

Incredible One Year Journey

FROM APRIL 10' 2020 TO APRIL 10' 2021















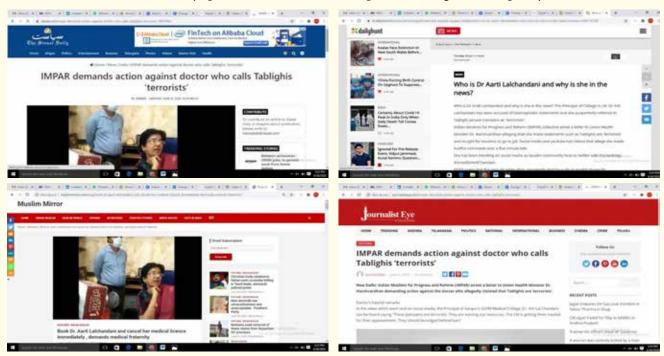






Genesis of IMPAR

In the month of March 2020, when the Corona pandemic started exploding in India, a concerted campaign was launched across the news media platforms—print, digital, and television—and social media to blame of this explosion on a small congregation held in Nazimuddin, New Delhi, by a Muslim organisation—Tablighi Jamaat. This propaganda acquired such shrill level that Tablighi Jamaat members—and by implication Muslims of India—were blamed to deliberately spread Corona in India as a part of some grand conspiracy.



The sheer scale of negative imagery build-up generated concern and sense of insecurity among the community across the nation. This led to intensive and extensive dialogues and consultations on net-meetings among a diverse group of over 200 Muslims—from Business, Professional, Politics, Social, Religious, and other domains—to find a way out to stop and reverse such image building.





These deliberations culminated in the formation of an organisation, IMPAR—Indian Muslims for Progress and Reforms—on 10th April 2020 to work for improving the image and perception of Indian Muslim through outreach, engagement, and community reforms. IMPAR was envisioned as a "Think Tank cum Resource Centre", which was tasked to function as the apex national forum for research, advocacy, monitoring, and response centre on issues concerning Indian Muslims by engaging with key stakeholders to make a meaningful difference to the society and the nation.

VISION

To change the Image and Perceptions of Indian Muslims through;

- Proactive policy and media engagement
- Initiation of positive social actions
- Cultivation of leadership opportunities for women and young people
- Facilitation of access to quality education, and economic opportunities

MISSION

IMPAR aims to function the preeminent National Forum for

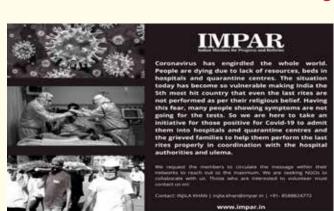
- Research & Advocacy, Strategic Planning, Coordinated Actions, Monitoring, and Response Center on Issues Concerning India Muslims
- Engaging with Key Stakeholders to make a meaningful difference to our community and Nation's Growth, Prosperity, & Harmony

Seeking Relief for Tablighi Jamaat Members

IMPAR came into existence as a response to the vilification and persecution of the members of Tablighi Jamaat. Therefore, in the initial period, IMPAR provided relief to Tablighi Jamaat members who were wrongly incarnated or facing unjust scrutiny by the local administration. The irony was these people were quarantined for so many days, even when none of them found Corona positive.

With the collective effort of few individuals, including Mr. MH Khan-IAS, ex-Secretary, GOI, Mr. HK Paliwal-ex Secretary to CM, General Zameeruddin Shah, Dr. MJ Khan, and many others, IMPAR managed to get Tablighi Jamaat members released who were languishing in jails and various quarantine centres across the country for many weeks. These included around 250 Tablighi members lodged in Baraut for over 50 days, 55 locked in quarantine in a school in Gonda for 40 days, and few more at different places.

Formulation and Sharing of COVID-19 Guidelines





IMPAR prepared the guidelines as per the SOP and protocol for preventive measures to contain spread of COV-ID 19 in religious places/places of worship. Similarly, the guidelines were prepared for observing Ramzan fast and Tarawih (special prayers), while ensuring the lockdown norms. IMPAR also coordinated with the Imams of various masjids across the country on giving directions about praying Friday and other namaz at home. These guidelines were circulated in news media and social media as well.

The festival of Eid-ul-Fitr and Eid-ul-Azha was also scheduled during the peak of the pandemic and the general lockdown. To mitigate the COVID 19 threat, IMPAR issued a set of guidelines for observing these festivals. The 11 points guidelines for Eid-ul-Fitrsought to ensure that social distancing and austerity measures were followed. In addition, to that IMPAR also urged people to avoid shopping for EID, offer Eid prayers at home, avoid extravagant Eid meals, and donate the money to needy people irrespective of caste and creed. Similar guidelines were issued for Eid-ul-Azha as well.

Relief work during COVID-19

IMPARcollaborated with NGO's for facilitating the COVID19 patients for securing admission in hospitals and quarantine centres. The support was taken from NGOs to provide help to the distressed families in performing last rites of their relatives who died due to Corona.

Specific help was provided to many people who were left stranded due to sudden lockdown.

Food and grocery deliveries were organised at multiple locations by IMPAR members.

IMPAR tied-up with HR company "Kaamhai" for helping youth who have been rendered jobless through the COVID 19 crisis and are unable to find right opportunities. IMPAR also collaborated with another HR company "Sodexo" for job creation.



Community Work ThroughField Teams

IMPAR Indian Muslims for Progress and Reforms MY CLEAN

MY CLEAN NEIGHBORHOOD

Environmental sanitation is a major public health issue in india and a part of the sustainable development goals throughout the world. As a part of intrespection and taking responsibility for our surroundings. IMPAR conducted a cleanliness and awareness drive on 28.06.2020.

Our public places, mosques and temples are screwn with garbage, but rather than cleaning these spaces we have been closing our eyes and thinking it is someone else's responsibility to clean. To counter this mindset, IMPAR launched cleaniness drive and the awareness program to take up the responsibility of sanitation , raise awareness about hypiene and cleaniness. In our lives and most importantly figuring out long term sustainable strategies towards cleanliness.

The awareness program and campaign was done in Old Delbit and the volunteers covered the area around Meena Bazar-Jama Masjid, Haj Mancil, Jain Mandir, Gauri Shankar Mandir, Shishganj Gurudwara and Central Baptist Church.

The awareness campaign highlighted the importance of sanitation and hygiene especially through the COVID-19 crisis. Most importantly the campaign aimed at behavioral change in people regarding healthy sanitation practices and segred towards public participation in such events. The activities of the sanitization campaign included sanitization, mask and gloves distribution, COVID-19 handbill distribution and making public appeals. The response garnered was exceptional with onlookers asking about IMPAR and the work it has been doing. Many sollookers promised that they would join the upcoming sanitation campaigns done by MPAR.

The team of the volunteers included Mr Shan-Reld manager IMPAR, Dr AGII, Dr Aarzoo, Mr Akhtar, Mr Shahid, Mr Sohrab, Mr Ayub, Mr Chaudhary Akram, Mr Faheem, Mr Noore-Eliahi and Mr Shebad. IMPAR plans to hold simular comparigns in other parts of Delhi in the coming days and urges the non governmental organisations and civil society organisations to take part in the upcoming cargaignt. IMPAR urges the citizens to fulfill Mahatma Gandh's dream of clean india by keeping the surroundings clean.

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Impar initiated an awareness program and campaign called 'My Clean Neighbourhood' on 28 July in several parts of Old Delhi. the volunteers covered the area around MeenaBazar-Jama Masjid, Haj Manzil, Jain Mandir, Gauri Shankar Mandir, Shish-Ganj Gurudwara and Central Baptist Church. Environmental sanitation is a major public health issue in India and a part of the sustainable development goals throughout the world. As a part of introspection and taking responsibility for our surroundings, IMPAR will be conducting many such program in future.

Sanitization and COVID 19 awareness drives were held in North-west Delhi by IMPAR volunteers.

Cleanliness & Awareness Drive



Mustafabad, North East Delhi 21 September 2020

IMPAR Cleanliness & Awareness Drive



Aayushman Bharat Camp at Bhopal, MP IMPAR MP STATE COUNCIL organised a Sensitisation And Registration camp for Aayushman Bharat Scheme on 16th February 2021 at KoheFiza, BDA Colony, Bhopal and

21 September 2020

Durga Nagar, Eidgah Hills, Bhopal for registration of eligible candidates for Free Health Insurance Scheme "AAYUSHMAN BHARAT".



Aayushman Card Facilitation Camp at Bhopal On 24th February 2021, Aayushman Card Facilitation Camp at Village Ajnal, District Bhopal was organized by IMPAR M.P State Council at Ajnal Village for the rural community. Under this scheme, poor people get health insurance up to 5 Lacs for hospital treatment. Camp was organised under the leadership of Mr MaharulHasan, State Coordinator, IMPAR.

Fire and Safety Training Workshop at Bhopal On 26th February 2021, Fire and Safety Training Workshop at Bhopal conducted by Mr Sajid Khan at DMI, Bhopal. Congratulations and blessings to Mr Sajid Khan and Sufiya Khan IMPAR City Co-ordinator, Bhopal (MP).



Plantation Drive at Hyderabad On 18th February 2021 Haritha Haram (Tree Plantation Drive) at MESCO Educational Campus, Mustaidpura, Hyderabad under the guidance of JanabFakhruddinSahab, IMPAR Steering Committee Member



Awareness Camp for Cleanliness and Sanitation On 21 February 2021 IMPAR field head Shan Mohammad with a team of Volunteers conducted an awareness camp for cleanliness and sanitation for promoting Swachh Bharat mission, also distributed mask and aware people to keep safe themselves and be ready to fight with Covid 19. The camp was organized at Taj-Mahal in Agra



IMPAR Bihar Chapter the able guidance of Mrs Farhat Hasan organised a charity drive at Sabzibagh, Patna in which 125 Blankets were distribute among the needy and vulnerable section of society residing in and around Patna. The objective was to provide relief to the poor people who are stranded in this chilling winter. The drive was widely covered by all the prominent newspaper of Bihar.



Sanitation drives in neighbourhood and Masjid cleaning drives in Delhi.









IMPAR Outreach to Key Stakeholders for Policy Advocacy









- 1. On 19th February 2021, as part of the policy advocacy and outreach to key stakeholders to build asustainable engagement program on Muslim issues and agenda, a nine-member IMPAR delegation called on the Principal Director General, Press Information Bureau (PIB), Minister of Minority Affairs, and Dr Ashok Bajpaye, RajyaSabha MP. The delegation comprised of the steering committee members, Dr. MJ Khan, Mr. JavedYunus, Adv. Feroz Khan Ghazi, Mr.Nesar Ahmed, Ms.KhairulNisa, Dr.NaghmaAbbasi, Mr. Khalid Ansari, ED, IMPAR, Mr. Siraj Abbasi, CEO, IM-PAR, Dr. TafheemSiddiqui, EC Member.
- 2. On 24th February 2021, as part of policy advocacy and governmental engagement program, four-member IMPAR delegation, comprised of Steering Committee members, Mr Shahid Siddiqui, Dr MJ Khan, Mr Shamsher Siddiqui and Mr Nesar Ahmed called on the Union Minister of Environment, Industry and I&B, Mr Prakash Javadekar
- 3. On 19th February 2021, as part of the policy advocacy and outreach to key stakeholders to build a sustainable engagement program on Muslim issues and agenda, a nine-member IMPAR delegation called on the Principal Director General, Press Information Bureau (PIB), Mr KuldeepDhatwalia yesterday and discussed the media-related issues and the ways to effectively engage with the media. The DG extended a warm welcome and promised full cooperation of his office.
- 4. IMPAR DELEGATION MEETING WITH MINISTER OF MINORITY AFFAIRS
- 5. The delegation later visited the Hon'ble Union Minister of Minority Affairs, Mukhtar Abbas Naqvi at his residence and held detailed discussions on various programs and policies and emphasised the need for enhancing access to schemes and promoting Startups and entrepreneurship among the youth. The Minister

- shared in detail the work of the Ministry and new initiatives, especially in promoting education. He mentioned about the success of HunarHaats and asked the delegation to make a detailed presentation to the Ministry.
- 6. IMPAR DELEGATION MEETING WITH RAJYA SABHA MP
- The delegation later met the Hon'ble Rajya Sabha MP, Dr. Ashok Bajpai, who greatly appreciated the working of IMPAR and offered his full support. He also informed that Muslims access to certain welfare schemes in States like UP is 31% and asked IMPAR to work on the ground to further accelerate the same. Issues of social concerns and police and security related were also raised.
- IMPAR DELEGATION MEETING WITH SHREE PRAKASH JAVADEKAR, MINISTER OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING On 24th February 2021, as part of policy advocacy and governmental engagement program, fourmember IMPAR delegation, comprised of Steering Committee members, Mr Shahid Siddiqui, Dr MJ Khan, Mr Shamsher Siddiqui and Mr Nesar Ahmed called on the Union Minister of Environment, Industry and I&B, Mr Prakash Javadekar and thanked him for his support and the Ministry of I&B issuing an advisory to media during the peak of Corona Jihad, which had created extremely hateful anti-Muslim environment. The delegation also discussed the Muslim community engagement with the media and the Government. He has agreed to join a zoom meeting to interact with the community on media and education subjects. In his previous tenure, Mr Javadekar was the Minister of HRD.
- 9. IMPAR DELEGATION MEETING WITH SHRI BHUPENDRA YADAY- MP AND CHAIRMAN, PARLIAMENTARY SELECT

COMMITTEE, AND ALSO CHAIRMAN OF PUBLIC GRIEVANCES COMMITTEE, RA-JYA SABHA IMPAR delegation called on Sh. Bhupendra Yadav, MP and Chairman, Parliamentary Select Committee, and also Chairman of Public Grievances Committee, Rajya Sabha. The delegation presented before him the concerns of the community and various issues faced by it from the sense of discrimination to injustice and insecurity and lack of adequate representation in Government. Specific issues related to CAA and UAPA and NE Riots were also discussed. He shared the concerns and promised to discuss them within the party and with the Home Ministry. Mr Yadav is also the party general secretary.

10. IMPAR organised an interaction with Shri Suresh Prabhu, Member Parliamnet and India's Sherpa to G7 and G20 countries. On behalf of IMPAR, Mr K Rahman Khan- former deputy chairman Rajya Sabha, Mr HR Khanformer Deputy governor RBI Mumbai, Mr YunusJaved-India Representative Saudi CISP and Aramco, Mr SaaedShervani-M D Shervani Group of Hotels ,Ms SheebaAslamFehmijournalist and India head at indiatimes.live, Mr M J Khan-President IMPAR raised pertinent issues that affect the Muslim community in India. The program was conducted by Mr Khalid Ansari, executive director IMPAR and vote of thanks was delivered by Col Saleem-Durrani. The news about the interaction was widely covered by national and regional media.



FORMAL COMMUNICATIONS-WITH KEY STAKEHOLDERS



(Date)

To, Shri Arvind Kejriwal Ji Honorable Chief Minister, Delhi (Address)

Subject: Concerns over certain issues leading to communal divide.

Respected Sir,

We, as concerned Muslims of the country, are writing this letter to bring your kind attention towards an increase in the instances of economic boycott and discrimination being faced by Muslim vendors, employees and service providers, which is leading to an economic marginalization of these people.

Several instances of posters being stuck and pamphlets being distributed, are prohibiting entry of Muslim vendors in particular localities across different states. There have also been stories of food contamination by Muslim vendors. All these incidents are starkly pointing towards a clear segregation, based on religion. False news and stories have been floating around all over. Social media is flooded with hateful posts based on such rumours. All of this is clearly in violation of our Constitution. Such occurrences, if allowed to continue, can be disruptive of communal harmony. We cannot demonize an entire community for the mistakes of a few.

On April 19, 2020, PMO India tweeted: "COVID-19 does not see race, religion, color, caste, creed, language or borders before striking. Our response and conduct thereafter should attach primacy to unity and brotherhood. We are in this together."

However, we are still witnessing discrimination on the basis of religion. The pandemic is being communalized. It is suggested that the abovementioned statement made by our Honorable Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi must be followed in its letter and spirit so that hate mongering stops.

It is hereby requested that stringent action be taken against those responsible for discrimination and for spreading hate. Instructions should be issued to the respective authorities to be stricter in approach and not spare the hate mongers in any case. The times are tough and each one of us is dealing with it in the best way possible, Covid-19 is already a health crisis and is becoming a major economic crisis too. Let us try to stop this from accelerating into a fundamental rights crisis.

Dr. MJ Khan

National Convener

Dated: 14 April,

Komari Mamata Banerjee Hou'ble Chief Minister

Government of West Bengal

Respected Chief Minister

We are writing to you for expressing our deep gratitude and support for taking some unprecedent steps and actions in the nations' fight against Covid-19 virus pundemic. The State machinery under your dynamic leadership is not only strictly enforcing the provisions of lockdowns but also efficiently providing health care support and making arrangements for poor and stranded people with food and all provisions of necessities.

IMPAR would also like to congratulate you for another very important step that the State Government has taken under your leadership. Your stem stand against fake news and hate content is a very welcome step, and is encouraging the officers on the ground to take it very seriously. While a section of media has been relentless in promoting fake news to weaken the national efforts of collectively fighting this pandemic, we must congratulate and compliment the State Police and the Government officials for their relentless efforts to manage the situation so effectively and win over the confidence and mobilise the support of all communities.

In the current circumstances of a countrywide lockdown, IMPAR immediate goal is to mobilize the community to assist the health administration, law enforcement and other government agencies in

Dr. Harshvardhan, Hon'ble Health & Family Welfare Minister, Govt. of India. Nirman Bhawan. New Delhi- 110025.

Greetings from our side on becoming Chairman of WHO Executive Board. We are firm that under your guidance, WHO will reach a new height and India will play a vital role in bringing the world out of this health crisis.

I would like to draw your kind attention to an unfortunate news. When our whole country trying unitedly to fight this COVID-19 pandemic, Dr. Arti Lalchandani, Principal, GSVM Medical College Kanpur is trying to destroy the social harmony and to defame a particular community through hate speech. I am attaching the video clip of statements of Dr. Arti Lalchandani.

Statement of Dr. Arti is an attempt to damage the social fabric. Since, Dr. Arti Lalchandani is a Government servant and especially a doctor. Both the profession doesn't allow to discriminate, give hate speech and to call any particular group or community as a terrorist.

Statement of Dr. Arti is in violation of para 3(1) (i) Maintain absolute Integrity, Rule 3(1) (iii) Unbecoming of a Govt. Servant, 3(1)(vi) maintain high ethical standards and honesty, 3(1) (XVI) act with fairness and impartiality and not discriminate against any one, 3(1)(XVIII) Refrain from doing anything which is contrary to law, rules, regulation and established procedure and Rules (9) Criticism of Government policy of CCS Conduct Rules, 1964. As she has stated that Hon'ble CM of UP is doing the appeasement policy.

Her statement is also in violation of para 1.(1.1) A physician shall uphold the dignity and honour of his profession and Para 1(.2.1) The Principal objective of the medical profession is to render service to humanity with full respect for the dignity of profession and man Code of Medical Ethics regulation, 2002 issued by Medical Council of India.w

Dr. Arti Lalchandani has violated the various line of CCS Conduct Rules, 1964, Code of Medical Ethics regulation, 2002 and has tried to damage the social fabric.

I would like to request you to kindly direct MCI to consider the cancellation of her Medical Registration and to direct the concerned authority to initiate Disciplinary proceeding

Yours sincerely,

(IMPAR)

- 1. Letters of concern to Union Minister Dr Harshvardhan, MCI demanding action against the doctor who allegedly claimed that Tablighi Iamaat members are terrorists.
- 2. Letter to the Home Minister to act against the hate messages targeting the Muslim community. IMPAR also sent another letter to HM to protest the students being arrested on false charges during the pandemic for inciting riots.
- 3. To Shri Ajay Kumar Bhalla Home Secretary Government of India, ShriAjitDoval National Security Advisor Government of India on vilification campaign against Muslims.
- 4. Letter to secretary family health and welfare concerning the disturbing trend of Muslims facing discrimination in hospitals.
- 5. Letter to Mr. Arvind Kejriwal for intervention in the cases of economic boycott that Muslim traders/vendors are undergoing.
- 6. Letter to DCP against the instances of the economic boycott in several parts of Delhi, seeking immediate intervention.
- 7. Letters of concern were written to Union Minister of Health and Family Welfare, Dr Harshvardhan and Medical Council of India about how at certain places private hospital denied treatment to the Muslims patients. It was requested that stern measures should be put in place to check this practice.
- 8. Letters to Thiru K PalaniswamiHonorable Chief Minister Government of Tamil Nadu Chennai, Mr K Shanmugan Chief Secretary Government of Tamil Nadu, H.E. BanwariLalPurohit, Hon'ble Governor of Tamil Nadu for the release of overseas Tableeghi-Jamaat members languishing across various jails in Tamil Nadu. Though having completed the necessary quarantine and ordered for release by the Hon'ble High Court of Chennai,

- the release has been deferred by one reason or the other. In this regard, press release was also released and carried by several English, Urdu and Hindi newspapers.
- 9. Congratulatory letter the Prime Minister for his statement that the virus has no religion.
- 10. Letter to Mohan Bhagwat welcoming his statement that Muslims are an integral part of Indian society, and the whole community cannot be targeted for mistakes of few.
- 11. Letters of concern were written to Delhi Waqf Board and Shri Manish Sisodia for immediate release of salaries of Imams and Muezzins in New Delhi. Shri Manish Sisodia promised to investigate the matter and directed the Delhi Waqf Board for immediate release of salaries.
- 12. IMPAR also wrote to Ministry of Health and Family Welfare and ICMR for cancellation of licenses of laboratories who are involved in erroneous Covid 19 testing.
- 13. A letter was written to Shri Shivraj Chauhan, Honourable Chief Minister, Madhya Pradesh, seeking his intervention in the incidents of reported attacks on the people, properties, and places of worship of Muslims community at some places in Madhya Pradesh.
- 14. IMPAR wrote a letter to Honourable Prime Minister of India to congratulate on his milestone address to AMU fraternity on the occasion of Centenary Celebration of AMU and requested him to sanction a grant for establishment of new centre of Science &cuttingedge technology bearing the name of Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam, former President of India.
- 15. Appreciation letter was sent to Mr SonuSood for his remarkable contribution to the nation in the time of crisis.
- 16. Letter of appreciation to PoorvanchalDastak for serving the nation in the best possible way.

- 17. Letter of appreciation to Go News for effective reporting.
- 18. Letter of appreciation to Mufti RizwanQasmi for his commendable role in the propagation of tolerance.
- 19. Letter of concern to DCP concerning sup moto action against the channels which played the doctored audio regarding Maulana Saad.
- 20. IMPAR urged the government to issue guidelines to FCI for opening its storage for NGOs for direct lifting of stocks.
- 21. IMPAR has written a letter to Training and Placement Officer of different Universities seeking interns for field survey for the project on Socio-economic status, Challenges and Opportunities of Indian Muslims to analyse the status of Indian Muslims on their socioeconomic status, challenges, and opportunities.

LEGAL RESPONSE IN IMPORTANT ISSUES BY IMPAR

- 1. Filed an RTI on the number of total deaths in the riots of North- East Delhi, FIR's for the missing people, total number of injured, list of houses and shops that were looted with list and names of affected families, list of burnt house and shops and names of affected families, list of the arrested people by names and the charges framed against each arrested person by name of police station or other concerned teams, list about the compensation that was paid for deaths, injured, burnt /damaged houses, properties etc.
- lodged complaint with the National Human Rights Commission over the hunger death of the TableeghiJamaat member in hospital in Delhi. The complaint and has been picked up

- by the NHRC and it has sought response from concerned authorities failing which legal proceedings would be initiated against them.
- 3. IMPAR worked immensely hard to get a government formal advisory to media houses issued against hate speech and fake news. This advisory was issued to states and to regional media. Change in media discourse is visible.
- 4. IMPAR filed a complaint with Delhi Commission for Women against Payal Rohatgi for her abusive tweets against Indian Muslim women.
- 5. 61. IMPAR has filed a legal notice against news anchor Amish Devgan for making highly offensive, derogatory and defamatory remarks against revered Sufi Saint HazratKhwajaMoinuddinChisti. Multiple FIRs are also registered.
- 6. Notice was sent to the news channel by Diwan Associates on behalf of KhanqahBarkatia for slandering revered Sufi Saint HazratKhawa-jaMoinuddinChisti.
- 7. IMPAR served legal notice to news anchor Shweta Singh and AajTak for insulting and questioning the courage of Indian Army. The notice has been sent by Diwan Associates.
- 8. Public Interest Litigation led by IMPAR against Dr Arti Lal Chandani was heard by the division bench comprising of Hon'ble Chief Justice of Allahabad High Court and Hon'ble MR S D SINGH showing disagreement with the answer given by the state government and directed them to acquaint the court.
- Legal notice was sent to Deepak Chaurasia for his tweets, suggesting that Muslims are refusing COVID-19 vaccine due to religious reason.
- 10. IMPAR held a meeting with its legal support group and discussed the cases of anti-CAA

- protestors on zoom meeting held on 14th .Subsequently a report about the meeting was also released.
- 11. IMPAR members have also taken many legal actions individually on important matters.

PROGRAMS & EVENTS



















- 1. IMPAR conducted over 50 webinars during lockdown period in which different domain experts interacted with IMPAR members on various important aspects.
- 2. On ground programs started, post lockdown period by different state and district councils.
- 3. The first webinar on Opportunity Start-ups post COVID 19 was conducted. Mr. Siraj Chaudhary, Mr MQ Sayed, ImteyazSiddiqui, Dr Zubair, Ather Zia, John Rizvi, Mr MJ Khan were the eminent speakers for the occasion.
- 4. Webinar (2nd in series) on Fake News and Hate Speech: Consequences and recourse to Legal Remedies was conducted on 17 May 2020. Five speakers, Adv. Nasir Aziz, Adv. Firoze Ghazi, Adv. Ishtiaq Ali, Dr.Farukh Khan, and Adv. Tahir participated, and SheebaAslamFahmi delivered the closing remark.
- 5. Webinar on "How Muslims view the Changing Political Scenario?" was conducted on 21 May

- 2020. In the webinar key speakers were Mr. K. Rahman Khan, veteran Politician of Indian National Congress, former Union Minister of Minority Affairs and Ex- Deputy Chairman of Rajya Sabha and Mr. S M Shervani, Managing Director, Shervani group.
- 6. Webinar was held on 10th June for the release of IMPAR website, launch of leadership development program, launch of IMPAR work plan, release of booklet on community work done during Covid19 and for sharing the progress report of the two-month journey of IMPAR.
- 7. IMPAR held a meeting with its legal support group and discussed the cases of anti-CAA protestors on zoom meeting held on 14th. Subsequently a report about the meeting was also released.
- 8. On World Environment Day, IMPAR convened a zoom interview with news channels.
- IMPAR conducted a zoom meeting with experts to finalise and launch nationwide job readiness program on 24th June 2020 to train and facilitate job seekers to make them job ready.
- 10. As part of the RRF, IMPAR plans to felicitate individuals and organisations who have done exemplary work in COVID19 Crisis (Helping Hands). Information about the program was disseminated and entries are being sought.
- 11. IMPAR Political Group passed a resolution on political empowerment of the marginalised communities in a webinar. The webinar was convened by Mr Anis Ansari (retired IAS officer).
- 12. Webinar on Muslim Women in Higher education on 4 July 2020. Prof Arvinder Ansari-head of department Sociology JamiaMilliaIslamia, Ms Khair un Nissa Shah-Vice President World Trade Centre, Dr Amina Mirza-Assistant Pro-

- fessor Delhi University, Ms SheebaAslamFehmi-jour nalist and India head at, Dr VenkateshSundaram -Economist at World Bank, Dr Arshia Sharif Professor and Pharma consultant were the speakers for the event. More than 200 participants attended the webinar.
- 13. IMPAR initiated the knowledge series where it would be collecting thesis, books, documents, judicial reports about Muslim community in India.
- 14. IMPAR successfully implemented a series of Jobs Readiness Program. IMPAR conducted sessions of Jobs Readiness Program on personality development; communication skills; biodata, covering letter and thanks letter writing; interview and leadership skills; interview techniques, FAQs, mock interviews; and provided guidance on internship.
- 15. IMPAR conducted a webinar "Learnings from the Life of Prophet Mohammad (PBUH), Engaging with the Allies and Adversaries" on January 3rd, 2021. The talk was delivered by Hazrat Maulana Khalid Rasheed Sb. Farangi-Mahali
- 16. IMPAR conducted a webinar "Delivering Quality Education in Mainstream Subjects at Madarsa" on February 6th, 2021 under its Masjid and Madarsa Reforms Programs. The talk was delivered by Dr. Shoaib Raza Khan, Assistant Director, Academic Dept at NIOS, Ministry of Education. Ms. SheebaAslamFehmi, Journalist and India Head at indiatimes. live and also the Steering Committee Member at IMPAR gracefully moderated the program. It was attended by people who are associated with madarsas pan India.
- 17. IMPAR Interactive Webinar -Discussion with Dr SY Quraishi, centered on his recently published book.

- 18. International Women's Day Today IMPAR celebrated International Women's day at D-247 Abul Fazal Enclave, Jamia Nagar, New Delhi. SheebaAslamFehmi ,Prof. KiranWalia, Sumaira Khan, NaghmaAbbasi and Naz Asghar were among the guests. About 80-100 participants of the community attended the program. The guest speakers spoke about various issues, challenges, and achievements of women of different spheres. A quiz game was also organized for the attendees. Gifts and certificates were distributed among the winners. At end appreciation certificates were distributed to the volunteers
- 19. Apart from these, various state units also conducted different programs.

RESEARCH AND PROJECTS

- 1. A proposal for IMPAR Community Information & Facilitation Centre has beenprepared with the goals to provide information on different welfare programs, policies, procedures, capacity building. This centre will also encourage entrepreneurship among the youth and women by facilitating up-skilling, reskilling, knowledge sharing and preparation of different documents or forms for starting a business venture.
- 2. A Detailed Project Plan has been developed to partner with Madarsa for improving the quality of education delivery and facilitating NIOS certification forits students and at the same time help these Madarsa become operationally self-reliant within 5 years of IMPAR interventions. As part of the project, training will be provided to teachers on Knowledge, Skill, and Behavior, and Counselling of students and

- parents will be done at Madarsa.
- A research study being conducted by IMPAR to assess the "Impact of COVID 19 on Educational Institutions". The proposed study has been planned to assess the impact of COV-ID-19 on three important stakeholders of schools/institutions, Students, Teachers and Management. Separate questionnaire for each stakeholder is developed, which focuses on educational, economic, health, social and psychological impact of COVID-19.
- 4. IMPAR in collaboration with Indian Institute of Natural Resources Management has submitted a Project Proposal on Madarsa Transformation of UP, India to NORAD. The entire project proposal is devoted for the benefits of minorities' community. The proposed endeavour is to carefully select only those Madarsas which represents people from all section of societies. It is evident from available structure of Madarsas that majority of students, teachers supporting staffs belongs to vulnerable section of the community which also include PWD, LGBT and elderly people who are the major stakeholders of any such Madarsa. The project implementation will be done taking care of right amalgamation of different sections of vulnerable minorities.
- 5. Project report is prepared for setting up the Community Information and Facilitation Centre (CIFC) at district headquarters under IMPAR District Councils. The CIFC will act as single window for Information, Communication, Education and Facilitation on the documentation required for establishing citizenship, accessing government welfare programs, government subsidy for small businesses/ artisans/ farmers, and access to quality educa-

- tional institutions. Apart from this, CIFC will also other services which are available through e-governance portal.
- 6. Project report is prepared for creating an economic ecosystem at district level which connects all the stakeholders and serve the service seekers and service providers at the local level. This aims to create a robust, efficient, and costeffective supply chain to service the businesses at district level, which is essential to generate optimum economic activities and provide jobs or business opportunities for local people. This is done by understanding the input—material or services-needed in the district and creating a platform to get those inputs from the vendors within or outside the district. The Hubs at district level—along with a nerve centre—in harmony with each other, will help in the economic growth and prosperity at grassroot level and help the community become a contributor of Atmnirbhar Bharat with a 5 Trillion US Dollar economy.
- 7. Work on creating a directory of community members from different professional domains started. This will create a network from grassroot to national level and help people access the expertise needed easily from and across the country.
- 8. Work started on preparation of Information booklet for different laws which may impact the life, liberty, or socio-economic well-being of the members of community. This will create much needed awareness among the community about the unintended consequences of their actions and available legal remedy to come out of difficult situation.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

- IMPAR initiated zakat related work for facilitating zakat collection for institutions which have not been able to go out and collect zakat this year. A list of Madrasas from across across the country was prepared. The list is uploaded on the IMPAR website.
- 2. Social Media and Mainstream Media Structure formulated.
- 3. IMPAR social media handles—Facebook, LinkedIn, Twitter, Instagram, YouTube- operationalised
- 4. More than 5000 people joined through WhatsApp groups.
- 5. IMPAR website made functional.
- 6. Videos were generated about issues of importance and Social media team created and negotiations with agencies are underway.
- 7. Much awaited IMPAR's brochure was released beginning with IMPAR President's note and highlighting the vision, mission, and key stakeholders of IMPAR.
- 8. Developed and launched an in-house digital media channel by the name "ASPIRE" to augment its awareness and advocacy work.
- 9. Created a 21 Member IMPAR Media Panel, with the members are drawn mainly from IM-PAR Steering Committee and IMPAR Executive Committee, and from all the major cities to help the media houses gain access to eminent experts for informed discussions.
- 10. A campaign was done on Blood Donors Day. Since its impossible to have a blood donation camp in the current situation, IMPAR generated a web link where the donors could register themselves and could be contacted easily at the time of emergency.

- 11. Many articles were published on IMPAR websites.
- 12. Impar initiated an awareness program and campaign called 'My Clean Neighborhood' on 28 July in several parts of Old Delhi. the volunteers covered the area around MeenaBazar-Jama Masjid, Haj Manzil, Jain Mandir, Gauri Shankar Mandir, ShishganjGurudwara and Central Baptist Church. Environmental sanitation is a major public health issue in India and a part of the sustainable development goals throughout the world. As a part of introspection and taking responsibility for our surroundings, IMPAR will be conducting many such program in future.

IMPAR STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING

On 5th March 2021, IMPAR Steering Committee yesterday had its first meeting in physical format in New Delhi since its formation on April 10, 2020. Major recommendations included:

- 1. IMPAR to function as an apex think tank and advocacy forum for strategic planning and coordinated actions. And act as apex monitoring, research and response centre.
- 2. Education to be promoted as the movement by IMPAR coordinating with all India minority educational institutions and holding a global conference.
- 3. To address issues, connecting to opportunities and promoting leaderships, IMPAR would host four global conferences on 1. Youth 2. Business 3. Policies, besides 4. education. IMPAR would also host a women leadership conference on 8 March on Women's Day in Delhi and also in various cities and districts.
- 4. Dialogues with key stakeholders, including Central and State Governments, political lead-

- erships, intellectuals, media and corporate bodies, including FICCI, Assocham and CII to be organised.
- 5. To promote micro-enterprises with credit support the idea of creating an NBFC was mooted. Linking community youth with various government schemes and opportunities through IMPAR District Councils was stressed.
- 6. Establishing a national legal network and emergency response team (ERT) comprised of prominent lawyers at district, state and national level to provide legal support and emergency support in urgent matters was also emphasised with the suggestion to start a toll-free number.
- 7. With a unanimous view it was agreed that IM-PAR must streamline its working and focus on few agenda to make a credible difference. Policy and perception management at the national level, and economic opportunities and education movement at the grassroots level should be focused on.
- The meeting was joined by Mr K Rahman Khan, former Union Minister, Mr Sirajuddin Qureshi, President, India Islamic Centre, Mr Shahid Siddiqui, ex-MP, Mr SaeedShervani, MD, Shervani Hotels, Mr HR Khan, former Dy. Governor, RBI, Ms SheebaAslam, Media and Social Activist, Mr JavedYunus, Advisor, Saudi Aramco, Ms KhairulNisa, ED, World Trade Centre, Dr AkhtarulWasey, Vice-Chancellor, Marwar University, Dr NaghmaAbbasi, MD, Nextgen Life, Mr Qamar Agha, Defense Expert, Mr Nesar Ahmed, ex-President, ICSI, Mr Shamsher Siddiqui, MD, GIL, Ms Naz Asghar, Editor, Mr Anis Ansari, Ex IAS, Dr MJ Khan, Chairman, ICFA, Mr Khalid Ansari, ED, IMPAR, Mr TafheemSiddiqui, Director, Flipcart and Mr Siraj Abbasi, CEO.





IMPAR DISTRICT **COUNCIL MEET**

District Council Meeting at South East Delhi 10th February 2021 IMPAR'S South Delhi Chapter Convened A Meeting To Discuss The Objectives And Actions For The Newly Formed District Chapter. The Meeting Was Coordinated By IMPAR Delhi Coordinator Ms Zarine Khan, IMPAR Field Head, Mr Shan Mohammad And IMPAR Research Head Ms ArshiJaved.

IMPAR Bijnor District Council (IDC) Meeting On 28th February 2021, IMPAR constituted its Bijnor District Council (IDC) at Najibabad and appointed AsifMuttaqui as the Bijnor district coordinator. Launching the IDC, IMPAR national president, Dr MJ Khan said that "we need to serve the people through positive social actions to earn the respect of the people. He stressed that we need to initiate internal community reforms to create a positive outlook, inculcate national ethos and service orientation". IMPAR district councils will facilitate dialogue and engagements with key stakeholders and connect the youth to economic opportunities. Making PowerPoint background presentation, Mr Khalid Ansari, ED, IMPAR explained the objectives and highlighted the key initiatives and major achievements of IMPAR. Present on the occasion were IMPAR regional coordinator, Mr Majid Khan and national executive members, Mr Shariq Hashmi and Dr Farhat Hussain.

Meeting with IMPAR District Council, Saharanpur New community centres will come up and IMPAR has on its cards a three points program for upliftment of Muslims. This was stated in a press briefing by the Chairman Indian Chamber of Food and agriculture Dr M J Khan, who is also the Chairman of IMPAR. The positive energy of the youth will be channelized for upliftment and change in the image and perception of the community, said Dr Khan.For on ground implementation IMPAR with a strength of 500 intellectuals and Dr APJ Abdul Kalam as their role model guide the youth how to utilise the welfare schemes of Union Govt as well as State Governments. Agriculture expert Dr Khan has said IMPAR was founded during covid period which gained momentum in April 2020. He said that it has also come to light that during tough Covid times the Muslim community has contributed three times more than their own financial worth. His future planning is expansion of IMPAR in 30 districts 22 states 4 in Delhi and in other states also Present on the occasion were Mr Khalid Ansari Ex Director IMPAR, the Urdu poet Bilal Saharanpuri and other important executives of IMPAR

Distt. Council Meeting at South East Delhi On 1st March 2021, IMPAR held a meeting of 25 plus Jamia Nagar RWA members, NGOs, women leaders and social workers at its Community Centre (ICDC), Jamia Nagar, New Delhi. The meeting was organised by IMPAR Delhi Coordinator Ms Zarine Khan and IMPAR South Delhi Coordinator Mr FaizanTahir. The meeting decided to work on promoting youth and women leadership and job-related programs through skilling, coaching and facilitating. IMPAR will host a women conference on Women's Day on March 8 in Jamia Nagar. Organising regular health and sanitation programs in Jamia Nagar and public places was also finalised. But top priority will be given to Documentation Drive for completing all the citizenship and entitlement documents. The meeting was joined by IMPAR executives, Ms SubiyaRehman and Mr Shan Mohammad.

Distt. Council Meeting at Meerut IMPAR Disctrict Council of Meerut had a meeting of prominent peaple of Meerut in which Dr MJ Khan and Mr Khalid Ansari had also participated. Dr Khan impressed upon the need to create awareness and scientific ternperament among the community. https://www.asiatimes.co.in/IMPAR-meetingconcluded-in-Meerut-

Interviews on IMPAR'S In-House Channel -- ASPIRE

- 1. Interview of Dr. P.A Inamdar Dr. P.A Inamdar is an educationist, social worker, promoter, builder, legal luminary and medical visionary. He has worked on the Planning Commission's working group on higher education and National Monitoring Committee for Minorities Education. P.A Inamdar has emphasized on the reformation of Madarsas and explained linguistic minorities.
- The whole Jamia resistance to CAA-NRC Act has completed a year. Regarding this, students of JamiaMilliaIslamia gave their opinion on the aftermath of the protest.
- 3. Interview of K.Rahman Khan K. Rahman Khan, Former Union Minister of Minority Affairs and Ex-Deputy Chairman of Rajya Sabha emphasized on Indian Muslims self growth. Along with focus on Waqf board property issues and ways to promote socio economic status of Indian Muslims. https://youtu.be/VagwoPf6vec
- Interview of Justice Iqbal Ahmed Ansari Justice Iqbal Ahmed Ansari, former Chief Justice of Patna High Court and Chairman of Punjab state Human Rights Commission explained Human rights linking it to CAA-NRC and also threw light on North-East India negligence and his take on organisation IMPAR. https:// youtu.be/5u8n_KknN_A
- Video story about the struggle of women who runs beauty salon in local areas, women who supports their family financially. Their plight during lockdown and in the new normal how they are functioning their beauty salon. They have faced massive loss. And till now they are not able to restore their normalcy. https://youtu.be/D0LG4n41v6Y

IMPAR IN MEDIA







جسوست میں تصوری کوئی میکہ شہیں، محتدمیاتی راست سب سے معزوں ؛ امیار ت من میوں بنا کر مندر کی مناظب کر سنے والے معلم قدعان قابل میارکیاد، قابل احتراض جسٹ یا قانون کا سارا لیس کوگ

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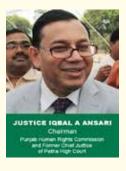
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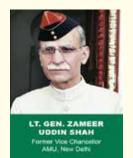
- A) Steering Committee, Global Council, and Executive Council
- B) State Council For coordinating field activities in a state.
- C) District Council For executing on ground activities.

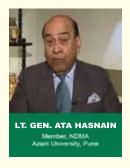
Apart from this many sectoral committees were also formed.

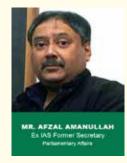
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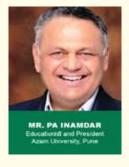






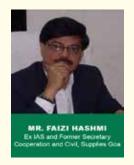


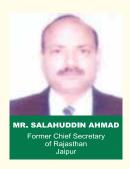






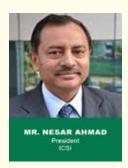












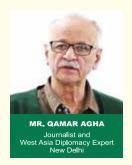


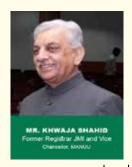




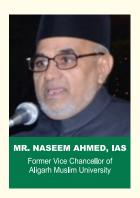








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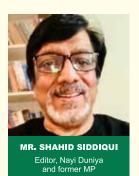




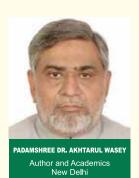


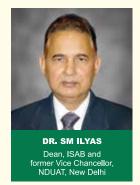




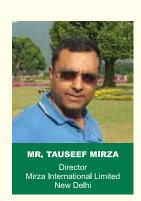








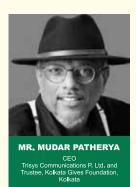






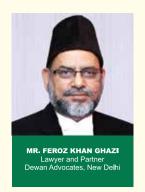


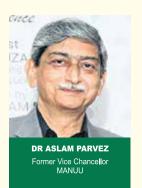














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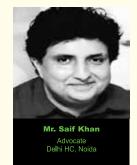
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GLOBAL COUNCIL

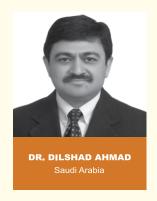
Dr. M.J. Khan led the constitution of IMPAR Global Council in terms of providing unique experiences, global connect and support for IMPAR to deliver on its objectives. There was a realisation that the NRI Muslimswere equally concerned about the situation of the community and committed to support leading to the constitution of 17 members IMPAR Global Council.

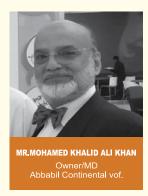
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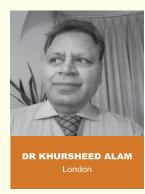


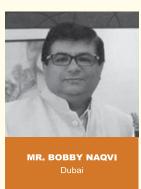


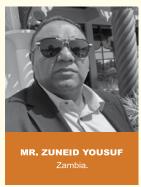






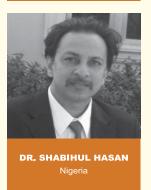


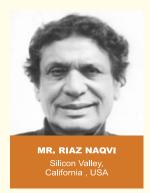


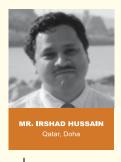




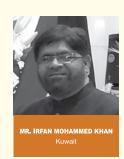


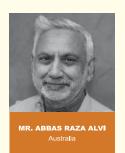


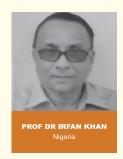












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