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## NEWSLETTER

### First step of Lit the Light Career wing

**“Inclusion is the only safety if we are to have a peaceful world”  
– Pearl S. Buck**

Lit the Light Career Wing (LTLCW) was inaugurated on 15th march 2020 by **Dr. Alby John IAS**, Regional Deputy Commissioner, Greater Chennai Corporation (south) at Presidency College. With lot of tireless efforts and team work by our leads and volunteers we have successfully placed four of our visually challenged candidates in a well reputed company.

#### Success story of Manimekalai



Manimekalai

Life is a challenge and let's face it with courage. Manimekalai's journey is an inspiration to all. She lost her vision partially when she was 14 years and with the support from her family, she completed her graduation with flying colors. She passed out as a successful MBA graduate purely with determination to win over the challenge she was facing from her childhood. She wanted to start her career; she was advised to learn computers. She was guided by Mitra Jyothi, center for empowerment of women and NIVH institute for visually challenged to learn basics of operating systems. Later she was given immense training by TCS at Bangalore and Mumbai to enhance her computer skills. She was guided by Lit the light career team to prepare for job interviews and years of perseverance, hard work led her to obtain a job as an **Accessibility tester** at **Iteria.us** Hyderabad. She is elated by the support given by her senior management and colleagues to learn the job and she begins her career with a positive note.

#### Success story of Rajkumar

Rajkumar hails from a middle-class family who struggled to lead a basic living with one or two meals a day. He lost his father when he was young, and his mother supported to continue his education. Rajkumar received his basic education from St Louis school for visually challenged and later graduated in English from Loyola college. He is an inspiration to aspiring youngsters who like to learn and expand their ring of knowledge. Rajkumar spent his time preparing for interviews with his association with Lit the light career team. Rajkumar spent hours to update himself in current affairs and he enrolled himself in various employment forums. He was offered a job by **Iteria.us** Hyderabad as an **Accessibility tester**, development of testing system tools. He is thankful to Almighty, his mother for the blessings he received and the colleagues who support him in his current job. In this competitive job market in lockdown period his performance and self-confidence has led him throughout to achieve his goal.



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### Success story of Prasad Arun



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Prasad Arun from Chennai has been placed in iQuantM Technologies Ltd., which is a certified SAP Partner with its headquarters registered in the United Kingdom and subsidiary offices in Canada, India and the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. Prasad holds a Masters of Arts in English Literature and has been offered the position of a **presale's consultant** with **iQuantM** at Chennai. Lit the light has been instrumental in his journey by helping Prasad coordinate with iQuantM from sending his resume to receiving his offer letter. Prasad has expressed his heartfelt gratitude to Lit the Light in standing with him through this process and helping him realize his goal of working with a reputed organization. He also expresses his desire to see Lit the Light help many more such deserving candidates in their career and has a word of advice to aspiring professionals to not disheartened by the obstacles thrown their way, but to rejoice in the knowledge that Lit the Light will guide them. Our hearty congratulations to Prasad Arun! Kudos to all at Lit the Light, especially to the Careers team, for this proud moment!

### Success story of Balaji

Balaji S from Tiruvannamalai is currently pursuing his final semester in Bachelors of Arts in English Literature from Madras Christian College, Chennai. Even before he has received his degree, Lit the Light has helped him land a job as **Presale's consultant** with **iQuantM** at Chennai which is a certified SAP Partner with its headquarters registered in the United Kingdom and subsidiary offices in Canada, India and the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. He has been offered the position of a presales consultant and is currently undergoing his training. Balaji is overwhelmed with gratitude for the constant follow up and continuous guidance from Lit the Light in his incredible journey from a student to a professional. Our hearty congratulations and wishes to Balaji in his new endeavour! A very proud moment for all of us at Lit the Light, especially for the Careers team, on this achievement!



Balaji

Our Sincere Thanks to **Iteria.us** and **iQuantM** for Inclusive hiring visually Challenged Talents



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