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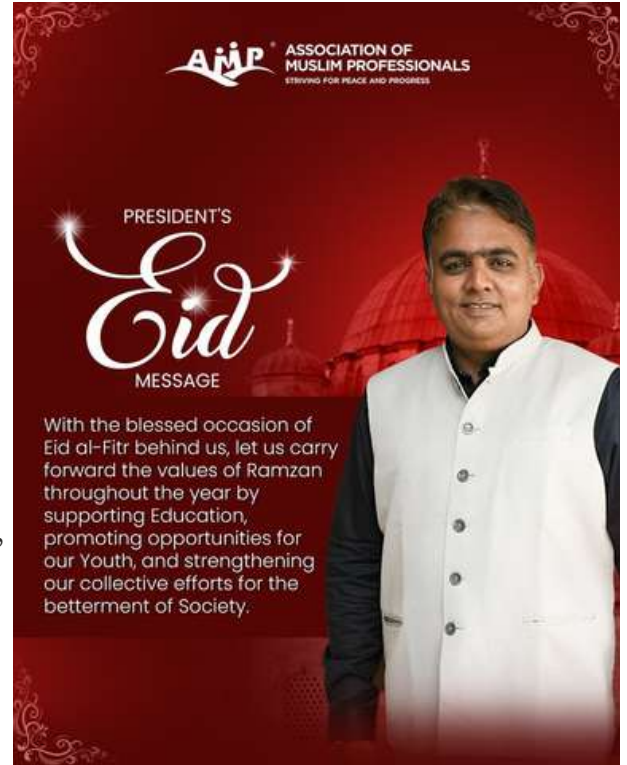
# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Assalaamu Alaikum,

The blessed month of Ramzan may have drawn to a close, but its spirit — of compassion, generosity, and collective responsibility — continues to move us forward.

On behalf of the Association of Muslim Professionals (AMP), I extend heartfelt Eid greetings to every member, volunteer, donor, and well-wisher across India and around the world.

Alhamdulillah, this Ramzan was a testament to what our community can achieve when it unites with purpose.



The "Mission 10,000 Students" campaign saw an overwhelming response, with thousands of donors stepping forward to sponsor the education of deserving students from underprivileged families. Every contribution — large or small — was an act of faith in our shared future.

As we move forward, AMP remains steadfast in its mission of Education, Economy, and Empowerment. In the months ahead, we will launch our AMP Membership Drive, celebrate the National Talent Search (NTS) 2025 Felicitations, and continue our flagship programs — Teacher Training, Career Guidance Seminars, Job Fairs, School Development Programmes, and community empowerment initiatives across the country.

We invite every well-wisher to stay connected, stay involved, and stay committed. This movement grows stronger with every person who chooses to be part of it.

Let us carry the values of Ramzan with us throughout the year — supporting education, creating opportunity, and working together for a better society.

Once again, Eid Mubarak to you and your loved ones.

Warm regards,

**Aamir Edresy**

**President – AMP**

## March: Milestones & Momentum

### A Mega Job Fair Conducted At Lower Parel

Mumbai | Saturday, 28th March 2026

In a powerful demonstration of what collaboration between civil society, industry, and public leadership can achieve, AMP — in partnership with Saarth Pratisthan — organised a Mega Job Fair at N. M. Joshi Municipal School, Lower Parel, Mumbai.

The response was exceptional. Over 60 corporates from sectors including retail, BFSI, logistics, customer service, administration, and technical roles set up stalls, offering hundreds of live opportunities. More than 400 candidates were interviewed on the day, with 26 selected or shortlisted on the spot and many others advancing to further rounds.

The event was graced by Hon. Aditya Thackeray, MLA – Worli Assembly Constituency, as Chief Guest, along with Hon. Sunil Shinde and Hon. Sachin Ahir (Members, Legislative Council), and former Mayor Mrs. Kishoritai Pednekar.

AMP President Mr. Aamir Edresy captured the spirit of the day: "When institutions, social organisations, and public representatives come together, we can create real, meaningful opportunities for our youth — and strengthen society as a whole."

True to AMP's inclusive vision, the fair was open to candidates from all communities — because opportunity should know no boundaries.





The Mega Job Fair shows AMP's strong commitment to helping youth find job opportunities. Such events not only help people get jobs but also give them confidence and hope for a better future. With continued support and teamwork from organizations, companies, and leaders, we can create more opportunities and build a better and more inclusive society for everyone.

### Tamil Nadu College Educational Fair 30th March 2026 | Chennai, Tamil Nadu

AMP Chennai Chapter, in collaboration with Sana Model School, organised the Tamil Nadu College Educational Fair — a platform designed to bridge the gap between students, parents, and higher education institutions.

Alhamdulillah, around 30 colleges and institutions from across the state participated, with nearly 200 students and parents in attendance. The fair offered direct access to faculty, insights into diverse academic programmes, and the kind of informed guidance that can shape a student's entire future.

The enthusiastic turnout from across districts reflected a shared belief: that when communities invest in education, everyone rises.



## ALL STATE & CHAPTER ACTIVITIES – MARCH 2026

### *Iftar Gathering & Community Engagement*

27<sup>th</sup> February 2026 & 2nd March 2026 Chennai, Tamil Nadu

The AMP Chennai Chapter brought together members, NGO representatives, volunteers, and well-wishers across two Iftar gatherings — creating a space for reflection, connection, and forward planning.

Chapter Head Mr. Syed Faheem presented the sixth-year achievement report of AMP IndiaZakat, marking a journey of consistent, transparent, and transformative impact. Discussions focused on deepening chapter activities and meaningfully engaging the next generation in community work.

Mr. Haresh Mohamed Ibrahim spoke on the power of media and journalism as tools for community progress, while Mr. Yahya Rasheed inspired attendees with his vision for youth leadership and active participation. The gatherings also marked the formal launch of AMP's "One Ummah 10K Futures" initiative — a nationwide effort to support orphan and underprivileged students through education.



### *Ramzan Ration Kit Distribution*

*2nd March 2026 | Khora, Uttar Pradesh*

AMP Ghaziabad, in collaboration with the KunfayaKun Team, distributed Ramzan ration kits to families in need — ensuring that the spirit of giving during the holy month translated into real, tangible relief for those who needed it most.



### *Large-Scale Ration Distribution Drive*

*4th March 2026 | Meerut & Etah, Uttar Pradesh*

AMP Meerut and Etah chapters rolled out a large-scale ration distribution drive across multiple localities, reaching over 100 families with essential food supplies including flour, pulses, oil, and milk.

The initiative was a clear expression of AMP's commitment to social responsibility — not just in words, but in action.



***Ration Kit Distribution***

**17th March 2026 | Assam**

Ration kits were distributed to underprivileged families across Assam, offering practical relief and reaffirming AMP's presence and commitment in the northeastern region.



***Ration Kit Distribution***

**18th March 2026 | Jammu & Kashmir**

Ration kits were distributed to families in need across Jammu & Kashmir, demonstrating that AMP's commitment to service extends to every corner of the nation.



### *Ration Distribution & Community Awareness*

*20th March 2026 | Ambur, Tamil Nadu*

Alongside ration distribution, community interactions were held to reinforce a message AMP holds close: that food on the table today must be accompanied by education for tomorrow. Families were encouraged to prioritise schooling for their children as a pathway out of poverty.



### *Career Guidance Program for Students*

*7th March 2026 | Visharam, Tamil Nadu*

A Career Guidance Program was organized for 10th-grade students, where they received motivation along with practical tips for exam preparation. Academic toppers were also felicitated, encouraging other students to work hard and aim higher.

Along with this, AMP also conducted an informative webinar on “5 AI Tools Everyone Must Know,” led by Mr. Feroze Arif, Director – Analytics & Innovation at Auritas, USA. The session helped participants understand important AI tools and how they can be useful for learning and career growth.

Together, these initiatives reflect AMP’s commitment to guiding students, building confidence, and preparing them for a better future.



**AMP**

WEBINAR

**5 AI TOOLS EVERYONE MUST KNOW**

**SATURDAY 7 MARCH**

**TIME**  
10:30 PM IST  
11:00 AM CST

**SPEAKER**  
**FEROZE ARIF**  
DIRECTOR – ANALYTICS & INNOVATION AT AURITAS, FLORIDA, USA

**REGISTER**

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### *International Women's Day Program 9th March 2026 | Etah, Uttar Pradesh*

An awareness program on women's rights and empowerment was organised in collaboration with AMP and Bosch India Foundation, bringing together speakers and participants to celebrate women's progress and chart a path forward. Several educators and contributors were honoured for their invaluable service to society.



### महिला दिवस शिक्षा के क्षेत्र में सराहनीय योगदान देने के लिए एसीसी कॉन्वेंट की सिस्टर को किया गया सम्मानित

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### *IndiaZakat Cause Development*

9th March 2026 | Pudukkottai, Tamil Nadu



The Pudukkottai Chapter successfully registered more than five causes on the IndiaZakat platform — connecting local needs with nationwide donor generosity and contributing meaningfully to community welfare.

### *Mission 10,000 Awareness Campaign*

10th March 2026 | Sangli, Maharashtra

Mission 10,000 posters were put up across mosques in Sangli, spreading the message of education sponsorship to the wider community and inviting donors to be part of a movement that is changing lives.



### *Mission 10,000 Awareness Campaign*

11th March 2026 | Jalna, Maharashtra



The Jalna Chapter carried the Mission 10,000 message further by distributing IndiaZakat awareness posters across the region — grassroots outreach that turns awareness into action.

### *Iftar Gathering & Mission 10,000 Milestone - Supported by Islam Gymkhana* *18th March 2026 | Mumbai, Maharashtra*

A landmark Iftar gathering in Mumbai, organized by Islam Gymkhana, set the stage for a truly meaningful milestone—the announcement that AMP’s Mission 10,000 has crossed 1,000 student sponsorships. This initiative played a key role in bringing together the community for a cause that focuses on transforming lives through education.

More than 200 influential guests from across the city came together at the gathering, creating a warm and engaging atmosphere. The event was not just about coming together for Iftar, but also about meaningful conversations, shared responsibility, and a collective commitment towards supporting students in need. The platform helped strengthen connections and inspire greater participation in the mission.

This milestone is more than just a number—it reflects 1,000 students who now have a better chance at education, and 1,000 families who feel a renewed sense of hope. It also shows how this movement is steadily growing with the support of the community. The encouragement seen at this Iftar gathering is a clear sign that with continued collective support the journey towards 10,000 sponsorships is moving forward with strong momentum.



### INDIAZAKAT.COM

IndiaZakat is AMP's Shariah-compliant, Zakat-based crowdfunding platform — built to connect donors with verified causes and ensure that every rupee of Zakat reaches where it is truly needed.

Governed by an Advisory Board of national and international Ulemas, and supported by a dedicated Zakat Council of qualified professionals, IndiaZakat operates with transparency, rigour, and a deep commitment to community upliftment at its core.

In March 2026 alone, **461 causes** were funded by **5,372 donors** — impacting **152 families** across eight categories of need.

IndiaZakat - March 2026		
Sr. No.	Category of Assistance	No. of Families Impacted
1	Education & Higher Education Scholarship	67
2	Healthcare Support	16
3	Livelihood Support	34
4	Orphan Support	7
5	Nikah	17
6	Relief Fund	3
7	Women Empowerment	4
8	Other Causes	4
<b>Total</b>		<b>152</b>

IndiaZakat had launched a Zakat Helpline during Ramzan— a free call service for the Ummah to get Zakat-related questions answered by qualified Islamic scholars. Because giving well begins with understanding how to give.

## Some Testimonials



**Cause ID: 25493 | Jammu & Kashmir**

Shahid Ahmed came to IndiaZakat with a simple but powerful dream: to start a small tea stall — earn an honest livelihood, support his family, and live with dignity.

From a financially vulnerable household with no stable income, even the modest investment needed to get started felt out of reach. But with the support of generous donors, **₹25,500** was raised — and Shahid took his first steps toward self-reliance.

*His story is a reminder that sometimes, a small push is all it takes to change the trajectory of a life.*

Muttakeen M. Karmudi is a fourth-year Pharmacy student with a remarkable distinction: she has been selected for a UG Research Project (2025–26) under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, working on medicine development that could benefit countless lives.

But behind the achievement is a family quietly struggling. Her father, a tailor and the sole breadwinner, has been stretched thin by her mother's recent surgery. Without support, Muttakeen faced the very real prospect of discontinuing her studies.

Alhamdulillah, donors on IndiaZakat rallied — raising **₹52,000** to ensure her research journey continues. A future pharmacist-researcher, supported by a community that believed in her.



**Cause ID: 24774 | Belgaum, Karnataka**

*"My son is fighting a serious kidney condition. After losing his father during COVID-19, every day has been a struggle. But your generosity gave us hope when we had almost none left." — Mohasin's mother*

Thanks to the compassion of donors, ₹84,110 was raised for Mohasin's treatment and surgery. May Allah (SWT) reward every contributor for their kindness.

*Jazakumullahu Khairan.*



**Cause ID: 25163 | Krishna, Andhra Pradesh**

## School Development Program (SDP)

AMP's School Development Program is one of its oldest and most enduring initiatives — designed to strengthen every link in the educational chain: students, teachers, and parents.

The SDP operates through three core components:

- 1. Skills Development Lectures (SDLs):** — equip high school students with career clarity and self-development tools.
- 2. Teacher Training Workshops (TTWs):** invest in educators, recognising that great schools are built on great teachers.
- 3. Parenting Workshops (PWs):** bring families into the conversation, helping parents support their children's learning with confidence and awareness.

**Bihar.:** AMP Muzaffarpur & AMP Sheohar Chapters organized;

2 Career Guidance Seminar

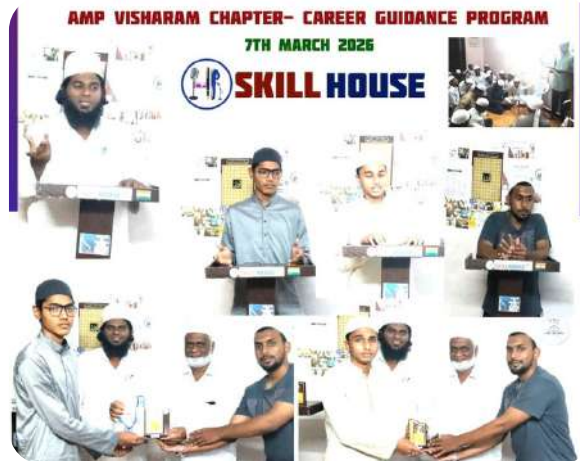
These activities benefitted **40 Students** who participated.



**Tamil Nadu.:** AMP Visharam Chapter organized;

1 Career Guidance Seminar

These activities benefitted **50 Students** who participated.



**Uttar Pradesh.:** AMP Lucknow Chapter organized;

1 Career Guidance Seminar

1 Parenting Workshop

These activities benefitted **32 Students** who participated.

**Total: 122 students** reached across the country.

## Institution Connect

AMP's Institution Connect initiative takes its flagship programs directly onto college and university campuses — partnering with institutions of higher education to give students access to career guidance, skill development, and empowerment resources that can shape their futures.

### MoUs Signed — March 2026

1. I.K.B.A.B Girls College Indore, Madhya Pradesh
2. St. Xavier Junior & Degree College, Hyderabad, Telangana
3. New Madina Degree College, Hyderabad, Telangana

Each partnership is a new door opened for students who deserve every advantage.



## NRI AMPowerJobs

For Indians building careers abroad, AMPowerJobs is the community they can count on. With 13 industry-specific job groups and over 1,000 members, the platform delivers 200+ verified job postings every month, industry-focused webinars, and direct connections to professionals who can offer guidance, mentorship, and networks that matter.

Whether you're a fresh graduate stepping into the global workforce or an experienced professional looking for your next move, AMPowerJobs has a group built for you.

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## AMP Star of the Month – March 2026!



### Mr. Siraj Ahamed Ansari – Kota, Rajasthan

“Through education and employment, AMP is not just supporting individuals; it is building a stronger, empowered community for the future.”

Association of Muslim Professionals (AMP) extends its congratulations to Mr. Siraj Ahamed Ansari (Rajasthan) for being recognized for his outstanding dedication and impactful contributions. He is currently serving as an Executive Member of AMP. Previously, he held the position of Chapter Head, Kota (Rajasthan), and is now working as Cluster Head for the Kota Division, Rajasthan at AMP.

Mr. Ansari is currently working to strengthen the chapters across the Kota Division, including the districts of Jhalawar, Bundi, and Baran. As a dedicated member, he has consistently shown great enthusiasm in participating in AMP activities and has also conducted Career Guidance sessions for students.

He says "AMP projects bring the greatest happiness by creating opportunities; organizing job drives and job fairs for the unemployed, offering scholarships to poor and orphan students, and supporting self-employment through the India Zakat Fund by raising meaningful causes."

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Our Dedicated AMP Team – Making AMP’s Vision a Reality

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Join the AMP Leadership Team

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### Volunteer Registration:

Be a part of AMP revolution as a 'Volunteer', and help take people to new horizons.

All you have to do is just fill this AMP Volunteer Registration Form to participate in different AMP projects like Skill Development Lectures, Job Fairs, and Career Fairs. Further, AMP will guide you.

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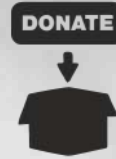
# Supporting AMP

You can extend your support to AMP in one of the following ways:



## Volunteers

- Participate in our Projects
- Support us in our Drives, Campaigns and Activities



## Donors

- Give a helping hand by funding our Projects
- Provide services/ infrastructure for our Projects



## Partners

- Join hands with us for conducting various activities
- Help us realize our Vision



## Patron Members

- Guide us with your rich experience
- Participate in our future plans



## Sponsor

- Sponsor our Projects and Activities
- Associate with us and power our Events

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Support Humanity...

## YOUR PARTICIPATION:

In the last few years, with the invaluable support from our existing Members, Donors and Well-wishers, we have been able to execute many AMP projects & activities. However, we still have many miles to go and in this transcendental journey we need 'YOU' to fuel this movement with the vitality of your ideas, talent, experience and skills. We therefore appeal to you to join hands with us and help us to build a strong and self-sufficient Community & Society.

Also, as a conscious and responsible citizen of the Community you must be well-aware that running such an ambitious Social Enterprise requires decent amount of funds to take care of the administrative and infra structural needs. You can thus further strengthen our endeavours by financially supporting us. You can make your contributions to the below mentioned Bank Account. All donations to AMP attract 80G income-tax benefit. Apart from monetary contributions you can also partner with us by providing necessary infrastructure and facilities required for conducting AMP programs and activities in your city.

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