



# PLACEMENT TALK 7 | MINUTES

Meeting Date | 7<sup>th</sup> May, 2021 / Time | 17:00-18:10 hrs. |

Meeting number | 184 394 5050 | Meeting Password | 12345 | Meeting Invitation Link | <https://bit.ly/2PYx13q>

**Guest Speaker** Dr. Manasi Bawdekar  
Vice President, Research and  
M&E, Salam Bombay.

**Attendees** 62

## OVERVIEW OF THE MEETING

Activity	Time
<b>A warm welcome by Dr. Aparajita Chattopadhyay, Dr. Manas Pradhan Placement Cell coordinators and Dr. K.S. James, Director, IIPS.</b> <i>Dr. Manas Pradhan welcomed Dr. Manasi Bawdekar and thanked her for kindly agreeing to deliver the talk, followed by which Dr. Aparajita shared a brief description about the purpose of the meeting and introduced Dr. Manasi Bawdekar – Vice President, Research and M&amp;E, Salam Bombay. She further welcomed Dr. K.S. James- Director, IIPS.</i>	<b>17:05 hrs-17:10 hrs.</b>
<b>A welcome note by the Director Dr. K.S. James.</b> <i>Dr. James highlighted the importance of the alumni for development of any institution and thanked Dr. Bawdekar for agreeing to interact with students. He also appreciated the efforts undertaken through the placement cell by organizing placement talks and other initiatives for the benefit of the students.</i>	<b>17:10 hrs-17:15 hrs.</b>
<b>Talk by Dr. Manasi Bawdekar</b> <i>A highly motivating and enlightening talk was conducted by Dr. Manasi Bawdekar wherein she shared about her years of teaching journey, PhD at IIPS and Career choices. She also shared about her amazing working experience at Public Health Department, Maharashtra wherein she gained immense exposure to ground reality of data. Dr. Bawdekar went on to discuss about her experience as Associate Director at Nirmala Niketan Institute of Social Work, Mumbai. Few technical and soft skills which a researcher must possess to excel in the field was discussed and emphasis was also laid on the technical skills which IIPS imparts to their students; Stress management, Documentation, Presentation and technical skills were few among them. The talk was beautifully concluded with a discussion on how students can explore various opportunities.</i>	<b>17:15 hrs-17:35hrs.</b>

## Activity

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**One-to-one interaction between the guest and the students in which the students asked certain questions of their concern that were effectively answered by Dr. Bawdekar.**

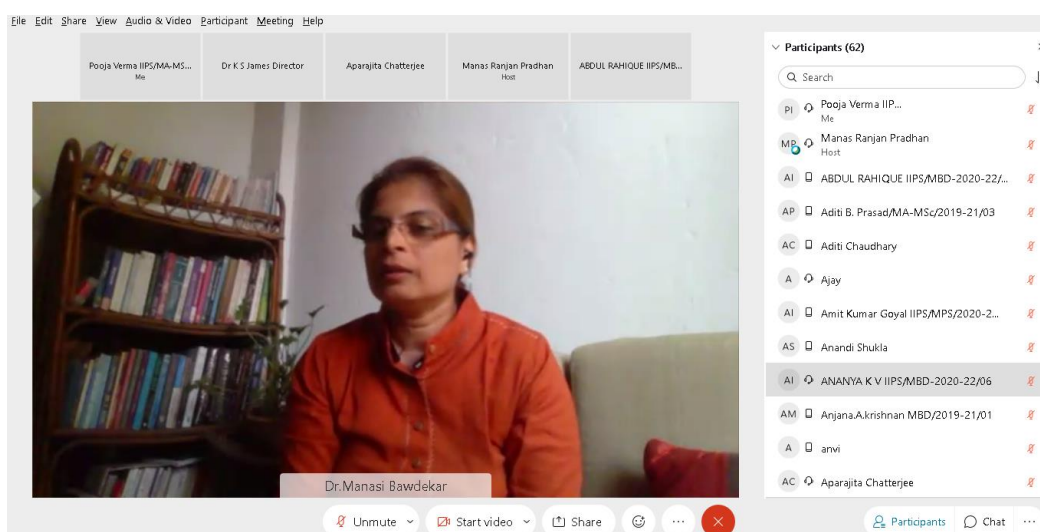
**17:35 hrs-18:05 hrs.**

**A vote of thanks offered by Ms. Varsha Nagargoje (Placement cell representative) to Dr. Manasi Bawdekar for sparing out her time and sharing the valuable experiences with IIPS.**

**18:05 hrs-18:10 hrs.**

## Screen Shots of the meeting

### Total Attendees in the meeting



## Dr. K.S. James, Dr. Aparajita Chattopadhyay, Dr. Manas Pradhan and Dr. Manasi Bawdekar with the other attendees

This screenshot shows a Cisco Webex meeting in progress. The main video feed displays Dr. K.S. James, identified as the Director, speaking. Above him is a gallery of four smaller video feeds showing other participants: Pooja Verma, a woman in a blue shirt, a man in an orange shirt, and AATHAVAN K K. The top of the interface includes the Cisco Webex Meetings logo, a 'Meeting Info' tab, and a 'Hide Menu Bar' option. A menu bar with 'File', 'Edit', 'Share', 'View', 'Audio & Video', 'Participant', 'Meeting', and 'Help' is visible. On the right side, a 'Participants (56)' list is shown, featuring a search bar and a list of names with status icons. The list includes Pooja Verma IIP..., Manas Ranjan Pradhan (Host), AATHAVAN K K IIPS/MA-MSc/2020..., ABDUL RAHIQUE IIPS/MBD-2020-22/..., Aditi B. Prasad/MA-MSc/2019-21/03, Aditi Chaudhary, Ajay, akif, Amit Kumar Goyal IIPS/MPS/2020-2..., Anandi Shukla, ANANYA K V IIPS/MBD-2020..., and Anjana.A.krishnan MBD/2019-21/01.

This screenshot shows a Cisco Webex meeting in progress. The main video feed displays Dr. Aparajita Chattopadhyay, identified as the main speaker, smiling. Above her is a gallery of four smaller video feeds showing other participants: Pooja Verma, a man in an orange shirt, a man in an orange shirt, and Ajay. The top of the interface includes the Cisco Webex Meetings logo, a 'Meeting Info' tab, and a 'Hide Menu Bar' option. A menu bar with 'File', 'Edit', 'Share', 'View', 'Audio & Video', 'Participant', 'Meeting', and 'Help' is visible. On the right side, a 'Participants (42)' list is shown, featuring a search bar and a list of names with status icons. The list includes Pooja Verma IIP..., Manas Ranjan Pradhan (Host), Ajay, Amit Kumar Goyal IIPS/MPS/2020-2..., Anandi Shukla, ANANYA K V IIPS/MBD-2020..., Anjana.A.krishnan MBD/2019-21/01, Aparajita Chatterjee, ATMA PRAKASH, Ayantika Biswas, DEEPAK WAGHMARE IIPS/MA/MSC/..., and DEVIKRISHNA NB.



**Few other moments from the meeting with the guest**

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Pooja Verma IIPS/MA-MS... Me

Aparajita Chatterjee

Mohd Umar

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Chat

from Aparajita Chatterjee to everyone: 5:46 PM  
pl switch on th evideo if possible

from Pooja Arora to everyone: 5:46 PM  
Thank you mam for such an inspiring talk. It was great to hear about your journey. Seeing how you explored so many spheres, what made you decide for PhD in yoga?

from RANJIMA K V IIPS/MBD-2020-22/26 to everyone: 5:52 PM  
Maam can you suggest the software packages for quantitative analysis again?

from Shubhra Kirti to everyone: 5:53 PM  
Maam can you please specify few courses that could be helpful in amplifying our skills in the field of demography

from Pooja Verma IIPS/MA-MS-2020-22/29 to everyone: 5:54 PM  
It was really great to hear about your experiences. Could you please name few organizations which are doing great in qualitative research in India and how can we apply and upskill ourselves for it.

To: Everyone

Enter chat message here

Dr.Manasi Bawdekar

**Vote of thanks to Dr. Manasi Bawdekar**

Compilation: Pooja Verma