

## Skills In – Sight

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### Prologue:

**Skills In-sight:** This is an initiative launched during 5th Annual General Meeting (AGM) of FFSC with an objective to provide insights into the skill ecosystem in short bytes and keep stakeholders updated. The weekly update will share the major activities and initiatives which the council has initiated in the week.

In Volume-14 of the Skills In-Sight we feature the following:

- Mahatma Gandhi National Fellowship (MGNF)
- Training of the Trainers (ToT): Online Sessions
- 1st Furniture Installation NOS Group Meeting
- Orientation Workshop on RPL Application Process for Industry Partners
- Projects under Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (MoSJE)

### Mahatma Gandhi National Fellowship (MGNF)

After the success of MGNF in the first year, the Ministry is all set to expand the program to the remaining districts in the country. To retain the high academic standards, the Ministry will be partnering with 9 IIMs - IIM Ahmedabad, IIM Bangalore, IIM Jammu, IIM Kozhikode, IIM Lucknow, IIM Nagpur, IIM Ranchi, IIM Udaipur, IIM Visakhapatnam. The selection of fellows will be done by IIM Bangalore through a common admission process.



The Mahatma Gandhi National Fellowship (MGNF) is an opportunity for young, dynamic individuals to contribute to enhancing skill development and promote economic development.

The two-year Fellowship seeks to combine classroom sessions (Academic Module) host IIMs with an intensive field immersion at the district level (District Immersion) to create credible plans and identify barriers in raising employment, economic output, and promote livelihoods in rural areas. MGNF is a Certificate Program in Public Policy and Management offered by IIMs. It has been designed at the initiative of the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE), Government of India (GoI) and implemented in collaboration with State Skill Development Missions (SSDMs).

### **How to apply:**

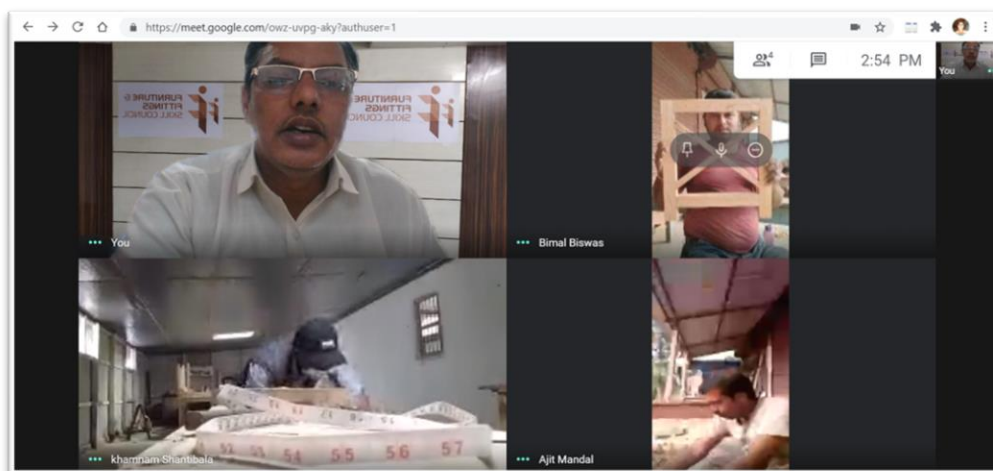
The application window for 2021-23 admissions is now open. Application window open till March 27, 2021. For admission-related assistance, email [helpdesk.mgnf@gmail.com](mailto:helpdesk.mgnf@gmail.com)

## **Training of the Trainers (ToT): Online Sessions**

Furniture and Fittings Skill Council has started the Training of the Trainers sessions online given the COVID-19 situation with the Master Trainer imparting domain training and platform training components through video conferencing. The practical sessions as part of the assessments are demonstrated by the participating trainers online at their nearest woodworking workshop.

Training of the Trainers sessions are being held from 9<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> February 2021 for the Lead and Assistant Carpenter job roles.

1<sup>st</sup>



## Furniture Installation NOS Group Meeting

The 1<sup>st</sup> Furniture Installation NOS group meeting was organized virtually on 13<sup>th</sup> February at 4.00 PM. The representatives from, industries and academics have attended the meeting. Standard development process, functional analysis of the short-listed job roles was explained to the members during the meeting.

The roles and responsibilities of the NOS group members were also discussed.



**Courseware for Development**

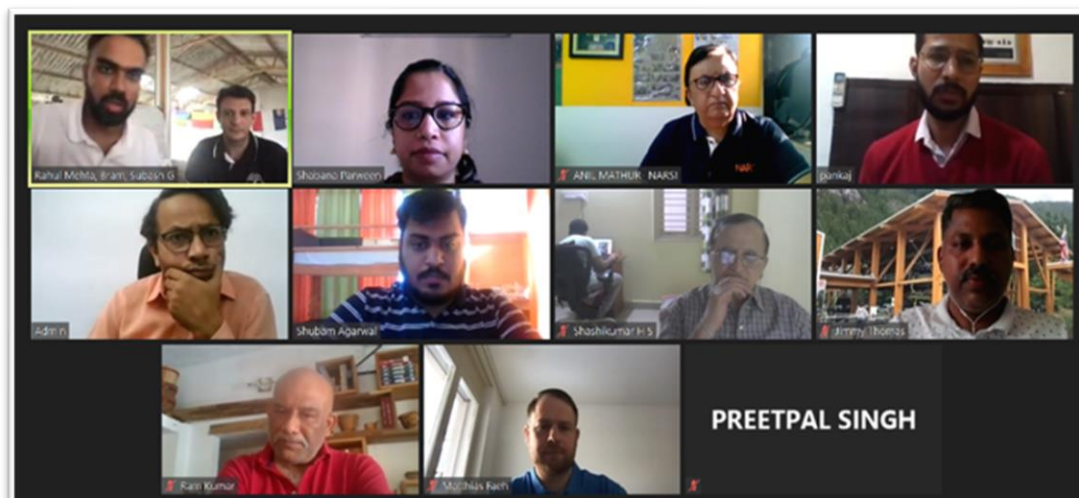
**Create National Occupation Standards (NOS)**

1. NOS Parameters
  1. Elements & Performance Criteria
  2. Knowledge & Understanding
  3. Generic & Professional Skills
2. Assessment Criteria
3. Acronyms & Glossary
4. Mark NOS as Available for QP or Standalone NOS (treatment similar to QP)
5. Documents for Standalone NOS

**Create Qualification Pack (QP)**

1. QP Parameters
2. Link Applicable NOS
3. Assessment Guidelines & Weightage
4. Acronyms & Glossary
5. Documents Submission

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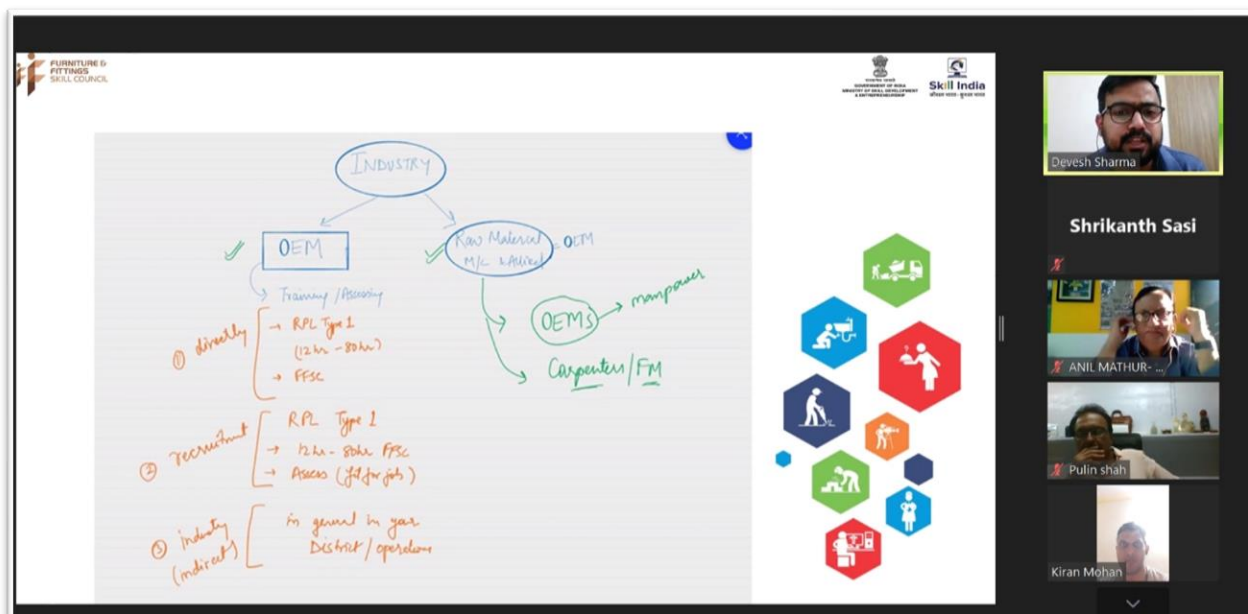


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## Orientation Workshop on RPL Application Process for Industry Partners

FFSC organized an “Orientation Workshop on RPL Application Process” for the industry partners on 16<sup>th</sup> February 2021. The workshop aimed to give a detailed walk through to the partners on the new RFP portal of NSDC and the application process for Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) projects.



## Projects under Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (MoSJE)

### Selection Committee Meeting:

Post mobilization and counselling, the candidates for NBCFDC training programs are shortlisted on the day of Selection Committee meeting. A Committee of three members interact with the candidates and verify their documents. On the day of Selection Committee Meeting, the shortlisted candidates have to undertake online psychometric test. The candidates passed in the psychometric tests are finally selected for the training programs. The SCMs for Barpeta location was organized on.

TP Name	Job Role	District	State	Type of Training	No of candidates	Date of SCM
Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship (IIE)	Assistant Carpenter	Barpeta	Assam	STT	60	18/02/2021



### Ongoing training programs:

Please find below the summary of the ongoing training batches under the schemes of Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (MoSJE):

TP Name	Job Role	District	State	Scheme	Type of Training	No. Of candidates
Saral Skills	Lead Carpenter	Auraiya	Uttar Pradesh	NSKFDC	STT	30
Saral Skills	Lead Carpenter	Hardoi	Uttar Pradesh	NSKFDC	STT	30
Saral Skills	Lead Carpenter	Shahjahanpur	Uttar Pradesh	NSKFDC	STT	40
Veronics Consultancy	Assistant Carpenter	Cuttack	Odisha	NBCFDC	RPL	30
STIC Infotech	Assistant Carpenter	Saharanpur	Uttar Pradesh	NBCFDC	RPL	60



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