

Certificate of Appreciation

It has been the pleasure of ESAF to enter into a MoU with Loyola College of Social Sciences to collaborate for research and allied activities at Trivandrum as part of the Livable Cities project of ESAF. The beginning of the cooperation has been marked well with the successful completion of the data collection for 'Gender Equity in Public Transportation' which has been undertaken by first semester MSW students of Loyola College of Social Sciences under the able guidance of Dr. Sonny Jose, Head and Associate Professor, Department of Social Work from 03 March 2021 to 26 March 2021. The research on Gender Equity in Public Transportation is undertaken to understand the lived experiences of women and transgender about safety and accessibility of public transportation in Trivandrum city in order to advocate for necessary policy change.

I applaud the efforts of the Loyola team for their wholehearted participation in the capacity building sessions conducted by ESAF on Kobotoolbox, their wonderful cooperation, and assistance of the Project Officer in undertaking the research, and finally for their commitment in completing the data collection within a short span of a week without compromising the standards of quality and validity.



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