



# MEDHA QUARTERLY REPORT

Q2 FY 20-21



# LET'S GET DIGITAL

Like many, Medha has adapted quickly to the changes brought on by the pandemic.



Online modules



Contactless registration



Work-from-Home opportunities



Virtual Workplace Exposure Talks



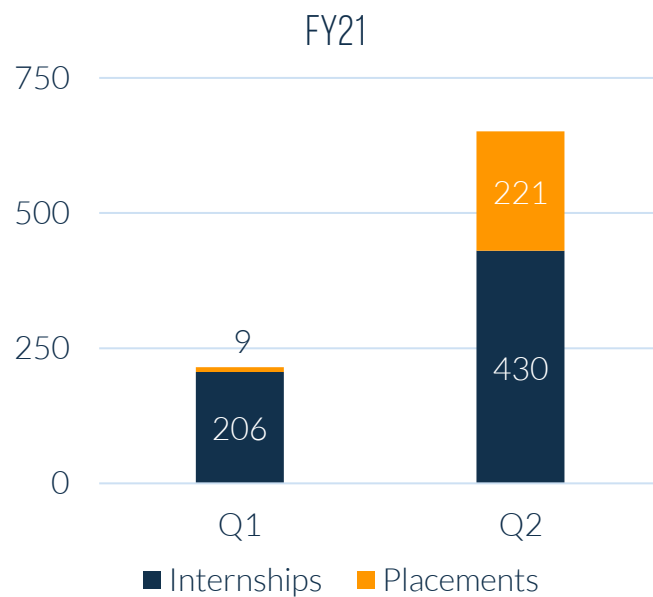
Online alumni services



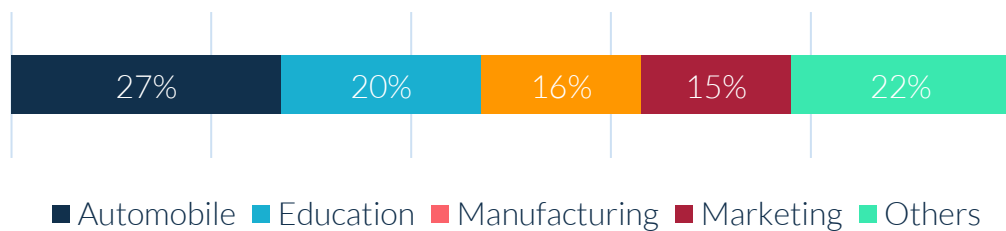
Virtual Training of the Trainers

# SILVER LINING

Despite the challenging economic situation, we are pleased to have provided full-time placements and internships to 651 students in Q2, 52% of whom are young women.



## JOBS BY SECTOR



82% Work from Home





# KANEEZ

## CLASS OF 2020

### FAIZABAD

Kaneez did not have a laptop to start her internship. [Learn](#) how she overcame this and other obstacles to gain real world experience during the lockdown.

# GUIDING PRINCIPLES FOR 2020

The COVID-19 crisis prompted Medha to draw from its field experiences and prepare [a roadmap](#) for these uncertain times. These guiding principles serve as a framework for goal setting and tactical decision making on the ground.







With support from [La Caixa Foundation](#), Medha recently launched [Swarambh](#), a program to unleash a new generation of self-reliant youth, by connecting them to freelance networks, platforms, and opportunities where they can build their skills and earn a livelihood.



# INTRINSICALLY MOTIVATED



As part of our [ongoing partnership](#) with Haryana's [Department of Skill Development & Industrial Training](#) (DoSDIT), Medha recently certified 21 Employability Skills Instructors (ESI) as star performers. These highly motivated facilitators will become master trainers of the NCVT Employability Skills curriculum. They were chosen based on:



Classroom  
performance



e-learning initiatives



Initiatives outside  
classroom



Peer learning



# FUTURE AGRIPRENEURS

Young agri-graduates from Ayodhya aspire to change the face of farming with their entrepreneurial ideas.

[See](#) how Medha is working to support them on this exciting journey.

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# SHIVAM CLASS OF 2016 GORAKHPUR

[Watch](#) how Shivam has grown from student, to entrepreneur, to teacher with his company, [S.Art](#), and associated collective that helps local artists earn an income from their creative talents.





## REIMAGINED LEARNING

alokit

ATMA  
AN ACCELERATOR FOR EDUCATION

life  
LEADERSHIP  
FOR EQUITY

medha

DREAM  
& DREAM

Learning Curve  
LIFE Skills Foundation

Pratham

MILLION  
SPARKS  
FOUNDATION

Saajha

QUEST  
ALLIANCE

CENTRAL SQUARE  
FOUNDATION

NalandaWay

AKANKSHA

Medha recently participated in an [Education Circle](#) facilitated by Sattva to reimagine education in the light of the COVID pandemic and beyond.

The outcomes and recommendations from the collective can be found [here](#).





# ADOPTION AT SCALE

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We are excited to announce a renewed partnership with [EdelGive Foundation](#).

Over the next three years, we will work together to improve the school to work transition for 250,000 young people across the North and Eastern part of the country.

Stay tuned for more updates on this exciting, system-level partnership.

# INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIPS

We formed several new partnerships this quarter with leading employers for internships, placements, industry talks, and exposure visits.





# FOCUS AREAS

Our energy was spent working to excel in the following areas this quarter.

## PILOTING ECAB

We tested the online version of our [Career Advancement Bootcamp](#) with more than 60 students across three locations to ready it for wider adoption.



## STAYING CONNECTED

We reimaged our [alumni engagement activities](#) for the online world as well, enabling us to reach out to more alumni than ever before.



## REDESIGNING PROCESSES

The virtual world forced us to rethink our existing processes, move our [registration process](#) online, and adapt our M&E systems.





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