



# Recruiter training: Job advertisement development

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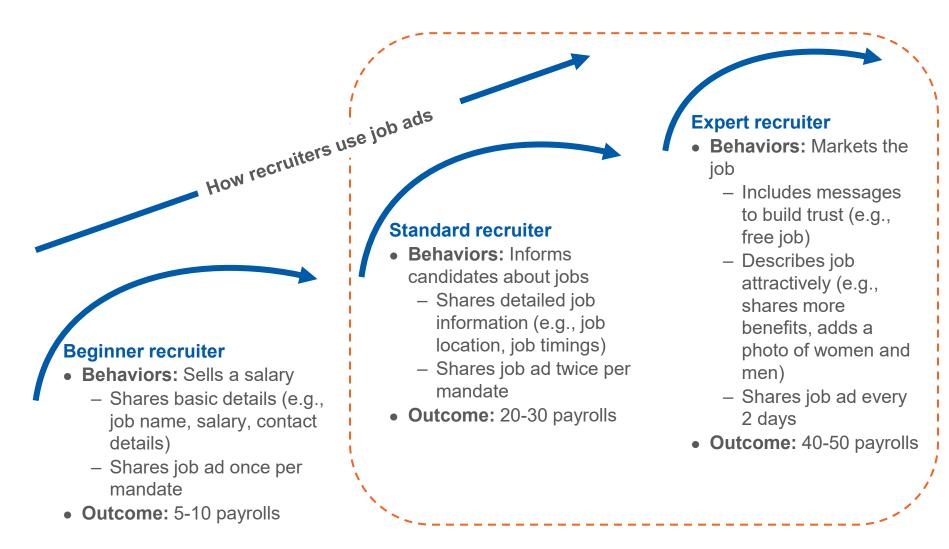
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## Objective of the training is to build skills to create and use job ads like an expert recruiter



## We will prioritize job ads for 2 channels in today's training

#### **Prioritised channels**

- WhatsApp status
- WhatsApp message

## **Deprioritized channels**

- Job portal (e.g., Apna)
- Field (e.g., posters, standees)
- Facebook

## Activity: What can you add to make this job ad better?

## Typical WhatsApp message by a standard recruiter

Urgent hiring for promoter

Salary: 10,000-12,000

Education: 10th and above

Location: New Delhi

Interested candidates plz call me

9823843xxx (Sanjay)

19:02 🕢

## What can you add to this message?

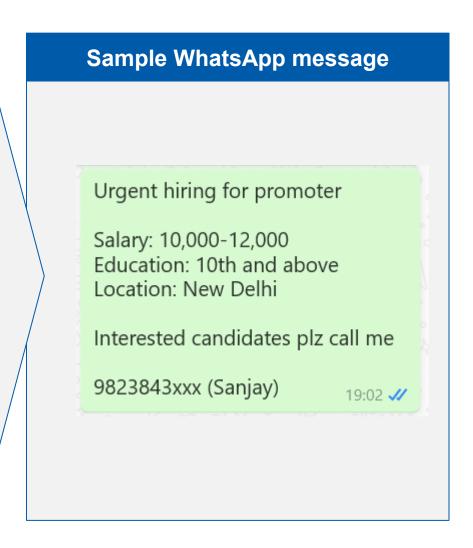
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# Standard recruiters share only 6 details of the job and do not regularly share job ads

## Standard recruiter job ad

## Informs candidates about jobs

- Shares detailed job information
  - Name of the job role
  - Salary
  - Contact number and name of the recruiter
  - Experience/ education
  - Job location
  - Job timings
- Shares job ad twice per mandate



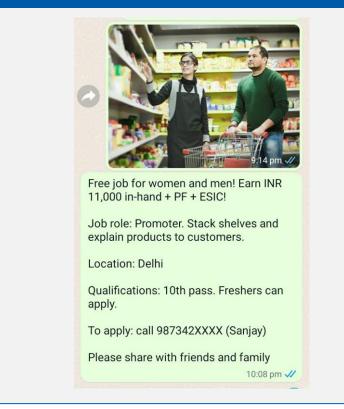
# Expert recruiters add 6 more details and share job ads frequently to get more leads

## **Expert recruiter job ad**

## Markets the job

- Includes 6 more details to describe the job attractively and build trust
  - Free job
  - Request for referrals
  - 1-2 line job description
  - Women can apply
  - Photo of women and men in the job role
  - Benefits (e.g., social security, free meal)
- Shares job ad every 2 days

## Sample WhatsApp message



Do you have any other suggestions to improve this job ad?

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## 3 tools to increase outreach effectiveness

- 1 Add a voice note explaining the job
- 2 Share link to jobs group on WhatsApp
- 3 Use online tools to create messages (e.g., ChatGPT, Google Bard)

We will discuss these in detail in the following slides



## Add a voice note explaining the job

#### 6 tips to use voice notes

#### When to use?

- Hiring for candidates who are not proficient in English or reading
- Sharing interview tips with the candidate
- Explaining the job description

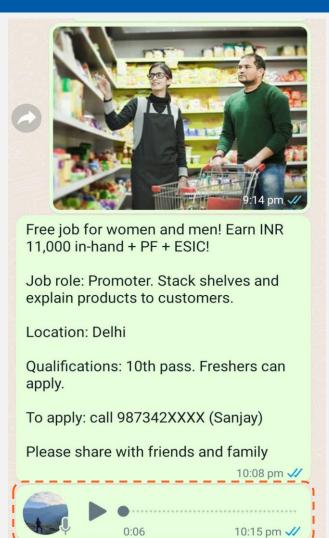
#### How to create?

- Create a new status to add a voice note
- WhatsApp does not allow adding text and voice notes in the same status
- Write the script before recording the voice note

#### What to share?

- Keep the voice note short (~2 mins)
- Record audio in the local language
- Send your contact details with the voice note

#### Sample WhatsApp message with voice note





## Share link to jobs group on WhatsApp

## 4 tips to share link to jobs group

#### When to use?

- Repeat mandates in a location (e.g., warehouse)
- Building a network of candidates

#### What to share?

- Message: Link at the bottom of your message
- Status: Link as a caption below the picture (to ensure candidates can click and join)

## Sample WhatsApp status with link to jobs group Free job for women and men! Earn INR 11,000 in-hand + PF + ESIC! Hiring sorters for warehouse in Uluberia. Sort parcels in a warehouse. Benefits: Free pick up and drop and 1 free meal daily Qualifications: 10th pass. Freshers can apply. Apply now! Call 982892xxxx (Sangeeta). Please share with friends and family. Ask friends and family to join this group for job updates: link.WhatsApp.web.xyz

## Use online tools to create messages (1/2)

## 4 tips to use online

#### When to use?

 New mandates to improve clarity of message

#### How to create?

- Open ChatGPT or Google Bard and ask it a question
- Include key details of the job and the size of the message
- Ask the app to modify as per your requirement (e.g., make the message shorter, add "free transport")

## Sample of ChatGPT question and response



Write a short whatsapp group message to recruit candidates for a warehouse role, including the following details. No emojis.

- 1. Salary: 12,000
- 2. Shift: Morning, day
- Benefits: one free meal
- 4. Men and women can apply



Job Opportunity: Warehouse Role

- **♦ Salary:** ₹12,000
- Shift: Morning & Day
- Benefits: One free meal included
- Open to: Men and Women

Looking for dedicated individuals to join our warehouse team! If you're interested in this role and meet the requirements, please reach out to [Your Contact Information]. Don't miss this chance to be a part of our growing team!

## Use online tools to create messages (2/2)

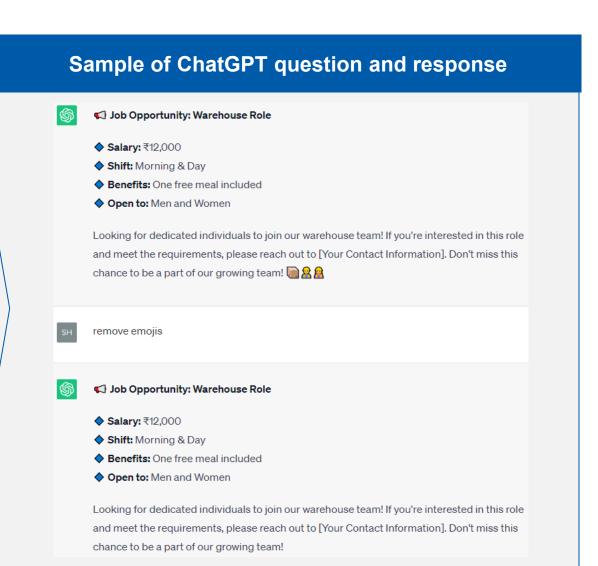
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## 3 optional details to increase the effectiveness of your job ad

- 1 Include details to build trust (e.g., number of openings, number of candidates placed, positive feedback from candidates)
- 2 Add logos of employers
- 3 Use local language in communication

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## Include details to build trust (1/2)

## 5 tips to shares trust-building messages

#### When to use?

- Messages to new contacts/ groups
- Hiring for a new location

#### • What to share?

- Number of openings
- Number of candidates placed
- Positive feedback from candidates placed

## Sample WhatsApp status with trust-building messages



What details have you added to build trust with candidates?



## Include details to build trust (2/2)

## 5 tips to shares trust-building messages

#### When to use?

- Messages to new contacts/ groups
- Hiring for a new location

#### What to share?

- Number of openings
- Number of candidates placed
- Positive feedback from candidates placed

## Sample WhatsApp message with trustbuilding messages



Free job for women and men! Earn INR 11,000 in-hand + PF + ESIC!

Hiring sorters for warehouse in Uluberia. Sort parcels in a warehouse, 15 out of 25 openings filled.

Benefits: Free pick up and drop and 1 free meal daily

Qualifications: 10th pass. Freshers can apply.

Apply now! Call 983943xxxx (Sanjay)

Please share with friends and family

10:24 pm **//** 

What details have you added to build trust with candidates?



## Add logos of employers

## 2 tips to use company logos

- When to use?
  - Only when a client gives permission
- What to share?
  - Logo along with standard recruitment message

## Sample WhatsApp message with company logo Free job for women and men in XYZ Retail! Earn INR 11,000 in-hand + PF + ESIC! Job role: Promoter. Stack shelves and explain products to customers. Location: Delhi Qualifications: 10th pass. Freshers can apply. To apply: call 9898324xxx (Sangeeta) Please share with friends and family 10:57 pm **//**

## Use local language in communication

## 2 tips to use local language

#### When to use?

- Creating a new template
- Local language only: Hiring for candidates who are not proficient in English

## Sample WhatsApp messages in local language

लडिकयों और लडकों के लिए फ्री जॉब! कमाइए 11.000 रूपये हाथ मैं + पी एफ + सेहत बीमा!

उलुबेरिअ वेयरहाउस में सॉर्टर के लिए हायरिंग. वेयरहाउस में पार्सेल्स सोरट करें

फायदे: मुफ्त पिक अप और ड्राप. हर दिन एक वक़्त का खाना मुफ्त!

क्वालिफिकेशन: 10th पास, कोई एक्सपीरियंस की ज़रूरत नहीं

अभी अप्लाई करें! कॉल 9999232xx (संगीता)

दोस्तों और परिवार वालों को भी जानकारी दें

11:27 pm **//** 

Ladkiyon aur ladkon ke lie free job! Kamaiye 11,000 rupye haath main + PF + ESIC!

Uluberia warehouse mai sorter ke lie hiring. Warehouse mai parcels sort karen

Faayde: Muft pick up aur drop. Harr din ek waqt ka khana muft!

Qualifications: 10th pass, koi experience ki zarurat nahi

Abhi apply karen! Call 98323xxx (Sangeeta)

Doston aur parivar waalon ko bhi jankaari den 11:28 pm **//** 

## Checklist for job ads

#### **Details to include**

- Name of the job role
- Salary
- Contact number and name of the recruiter
- Experience/ education
- Job location
- Job timings

#### 6 more details

- Free job
- Request for referrals
- 1-2 line job description
- Women can apply
- Photo of women and men in the job role
- Benefits (e.g., social security, free meal)

### **How to implement?**

- Ask the manager for templates
- Keep building new groups, including adding women to groups or making separate women group
- Share WhatsApp group links at training institutes or job fairs
- Share job ad every 2 days

We will share the templates with your managers after this training

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What are 1-2 learnings you will implement from today's training?

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## FSG aims to create sustainable impact by demonstrating the profitability of offering inclusive products, services, or practices

#### **Mission**

To improve opportunities, agency, and choice for families with low **income** by working with companies to serve families as customers (and not with non-profits to serve them as beneficiaries)

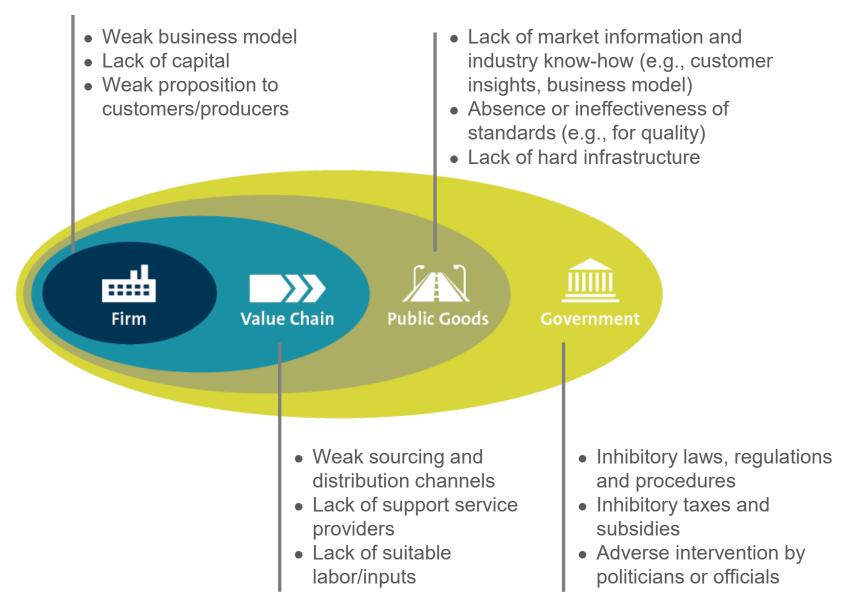
#### Vision

To demonstrate profitability of offering inclusive products, services, or practices (e.g., housing, education, employment) that benefit families with low-income

## **Approach**

- Run multiyear programs to address barriers that prevent companies from offering inclusive products, services or practices
- Talk to thousands of families to understand their needs, aspirations, and challenges
- Talk to hundreds of CXOs and managers to understand their business, ecosystem, regulatory and operational challenges
- Co-create, pilot and rollout solutions with companies to address barriers and profitably scale inclusive products, services, or practices
- Publish and disseminate public goods (e.g., primary research, best practices, business model) to get more companies to offer the product, service or practice
- Address ecosystem barriers (e.g., policy suggestions) to make the market more conducive

## There are multiple barriers that prevent the scaling of industries serving low-income families



## FSG's multi-year programs have helped address these barriers and scale 3 inclusive industries

## **Ownership Housing** (2006-2016)



- As of Mar 2024, the assets under management (AUM) by **Affordable Housing** finance (AFCs) stood at ~USD 12.8 billion1
- >30,500 affordable housing units built across 130+ projects in 23 cities between Jun 2011-Jan 2013

## **Early Childhood Education** (2015-2025)



- 9 activity-based learning providers signed-up
- Partners serving >1,100 schools and providing >170,000 children from low-income families access to ABL
- ~33% improvement in learning outcomes since 2018 for children in PIPE schools

## Women's livelihoods (2020-ongoing)



- 20+ partners signed-up
- Partners increased women's participation by 6 percentage points in jobs in ~4 years
- 2 industries (i.e., Flexistaffing and logistics) doubled the # of women in jobs from ~121K women to ~274K between 2020 and **2024**<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1-</sup> https://www.livemint.com/companies/former-hdfc-employees-set-up-affordable-housing-finance-firm-weaver-services-11722340563630.html

<sup>2-</sup> Based on PLFS and ISF reports. Industries considered under Flexi-staffing: Retail, FMCG & FMCD, Logistics & E-Commerce, BFSI and Industrials

## Since 2006, the IM team has worked to build the low-income housing (LIH) industry

# Industry status

#### Housing market in 2006

- Very few developers building LIH
- No housing finance companies (HFCs) lending to informal<sup>1</sup>, low-income customers
- Credit assessment of informal customers
- Demand for LIH
- Designing, marketing and identifying land parcels for LIH
- Only government banks invited to lend for government housing

#### What we did

- Incubated 2 HFCs to serve informal, low- income customers
- Signed up 4 developers to pilot LIH
- Conducted research across the LIH value chain
- Developed and piloted new business model

 Conducted 3000+ customer interviews to understand needs. aspirations, willingness to pay and challenges

to home ownership

#### **Housing market in 2018**

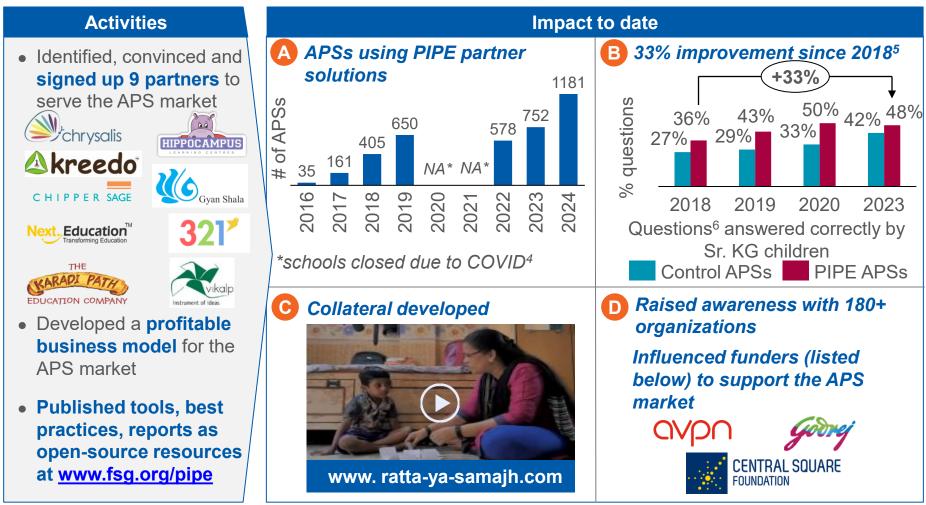
- 130+ LIH projects in 23 cities (as of 2013)
- 22 HFCs lent USD 4.1b in loans to 250,000+ LIFs
- Business model for informal customers established
- Business model for LIH established
- HFCs invited to lend to big government housing projects
- "We know income bands for various informal jobs" - HFC managers
- LIFs:
  - Investing in flats: "My flat is an asset for my children"
  - Are responsible, credit worthy customers, as indicated through low NPAs2
  - Government providing 5% interest subvention to boost demand

- Don't want small flats
- Won't pay maintenance
- Have irregular incomes
- Inflate incomes
- Buildings will become vertical slums

1. No income proof 12- Non performing assets

Low-income families (LIFs):

## As a result of PIPE<sup>1</sup>, children across 1100+ APSs<sup>2</sup> have access to ABL<sup>3</sup> and have shown a 33% improvement in learning outcomes



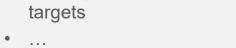
1. Program to Improve Private Early Education I 2. Affordable Private Schools I 3. Activity based learning I 4. Schools were physically shut due to COVID-19, and only remote learning products were offered by the partners to APSs during academic years 2020-21 and 2021-22. The PIPE team has been unable to verify children's extent of engagement with these remote learning products due to school closures and COVID travel restrictions | 5 Assessment was conducted by an independent 3rd party | 6. Represent 4 questions that were assessed in 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2023 – a. Can you read the word 'PIN'? b. Can you identify the largest number from a group of numbers? c. Can you count and give 12 sticks out of 20? d. Can you name any 6 animals? Sample sizes: PIPE 2018 (190 children), PIPE 2019 (636 children), PIPE 2020 (492 children) PIPE 2023 (378 children)

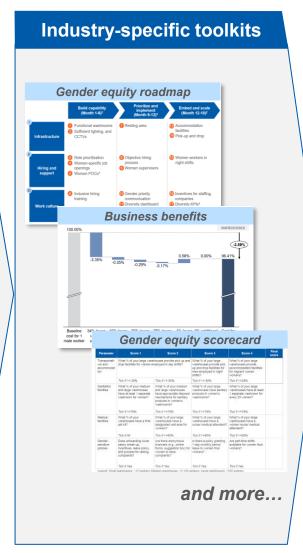
## Since 2020, GLOW<sup>1</sup> worked with 2 fast-growing industries to double the number of women in jobs from ~121K to ~274K

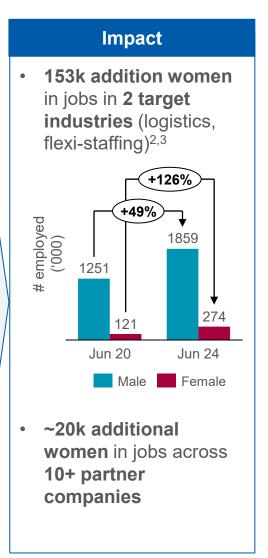


#### Addressed challenges by...

- Demonstrating business benefits of gender diversity (e.g., higher retention)
- Shifting manager's mindset (through data, pilots etc.)
- Upskilling managers to hire and retain women
- Helping leaders set realistic targets







1- Growing Livelihood Opportunities for Women, 2-Logistics: 1) PLFS report 2020,2021,2022, 2023 and 2024, 2) Industries considered under logisticswarehousing & storage, courier activities and retail sale via mail order houses or via internet I 3-Flexistaffing: 1) Total workforce triangulated from ISF Annual Report- 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024, 2) Industries considered under Flexi-staffing: Retail, FMCG & FMCD, Logistics & E-Commerce, BFSI, Industrials



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