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Nationality:

Indian

Number of years of work experience:

9 years

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My Fellowship role:

Learning, Measurement and Evaluation (LME) Fellow

Fellowship organization: Living Landscapes, India

Organization's mission:

To bring system shifts by enabling grassroots coalitions to work towards -

- Ecologically healthy Commons rooted in inclusive governance
- Equitable and durable livelihood gains reflected as 30-50% increases in income, especially for women
- Enhanced community resilience to economic and environmental shocks and stresses

My background:

I have spent the last nine years working in the social sector, focused on using data, evidence, and learning to strengthen programme design and implementation. My work has involved building monitoring and evaluation systems, generating actionable insights, and supporting program teams to make informed decisions that improve outcomes. I hold a Master of Arts in Regulatory Governance from the Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS), Mumbai.

I joined the LGT Impact Fellowship because...

It offers a unique opportunity to learn from practitioners, collaborate with peers from diverse backgrounds, and contribute meaningfully to complex development challenges. I'm particularly excited to bridge my experience in evidence and learning

In my Fellowship role I will...

Contribute to designing and strengthening the Learning, Monitoring and Evaluation (LME) practice for various functions across the organisation, enabling evidence-based decision-making, organisational learning, and adaptive program management to enhance the impact of various initiatives.

I am very excited about...

I am excited to join Living Landscapes and learn from a collaborative platform that brings together communities, organisations, and institutions to address the interconnected challenges of rural livelihoods and environmental governance.