

Certificate of Appreciation

To whom it may concern,

We would like to recognize the outstanding contribution, effort, and dedication of Enakshi Chatterjee to our team as a volunteer research assistant for the CoronaNet Research Project. Enakshi Chatterjee has been active with our project since 2021-01-04 and, in that time, coded and updated policy information for India. Without the support of our dedicated RAs, such as Enakshi Chatterjee, we would not be able to sustain our pace of policy documentation which, to date, counts over 70 thousand policies from virtually every country in the world.

The CoronaNet Research Project is working to gather comprehensive and global data on government responses to the COVID-19 crisis. This work includes gathering information about which governments are responding to the coronavirus, toward whom policies are targeted (e.g. other countries), the types of policies enacted (e.g. travel restrictions, banning exports of masks) and their timing and duration. For more information, see www.coronanet-project.org.

Enakshi Chatterjee has been a country expert for India. This role involves researching and creating a comprehensive overview of government policies enacted in India as well as collecting and entering new and updated policy information related to COVID-19. Becoming a country expert requires passing a series of trainings on how to code data in the CoronaNet database, which uses a custom Qualtrics survey instrument, keeping up with policy coding on a weekly basis, and attending weekly country- or regional coordination meetings as well as project-wide meetings.

In addition to being a country expert, Enakshi Chatterjee took on the following additional roles within CoronaNet:

- Project Study: Enakshi Chatterjee has participated in a practical experience 'Project Study' module at the Hochschule für Politik at the Technical University of Munich. Through this module, students receive 18 ECTS for 500 hours of practical employment with CoronaNet. Project Study students are incorporated into every aspect of the project—such as coding, validation, cleaning, and managing of data—and also gain significant management experience through leading other RAs as country/regional managers or through managing special projects.
- Editor: Enakshi Chatterjee coordinates and co-manages the dissemination strategy of CoronaNet, edits the CoronaNet website and research outputs, and coordinates the social media accounts of CoronaNet. This position requires exceptional writing skills, attention to detail, and focus on user experience.

In conclusion, we would like to reiterate our thanks to Enakshi Chatterjee for supporting these important and time-sensitive collection efforts and for being part of the CoronaNet community.



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