

About NISD

The National Institute of Social Defence is the nodal training and research institute under the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India. NISD works to promote care, protection and empowerment of vulnerable groups in society. Its major focus includes the welfare of senior citizens, substance use prevention, transgender welfare and beggary prevention.

About Nagaland University

Nagaland University, a Central University established in 1994 is spread across three campuses in three districts. The University Headquarter is located in Lumami, situated in Zunheboto District of Nagaland state. It is about 20 kms from Mokokchung Town. The campus offers basic amenities with Shopping Complex, Health Centre, Post Office, Bank with ATM etc.



About Sociology Department

The Department of Sociology was established in the year 1997 and over the years conducted numerous programmes and events as part of their academic extension activities. The Department has both Postgraduate and Ph.D. program. The Department also has a Tribal Research Centre to carry out various inter disciplinary research projects on tribal issues in the region.

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Department of Sociology, NU



National Level Workshop on Elderly Issues

15th - 16th Oct. 2025

Organized by
Department of Sociology
Nagaland University

Sponsored by
National Institute of Social Defence
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment,
Government of India

INAUGURAL PROGRAMME

Venue: Conference Hall, Department of Sociology

Time: 10 AM to 11 AM

Chairperson - Prof. Temjensosang

Welcome note: Chairperson

University Song

Felicitation:

About the Workshop: Prof. Toshimenla Jamir

Short Speech - Prof Jagdish K. Patnaik,

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, NU

Aaholi: Research Scholars, Dept of Sociology

Keynote Address: Prof Mala Kapur Shankardass

Vote of Thanks: Dr. Sandeep Gupta

Day-1 (15th October 2025)

Chairperson: Prof. Athungo Ovung

Technical Session-I (11.15 AM - 12.00 PM)

Geriatric Care & Mental Health Concerns:

Dr. Imlisongla

Dept of Psychology, NU Meriema

Technical Session-II (12.15 PM- 1.00 PM)

Institutional Care of Elderly: Issues and Challenges:

Smt. Ruvuorienuo Juliana Medom,
Executive Member,

Good Samaritan Women Society, Kohima

Lunch : 1.00 PM - 1.40 PM

Chairperson: Dr. Sandeep Gupta

Technical Session-III (1.40 PM - 2.25 PM)

Geriatric Health Concerns and Issues:

Dr. S. S. Akaba Longchar

Medical Superintendent,

Impur Medical Hospital, Mokokchung

Technical Session-IV (2.30 PM - 3.15 PM)

Elderly Rights, Policies & Welfare for the Elderly

Dr. Sentikumla

Dept of Law, NU Lumami

Day-2 (16th October 2025)

Chairperson: Dr. Dipika Paul

Technical Session-V (10.00 AM- 11.00 AM)

Gender and Ageing:

Dr. Mala Kapur Shankardass

Former Professor, Delhi University

Technical Session-VI (11.15 AM - 12.15 PM)

Social Construction of Ageing:

Theoretical Insights

Dr Sandeep Gupta

Dept of Sociology, NU Lumami

Lunch: (12.15 - 12.50 PM)

Chairperson: Dr. Suraj Beri

Technical Session-VII (12.50 PM - 1.50 PM)

Researching Aging: Methods and Ethical Concerns in Research on the Elderly:

Dr Visielie,

Vice Principal,

John Government HS School, Viswema

Technical Session-VIII (1.55- 2.55 PM)

Ageing and Ageism in Nagaland:

Prof Toshimenla Jamir &

Mr. Sino Olive Shohe

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VALEDICTORY PROGRAMME

(3.00 PM - 4.00 PM)

Chairperson:

Dr. Yamsani Srikanth

Short Speech:

Prof. Kilangla Jamir,

Dean, School of Social Sciences

Reflection on the workshop:

Dr. Pitheli K Jimo

Vote of Thanks:

Dr. Suraj Beri