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Welcome back to a celebration of what's right with the world !

In Sattva this year, we plan to bring you a series on organizations that have made a positively transformation impact in society or in the world of business.

The first one in sequence is the Bhagwan Mahaveer Viklang Sahayata Samiti (BMVSS), the institution behind the 'Jaipur Foot'.

It is a remarkable effort in ensuring physical, economic and social rehabilitation of the disabled people in India and twenty six other countries - including the war-torn regions of Iraq, Afghanistan and Sudan.

As the saying goes, every institution is but the lengthened shadow of one person. In the case of BMVSS, it is Mr. Devendra Raj Mehta, IAS.

The Video Review and the Case Study carry the details. Read on!

As always, we shall wait to hear from you.

Warmly,

The Editorial Board

Video Review

Origins of the Jaipur Foot & BMVSS

What began in 1975 as a small initiative has gradually grown into one of the largest organizations



catering to the needs of the disabled across the world.

This video explains how BMVSS is an amalgam of several ideas - the technology, a social value system, a patient-centric management, and a donation mechanism. [More.](#)

Case Study

The Jaipur Foot: A Crucible of Connectedness



The numbers are staggering. Since inception, BMVSS has enabled over 1.4 million amputees across the world to live

a life of dignity and normalcy. Without charging a fee.

An accomplishment of this scale needs an operational strategy that ensures economic & environmental sustainability. And, above all, compassion. [More.](#)

Call for Contributions



We are pleased to invite organisational leaders, managers, authors, researchers and practitioners to submit high quality Research and Case Study contributions in both the print as well as the audio-visual media for publication in the forthcoming issues of SATTVA.

These may kindly be directed to Dr. Sunil Maheshwari at sunil@samatvam.co.in

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