

# Workshop on Financial instruments and their impact on economic swaraj of the community

## Madurai Symposium 2021

Madurai Symposium is a unique platform for exchange of ideas, vision and knowledge. This is the tenth such biennial event that focuses on Advancing Development – Community Swaraj, where many development stake holders with diversity in development will take part. The event is scheduled during Oct 25-29, 2021 with conventions and workshops are being conducted both in virtual and in person mode.

### Workshop

DHAN Kalanjiam Foundation (DKF) is organizing a workshop on “Financial instruments and their impact on economic swaraj of the community” on October 25, 2021. The workshop will facilitate the sharing of the grassroots impact of the financial instruments - SCRIPT (Savings, Credit, Insurance, Pension and Technology) in creating economic Grama Swaraj of the community. DKF is the first subsidiary of DHAN Foundation, established in 2002 to upscale the Kalanjiam Community Banking Programme. It offers development finance - a total financial package of financial services under one roof. Savings is the first, Credit is next, Insurance is must, Pension is best and Technolgy is doing the rest of the financial inclusion for the kalanjiam member at last mile. Each of the above financial instrument has served a lot to the members of the SHGs in enabling them to be economically swaraj.



### Objectives of the workshop

- To facilitate the experience sharing by the leaders of the Kalanjiam and its federations on the impact of the financial instruments on their economic swaraj.
- To document the impact on each of the financial instruments and showcase the impact stories for larger dissemination and policy advocacy.

### Participants

Representatives of Vice-Presidents and Treasurers of Kalanjiam federations, people functionaries and professionals from 13 regions of 6 states totaling to 90.





### Convention Schedule

- 10.00 a.m. : Reflection and Lighting of lamp by Kalanjiam leaders
- 10.15 a.m. : Introduction by the Participants
- 10.30 a.m. : Welcome & introduction to the Workshop
- 10.45 a.m. : Lead paper presentation
- 11.00 a.m. : Reflection on the lead paper and Lead points for sub group discussion
- 11.15 a.m. : Break out for Sub-group process (Language and statewise)
- 12.30 p.m. : Synthesis of deliberations and concluding

Date: October 26, 2021 (Tuesday)

Venue: Conference Hall, Ground Floor, Central office, DHAN Foundation, Madurai, Tamil Nadu. (Both Direct & Virtual mode)

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