FORMATION OF THE FORMATION GUIDES

"A Certificate Course in Formative Spirituality" 22nd April - 28th May 2025



JYOTI 4 COLLEGE

(Aggregated to the Pontifical Salesian University, Rome)



HUMAN AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH

THEORY

- 1. Psycho-Sexual Integration & Celibacy
- 2. Spiritual Direction, Counselling Skills
- 3. Psycho-Cultural aspects of Formation
- 4. Psychology of Human Development
- 5. Issues and Problems in Human Behaviour
- Learning to Deal with Emotions and Healing of Emotions
- 7. Consecrated Life and its Challenges Today

PRACTICAL

- 1. Regular Spiritual Direction
- 2. Group Therapy
- 3. Core Transformation and EFT
- Values and Value Clarification Exercises, and Dealing with Challenges to Value-based Life
- 5. Cognitive Behavioural Therapy
- 6. Person Centred Therapy

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- 1. The programme will be organised over a period of six months spread over three years (during the months of April and May)
- 2. Completion of all the courses
- 3. An assignment at the end of the third year
- 4. The student will have to go for spiritual direction, in the second and third year, to a qualified person of her/his choice at least once a month and the report will have to be submitted
- 5. The student is required to do ten sessions of spiritual guidance

LEARNING OUTCOMES

At the end of the course of study, students must demonstrate:

- 1. A knowledge of topics related to consecrated life, including vocatioal discernment and formation of candidates
- 2. Their ability to assess and alter their own personal development and their formational skills
- 3. Their ability to plan and organise vocational orientation, discernment and accompaniment
- 4. Their ability to plan, implement and assess a plan for the various stages of formation
- 5. Their ability to organise and coordinate the methodological and relationship aspects of training

AREAS TO BE COVERED

Processes of human and spiritual growth • Intercultural living • Vocation and the consecrated life • Spirituality • Prayer, community and ministry as dimensions of religious life• The vows of religious life • Discernment, accompaniment and spiritual direction

• Mission in the context of the world today • Stages of formation and their processes



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

- Psychologically healthy individuals, capable of reflection and interiorisation
- Open to different ways of living religious life and capable of dialogue and sharing in an intercultural context
- 3. Have the potential for being a good formator
- 4. A professed member of a religious congregation or a cleric/priest
- Currently responsible for formation or is being prepared for this ministry
- 6. Adequate biblical and spiritual preparation
- 7. Sufficient knowledge of English to enable them to participate well in the programme
- 8. To be recommended by their Superior General or Provincial

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