

# IFAE Provides Vital Skills For Change

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**The IFAE-INSTITUTE** is a **NOT FOR PROFIT** organisation founded in 1985 based on the principle that education which encourages dialogue, principles of respect, understanding and tolerance has the power to transform unjust practices and structures. The foundation is offering a one-year programme in SOCIAL SCIENCE which is tutor assisted via distance learning. This programme provides an opportunity for individuals and organisations to up-skill and equip themselves with the knowledge to perform effectively in a changing economic world. The IFAE programme provides participants with essential skills to deal effectively with the public from various backgrounds. The programme aims to develop sensitivity, responsibility and commitment among its students.

“People trained in the social sciences bring with them a perspective that is sensitive to the larger social and cultural forces in the world” said a spokeswoman for the IFAE. “They are aware of their own and others’ potential and limitations because they are able to deal positively with people and problems, they can understand motives, actions and the meaning attached to them. While it has been generally recognised that management personnel benefited from a social science background it is now obvious that personnel in many key areas need these skills. “The IFAE system is unique as it not only boosts morale, self-esteem and confidence but also provides inspiration and personal skills that will be of benefit in all aspect of one’s life. Emotional maturity and motivation are key skills needed by everyone in the workplace. The programme leads the individual into the intrinsic joy of developing their mind for the benefit of themselves, their families, their employer and ultimately humanity” said the spokeswoman.

For many years IFAE-institute have been providing a programme on Social Studies with very positive response and has unprecedented success in enlightening people’s live and leading them into lifelong learning. On completion of the programme, a detailed report may be obtained which provides participants, universities and employers with information on the academic performance such as writing skills, research skills, report writing, communication and critical thinking as well as interpersonal skills such as listening, clear reasoning and problems solving.

As a result of this innovative system , IFAE’s reputation is growing worldwide and organisations are beginning to reap the benefits of personnel whose lives are focussed on intellectual growth and emotional intelligence.

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