrali's family could not afford to send her to college, that is when Chaitrali applied for the LPF Scholarship and was selected.

Hardworking, passionate and committed towards to providing a better future for family, she excelled in her studies and graduated with flying colours. Today Chaitrali is working as an Analyst at CitiCorp.

A daughter of a farmer and home-maker from Wardha, Sneha had her sights set on building a strong educational foundation. Being a farmer's daughter, her family's seasonal income was not enough for to help Sneha's educational aspirations. Sneha applied for the LPF Scholarship and was selected. With Pharmacovigilance as her specialization, she interned at the well known TATA Memorial Hospital in Mumbai. Today Sneha is working as an Associate - Pharmacovigilance at Cognizant Technology Solutions.



Sneha
LILA Girl 2014
Bachelor of Pharmacy



Priyanka
LILA Girl 2011
Bachelor of Technology

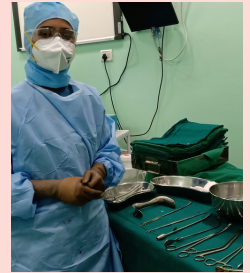
Growing up in a single income household with many mouths to feed and succeeding in those circumstances is never an easy thing, yet Priyanka did. Priyanka's mother is a single parent, who works as a tutor. Priyanka helped her mother, wherever she could to help manage the household. Keen on becoming an Engineer, she applied for the LPF Scholarship in 2011 and was selected. Focused on not restricting her horizons, Priyanka diligently started preparing for the Civil Services Examination, her hardwork paid off and she was commissioned in the Sales Tax Dept at Maharashtra.

Priyanka now works as a State Tax Inspector for the Government of Maharashtra.

With a passion and commitment to serve the poor, Prajakta wanted to become a Nurse, however her father's income as a farmer was not sufficient enough to help her achieve her dreams.

Determined to not let her financial condition get in the way of achieving her dream of becoming a Nurse, she applied for the LPF Scholarship and was selected.

Just as Prajakta had began her career as a Nurse, the COVID-19 Pandemic began. Prajakta now works as a COVID-19 Care Nurse at the Breach Candy Hospital in Mumbai.



Prajakta
LILA Girl 2015
Bachelor of Science in Nursing



Shrutika
LILA Girl 2012
Bachelor of Science

Shrutika, a young bright girl with dreams in her eyes. She dreamed of becoming an IT Professional but financial constraints left her without a strong support. The daughter of a father, who was a worker, she knew that she wouldn't be able to fulfill her dream. It was in 2012, when Shrutika applied for the LPF Scholarship. Shrutika was selected and ever since then, there was no looking back.

Today, Shrutika is working as an Associate Consultant at Capgemini.

Pranali comes from Hirakani Vidyalaya, Gawadewadi. She got the LPF School Scholarship for 7th grade. She is from the 2011 batch. Pranali's father is a farmer and her mother is a homemaker. Pranali completed B.Com. in the year of 2020. Currently she is also pursuing Company Secretary (CS) course.

Extremely motivated and encouraged by LPF's support, Pranali works at the LPF Office in the Accounts Department. Pranali feels fortunate to have had the opportunity to work with her beloved Lila Mom & Firoz Dad in the LPF office.



Pranali
LILA Junior 2011
LILA Senior 2015
LILA Girl 2017

LPF in Media

Throughout 2020-2021 LPF has been featured on several print and digital publications.

Lila Poonawalla scholarships benefit 11,000 girl students



Meritorious students received scholarships from the Foundation.

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
PUNE, MARCH 18

AS THE Lila Poonawalla Foundation (LPF) celebrates its silver jubilee year, it has so far supported the education of 11,000 meritorious girl students through its scholarships.

Along with Pune, students hailing from Wardha, Nagpur, Amravati and Hyderabad, too, have bagged the LPF scholarships over the last 25 years.

This year, the scholarships were awarded to students pursuing engineering, pharmacy and nursing at undergraduate levels.

Lila Poonawalla, LPF chairperson, said, "My vision is to take the LPF on India's map so that more deserving girls get an opportunity to pursue their aspirations of professional education and careers."

The foundation, over the last two-and-a-half decades, has also provided these students with over 1,800 skill building and training programmes.

सकाळ TODAY

अवतीभवती

लीला पुनावाला फाउंडेशनकडून ७० मुलींना शिष्यवृत्ती

पुणे : लीला पुनावाला फाउंडेशन (एलपीएफ)च्या स्कूल प्रोजेक्ट 'तुमारी तुलना' प्रकल्पांतर्गत ११ वी व १२ वी विधान शाळेमध्ये शिकणाऱ्या ७० मुलींना आज 'सेके ट्यूच'ची मदत मिळाली आहे. यात शिष्यवृत्तीसोबतच कौशल्य विकास कार्यक्रम, करीअर समुपदेशन आणि मार्गदर्शन सेवेसही लाभ आहे. फाउंडेशनने १ ऑक्टोबरला वैद्यमहोदय साह्या करताना सेके ट्यूच हीच प्रारंभिक डिपेंडेंट कॅम्पेसोबल समर्थन करार केला आहे. यात सर्वोच्च पाणीदारीसह सेवेसह मुलींची जबाबदारी उचलली. एलपीएफ पॉलिटेक्निकच्या उपाध्यक्ष आणि सेके ट्यूच हीचचे व्यवस्थापकीय संचालक नॉर्बर्ट कनिंग यानी या करारवर स्वाक्षरी केली. यावेळी 'एलपीएफ' मुखेल लीला पुनावाला, संस्थापक निरंजन निरंजन पुनावाला आणि मुख्य कार्यकारी अधिकारी प्रीती कोरे उपस्थित होत्या. लीला पुनावाला म्हणाल्या, 'ही पहिलीच वेळ आहे की आमचा एक चांटेर आमच्या म्युनिसिपल कॉलेजच्या मुलींना पाठिंब्या देत आहे. माझा विश्वास आहे की, या मुलींमध्ये व्यक्तिमत्त्व विकास करण्याचे आणि व्यक्तिगत महत्वाकांक्षा निर्माण करण्याची ही योग्य वेळ आहे. यामुळे या मुली योग्य मार्गाने पुढे जातील आणि पदवीची आणि पदव्युत्तर शिक्षण घेण्याकरील लक्ष केंद्रित करतील.'

Sakaal

PUNE NEWS

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Sandvik Asia Pledges To Support 126 Lila Girls Over 5 Years



Punekar News

लीला पुनावाला फाउंडेशनतर्फे शाळा आणि संस्थाना सॅनिटायझर

पुणे : लीला पुनावाला फाउंडेशनने २० हजारहून अधिक शाळा आणि धर्मदायी संस्थाना सॅनिटायझरचे वाटप केले. या उपक्रमासाठी व्हॉलंट्स इंडस्ट्रीजची मदत झाली. पुणे शहर आणि परिसरातील खेड्यांमधील धर्मादाय संस्था, रुग्णालये आणि अनाथाश्रमांमध्ये २० हजारहून अधिक सॅनिटायझरच्या वाटप्यात देण्यात आल्या. यामध्ये विलु पुनावाला स्कूल, डॉ. सायरस पुनावाला स्कूल, सेंट क्लेअर स्कूल, डॉ. एल्युकेन मराठी शाळा, डॉ. कलनाडी श्यामराव हायस्कूल, श्रीना स्कूल, अंतुमन स्कूल, बागसाहेब पवार कन्या शाळा, नोबल स्नेह स्कूल, कामेशा, हिरकणी मराठी शाळा, गावडेवाडी, एलजी स्कूल, चांदोरी जिल्हा परिषद शाळा, मंथर प्राथमिक शाळा या शाळांचा समावेश आहे. साधू वासनाजी मिशन, महामा गांधी अनाथाश्रम, पाचगणीतील बेल एअर हॉस्पिटल, एच. व्ही. देसाई नेत्र रुग्णालय, तेहनी हॅट नरींग कॉलेज, मिनिटरी हॉस्पिटल, किर्ली, आर्मी हॉस हॉस्पिटल आणि सिम्बायोसिस हॉस्पिटलमध्ये देखील सॅनिटायझरचे वितरण करण्यात आले.

Kesari

महाराष्ट्र लोकमान्य

1000 परिवारां को जीवनायक वस्तुओं का वितरण
लीला पुनावाला फाउंडेशन की ओरफ-10 में मदद
पुणे, महाराष्ट्र - लीला पुनावाला फाउंडेशन (एलपीएफ)ने 1000 परिवारां को जीवनायक वस्तुओं का वितरण के लिए एक कार्यक्रम आयोजित किया। कार्यक्रम में लीला पुनावाला, फाउंडेशन की चेयरपर्सन, और अन्य अधिकारी शामिल थे। वितरण के दौरान, लीला पुनावाला ने कहा कि फाउंडेशन का उद्देश्य है कि सभी बच्चों को शिक्षा और विकास के अवसर प्राप्त हों।

Navabharat Times

महाराष्ट्र लोकमान्य



लीला पुनावाला फाउंडेशन कडून ४७७ शालेय मुलींना शिष्यवृत्ती प्रदान

Maharashtra Lokmanch

विद्यार्थ्यांलकू ఉపకార వేతనాల పంపిణీ



విశాఖపట్నం - హైదరాబాద్ : ఆర్థిక పరిస్థితుల కారణంగా విద్యకు దూరం అవుతున్న విద్యార్థులకు లీల పునావల్లా ఫౌండేషన్ చేయూతనందిస్తుంది. ఈ సందర్భంగా నగర విద్యార్థులకు వారు ఆర్థిక సహాయం చేసేందుకు ముందుకొచ్చింది. మెహదీపట్నంలోని నారాయణమ్మ కళాశాలలో విద్యార్థులు చేసిన కార్యక్రమంలో సంస్థ 187 మంది ఇంజనీరింగ్ విద్యార్థులకు ఉపకార వేతనాలు అందించింది. ఈ కార్యక్రమంలో ఎల్పీఎఫ్ నిర్వహకురాలు లైలా పునావల్లా, హెచ్ఎస్ టీన్ ప్రతినిధి వినాయక్ చింతపర్తి తదితరులు పాల్గొన్నారు.

Visalandhra

Indian Express

शुभलाभ

लीला पुनावाला फाउंडेशन द्वारा 187 मेधावी छात्राओं को प्रदान की गई छात्रवृत्ति

हैदराबाद (तुमलाभ समूह)। लीला पुनावाला फाउंडेशन (एलपीएफ) ने अपनी सेवा के 25 वर्ष पूर्ण करने हेतु सन् 187 उत्कृष्ट मेधावी छात्रिकाओं को अवार्ड व छात्रवृत्ति प्रदान की। वर्षा जल को सुरक्षित के अलावा, कार्यक्रम के मुख्य अतिथि एलएफपीएफ टेक्नोलॉजी इंडिया के मुख्य परिचालन अधिकारी विजयपाल अग्रवाल, अहमदनगर इंडिया एवं मोहन इंडिया विभाग (मिनीयू) एवं एलपीएफ इंडिया के मुख्य मानव संसाधन अधिकारी रमेश कुमार सिंह ने प्राग तेकर मेधावी छात्रिकाओं की सारांश करते हुए फाउंडेशन द्वारा विवेक जा रहे अग्रवाल के अलावा मेधावी छात्राओं की सारांश की। अग्रवाल पर फाउंडेशन की मेधावर्तन लीला पुनावाला, संस्थापक टुट्टी निरंजन पुनावाला, सीईओ प्रिंति

Shubhalabh

ఇంజనీరింగ్ విద్యార్థులకు ఎల్పీఎఫ్ స్కాలర్షిప్



హైదరాబాద్, అక్టోబర్ 12 (తమిళనాడు) - హైదరాబాద్లోని ఇంజనీరింగ్ విద్యార్థులకు స్కాలర్షిప్ను ఇవ్వనున్నట్లు లీల పునావల్లా ఫౌండేషన్ ప్రకటించింది. ఈ మేరకు విద్యార్థులు చేసిన సహజతరంగా వ్యవస్థాపకురాలు మాట్లాడుతూ... లీల పునావల్లా మాట్లాడుతూ... చాలాకాల విద్యను తమ సంస్థ ప్రోత్సహిస్తున్నదన్నారు. ఇప్పటికే వివిధ రాష్ట్రాల్లో స్కాలర్షిప్ను అందిస్తున్నామని వివరించారు. హైదరాబాద్లో మాత్రం తమ సేవను కొనసాగించనున్నామని చెప్పింది. అందుకు హెచ్ఎస్ టీన్ స్కాలర్షిప్ సంస్థ సహకారం అందిస్తుందని తెలిపారు.

Andhra Jyoti

పేద విద్యార్థులకు స్కాలర్షిప్స్

సాక్షి, సిటీబ్యూరో: పేద విద్యార్థులకు స్కాలర్షిప్స్ అందించనున్నట్లు నగరానికి చెందిన లీలా పునావల్లా ఫౌండేషన్ (ఎల్పీఎఫ్) ప్రతినిధులు తెలిపారు. చదువులో చక్కని ప్రతిభ ఉన్నప్పటికీ, ఆర్థిక పరిస్థితుల కారణంగా ఇబ్బందులు పడుతున్న బాలికలకు అండగా ఉంటామని వారు తెలిపారు. నగరంలో పాటు మేధుర, మల్కాజిగిరి, రంగారెడ్డి, సంగారెడ్డి జిల్లాల పరిధిలోని కళాశాలల విద్యార్థులకు ఈ నెల 15లోగా 040-3581274, 040-35815931లో సంప్రదించవచ్చని చెప్పారు. www.lpf scholarship.comలో లాగిన్ కావాలని సూచించారు.

Sakshi

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Lila Poonawalla Foundation

Leading Indian Ladies Ahead

From My Heart...

My dear Daughters, Friends and Well Wishers,

In last 6 months, almost every person's life has become happy Turkey. COVID-19 virus, now known as COVID 19 has brought upheaval in every walk of life. Economy is stressed. All companies, establishments and businesses have taken a great knock. Education has suffered and still remains a dilemma for all students and teachers equally. Over 10 million people left their jobs and migrated back to their homes. All the planes are grounded, restaurants are closed, all services have come to almost a standstill. Only businesses like oil, trains, which are run by the government may have had less impact, but positively they also have suffered. Banking system is severely affected. With all this we are trying our level best to ensure that our foundation is holding strong. We have kept going. Many of the staff worked from home and we continue to pay salaries not only to our staff but also to our service providers. How long this will continue is anybody's guess. We request the entire LPF family to keep on praying so that some normalcy returns at the earliest.

Obviously we all have to change our ways of work. To start with all our training and skill development programs have gone on line. In this period of 4 months April to July we have conducted more than 80 programs on line covering various subject matters. To name a few, Scale up, Graduate Leadership Program, Catalyze, Six Sigma, Emotional Excellence, Stress Management, Effective utilization of Preparation Leave, Personality Development, Attitude Building, mentor together, Skillmini App. Including Artificial Intelligence, block chain, Data analytics, financial management and many such other relevant subjects. What is interesting that even English courses have been conducted on line for our school children too. We are indeed obliged to the trainers who very quickly changed over to adopt the new methods, and also our Partners who came forward to pool in their resources to reach out to too many more girls covering many relevant topics. Even our Alumni has come forward to participate in this challenge. We have thus come to the conclusion that all programs will be conducted on line as these have turned out to be more effective and also participation has increased by leaps and bounds.

This is our Foundation's 25th year. We had many plans to celebrate this special milestone in the life of our beloved Foundation and also an important phase in the life of Dad and me. But at present that seems a bit difficult. We will wait and watch. In the meantime, we will do whatever is possible on line. We are even planning to do the entire scholarship process on line. We have already started to receive the claims on line. That is working quite smoothly. Besides applications submissions, we have also decided to do the selection interviews on line. It is surely going to be very exciting to do all this in a new way. Turning over a new page, applying new technologies, in the 25th year of our existence.

You all must have read various communications through our foundation social media about the work the foundation is doing for supporting the COVID effected people. Both helping our own girls and wherever possible even others, with, monthly rations. Dad was personally monitoring this project and was present at every distribution site. Of course, he took all the precautions that were required. More details in this issue in a separate article.

Now to create better awareness about COVID-19 and precautionary measures around it, Dad has decided to orient all our girls on this subject on line, in batches.



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Lila Poonawalla Foundation

Leading Indian Ladies Ahead

From My Heart...

Dear Daughters,

2020 was quite a year! It was an unprecedented year but we made it through. We all hit the reset button and paused. What a gift. We dug deep. Prioritized. Found hidden talents. Reconnected. Learned a lot and did whatever it takes to make things possible. Air quality improved. Wildlife roamed free. Virtual life soared. Amazing how the whole year has evaporated is just unbelievable.

This was a year for CELEBRATION for our Foundation. SILVER JUBILEE CELEBRATION. Crossing the 25th year Milestone is not something that can be ignored. 25 years of hard work, commitment, dedication all rolled into one to succeed in growing from 20 girls to 9000 plus girls. This is a great milestone in our life. We had planned many events to ensure that this year remains etched in our memory for ever. It is true that this year will remain etched in our memories for ever, but for different reasons. Everything that we had planned for our beloved Foundation went for a toss. How at the same time this one year has evaporated we do not know. Nothing worked as per the plans.

To start with the existing scholarship recipient, could not have exams. So, no results. They could not come for claims. Budgets were disrupted. No training programs, no face-to-face interactions. Selection process for new batch for academic year 2020-2021 could not happen as there were no admission, no exams. Further confusion as the government kept changing the dates. This led to a lot of confusion and stress both for students as also for us. There was continuous rescheduling of dates for application submission, interview schedules, award functions, orientation programs, training programs, all got disrupted and had to be rescheduled not once but many times to suit the people. So many of our citizens had very little to eat for a nutritious meal so that their immunity increases and they can fight Virus and diseases. Many of us were dislodged from the comfort of our job and homes. Many of us were separated from our families and friends. However, the best discovery is that we still are able to work reasonably effectively, maintain relations, appreciate the value of friendships. In fact, some of the functions are performed better on line, like training programs.

Covid 19 virus. Nobody is to be blamed, but the students have gone through a tough time. Even presently it is not clear how things will turn out. Will school/colleges open soon? Will exams take place as scheduled? Will new admissions for academic year 21-22 take place in time, so we can move on to some regularity in our work? All a BIG QUESTION MARK. All we can say is wait and watch. The learning cycle from all this is one. That nothing is inevitable nor what we claim as important is found to be that we can do without it. At present we are learning how to keep ourselves alive. Churches, temples, mosques all are closed (All worship). We find that GOD exists in our hearts and in our HOME. We pray at home. We do not have to built a palace in God's name to pray. Social distance has become the order of the day. We need not give birthday parties, and go to restaurants. We don't even have to meet our relatives and friends. No big weddings. Travelling is tabooed. We do not go to office to work, but WFH. All meetings are zoom, team links or such platforms. And the best discovery is that we still are able to work reasonably effectively. In fact, some of the functions are performed better on line.

But one thing is still valid and more so now, and that is empathy. In our Foundation we have learned that we have to support needy and underprivileged people. So many of our citizens had very little to eat for a nutritious meal so that their immunity increases and they can fight Virus and diseases. Many of us were dislodged from the comfort of our job and homes. Many of us were separated from our families and friends. However, the best discovery is that we still are able to work reasonably effectively, maintain relations, appreciate the value of friendships. In fact, some of the functions are performed better on line, like training programs.

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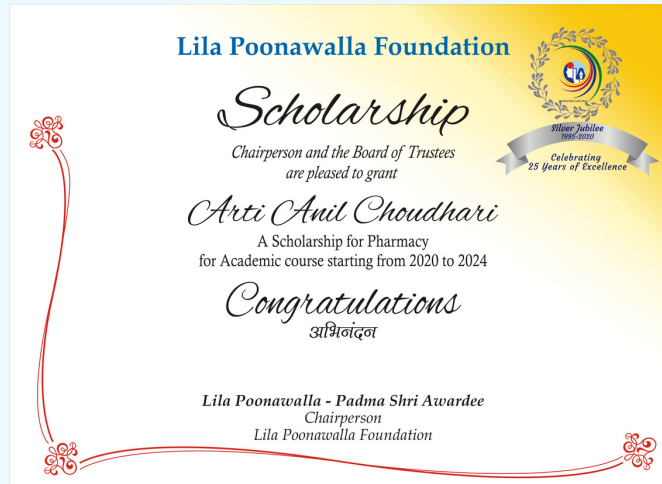


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LPF Events: A year of celebrations

Throughout out 2020-21 LPF had a series of award functions to welcome the new batch of LILA Daughters. This year the award functions were organized in a manner that would ensure limited number of partners, girls and parents, maintaining social distancing protocols for Covid-19.

1) LPF Events - School/ UG-PG Scholarship Award Functions



We had 11 award functions to welcome our new batch of LILA Daughters, complete with the COVID-19 Social Distancing Protocols. This being our 25th Year, the awardees got a newly designed certificate with the LPF Silver Jubilee Logo.

School Scholarship Award Function

LPF welcomed 250 new LILA Juniors under the School Project - '2Morrow 2Gether' in its ever growing family.



UG-PG Scholarship Award Function

LPF welcomed 1240 LILA Girls & LILA Fellows in Pune, WAN and Hyderabad under the Undergraduate and Postgraduate Project in its ever growing family. Keeping in mind COVID-19 restrictions, 11 Award Functions were held.



LPF 25th Anniversary: Special Feature

LPF Thought Leadership Series

As a part of our 25th Anniversary year long celebrations, We invited our Board of Trustees and Corporate Leaders to be the speakers for this series. With diverse topics such as Positivity, Motivation, Knowing your rights, Future of Technology, Balancing Conflicts and Personal Stories, 1,000+ LILA Daughters, cumulatively have benefited from this series.



Food Grain Distribution for LILA Juniors & their Families

Many LILA Daughters and their families suffered largely because of the pandemic. Many parents of the LILA Juniors, lost their jobs and income, which led to scarcity of food and uncertainties. To combat these issues and to begin LPF's 25th year, LPF's Founder Trustee Mr. Firoz Poonawalla carried out food grain and essential kits distribution for the affected families of LILA Juniors. Over 3,300 families have benefited from this noble initiative.



LPF Heroes

A social media campaign marked to celebrate the heroes of LPF i.e. the scholarship recipients over the last 25 years. This campaign narrates the stories of the LILA Daughters in their own words.

LPF Heroes
Meet Sneha, LILA Girl 2014, Chandrapur,
Bachelor of Pharmacy

Celebrating 25 Years of Excellence

"My name is Sneha and I am a LILA Girl 2014. Pharmacy is my father's dream. I come from Karanja, Chandrapur, Nagpur Division."

I was studying when financial difficulties were again knocking on my door. My strong desire led me to the LPF Scholarship. Confidently, I applied for the scholarship in Warbur and got selected.

The scholarship helped relieve my family's burden and supported me to complete my education. While pursuing my academics, I also participated in the skill building and training programs. These programs played an important role in boosting my confidence and helped me in getting placed. Today I work in TATA Memorial Hospital as a Pharmacovigilance Analyst.

Sneha
Pharmacovigilance Analyst,
TATA Memorial Hospital,
LILA Girl 2014

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LPF Heroes
MEET THE LILA DAUGHTER - DIPALI,
QUALITY SUPERVISOR

Celebrating 25 Years of Excellence

"My name is Dipali and I am a LILA Girl 2014. Growing up in a family where no dream was too big or small, Dipali had her sights set on becoming an Engineer."

Dipali's mother is a home-maker while her father is a laborer. Apart from Dipali's education, her father also had to look after her siblings' education expenses. Knowing the pressure her father was under, Dipali looked for options to fund her education.

Dipali came to know about the LPF Scholarship and applied and was selected. Dipali worked hard and focused on doing her best. She studied hard and attended the skill building and training programs that LPF organized. The program helped Dipali in building herself and her confidence.

Dipali completed her Engineering after Diploma and is now working as a Quality Supervisor. Dipali credits LPF for supporting her dreams and for giving her the strength to withstand any and every hurdle. Life threw at her. Today Dipali and her brother take care of their family's finances.

DIPALI, LILA GIRL 2014
QUALITY SUPERVISOR
RAJA PLASTICS &
ENGINEERING CO. PVT. LTD.

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LPF Heroes (LILA Girls - Nursing)
Meet Gayatri, Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Celebrating 25 Years of Excellence

"My name is Gayatri and I am a proud LILA Girl 2015. I was always drawn towards doing something for the betterment of the community and society at large. I decided that I wanted to be a Nurse and gave the great cause of humanity. I had everything that was required to be a Nurse. What I didn't have was the finances."

Growing up in Warbur, I saw my father (he is a farmer) toil in fields. Despite his hard work, we never made enough money. I came across the LPF Scholarship for Nursing and applied. My selection paved the way towards my dream. The training programs assisted in honing my nursing skills and helped me figure out my strengths on weekdays.

I now work as a Community Health Officer and helping those in need in the isolated areas of Gadchiroli. I want to thank LPF for giving me the wings to fly and achieve my dreams."

Gayatri
Community Health Officer, Gadchiroli
LILA Girl 2015

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LPF Heroes
MEET THE LILA DAUGHTER - POOJA,
APPLICATION SENIOR ANALYST

Celebrating 25 Years of Excellence

Pooja, a girl with a million dreams. Pooja's father is an Auto Rickshaw driver and her mother works at a Papad Factory. Growing up in a house with working parents meant that Pooja had to take on responsibilities at home.

As in most working class households, financial instability was a hindrance. Pooja wanted to pursue engineering, the lack of finances were holding her dreams back.

Not the one to give up, Pooja looked for ways to help support her education. She came across the LPF Scholarship for Undergraduate studies and applied. She was selected. Pooja was chosen among the thousand odd hopefuls that came for the interview.

After she was awarded the LPF Scholarship, Pooja's life turned around quickly. She worked hard and studied hard, as she knew that there was no alternative to hardwork and sincerity. She also attended the skill building and training programs that LPF organized.

Today, Pooja is working as an Application Senior Analyst and proudly taking on the financial responsibilities at home.

POOJA, LILA GIRL 2015
APPLICATION SENIOR ANALYST
ACCEPTANCE SOFTWARE

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LPF Heroes
MEET THE LILA DAUGHTER - RASIKA,
SOLUTION ENGINEER

Celebrating 25 Years of Excellence

Coming from a financially weak background is easy as a dream to pursue a professional degree of your choice can be easily achieved but when you don't come from a financially stable background, a lot of those dreams are crashing down. Rasika's story was quite similar. A former's daughter, Rasika and her siblings had to struggle long and hard to pursue an education. With many loads and responsibilities to take care of, the financial burden for pursuing an education was too much to bear. Rasika's father couldn't afford to pay her fees for Engineering. That is when Rasika started looking for options to fund her education.

She got to know about LPF and applied for the Scholarship. Rasika was selected. The LPF Scholarship enabled her to begin a new chapter in her life.

With the financial burden considerably reduced, Rasika spread her wings and focused on her studies. She completed her degree and is now working as a Solution Engineer. A far cry from what she was eight years ago. Rasika is now a confident young woman, who has taken on the financial responsibilities for her family.

RASIKA, LILA GIRL 2013
SOLUTION ENGINEER
VUNET SYSTEMS PVT. LTD.

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LPF Heroes
Meet our COVID Warrior - Gepi

Celebrating 25 Years of Excellence

"My name is Gepi and I work as a Nurse in the Symbiosis Hospital and Research Center. I feel proud to belong to a profession that puts humanity first. Being a Nurse, I wear my uniform like a 'Badge of Honor'."

I thank LPF for giving me a chance to complete my education and be a part of the Healthcare Professionals community.

For the past three months I have been on COVID Duty. Everyday I see numerous COVID positive patients come in for treatment. This pandemic has truly made me realize how strong and resilient, we humans are. Wish this virus ends soon."

Gepi
Nurse, Jupiter Hospital Pune
LILA Girl 201

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LPF Heroes
Meet the LILA Daughter (LPF Alum) - Kirti
working for the Government (Central/State)

Celebrating 25 Years of Excellence

"My name is Kirti and I work as a Rehabilitation Officer (Deputy Collector)."

I received the LPF Scholarship for pursuing MSc in Agriculture. At the time of receiving the scholarship, my father worked as an Sr. Accountant in CDOA and my brothers were studying.

My first ever posting was in the year 1999. I worked as a Tahsildar, after clearing my MPSC Exams. Since then there has been no looking back.

I would like to take a moment and thank LPF for all that they have done for me.

Kirti
District Rehabilitation Officer (Deputy Collector)
LILA Fellow 1997

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LPF Heroes
Meet the LILA Daughter -
Marjina (LPF Alum)
who is a successful Engineer

Celebrating 25 Years of Excellence

"It was in 2012, that I received the scholarship. My family's financial condition wasn't very good. We were struggling to make ends meet. Managing my fees and my brother's fees was a huge challenge. I received the LPF Scholarship at a time when my family was struggling. It was god sent. LPF helped my knowledge grow. It enhanced my skills. Through the skill building and training programs. The training I received, helped me clear interviews."

Today I am placed in Hexaware, I recently got married and bought a new house. My family's financial condition has also improved tremendously, since the received the scholarship. Thank you LPF for supporting me. It is because of you, that I completed my engineering and became financially independent."

Marjina
Senior Software Engineer - Hexaware
Technologies
LPF Alum (LILA Girl 2012)

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Meet the LILA Daughters (LPF Alums) working for the Government (Central/State)

Celebrating 25 years of excellence

"I grew up with a strong desire to work hard and build a productive life. Growing up in a single income household, life was certainly not easy. My father worked as a Mechanic in the MSRTC and my mother is a home-maker. With a per month salary of 8000 rupees, my father had many mouths to feed. I did my specialization in Biomedical Engineering. I worked with Massena Hospital as a Trainee. Since 2018, I have been working with NRIHM Palghar as an IPHS Coordinator. Working for the state government, has opened multiple windows of opportunities for me. Today I have not only been able to secure my financial future but also my family's future as well."

Pratyoti Sankpal
IPHS Coordinator - NRIHM Palghar
LPF Alum (LILA Girl 2014)

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"My name is Priyanka and I am proud to be called a LILA Girl. I consider LILA Mom (Mrs. Lila Poonawalla) to be my role model. I lost my father, when I was a child, ever since then it was my mother, who became the man of the house, raised me and my brother. I also took tuitions to help ease the financial burden, my mother had. We weren't financially well off, by any means and receiving the LPF Scholarship was a boon. It not only helped me financially but also helped me to enhance my skills which in turn helped me clear my services exams. Fast forward to today, I now work as a State Tax Inspector at Bhayandar, Thane and my brother, also an Engineer is working at a Multinational."

Priyanka Kulrani
State Tax Inspector - Maharashtra GST Department, Thane
LPF Alum (LILA Girl 2011)

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"My name is Komal and I am a proud LILA Fellow. LPF was the wind beneath my wings. It helped me succeed at every walk of life. I came from a large family I have 3 siblings, one than me and two younger than me. It was in 2012, that I received the LPF scholarship for postgraduation. At that time, the financial situation in my house was not good. My mother made and delivered efforts to make ends meet. My sister and I took tuitions to help around. I pursued my passion and today I am working as a Sales Tax Inspector. My elder brother is working at Cognizant, younger sister is working with Vodafone and my younger brother is pursuing higher studies in Germany. My mother is happy. All of this has been possible because of LPF and for that I am forever thankful."

Komal Rathaparkhe
Sales Tax Inspector - GST Office, Thane
LPF Alum (LILA Fellow) 2012

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"I was pursuing Engineering, when I received the LPF Scholarship. My father worked in a farm and my mother worked in a hospital. Our financial situation was always a stumbling block in my path. LPF helped me, not just for my academics but also through the skill building and training programs. LPF's support led me to become strong and confident. Today I am working as an Assistant Engineer - Grade II at the Irrigation Department. Today I feel proud that my education and hardwork helped me to become a contributor to my family's financial as well as emotional well-being."

Nisha Yadav
Assistant Engineer - Grade II
Irrigation Department
LPF Alum (LILA Girl) 2010

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"My name is Prathiba and I am a LILA Girl 2013. It was in the year 2013 that I was awarded the LPF Scholarship to pursue Bachelor of Pharmacy."

I come from a happy and hardworking family. My father is a pharmacist (electronics) who runs a small shop. My mother is a home-maker and brother is studying. Seven years ago my dream to pursue a career in Pharmacy seemed highly distant. My father's income was not sufficient enough to support the needs of our family.

I applied for the LPF scholarship and got selected. The scholarship eased my father's financial burden and it also opened new windows of opportunities for me.

I attended the skill building and training program which enhanced my skills and prepared me for the future. Today I work as a formulation Scientist in North Carolina USA. Today I am proud to say that I am not only financially independent but I also look after my family. I am happy that the scholarship enabled me to study hard, work and look after my family."

Prathiba
Formulation Scientist - Targis Pharma Ltd, USA
LILA Girl 2013

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"My name is Kalpana and I am a LILA Girl 2013. I was in Warbur when I was awarded the LPF Scholarship to pursue Bachelors Degree in Pharmacy. At the time of receiving the scholarship, my father was the only earning member of my family. I have two sisters, both on medical fees and my mother was a home-maker. The LPF Scholarship was awarded to me at the right time, as it helped to ease the financial burden of my father. The skill building and training programs that LPF conducted, not only enhanced my knowledge, they played a key role in shaping my personality and confidence. My mother passed away during the first year of my graduation. She was suffering from blood cancer. Her death shook me to the core but it also gave me the confidence to pursue, independently. Today I am working as pharmacist. I have not only become financially independent but I also contribute towards my household expenses, easing my father's burden. All of this has only been possible due to LPF and for that I am forever grateful."

Kalpana
Pharmacist - Noble Plus Pharmacy & S&H Care
LILA Girl 2013

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MEET THE LILA DAUGHTER - SIMRAN,
APPLICATION DEVELOPER

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For some people giving up is never an option. Simran, a LILA Girl 2014, had her sights set on becoming successful.

Simran and her sister grew up with their mother, who worked as a Tailor and was also a home-maker. Having a mother who worked to give her daughters the best life possible, Simran and her sister studied hard. Managing Simran's and her sister's education expenses was a challenge that Simran was well aware of.

Simran applied for the LPF Scholarship in the year 2014 and was selected. With Simran being awarded the scholarship, the financial burden was lifted, considerably. Simran completed her education and is now working with ThoughtWorks as an Application Developer and her sister is pursuing PhD in Earth and Climate Sciences.

SIMRAN, LILA GIRL 2014
APPLICATION DEVELOPER
THOUGHTWORKS

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MEET THE LILA DAUGHTER - NAMRATA,
FUNCTIONAL TEST ENGINEER

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NAMRATA, LILA GIRL 2015
FUNCTIONAL TEST ENGINEER
AMMOCS DIGITAL NETWORK
TECHNOLOGIES COMMUNICATION

Coming from a working class background, comes with its fair share of struggles. Sometimes even managing day to day expenses can be a challenge. Knowing that her family may not be able to support her educational aspirations, Namrata applied for the LPF Scholarship. She was selected and since then there was no looking back.

It was in the year 2015, that Namrata was awarded the LPF Scholarship to pursue her Undergraduate studies in Engineering. Thanks to the scholarship, Namrata's financial burden was taken off and she could focus on studies and work on getting a job. With her past struggles behind her, Namrata is now working as a Functional Test Engineer and taking on bigger responsibilities for her family.

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MEET THE LILA DAUGHTER - MONIKA,
SENIOR SOFTWARE ENGINEER - TESTING

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Growing up in Baranatti, Monika's life was quite different than what it is now. A daughter of a farmer father and home-maker mother, Monika grew up in a different environment.

Her dream was to become an Engineer and an Engineer, she became. Knowing that she couldn't depend on her father's seasonal income to fund her education, she applied for the LPF Scholarship after her Diploma in Engineering.

With high hopes, she traveled to Pune from Baranatti for the LPF Scholarship interview. Monika was selected. Focused, she pursued her Undergraduate Degree with zeal and passion.

Monika, LILA GIRL 2016
SENIOR SOFTWARE ENGINEER - TESTING
BARCELONA

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Meet the LILA Daughter -
Shweta (LPF Alum)
who is a successful Engineer

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"When I received the scholarship I had just passed my 12th std and was about to start my BE. At that time my father was the only earning member for my family so it was challenging for my mother to manage all the household expenses. My parents always provided us the best."

It was difficult for me as the engineering fees were around 80-90k per year. LPF made it possible for me to do the soft skills courses or resume building, all the training sessions conducted by LPF made me capable of working in an IT world and be more confident.

I live with my parents and a younger sister in Pune. Now that I have started earning, I am able to financially support my family and take responsibility for educating my younger sister. LPF has definitely made a valuable difference in my life. It was because of LPF that I could pursue my engineering and secure a good paying job."

Shweta
DWH/BI Developer - Amnocs
LPF Alum (LILA Girl 2013)

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MEET THE LILA DAUGHTER - PRIYA,
APPLICATION PROJECT MANAGER

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Everyone in the world has an ambition, each one of us want to do something and succeed in life. Priya was no different. Growing up, Priya had the desire to work hard and succeed. Financial instability was her stumbling block. Her family's inability to fund her education, paved the way for a life altering journey.

After completing her Diploma, Priya applied for the LPF Scholarship and was selected. With the financial burden gone, Priya focused on her studies, she completed her Engineering and is now working with Amnocs as a Project Application Manager. A confident woman leader, Priya has not only managed her work responsibilities but also takes care of her family's financial needs.

PRIYA, LILA GIRL 2013
PROJECT APPLICATION MANAGER
AMNOCs

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MEET THE LILA DAUGHTER - NILAM,
ORACLE SCM FUNCTIONAL CONSULTANT

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NILAM, LILA GIRL 2012
ORACLE SCM FUNCTIONAL CONSULTANT
DENALI

Nilam wanted to be an Engineer, ambitious and unaware of the realities of life, Nilam pursued Diploma in Engineering from the Government Polytechnic. After completing her Diploma, Nilam had two choices, either to pursue the lack of financial resources or reluctantly look for ways to fund her dream, she chose the latter.

Nilam applied for the LPF Scholarship for Engineering after Diploma, she appeared for the interview and got selected. The LPF Scholarship, in Nilam's words was a "New Beginning", as it opened new doors of opportunities. Nilam credits LPF for helping her become a confident woman leader. Priya has not only managed her work responsibilities but also takes care of her family's financial needs.

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Our Partners in FY 2020 - 2021

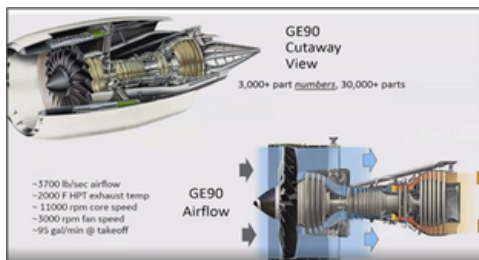


Our Facilitating Partners



Corporate Volunteering

Our Corporate volunteers conducted career guidance, academic subjects coaching, corporate employability program, campus readiness workshops, technical training, leadership and professional skills development programs, to name a few, which helped our LILA girls to gain additional inputs and make them more confident and industry ready.



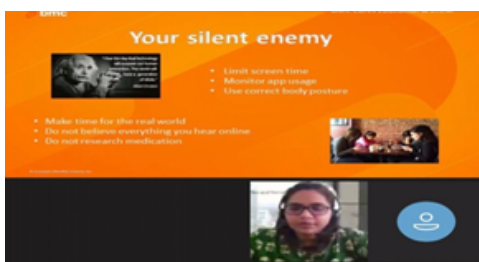
Working of Aircraft Engine by GE Aviation



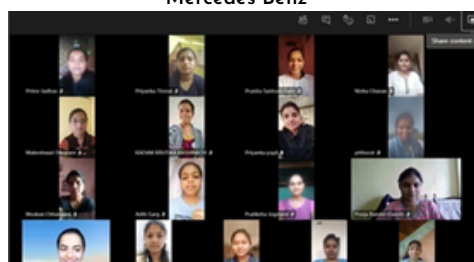
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Leadership session by ABB



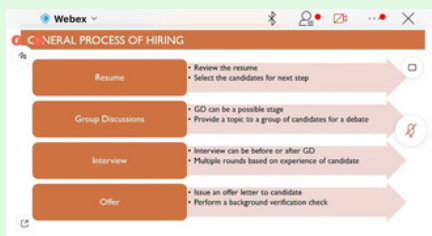
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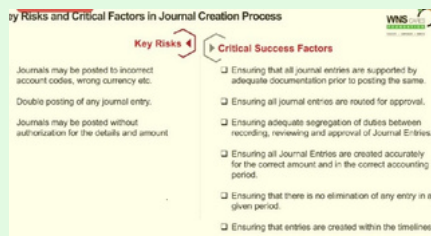
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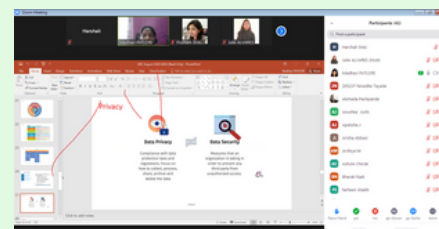
Confidence Building by Concentrix



Interview Preparation by
Cognizant Technology Solutions



Accountancy Practices by
WNS for School Project LILA Seniors and Girls
pursuing Commerce



Cyber Security by
HSBC Technology India

Some of the other Corporate Partners who have conducted Employee Volunteering Programs include Alfa Laval, Amdocs, CRANE, FICCI Flo, HDFC ERGO, Mukul Madhav Foundation, TATA Technologies and TATA Toyo Radiator.

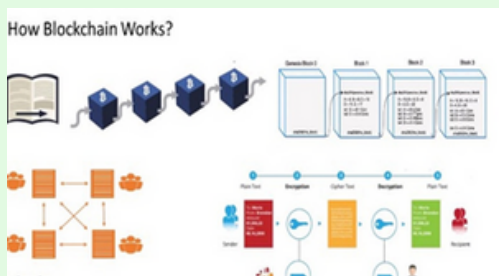
Fundraising with Ansys Inc.

In a first of its kind initiative, ANSYS Inc. chose Lila Poonawalla Foundation (LPF) for a virtual Fundraiser campaign, it was here that LPF was given an opportunity to be a Non-Profit partner of Ansys APAC region. The APAC and India Team for ANSYS Inc. together raised funds for LPF. These donations are utilized for LPF's undergraduate scholarship project. A total of INR Rs. 27 Lac were raised through this initiative, wherein ANSYS Inc. matched the employee contributions.

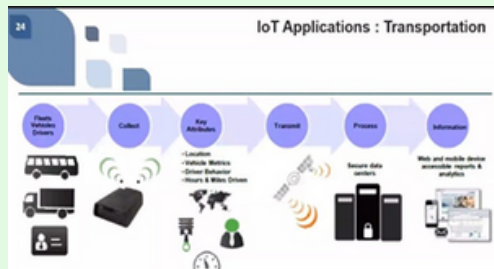


LPF in association with Atlas Copco (India) Ltd. presents Corporate Readiness Program (CRP)

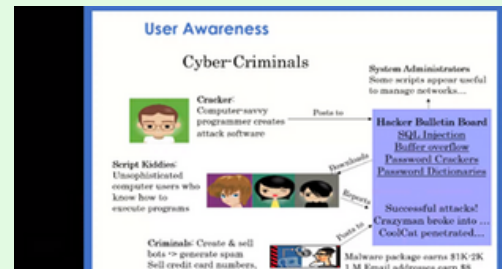
LPF launched a certification program named 'Corporate Readiness Program' (CRP) in association with our corporate partner, Atlas Copco (India) Ltd. The modules included technical, professional communication, campus readiness and skill building sessions. Overall 210 LILA Girls benefited from this distinctive and result oriented initiative facilitated by reputed faculties and accomplished professionals who are experts in their respective domains



Block Chain



Internet of Things



Cyber Security

Some of Our Partners' say it best



"The partnership with Lila Poonawalla Foundation has not only enabled Seco Tools to support the LILA Daughters financially but to also educate them on what our Organization stands for."

- Norbert König, Vice President - Asia Pacific and Managing Director - India, Seco Tools

"Through our partnership we aim at giving the girls the opportunities through which they can enhance their knowledge and skills and become productive members of the society."

- Frans Van Niekerk, Managing Director, Atlas Copco (India) Ltd.



"It is a sheer pleasure for Concentrix to partner with LPF. We will continue this work with you and find ways to support and collaborate more."

- Ravinder Singh Rana, SVP - Regional General Manager - India, ASEAN & ANZ, Concentrix

"It is an absolute honour and privilege to be a part of such a noble cause."

- Sakaar Anand, India Head & Head of HR, BMC Software Inc.



"It's been five years since Sandvik has been associated with Lila Poonawalla Foundation. We feel proud to be associated with LPF's diversity and inclusion initiative, which also is a mission of Sandvik Asia."

- Kiran Acharya, Managing Director and Chief Financial Officer, Sandvik Asia Pvt. Ltd.

"ANSYS is committed to the empowerment of women in engineering and such collaborations will help in the long term as they will provide these girls with the right knowledge and skill that will help them make better decisions in future."

- Rafiq Somani, Area Vice President, India and Pacific, ANSYS Inc.



Our Individual Donors

Individual donors comprising of LILA Daughters, Family, Friends and Well-wishers are one of the pillars of LPF. Their contribution enables us to educate and empower more deserving girls.

Sr. No	Category	Amount Donated in FY 2020 - 2021
1	LILA Daughters	INR Rs. 3,76,601
2	Friends, Family and Well-wishers	INR Rs. 5,669,028
	Total	INR Rs. 6,045,629

Some of our Individual Donors' speak

"Everything I am today, I am because of LPF. It has given me something that words cannot describe. For me it is not just about financially supporting the girls, it is also about bringing about a much needed transformation in their lives. I am glad that I am in a position to give back to LPF and support more girls to achieve their dreams."

- Chandrika, LILA Fellow 1996, Business Unit Head, TCS, USA

"I have had the privilege of being associated with LPF, not just as a donor but as a Committee Member as well. You can see a difference between the girls that LPF selects and supports. As an individual donor, I am happy to see the progress of the girls LPF is doing a tremendous job in not just supporting but nurturing the girls as well."

- Dr. Radha Bhat, Embryologist and IVF Specialist, India

"My association with LPF goes long back. I am glad that I chose an NGO like LPF. I feel proud to see the progress, the girls that I supported, have made. Coming from a not so strong financial background to building a life not just for themselves but also their families and communities is truly remarkable. I hope and pray that I am able to support LPF's noble endeavours, for as long as I can."

- Sachin Tikekar, Director, KPIT, India

"It was in LPF, that a strong sense of give back was born. Today through giving back, I am not just financially supporting the girls, I am also enabling them to build a life for themselves, their families and their communities. I hope that the girls I am supporting today, will be able to support other girls, once they are financially strong, thereby beginning a circle of giving."

- Shalaka, LILA Fellow 1999, Lead, Food & Consumables, Google, USA

"We feel so proud to be associated with an experienced non profit like LPF. The work they do is so amazing. What we like about them is that they keep us updated about the girls' progress and how they are doing. We are glad that we are able to make a difference in the lives of these girls through LPF."

- Dr. Alpana Gandhi, Pediatrician and Dinesh Gandhi, Ex-Corporate Leader, USA

"LPF has shaped me, groomed me and nurtured me. It was there for me, when nobody was and for that I am forever grateful. It is due to LPF's support that I am at this position, where I can come forward and show my support. I feel proud to take on the mantle of being an individual donor and nurture those who need it the most."

- Rashmi, LILA Fellow 1999, Product Manager, Dassault Systemes, India

Certificate - Credibility Alliance



Legal Status

State of Registration - Registered Charitable Trust

Registration No. - E-2133(Pune)

Registration Certificate No. - CA/11/2018

Income Tax Registration No. - (under section 12A) 6131

Pan Card No. -AAATLO545M

Income Tax Exemption (under section 80G) - Pn/CIT-I/80G/124/2009-10/4945
(Supported by Circular No. 7/2010)

FCRA No. - 083930535

Balance Sheet

LILA POONAWALLA FOUNDATION THE BOMBAY PUBLIC TRUSTS ACT, 1950 SCHEDULE VII (VIDE RULE 17(I)) REGISTRATION NO. : E - 2133 (PUNE) BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2021					
FUNDS AND LIABILITIES	RS.	RS.	PROPERTY AND ASSETS	RS.	RS.
Trusts Funds and Corpus Balance as per Last Balance Sheet Additions during the year Corpus Donations	6,38,21,741.57 10,00,000.00	6,48,21,741.57	Immovable Properties (at cost) Investments (SCH II) (Market value of the above investments - N.A.)		62,55,65,162.50
Other Earmarked Funds - Depreciation Fund Sinking Fund Reserved Fund Any Other Fund (SCH I)	25,35,02,630.54	25,35,02,630.54	Fixed Assets Balance as per last Balance sheet Additions During the Year Less: Deductions Less: Dep up to Date (SCH III) Closing Balance	68,48,408.45 12,13,162.00 76,828.00 12,32,848.96	67,51,913.50
Loans (Secured and Unsecured) From Trustees From Others			Current Asset Loans (Secured and Unsecured) Loan Scholarships Other Loans		
Liabilities For Expenses For TDS For Securities Deposit	12,69,242.00 40,734.05	13,09,976.05	Advances To Trustees To Scholarship Girls To Lawyers To Others - TDS To Deposit To TDS Recivable from Other parties	18,461.00 13,64,656.12 55,900.00 32,531.00	14,71,548.12
Income and Expenditure Account Balance as per Last Balance Sheet Less: Appropriation, if any Add: Surplus (Deficit) (As per Income and Expenditure Account)	32,04,96,492.04 11,07,14,346.93	43,12,10,838.97	Income Outstanding Rent Interest	3,03,77,199.64	3,03,77,199.64
			Cash and Bank Balance In Current (Savings) Account With the Trustees With the Manager Income and Expenditure Account Balance as per Last Balance Sheet Less: Appropriation, if any Add: Surplus (Deficit) (As per Income and Expenditure Account)	8,66,16,909.37 62,454.00	8,66,79,363.37
TOTAL		75,08,45,187.12	TOTAL		75,08,45,187.12

As per our Report of even date
For Rajeeva Kulkarni & Associates
Chartered Accountants
F.R. NO. - 108348W

Rajeeva Kulkarni
Partner
M. NO. - 034792

Date : 13.10.2021
Place : Pune
UDIN : 21034792AAAEM6884

* Income Outstanding
(If accounts are kept on cash basis)
Rent
Interest
Other Income
Total Rs.

The above Balance Sheet to the best of
my / our belief contains true account of
the Funds and Liabilities and of the
Property & Assets of the Trust.

TRUSTEES

Income & Expenditure

LILA POONAWALLA FOUNDATION THE BOMBAY PUBLIC TRUSTS ACT, 1950 SCHEDULE IX (VIDE RULE 17(I)) REGISTRATION NO. : E - 2133 (PUNE)					
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31.03.2021					
EXPENDITURE	RS.	RS.	INCOME	RS.	RS.
To Expenditure in respect of Properties Rates and Taxes Repairs and Maintenance Salaries Insurance Depreciation Other Expenses			By Rent (Accrued) (Realised)		
To Establishment Expenses - (SCH- IV)		1,68,78,038.42	By Interest (Accrued) (Realised)		
To Capital Loss			On Securities On Others On Loans On Bank Account	3,66,87,487.90 34,78,806.00	4,01,66,293.90
To Remuneration to Head of the math including his household expenditure, if any			By Covid-19 Donations		16,27,410.00
To Legal Expenses		1,18,000.00	By Donations in Cash and Kind		23,68,42,994.95
To Audit Fees			By Income from other Sources - Sale of Forms and Books - Assets Sold - Others Profit on MF	7,56,375.60 13,51,310.57	24,82,326.08
To Contribution and Fees			By Mis. Income	29,656.86	
To Amount written off Bad Debts Loan Scholarships Inrecoverable rents Other Items (TDS) written off To Misc. Expenses To Depreciation (SCH III) To Amount transferred to Reserve and Surplus To Expenditure on objects of the Trust Religious Education - (SCH- V) Medical Relief Other Charitable Objects		12,32,848.96 15,07,38,512.63 14,37,278.00	By Interest on I.T Refund	3,44,983.05	
To Surplus carried over to Balance Sheet		11,07,14,346.93			
TOTAL		28,11,19,024.93	TOTAL		28,11,19,024.93

AS PER OUR REPORT OF EVEN DATE
FOR RAJEEVA KULKARNI AND ASSOCIATES
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS
F.R. NO. - 108348W

Rajeeva Kulkarni
Partner
M. NO. 034792

Date : 13.10.2021
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