



# ***RMN Foundation***

## **Equal Opportunity for All to Live and Progress**

**RMN Foundation** is an educational and public charitable Trust formed in May 2015 for the benefit of humanity at large. It is registered as an Article 64 Trust in the Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi at New Delhi, India.

With all-encompassing philanthropic objectives to serve the masses, RMN Foundation is now working as a nonprofit, non-governmental organization (NGO) in diverse fields of human activity. All the services of the Foundation are structured to ensure “**Equal Opportunity for All to Live and Progress**,” which is also the fundamental belief and the driving force for the people working for our organization.

Among its objectives, RMN Foundation strives to build sustainable resources to allow underprivileged sections of our society to stand up with full dignity and join the mainstream. In general, the objectives of the Foundation will always be dynamic to optimally utilize the resources in hand with the aim to help the have-nots in all possible ways.



However, the current focus of RMN Foundation is to empower poor and disadvantaged children by providing them the best possible education. We are now working to achieve the following macro objectives for our activities related to children:

### **Educational Objectives**

- ♥ To find the relevance of education for children based on their aptitude and interest
- ♥ To devise and implement non-traditional pedagogical models which will directly help in a child's career development
- ♥ To provide the best possible education to children in RMN Foundation's planned schools
- ♥ To give them contemporary career orientation
- ♥ To help them become part of the organizational setup, which is based on our own "enterprise clustering model"
- ♥ To help them settle with their families
- ♥ To encourage them for replicating the RMN Foundation educational models at different locations in the world

### **Our Books**

As an example of our non-conventional educational initiatives, we have introduced a book series under the banner "Knowledge Stories for Children." This is an innovative storybook concept aimed at educating children in the high-tech area of information and communications technology (ICT) through interesting stories.

Keeping in view today's need to give technology orientation to children, a little technology element is introduced in the stories. These books not only help children, but they also make it simpler for parents and teachers to impart tech education to young learners.



The books in this series can also supplement the conventional technology education in various schools. A hallmark of the books in this series is that they can be adopted for stage shows by children, TV programs for children, and short-format movies.

### **Our Approach**

RMN Foundation takes the following steps to complete an end-to-end process with the aim to achieve its educational objectives.

#### ***Selection of Children***

The children will be admitted to RMN Foundation schools based on definite eligibility criteria. However, they will either be from the "totally abandoned" or "economically weaker" sections of society. The ideal age for admission will be less than 12 years – preferably around 4 years.

#### ***Education***

Children's education will be based on an exclusive non-conventional curriculum, which will be customized and changed with the changing needs in the marketplace. It will comprise professional and soft skills aligned with different areas of modern business and organizational activity.

The focus of the studies will be to empower the children to stay ahead in the current competitive environment. So technology education will always be an important element of our whole education system.

#### ***Career Guidance***

Depending on their strengths in different professional areas, the children in the RMN Foundation schools will be guided to grow in those particular areas and lead their teams.



### **Enterprise Model**

The qualified candidates will be allowed to become part of our subsistence- and career-oriented “**enterprise clustering model**” in different processes and enterprise streams. Others will play support roles.

### **Social Setup**

The children with the RMN Foundation schools will be encouraged to build their families and then move out of the Foundation setup, though they will always be part of the RMN Foundation family and keep contributing to its growth.

### **Funds**

Besides using internal capital, the funds will be raised through resources including from friends, charity organizations, or government bodies. These initial funds will be utilized to set up the RMN Foundation schools.

Once the schools are running, they will tend to become sustainable by commercializing their products and services, which may include publishing and selling books in the open market, sale of multimedia edutainment content, research reports on children’s education and growth, etc. Moreover, donations from individuals, companies, and governments will also support the operations of these schools.

When the schools are at the “**enterprise clustering state**,” with qualified children, they will start earning by offering their own products and services in the open market. The “**enterprise clustering model**” is aimed at making these schools self-sustainable by creating small business units run by the qualified students / people trained at these schools.

### **Infrastructure**

RMN Foundation school buildings will mostly be established in economically backward areas, remote locations, or villages because of cost factors and also because most needy candidates will be in these unattended locations.

These buildings will be made like hostels for children where they will live for the entire RMN Foundation schooling process lifecycle. The infrastructure will include living rooms, class rooms, dispensaries, playgrounds, labs, transport vehicles, etc.

Although the Foundation will mostly take services from volunteers, paid / professional resources will also be hired for certain specialized support areas.

### **Participation**

You can participate in different ways for the establishment and management of all activities being carried out by the RMN Foundation.

### **Volunteers**

RMN Foundation invites applications from qualified candidates – at least with a graduate degree – to offer their services on a voluntary basis. They will be considered for all organizational disciplines like student education, public relations, marketing, fund-raising, communications, counseling, events, and others.

Please send a brief note (up to 500 words) about yourself and your objective to support the RMN Foundation.

### **Financial Contributors**

People who want to donate money to the RMN Foundation can just send us their expression of interest. They will soon be notified about the donation / contribution procedure.

Volunteers and Financial Contributors can come from any part of the world.



## Our Team

We are in the process of expanding our team. You can, however, meet our current team members.



### Rakesh Raman

Rakesh has more than 20 years of experience in the technology and media markets as a technologist, senior journalist, analyst, and columnist. Besides holding senior editorial positions with top media companies, Rakesh was writing an exclusive edit-page tech business column (named Technophile) regularly for The Financial Express (a daily business newspaper of The Indian Express Group).

He has been conferred the National-level government award for his contribution in the field of journalism, which has been a unique distinction in the country. The award was presented to him at the Republic Day function.

Among other top assignments, Rakesh had been associated with the United Nations (UN) through United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) as a digital media expert to help businesses use technology for brand marketing and business development.



### Sanjay Gupta

Sanjay has been working as a technology journalist and independent writer for about 20 years. Before starting his professional career, he used to provide coaching and guidance to school children in Delhi. He is always eager to apply his knowledge and experience to devise innovative models for children's education.

Recently, Sanjay has written a book titled "Strings of the Soul." The book is about love, truth, happiness, and some other human characteristics that connect us all.

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