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Sub: Invitation for joining hands by the non-teaching staff of the University to promote collaborative activities involving NSS student volunteers and respective University staff in promoting NSS activities across University and its affiliated colleges for the benefit of the University and further its affiliated colleges.

You are well aware by now, that the competent authority of GGSIP University approved formation of NSS Cell on 8th February 2018 at GGSIP University main campus and as per NSS manual appointed Program Coordinator, Assistant Program Coordinator and Assistant Program Officer to built NSS Units both at University main campus and at affiliated colleges/Institutes under GGSIP University.

Taking cue from some non-teaching faculty who have shown willingness to join hands, I appeal to all administrative departments and the staff to contribute his/her free time for social cause and can contribute immensely in many Social Engineering activities.

The National Service Scheme (NSS), a voluntary and value based student youth programme which was launched in 1969 by Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports in pursuance of one of the recommendations of the Education Commission. NSS aims at the personality and character development of students in schools, colleges and Universities. For detailed information, please refer to the website <u>www.nss.nic.in</u>.

Students are one of the main stake holders in any University system. Many social service activities pertaining to University were discussed with active participation of the enrolled NSS volunteers. Just for your information, four units of NSS volunteers comprising of 100 students in each unit are energized and are actively involved in preparing documents to launch some programmes. Your further inputs and participation shall bring a sea change in the upkeep of the

University as well change some aspects of the University. A real transformation can be seen when youth force and their energies are channelized for good of the society at large.

Surprisingly, very interesting suggestion emerged. For example, they can participate as volunteers in the process of guiding new aspirants visiting the University portals who are new to campus, in disseminating information they seek and support the process of counselling and or orientation of new students. This will improve our public interface mechanism and effective implementation shall bring in tangible results in changing the public perception about the University. This shall be achieved by ensuring that the students do not miss their Academic Calendar of activities by chalking out a well designed plan with the department/USS concerned.

In this connection I appeal to all non teaching staff of the University to either share your ideas or be an active participant in the process of Nation building through NSS activities.

Looking forward to useful and meaningful association of non-teaching staff and NSS Units formed at University for transforming the youth force of the University achieving the twin objectives of sensitization and be a force for social upliftment.

You may register on the following link by filling the Google form: https://goo.gl/forms/CnqI7PlOfvQO38Nj2

Greetings on World Health Day!

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