

India Learning Journey, February 2010 – Award Winner fact sheet

What is the India Learning Journey?

The February 2010 India Learning Journey will immerse participants in a once-in-a-lifetime 9-day experience in India. Joining a select group of senior leaders from some of the world's top private, public and civil society organisations, a number of fellow UnLtd Award Winners and a member of UnLtd staff, you will get first-hand lessons in innovation, entrepreneurship and leadership from some of India's leading social entrepreneurs. The journey will include interactive site visits, discussion around local and national issues, and personal and group reflection time.

Further details about the journey, including provisional itinerary, are on the UnLtd website, here - <http://unltd.org.uk/learningjourneys> - or on the Journeys for Change website, here - <http://www.journeysforchange.org/upcoming-journeys/india-social-entrepreneurship-journey-feb-2010>

What are the dates?

- The journey will take place from **27 February to 7 March 2010**
- The pre-journey dinner will take place in **January 2010** in London (exact dates TBC)

How many places are there?

There will be a maximum of four places for UnLtd Award Winners available on the journey.

What are the costs?

The usual cost of participating in the journey starts from £2,950, but as an UnLtd Award Winner, you are eligible for a subsidised fee of £600. This is money that can be used from your Award. This is also a shared room rate, although a single supplement will also be available. Please contact us directly if you would like to pay a single supplement. Your contribution will be due as soon as you have been selected, in order to guarantee your place on the journey.

What is included: In India - all visits, high quality accommodation, food, internal travel, project donations, facilitation, study materials, tourist entry fees and conference fees; In the UK - dinner at the London induction.

What is not included: flights to/from India, visas, insurance, jabs, drinks, internet access fees, personal spending money and travel to/from the induction dinner.

If you are keen to come, but would genuinely struggle with this cost, please get in touch with us directly.

What's the application process?

Complete the short application form and return it to applications@journeysforchange.org by **17 December 2009**

The Award Winner places on the UnLtd Learning Journey are designed for some of UnLtd's most promising social entrepreneurs. Participants will be selected based on the following:

1. Potential to benefit from the journey to help make greater impact in your work
2. Potential to contribute to the group and the social entrepreneurs we visit
3. Ability to act as an exemplar and ambassador for UnLtd

We will notify all applicants as soon as possible after the application deadline.

What happens if I can't make it or don't get selected this time?

We'll be running more journeys in 2010 and 2011, so there will be more opportunities to take part.

How can I find out more about what's it really like?

Read the blogs from the previous Learning Journeys, here:

- <http://unltdlearningjourney2007.blogspot.com/>
- <http://unltdlearningjourneyspring2008.blogspot.com/>
- <http://indialearningjourneynovember2008.blogspot.com/>
- <http://indialearningjourneymarch2009.blogspot.com/>

Who runs the journeys?

UnLtd's Learning Journeys are coordinated by Journeys for Change (www.journeysforchange.org), a social enterprise that helps leaders to create greater impact in the world.

What have previous participants said about the experience?

"The learning journey gave me an opportunity to see some of the great work taking place in India and enabled me to get an insight in to new ways of thinking which I am able to implement back home." - Eric Samuel

"The journey opened my eyes to opportunities I had never considered before. It helped established a confidence in me as a leading social innovator among my peers. I would highly recommend it to anyone thinking of starting a social enterprise abroad or works in CSR. Changed my life." - Trevor Lynn

"For months my password into my computer was a variation on India sparkle. The learning journey was a sparkling mix of social enterprise and inspirational people in India." - Lois Acton

"The India Learning journey was an experience I shall never forget. I saw amazing people inspired to do the same. The group experience was also a learning experience in itself. I would certainly recommend it to others." - Ruth Lingard

"The India Learning Journey was most inspiring thing I have ever done in my life. It was both physically tiring but energizing. I feel excited about going back and making major changes to our organisation." - Elaine Allison