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APPENDIX A
An Outline of Questionnaire

GENERAL INFORMATION

Instruction: Fill in the information and put a tick ( ) mark wherever necessary. Date: _

Name: ___________________________________________________________

Name of Institution: ________________________________________________

Religion: _________________________________________________________

Discipline/combination: Arts ( ) Science ( ) Commerce( ) others_______

Gender: Male ( ) Female ( )

Age: 15-16 ( ) 16-17 ( ) 17-19 ( )

Class Studying: I PUC ( ) II PUC ( )

Last Final Exam Mark %: 34% and below ( ) 35-59% ( ) 60% and above ( )

Caste: SCs ( ) STs ( ) OBCs ( ) General ( ) others ( ) ______

Family Income (Year): up to Rs 1, 20,000 ( ) From Rs 1, 20,000 ( )

Type of Institution: Government ( ) Public ( ) Private ( )

Directions: Please read each question carefully. Tick in the appropriate box that suits your choice. (SNS = Social Network Sites like facebook.com, twitter.com, myspace.com, etc.)

A Do you use Social Network sites (SNS)?
   Yes No

A1 Most visited Social Networking sites you are currently a member of. (Facebook=1, Twitter=2, MySpace=3, Orkut=4, other ones=5)

A2 About how many total SNS friends do you have at your college or elsewhere? (10-50=1, 51-100=2, 101-150=3, 151-200=4, more than 200=5)

A3 How often you use SNS. (seldom=1, once in awhile=2, weekly=3, every day=4, every hour=5)

A4 Average time you spend with your friends’ every day. (10-30 1 2 3 4 5

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min = 1, 31-60 min = 2, 1-2 hours = 3, 2-3 hours = 4, More than 3 hours = 5)
A5. Average time you spent in SNS every day. (10-30 min = 1, 31-60 min = 2, 1-2 hours = 3, 2-3 hours = 4, More than 3 hours = 5)
A6. SNS facility enables you to get. (Feeling of belongingness = 1, Need for information and communication = 2, Goal achievement = 3, self expression and identity = 4, values = 5)

**Strongly disagree = 1, disagree = 2, neither = 3, agree = 4, strongly agree = 5**

B1. SNS is part of my every day activity. 1 2 3 4 5
B2. I am proud to tell people I am a SNS member. 1 2 3 4 5
B3. SNS has become daily part of my routine. 1 2 3 4 5
B4. I feel out of touch when I have not logged on to SNS for a while. 1 2 3 4 5
B5. I feel I am part of SNS community. 1 2 3 4 5
B6. I would be sorry if SNS in which I am a member shut down. 1 2 3 4 5

**(SNS Environment)**

C1. SNS environment enables me to easily contact to my teammates 1 2 3 4 5
C2. I do not feel lonely in this SNS environment. 1 2 3 4 5
C3. SNS environment enables me to get a good impression of my teammates 1 2 3 4 5
C4. SNS environment allows spontaneous informal conversations. 1 2 3 4 5
C5. SNS environment enables us to develop into well performing team. 1 2 3 4 5
C6. SNS environment enables me to develop good work relationships with my teammates 1 2 3 4 5
C7. SNS environment enables me to identify myself with team. 1 2 3 4 5
C8. I feel comfortable with this SNS environment 1 2 3 4 5
C9. SNS environment allows for non-task-related conversations 1 2 3 4 5
C10. SNS environment enables me to make close friendships with my teammates 1 2 3 4 5
D1. SNS environment enables me to develop my academic skills with other best students. 1 2 3 4 5
D2 I know what I want in academics and SNS environment facilitates me to get it.

D3 Through SNS environment, friends encourage and collaborate with me in my academics more.

D4 Through SNS environment, my friends sometimes support me in my academics.

D5 If I run into problems in terms of academics, through SNS environment I get an opportunity to take help from someone who would help me.

D6 I know what I want to be in life and SNS environment facilitates me to work on my academic performance through collaboration with others.

D7 Through SNS environment, I acquire information about my academic programs and other happenings from my classmates and friends sometimes.

D8 I have clear and reachable goals for my studies and sometimes SNS environment is an opportunity for me to realize my goals through information.

D9 Through SNS environment, I enjoy meeting new people who would enrich me in my subject knowledge.

D10 I involve in many academic activities away from campus, and through SNS environment, I get information to do it.

D11 I am comfortable, through SNS environment, in interacting with students from other colleges in matters of academic interest.

D12 When working on project, I prefer to work as part of a team and SNS environment is a good platform I can use.

D13 Through SNS environment, I get more comfortable as soon as I make some good friends related to my studies.

D14 SNS environment enables me to talk or record about my career goals with others when I require it.

(Face-to-face / College Environment)

E1 I am able to easily contact my classmates or significant
I do not feel lonely in life.

I am able to get a good impression of my classmates.

I am able to make spontaneous informal conversations with others.

I am able to develop into a well performing team with others.

I am able to develop good work relationships with my classmates.

I am able to identify myself with class team

I feel comfortable talking with classmates and others easily

I am able to do non-task-related conversations with others

I am able to make close friendships with my classmates and others

I am able to develop my academic skills with other best students.

I know what I want and I make sure that I get it.

My friends encourage and collaborate with me in my academics more.

My friends are source of encouragement and support in my academics.

If I run into problems in terms of academics, I have someone who would help me.

I know what I want to be in life and I work it through my academic studies.

I acquire information about my academic programs and other happenings from my classmates and friends.

I have clear and reachable goals for my studies and I work hard.

I enjoy meeting new people who would enrich me in my subject knowledge.

I involve in many academic activities away from campus, and I get information to do it.

I am comfortable interacting with students from other colleges
in matters of academic interest.

F12 When working on project, I prefer to work as part of a team

F13 I get more comfortable as soon as I make some good friends related to my studies.

F14 I can talk about my career goals with others, when I require it.