

Name: Lalita Nijhawan

Education: Post Graduation in Women and Child Development from Delhi University.

Brief.

- **Honoured by the former President of India Sh. Pranab Mukherjee in 2016 for her extensive contribution in the field of Education of Children and Empowerment of Women. Her nomination was forwarded by Ministry of Women and Child Development.**
- **Former National Treasurer women wing of FICCI (2020-2021)**
- **Global Ambassador-International Women's Entrepreneurial Challenges**
- **Director, Nijhawan Group of Companies**
- **Founded and ran a school in New Delhi for 10 years.**
- **Trained under the British Airways, U.K., in fares, and marketing strategies.**
- **In India she ran the business successfully having 21 offices in India as GSA for British Airways and American Airlines**
- **Then she started Travel Boutique which is now known as tbo.com.**
- **CSR Advisory Board of Sonalika Group**
- **President of CKRDT Trust**
- **Ex Governing Body Member at National Institute of Technology, Delhi**
- **Ex Treasurer of Ram Lal Anand College, Delhi University.**
- **Co-Convenor of Group of Intellectuals and Academicians (GIA)**
- **Columnist for Punjab Kesari Newspaper and Blogger of Times of India Online, with over 200 articles in circulation.**
- **Regularly features on leading TV channels on women empowerment topics.**
- **Thesis topic: Piaget's Cognitive Development;** shared globally for further understanding child psychology. She was granted full scholarship from University of Geneva.
- **President of her College, IHE, Delhi University**
- **Declared Best Volleyball Player, stood 1st in college and was declared The Best All Round Student of the Year.**

AWARDS

- **2022 – Sewa Bhushan Award by Sewa Bharti**
- **2022 - Bharat Sheromani Award**
- **2022 - Stri Ratna Award**
- **2022 – Dr Sarojini Naidu Award for working Women**
- **2021 – FLO : Entrepreneur & Business Award – Outstanding Efforts in CSR**
- **2020 – FLO : Business Leader in Travel Industry**
- **2020 - MSME Award by Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise**

- 2019 - **'Woman CSR Leader' Award** by Economic Times on 'World CSR Day'
- **2018 - Nari Shakti Award**
- **2018 - B.R. Ambedkar National Award 2018** – Delhi University hailed her as **'Woman Game Changer** in the field of Entrepreneurship.'
- 2018 - UBS Transformance **'Women Leader' Award 2016 - IWEC Award**
- 2016 – **Woman Trailblazer & Goodwill Ambassador**
- **2009 - 'Amity Excellence in Entrepreneurship' Award**
- **2008 – 'Ojaswani' Award** as a woman entrepreneur
- 2000 – 2010 – **Multiple awards from leading global airlines** British Airways, Qatar Airways, Emirates, Turkish Airlines, Ethiopian Airlines, Cathay Pacific, Alitalia, Kingfisher, Indian Airlines, Air India etc. **2005 - Bharat Nirman Award**
- **2005 - Bharat Nirman Award** 'Best Student in Academics' presented by **Prof. Narul Hassan, Central Education Minister**
- Award by **Dr. Zakir Hussain, Vice President of India**, for 'Excellence in Arts'

BRIEF OVERVIEW OF HER SOCIAL WORK

Level	Work
State Level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • She is involved with various schools as the Vice President. She actively participates in the activities of the schools and imparts her wisdom to young children and teachers. • She has also provided medical facilities to the less fortunate by donating Kidney Dialysis Equipment to the needy women patients at AIIMS, Delhi. • She is currently running different centres for Skill Development & Vocational Training Courses in rural areas and urban slums on issues such as Mahila Silai Centers, Computer Training, Typing, Personality Development Classes, Karate etc. working for the cause of women empowerment and increasing awareness about women's rights. Also, in colleges for tourism & heritage. • Funded and encouraged inter-caste marriages to end caste system. • Buses are fitted with computers, and they commute from one slum to another to provide computer education on wheels with ease. • Empowering University girls through dialogues, debates and discourse. • Worked on Women Development Cells in Colleges • In a school she has held yoga health camps and provided Adidas Sports products.

Level	Work
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • She spearheaded the founding of a medical health center in Delhi's urban slum with an outreach to 50,000 people, under FLO banner. • Took women's issues and helped rape victims by presenting fact finding reports to NCW Chairperson Lalita Kumar Mangalam and Police Commissioner Vimla Mehra along with her group (GIA).
National Level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds orphanage in Haridwar, which houses about 75 girls. • She has adopted villages in Banswara, North East and Orissa where she extends support to the construction of schools, science labs and toilets. • She ensures mothers and children are educated about vaccination, general hygiene and the importance of good health through various drives. • Varanasi, funded girls' education in Panini Kanya Vidyalaya, for girls • Representation of Nepal Earthquake Victims made to NCW Chairperson, Lalita Kumarmangalam. • She also ensured that vaccinations are easily accessible, and general awareness on hygiene and sanitation are provided by doctors. • She spearheaded the pan-India FLO COVID - 19 initiative during the 2nd wave by providing medicine, food, and other necessities to lakhs of people.
International Level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • She has worked with IWEC (International Women Entrepreneur Challenges) as Global Ambassador and helping the group to pick up well established Indian Women Entrepreneurs from all over India. • On New Jersey Television Network she spoke about Women Empowerment in 2009.