

About IT for Change

IT for Change (ITfC) is an NGO located in Bangalore, India, that works for the innovative and effective use of information and communication technologies (ICT) to promote socio-economic change. IT for Change aims for a society in which digital technologies contribute to human rights, social justice, and equity. ITfC works at global, national and local levels in programs relating to research, advocacy and field projects in the substantive areas of education, digital society and economy, governance, gender, community informatics and social policy. ITfC has a special consultative status with the United Nations Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC), a status shared by few hundred NGOs across the world. ITfC has been a member of several committees and groups set-up by the Ministry of Education, MEITY, MWCD, RDPR (all ministries of Government of India) for integrating ICT into developmental programs.

ITfC was established in 2000 and in its twenty-four years of work, ITfC has received support from UN organizations, inter-governmental organizations, global and national philanthropies and CSR initiatives, government organizations and foundations. Our work in the areas of education, gender, governance, community informatics and internet/digital policies push the boundaries of existing vocabulary and practice, exploring new development and social change frameworks. Our knowledge outputs have been published in reputed journals and publications to shape discourse on education, as well as input into education policy and program efforts at national and state levels. Network building is key to our work. We have extensive experience in developing online and blended courses for students, teachers and teacher educators over the last four years. We have been working for the meaningful integration of digital technologies in education since 2009 and have conducted programs at school, cluster, block, district, and state levels in different curricular areas. We also work with pre-service teacher education institutions on meaningful integration of digital technologies in Diploma Bachelors and Masters programs in Education.

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