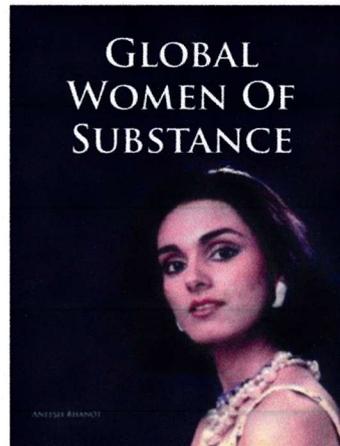


Global Women of Substance featured in the 2018 book released recently ... Now, work has started on the 2019 book !

This book is a small effort to recognize and honour some very dedicated and inspiring women from across the world, including Neerja Bhanot Awardees, who have stayed away from the limelight while diligently carrying on with their noble work.

While Women of Substance like Mother Teresa, Florence Nightingale, Indira Gandhi etc. are very well known the world over, the personalities featured in this book are women who have very quietly proved to be a positive influence in the community, have broken the glass ceiling and are true inspiration for women (and men) across the world.



Wendy Sue Knecht
(Los Angeles, USA)



Sucheta Shetty Rodrigues
(London, UK)



Subhashini Vasanth
(Bangalore, India)



Sindhutai Sapkal
(Pune, India)



Shubha Kumar
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Delhi, India



Shanti Bhanot
Chandigarh, India



Dr. Sarojini Agrawal
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Molly Paul
Mumbai, India



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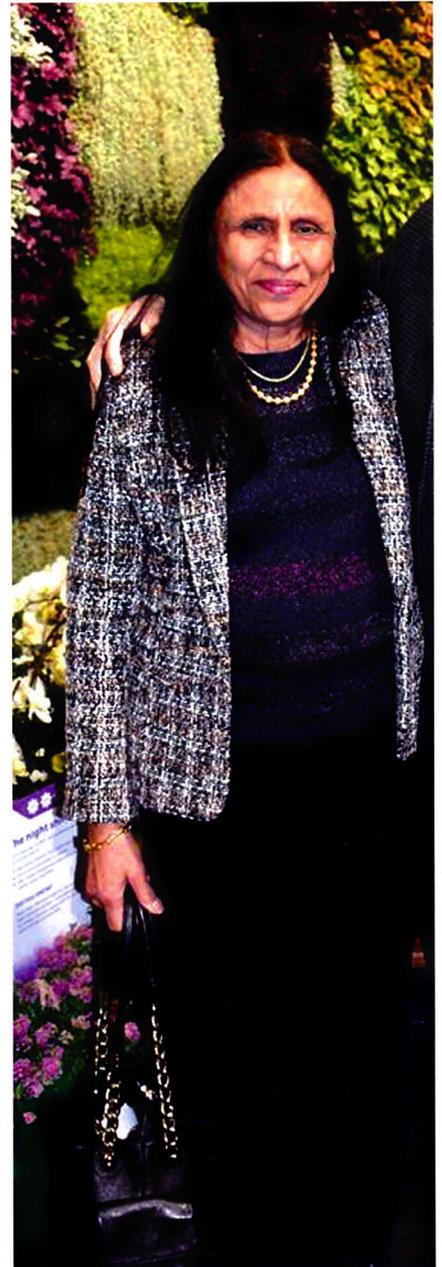
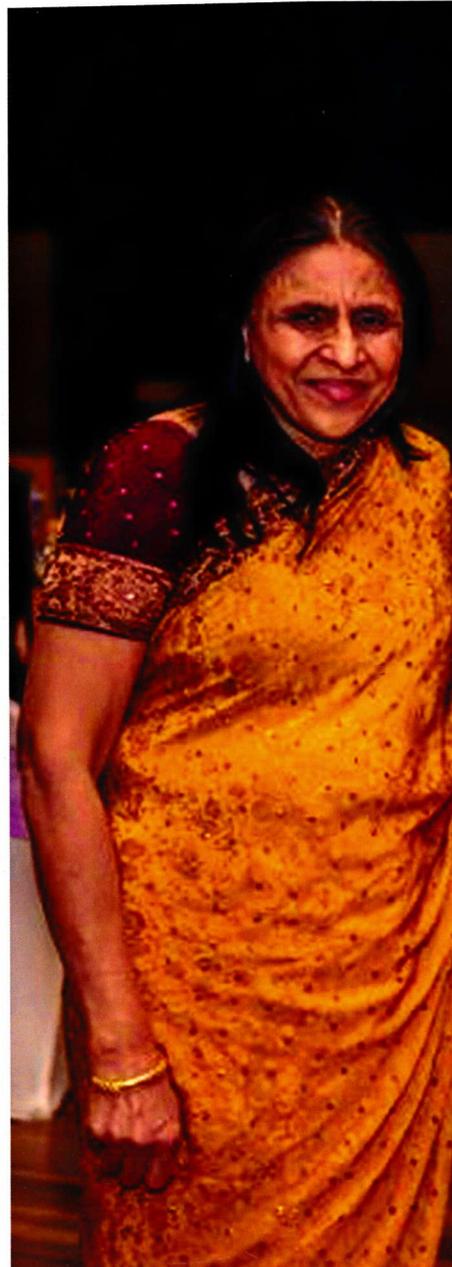


Ms. Shubha Kumar

Sydney, Australia

Multiculturalism and harmony is what Shubha Kumar stands for. Celestial aspects of her Indian heritage enthruses her to share her rich culture with people of Australia that she calls home. Annual illumination of Sydney Opera House on Diwali by the NSW Government and pioneering India Australia Fair in Olympic Park are counted among Shubha's pleasing triumphs of diversity celebration.

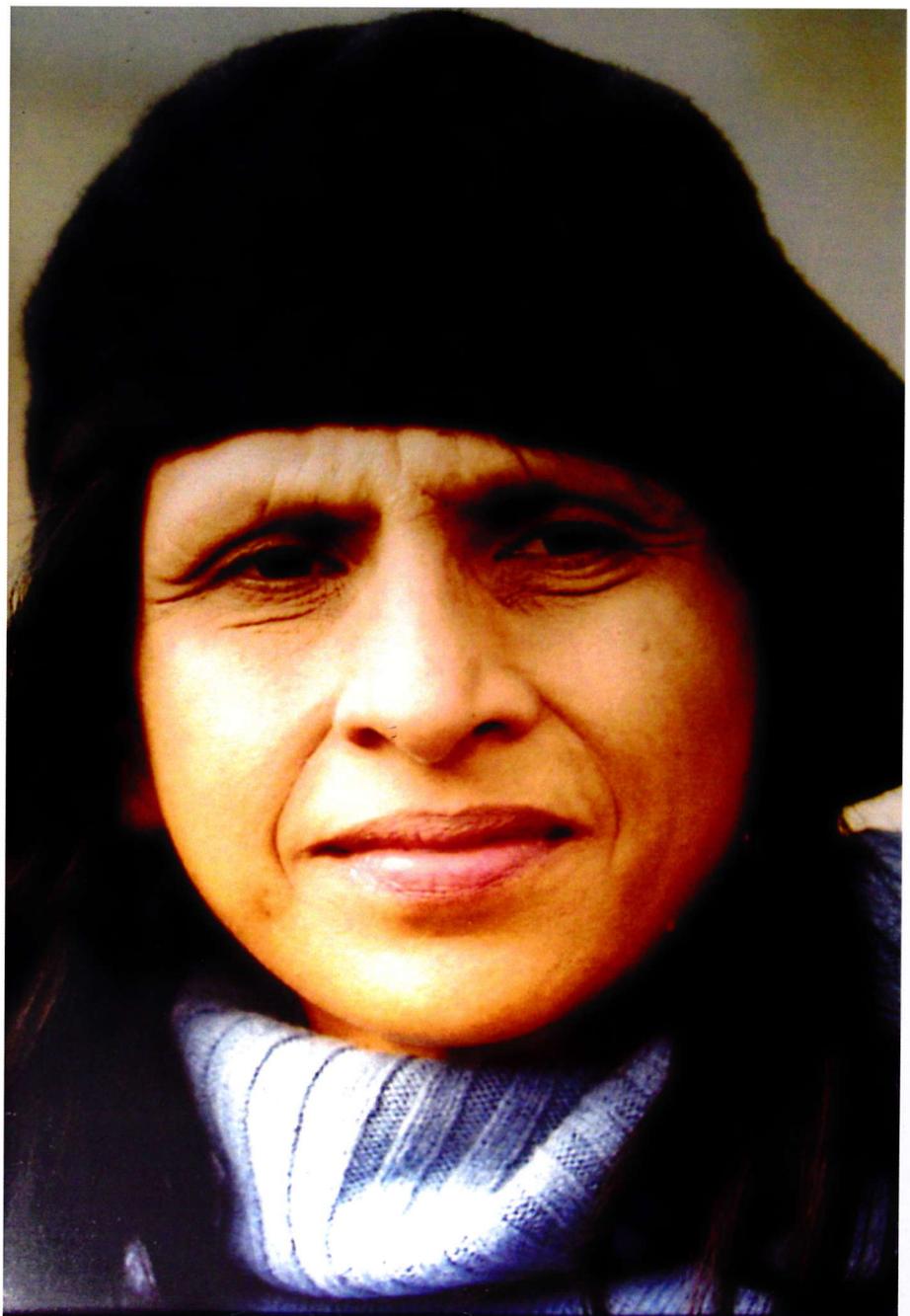
Shubha's journey commenced growing up in rather conservative India, dreaming of a career, travelling overseas and engaging in community advancement. Moving to





Sydney, 28 years ago as Scientist & QA Manager, Shubha also plunged into her passion of community progression. She presided admirably over several community associations focusing on new programs and core improvement tenets to raise community profiles.

Shubha (President since inception) established India Club Inc. widely recognized for its momentous culture, meaningful community events, integrity, consistency, and





openness to all. She zealously encourages active participation of multicultural organizations and individuals to celebrate cultural diversity together and help redress evils of concern, enhancing better understanding & promoting harmony in society.

Shubha sends a strong message of no tolerance to abuse and suffering, inflicted by family violence and lack of essential consideration for seniors; creates programs in collaboration e.g. "Breaking Barriers" and "Spark the Change", to empower men & women to attain courage to break away from silence for their rights and act





demonstrably against social injustices.

Various recognitions of Shubha's selfless relentless drive for a better cohesive society, in the form of several state and community awards, boost her impetus to march on with even more zeal for collective good of us all.

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