Stakeholder Workshop for W4P Technology Challenge

A one-day workshop was conducted at Development Alternatives (DA) headquarters, Delhi on 23 December 2019 for the Technology Challenge of Work 4 Progress (W4P) programme of DA and la Caixa Foundation. The winners of the Challenge - Janastu (a Bangalore based organisation which provides ICT based solutions and services to organisations in the social development sector) and Medha (a Lucknow based organisation which delivers employability programs that improves career opportunities for youth) also participated in the workshop (Repeating).

The workshop was conducted for orientation of the winners on the approaches of the Work 4 Programme and to strategise the implementation of the solution that was selected through the Technology Challenge. The W4P Technology Challenge was launched in June 2019 and it focused on providing ICT based solutions to young women in rural areas. The aim was to enable them to access livelihood opportunities and build solidarity amongst them by creating a virtual co-working space.

Both the organisations will now work in the program to create virtual co-working spaces for young women (18 - 25 years ) in Eastern Uttar Pradesh to enhance access to entrepreneurial work opportunities.