



A brief Profile



Institute of Social Research and Development (ISRD)

A registered Not-for-Profit organization under Manipur Societies Registration Act and Foreign Contribution Regulation Act.



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About ISRD

ISRD was set up in the year 1992 by a group of members from different background with a view to undertake various activities for the welfare of the society relating to health, education, environment and economic sustainability for the marginalized section of the society. It was registered as a Non-political Non-sectarian, Non-profit making and non-Governmental State level voluntary organization and registered under Manipur Societies Registration Act, 1989 and Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010.

Mission and Objectives

A welfare society where poorest of the poor and marginalized section of the society could enjoy with full justice and democratic values in life.

Objectives:

- To empower different stakeholders and enable them to realize their rights, entitlement and responsibility for a sustainable society;
- To liberate marginalized sections of society by bringing about a structural change in their socio-economic life;
- To bring the weaker community into the mainstream of national development by working with different stakeholders at all levels and
- Implement a Human Rights Education campaign aimed at community mobilization and social empowerment.

Management

Organization: ISRD is managed by a Managing Committee having 5 members headed by the President elected by members of general body of the Organization. The Committee meets once in every month. All the decisions are unanimously taken in Executive body of the Organization.

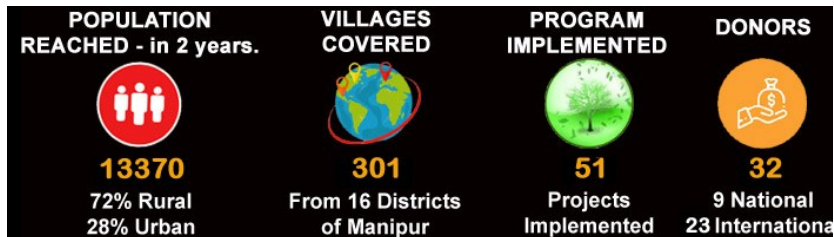
Financial: Financial Management Consists of Book Keeping & Record Maintenance, Internal Controls & Checks, Planning & Budgeting, Reporting, Statutory Compliances and asset disposition plan. Our financial auditing process conducted by internal audit committee and externally by a registered Chartered Accountant annually.

Internal Controls: Procurement Policy, Anti-Bribery and Anti-Corruption Policy of the organization covers Bribes, Gifts and hospitality, Facilitation payments, Political contributions and charitable contributions which periodically assess by a committee.

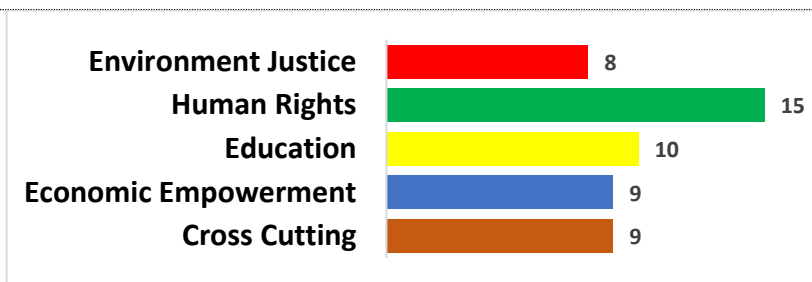
Focus areas: *We are working to meet Sustainable Development Goals*



Our Reach



Program Overview

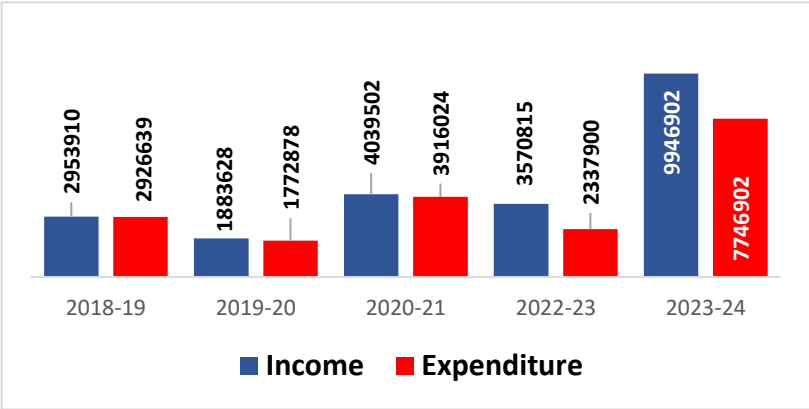


Overview of Expenses

ISRD believes in maximum utilization of funds directly in the implementation of activities while minimizing administrative and other expenses



Financial Information – in INR (₹)



Safeguard policies



Policy for Protection of Children: A commitment from ISRD to safeguard the children from harm and ensure to minimize the risk of and deal with any abuse and exploitation of children.



ISRD is committed to promoting equal employment opportunities which means there is fairness, impartiality and equal access to all in their career initiatives- providing inclusive work environment that values and accepts the diverse cultural and social backgrounds.

Auditors

M/s Sabin Maden & Associates
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Lamphel Super Market
Lamphelpat, Imphal, Manipur

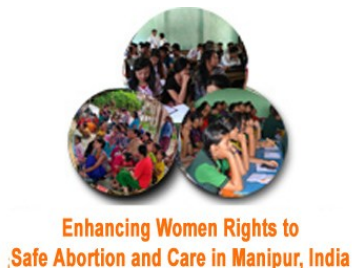
M/s Khandelia & Sharma
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Chartered Accountants
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Work force



Current Projects



Current Donors:



Past Donors:



Research profile:

ISRD believes in evidence-based programming and ensures systematic approach to all our program design, implementation, and evaluation that relies on the best available evidence to inform decision-making of all key stakeholders involved.

Generating evidence to guide the staffs and key decision makers of ISRD and partners as been one of the key practices of the organization.

However, ISRD has not been a research organization and as not yet measured the outcomes of the studies or research conducted in terms of no of publications or dissemination yet.

Based on the learnings of the following programmatic studies,

baseline assessments, need assessments etc. ISRD realized the need to look for scopes in partnering with agencies or stakeholders to conduct studies and research to generate evidence not only to inform programs and stakeholders of ISRD.



Following are few of the programmatic studies, need assessments and or baseline assessments conducted:

- a) Baseline assessment on violence against women, among internally displaced persons due to armed conflicts in the state of Manipur, India.
- b) Situational need assessment on the management practices of Asiatic water buffalo on treatment literacy, cruelty, vaccinations and medical emergency among 300 buffalo owners from 95 villages of the Ukhrul District, Manipur, India.
- c) Need assessment on the educational status of young tribal girls of four districts of Senapati District, Manipur, India.
- d) Baseline situational assessment on abortion practices and access to safe and respectful services among women in four districts of Manipur
- e) Skill building need assessment among marginalized tribal women in Manipur, India.
- f) Situational assessment on alcohol dependency among young people in Manipur, India.
- g) Access to legal services among women in Manipur, India

Alliance

ISRD is a General Assembly Member of IPEN. The International POPs Elimination Network (IPEN) is a global network of NGOs dedicated to the common aim of eliminating persistent organic pollutants. IPEN is composed of public interest non-governmental organizations that support a common platform for the global elimination of POPs. The Participating Organizations (POs) of IPEN are those NGOs which have endorsed the POPs Elimination Platform and/or the Stockholm Declaration. (<https://ipen.org/>). ISRD is also a member of End Water Poverty, UK based organization. End Water Poverty is a global civil society coalition campaigning for governments to respect, protect and fulfil people’s human rights to safe water and sanitation. We are comprised of over 150 organizations in 90 countries across Africa, America, Asia, and Europe.

Dealing with Religious, Caste and Political Environment

ISRD mandate is to abstain from any religious, caste and political environment in any activities implemented in the state of Manipur. But we do respect values of any community’s traditions, traditional beliefs and cultural identity. ISRD do not have any relationship with any political party neither support candidate for election nor any member in the organization committee who link/member with any political party.

Achievements:

Environmental Justice	Partner with Nokia, Microsoft, Toxics Link, Global Grants fund, Audubon Naturalist Society, Ministry of New Renewable Energy and NASSCOM Foundation to implement various interventions for a sustainable environment.
Human Rights	Partner with National commission for Women, Taiv Foundation for Democracy and WWDP, Germany, FI Peru.
Education	Partner with Niwano Peace Foundation, Ministry of Human Resource & Development, Ministry of DONER, National University of Educational Planning and Administration and American Women for International Understanding, SPAN (UK), Julius Baer Foundation (Switzerland) and Amnesty Change, UK.
Economic Empowerment	Partner with Marr-Munning Trust, Embassy of Czech Republic, Shamdashini Foundation, Kapasi International Relief and Education Assistance, NextWorldN Community Foundation, SELAVIP, Latin America, S Foundation, SPANA, UK and Charities Aid Foundation.



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