

Review of: "A Deeper Look at the Origin and Evolution of the Social Work Profession"

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Dear Dr Sethuramalingam

Thank you for your manuscript. In my opinion, your issue is an interesting one, especially the evolution of social work and almshouses during the time, but there are some serious problems in some parts. As an archaeologist, I must say that it is so hard to say how some historical and cultural phenomena transmit from one country to another. There are a lot of problems with this idea that just the historical texts could not support. Do not forget that some cultural phenomena around the world are similar but they don't have any common roots; in fact, the inherent nature of humans and the inner circumstances led to these phenomena. You cannot say easily that they transmit to other societies by migration, wars, and travellers or merchants. So you must know that they just have inner reasons in that society, not outer reasons. I advise you to concentrate on India and investigate the evolution of social work just in India. I think this will make your work a more rigid scientific article.

Best,

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