

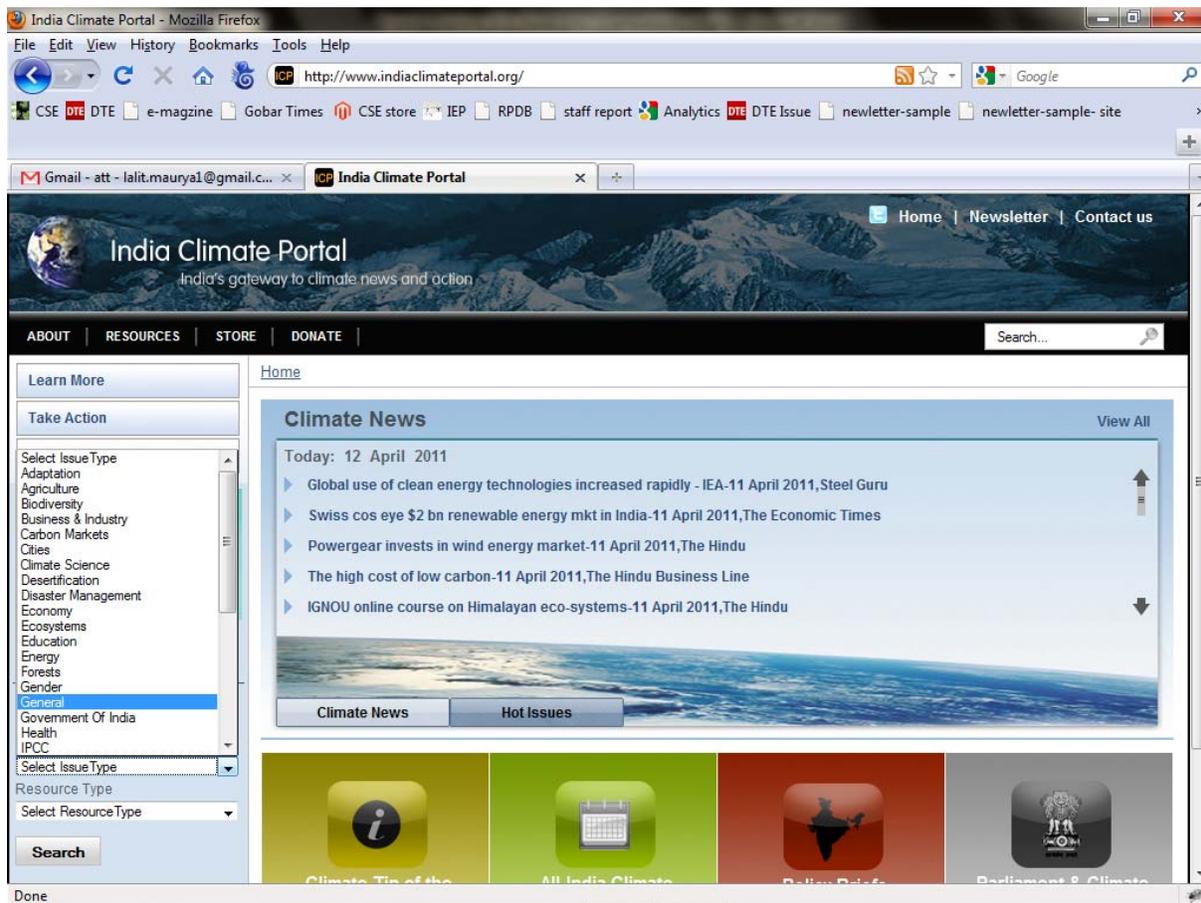
# Impacts of CSE's Short Courses on Information Management, Documentation and Web Based Outreach

1. Meenakshi, Consultant, Plan International, New Delhi has started managing the photographs using File Maker Pro 6. taught during the training. She has been working on this along with Chandra Kannapiran, Information Officer, Plan International (had also attended the programme held in 21-25 Nov 2006)

2. Anil Kumar Mishra, Librarian, National Institute of Health and Family Welfare, New Delhi developed an online **Repository on Child Health** as part of 'National Child Health Resource Centre' on Drupal, the Open Source Content Management System covered during the workshop. Was impressed by the importance of subject categorization and Thesaurus for websites and portal. And integrated some part of Thesaurus on child health on this virtual health repository for better navigation and browsing. -

The screenshot shows a Mozilla Firefox browser window displaying the 'Repository on Child Health' website. The browser's address bar shows the URL 'http://202.71.128.172/nihfw/nchrc/'. The website features a dark header with the logo of the National Child Health Resource Centre (NCHRC) on the left, which includes a stylized 'M' and 'C' with a red dot and the motto 'आरोग्यं सुखसम्भवा'. To the right of the logo is a search bar with the text 'Search this site:' and a 'Search' button. The main title 'REPOSITORY ON CHILD HEALTH' is prominently displayed in white on a dark background, with a quote below it: '"If you have knowledge, let others light their candles in it" - Margaret Fuller'. Below the header is a navigation menu with links for 'Homepage', 'NIHFW', 'NCHRC', 'Contact us', 'FAQ', 'Site Index', and 'Site map'. A red banner below the menu reads 'Gateway to Information on Child Health developed by the National Child Health Resource Centre (NCHRC)'. The main content area is divided into three columns. The left column, titled 'Digital Repository', lists links for 'About the Repository', 'Key Features', 'Topics / Themes', 'Thesaurus', and 'How to Search'. The middle column, titled 'About the Repository', contains a paragraph describing the repository as a virtual guide to child health and maternal health information relevant to public health in India, and a photograph of several children. The right column, titled 'Thesaurus', lists categories and counts: 'Diseases (203)', 'General Information (161)', 'Immunization (141)', 'Maternal Health (189)', 'Newborn Child Health (257)', and 'Nutrition (202)'. Below the Thesaurus is a 'New Resources' section. At the bottom of the browser window, a status bar indicates 'Transferring data from translate.googleapis.com...'

3. *Ashwini Rao, Portal Manager, Centre for Social Market Service, Bangalore* had modified the portal on climate change ([www.climatechallengeindia.org/](http://www.climatechallengeindia.org/)) after attending this programme. The portal was reorganised thematically to present information on various climate related issues- adaptation, climate science, carbon market, disaster management etc.



4. *Sandesh Silpakar, Officer, Global Alliance of Community Forestry (GACF), Nepal* has decided to use Facebook for his own organisation's outreach and also built an online South Asian Forum on Information Exchange on this ([http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=107572952615419&v=app\\_2344061033#!/group.php?gid=107572952615419&v=wall](http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=107572952615419&v=app_2344061033#!/group.php?gid=107572952615419&v=wall))

5. *Sumedha Chandrarathna, Team Leader, Voice Systems, Sri Lanka Telecom Mobitel Ltd. Sri Lanka* is using the knowledge gained from the training to formulate a knowledge base for CSR projects for rural community/rural schools in Sri Lanka. And also to digitize rural libraries by using open source software such as Koha,

6. *Parsurama Dasa, Liason Officer, ISKCON Daiya Varnasrama Ministry, Bangalore* decided to further research into blogs and forums to see how the information learnt on “social online communities” can be used to his organisation's advantage. Has an active blog page on his website of ISKCON “<http://www.iskconvarnasrama.com/cms/blog>”.