

Dear Ashoka folks,

It's great to see Ashoka bustling with people again. We're delighted that a number of students have already been reaching out to 3CS to know more about the Centre and to discuss their own ideas for projects and initiatives on campus.

We're particularly happy to be working with other Centres at Ashoka to support student groups. We are collaborating with the Centre for Social and Behaviour Change (CSBC) and the AU Society for Sustainable Development Goals to launch the **LiveGreen@Ashoka Initiative**, aimed at improving sustainability on campus and creating a cleaner, greener Ashoka. We are also working with the Centre for Social Impact and Philanthropy (CSIP) to support the **Social Impact Club**.

We also made some big decisions about our **3CS Media Fellowship**. We received some outstanding applications and **decided to increase the number of Fellowships we're offering, from four to six**. We went through a detailed evaluation process with our media partners — The Hindu and The NewsMinute — to shortlist the final six. **We will be announcing the names of the inaugural 3CS Media Fellows early next week, so do keep an eye out for that announcement.**

Prof. Iain Stewart, the Joint Director of 3CS, co-authored an editorial on 'Re-Purposing Universities for Sustainable Human Progress'. It looks at how universities can and should reimagine their role in the face of the multi-faceted socio-ecological crisis we face today — soaring inequality, accelerating climate crises, ecological collapse, and social and psychological breakdown. It's especially relevant given our own goal to ensure that Ashoka emerges as a role model in sustainability for universities not just in India, but around the world.

3CS is also launching **four media internships** for Ashoka students to create a conversation on climate change while building their skills by shaping the communications and outreach of the Centre. Please find more details and **apply here** by **midnight**, **17th April**.

We look forward to sharing more updates soon on everything going on in April. There's a lot coming your way.

LiveGreen@Ashoka Initative



As part of the initiative, we have also launched a **logo design competition** for students to help define the Initiative and its identity. The **deadline is 15th April**, so please submit your entries by filling this <u>form</u>.

3CS Media Fellowship - Announcement of Fellows - 18th April





MEDIA INTERNS

Centre for Climate Change

and Sustainability



- Social Media
- Graphic Design
- Content Writer
- Communication
 Coordinator

Fill the form and upload your CV and samples of previous work by **midnight, 17th April**.