INDIA FELLOW
ALUMNI TRAJECTORY

ICICI Fellows across 3 cohorts of a pioneering grassroots leadership program

India Fellows across 4 cohorts who helped us transition into a commune from a program

India Fellows across 5 cohorts who were part of the fellowship when we grew to 2 cohorts a year

India Fellows across 2 cohorts who are on ground currently, working with 20 grassroots hosts across themes

Read Blogs By Our Fellows Here
www.indiafellow.org/blog
WHEN THEY COME IN ...
This is some insight into where are our fellows at the time of joining the fellowship

STATUS UPON JOINING
51% of our fellows have already worked full time in various sectors before they decide to do the fellowship.

TRIVIA
Of this 51% with some form of work, over 70% are from the corporate or for profit enterprise background!

Trends When Fellows Join

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One of the 6 Top Metros
Tier 1 & 2 Cities
Tier 3 & 4 Cities
Small Towns/Villages

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Hometowns Of Our Alumni

Average Age
of our fellows at the time of joining the fellowship is 24.3 years. There is a trend of the cohorts getting slightly older over the years.

Regions

North 30.5%
North-east 2.1%
Central 7.4%
South 26.3%
West 21.6%
East 12.1%

About 18% had some form of understanding of the social sector work already.
WHERE ARE WE IN 2022

Here is a synthesis of where the 190 alumni of the fellowship are, helping you get a sense and feel of the patterns and trajectories.

AVERAGE AGE & WORK

The average age of the India Fellow alumni community is 29.9 years, with a range within 21 to 38 years. Our alumni on average has worked for 6.4 years and the oldest have already worked over 15 years!

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

65% alumni have completed their masters (5 of them in PHD programs) and the rest have completed graduation. The distribution between STEM, Commerce, Humanities and rest is 44%, 16%, 37% and 3% respectively.

DOMAINS

Over 65% of our alumni continue to be in the social sector (across domains). Here is a snapshot of the distribution:

Grassroots - 35
Social Enterprise - 34
Research - 11
Government - 6
Corp Social Resp - 5

Academia - 27
Corporate - 27
Enterprise - 23
Prof. Practice - 14
No Curr. Work - 8

THEMES

Education - 15
Art - 5
Sport - 2
Craft - 3
Health - 13
Mental Health - 3
SRHR - 4
Data Science & Technology - 17
Enterprise Dev/Skilling - 15
Environment & Climate Change - 12
Dev Communication & Media - 12
Human Rights, Gender & Dignity - 10
Policy - 9
Youth Leadership - 8
Sustainability - 7
Empowerment - 6
Management - 6
Urban Issues - 6
Livelihoods - 9
Governance - 5
Finance & MFI - 4
Other - 11
No Curr. Work - 8

ROLES

Program Lead - 44
Team Member - 65
Self Employed - 15
Researcher - 8
Student - 21
Fellow - 5
No Curr. Work - 8

FOUNDERS

24 of our alumni today are founders/directors/trustees of organizations, both for-profits and not for profits.