



Manoj Srivastava Memorial Fund



The Equity Foundation is proud to announce the establishment of the Manoj Srivastava Memorial Fund to honor the over forty years of his unwavering commitment to good governance and education.

Every year under the banner of Equity Foundation we have decided to organise a Memorial Lecture to honor the memory of Manoj K. Srivastava Bureaucrat, Academician and Researcher. This event will be organised every year in the fond memory of Manoj Srivastava who unexpectedly passed away in Patna in August, 2020, after suffering from Covid-19. The lecture will be held every year on 11th August, the birthday of Manoj K. Srivastava and will be delivered by an eminent expert or renowned personality on any subject of his/her choice relating to political development, social development and Good Governance.

Nobel Laureate Professor Abhijit Vinayak Banerjee, American economist who is currently the Ford Foundation International Professor of Economics at Massachusetts Institute of Technology delivered the first Inaugural memorial lecture on August 19, 2021.

Join us in honouring the legacy of Mr. Manoj K. Srivastava, on August 13, 2022. This year, we celebrate the 2nd Anniversary of the Manoj Srivastava Memorial Lecture. The lecture will be delivered by Mr. R.K. Singh, Hon'ble Union Cabinet Minister for Power & Minister of New and Renewable Energy in the Government of India.

A tribute to Manoj Srivastava

Born in 1954 in Bihar, he pursued his BSc. in Physics from St. Xavier's College, Ranchi, following which he joined the JNU, from where he completed his MA in Sociology. After this, he competed for the prestigious Indian Administrative Service (IAS) by securing the 3rd position all over India in the Civil Services Exam, and joined the Bihar cadre (1980 batch).

He was amongst the most acclaimed IAS officers of the Bihar cadre. More importantly, he earned a formidable reputation for his pro-poor, pro-people approach, and remained true to his core concern for people's empowerment and good governance all through his career. His encyclopaedic knowledge base, commitment to upholding the highest standards of integrity and probity in public life, and his ability and willingness to speak truth to power, is the stuff of legends, stories of which are well known across Bihar. During his lifetime, Manoj Srivastava was dedicated to providing fairness and justice for the most vulnerable in society drawing from his own personal experiences to make a lasting impact.

While in the service, owing to his lifelong pursuit of academic excellence and knowledge enrichment, Mr. Srivastava also went on study leave on multiple occasions. He completed his Masters in International Development from the Cornell University, USA on a World Bank scholarship; worked as a Research Scholar/Research Fellow at the London School of Economics (LSE), UK and Cambridge University, UK; he was a SPURS Fellow at the MIT, USA; he also served briefly as a Research Fellow at the Centre for the Study of Law & Governance, JNU. In 2009, he became the first recipient of the prestigious Jamsetji Tata Fellowship awarded by the LSE, a position he served for 2 years. Post superannuation from the IAS, he was serving as a Distinguished Fellow at the IIM Ahmedabad, and as an Adjunct Professor at the National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bengaluru. He was recently appointed as the National Researcher by the National Human Rights Commission.

We invite you to visit Manoj Srivastava's Page www.emanjari.com to learn more about his Story and how he has impacted, and continues to impact the society.

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Your Support Makes a Difference

We are honored to establish the Manoj Srivastava Memorial Fund in memory of the great personality and a true visionary whose impact on the society and our wider community will never be forgotten. Manoj Srivastava's commitment to international outlook and excellence on the global stage, together with his enthusiasm for widening access to education and good governance in the State of Bihar continue to have an incredibly positive impact today. He was a committed champion of helping those in need and a strong advocate for decreasing the inequities in the society. The fund is a wonderful way to honour his important contributions and his memory.

The Memorial Fund will focus on various lecture series and other academic events. It will also support prizes and scholarships for students as fitting and heartfelt memoriam.

The Organisation is registered under Societies Registration Act 1860 and has 12 A and 80 G as well as FCRA and PAN number. The Donations are tax-deductible and 100% of your donation will go towards the memorial fund with no administration costs taken out.

Your support may allow us to cope with his loss by contributing to a memorial fund for his educational journey and lifelong work and research.

Your donations will support The Manoj Srivastava Memorial Fund. If you would like to support the Fund, please donate through NEFT, RTGS. Or to discuss further, contact Nina Srivastava/Saagar Srivastava, on +916207092051/9471007247 or email equityasia@gmail.com.

Thank you.

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