INTERNATIONAL FAMILY STUDIES
ONLINE PROGRAM (2015-16)

This program is a joint initiative of Global Consortium for International Family Studies (GCIFS) comprising of three international universities:

- Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai, India;
- University of Nebraska- Lincoln, Nebraska, U.S.A; and
- University of Newcastle, Callaghan, New South Wales, Australia

MISSION
GCIFS was established to create an educated and skilled workforce specializing in leading family centred policy, practice and the use of research to achieve goals relating to family wellbeing and resilience across diverse populations.

THE PROGRAM WILL PROVIDE UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY TO:

- Gain rich intercultural learning experience through the participation of students from many countries in the courses
- Learn from the international faculty who are experts in the field of family studies and who have created an invigorating online environment
- Learn about various theoretical and research based approaches to the study of family and gain deeper knowledge about the global perspective of family studies
- Apply these various perspectives on family in varied cultural, national and international contexts in practice and policy advocacy
- Gain skills of intervention in work with families
- Learn in a flexible online environment through experience based learning pedagogy

COURSES OFFERED IN THE PROGRAM:

- Foundations in Family Studies
- Strengths and Challenges of Families
- Around the World
- Families and Cultural Diversity
- Families Across the Life Course
- Family Centred Practice Approaches
- Program Design and Evaluation in Family Studies
- International Perspectives in Family Policy
- Family Studies Project

Batch II begins in September 2014
Last Date of Application: April 30, 2015

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