

## Invitation to contribute a chapter to the Book

Dear Professor

Greetings from India

We are compiling the book “*Social Welfare in India and China: A Comparative Perspective*” that will be published by a reputed international Publisher (mostly by **Palgrave Macmillan** or **Routledge**). There will only be chapters from subject experts and researchers from India and China as well as scholars working on India and China related aspects across the world.

So we invite you to participate in this project by an illustrate about the social welfare in your country. Please find the attached document for a list of themes that can be considered for writing your paper. Please, confirm your participation so that we can send you the publication standards.

Please be informed that this is a personal invitation based on your expertise in the subject teaching and research and contribution to social work education over the period, and contribution to this proposed book is by invitation only.

Looking forward for a positive response, we remain

Yours sincerely

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CALL FOR PAPER PROPOSALS  
(TO INCLUDE IN THE BOOK)

## **SOCIAL WELFARE IN INDIA AND CHINA A COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVE**

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### **Rational:**

Globalization has made tremendous influence on transformation of world societies. Every social order having diversity of population, culture, conditions and resources faces challenges of inclusion-exclusion, inequalities, marginalization and injustice. Today we live in a global society in which interconnectedness and interdependency are the core principles of existence. However the imbalances and unequal distribution of resources across the world societies makes difference in its achievements and progress in terms of human development and social welfare.

In both India and China the government is the major service provider but the approaches of service and the provisions of service are different in two different economies. Interestingly political administration of both India and China are different in nature and there is a considerable difference in social service delivery system between India and China. However as noted by the scholarly world the

next big change to the contemporary world society will probably not be a matter of economics, or electronics, or military science; it will be a change in the supposedly humdrum world of politics. Political administration of a nation is the basic concept which has an influence on the each and every aspect of the development and welfare. In many countries provisions of social welfare, social security and social assistance is taken care by the administrative divisions of the respective governments. In fact in India democratic administrative system is directly responsible for the provisions of social welfare. In general Social assistance is the program of last resort. It is intended for persons who have exhausted all other means of financial support. India is a democratic republic where each and every citizen of the country has right to enjoy the civil liberties. At present Indian society is facing many social problems such as child labour, child abuse, exploitation of women, problems related to disabled people, mental health issue, illiteracy, unemployment etc. poverty is the substantial problem even in the present Indian society.

This book focuses on the social policies and programmes designed to address different societal issues and concerns across India and China. The primary focus is on gaining understanding of design and delivery of the social welfare policies and programmes related to special interest groups i.e. Women, Children, Elderly, poverty group's etc. Focus of the papers can be theoretical, evidence based and empirical to bring out policy analysis and outcome to enable academicians and practitioners for policy impact and advocacy work.

We welcome abstract of proposal both theoretical and empirical analysis dealing with the issues of divergence and convergence between India and China. The papers are invited from academics, policy makers, scholars and practitioners from across the world to include in the book titled “***SOCIAL WELFARE IN INDIA AND CHINA: A COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVE***”. The book will be structured under the following themes:

**Introduction:** this section of the book will have an introductory chapter by the editors of the book.

**Section I: Poverty and poverty elevation programmes:** social economic sector and social welfare; the programmes in place and their relevance; poverty reduction initiatives in contemporary India/China

**Sections II: Child, Women and Family welfare:** Child Welfare: child poverty; child health and development; development needs for children and impact of family system on child development; interrelationship between national child welfare policies and children's needs; structural cause and policy implications of child poverty; economic and social context of child neglect

**Section III: Welfare of the people with disability:** social attitude towards people with disability and its influence in shaping the social welfare policies; major perspective about the

people with disabilities; intersectionality between policy in place and needs; practical relevance of the existing policies; policy initiative for people with disability

**Section IV: Welfare policies and programmes related to elderly:** Changing social knowledge about old age people; social policy context for older people; wellbeing of older population- health and economic security; emerging social issues for older population

**Conclusion:** this part of the book will include a chapter on comparative overview of social welfare in India and China by the editors of the book

Quality paper proposals are invited; priority will be given, but not limited, to the paper proposals focusing on the themes mentioned in the four sections.

SCHEDULE  
(Tentative)

**Submission of First Draft:**

30 July 2018

**Feedback on the First Draft:**

30 November 2018

**Submission of Final Draft:**

30 February 2019

**Expected Publication of the Book**

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The book will be published with renowned international publication house i.e.: Routledge or Macmillan

**Details of Submission:**

Submit abstract of your paper proposal of approximately 500 words along with a brief, one page CV of Author(s) no later than 30 May, 2018. Abstract should consist, a title, Theories/perspectives, research methods, result and findings in brief along with 5-6 keywords. Send your abstract to Asst. Professor Rajendra Baikady at [rajendrabaikady@yahoo.com](mailto:rajendrabaikady@yahoo.com). Abstract and papers should be submitted in MS office format (any recent version). Use 12pt bold font size for the TITLE OF THE PAPER and 12pt normal for main text. All text should be in Times New Roman font. Use APA 6 style for referencing.