

The legend, AR Rahman tweets to support Olympic dreamer Bhakti Sharma's campaign on the crowdfunding Platform, Fueladream.com

Bangalore, 22 June, 2016: AR Rahman [tweeted](#) in support of decorated open-water swimmer Bhakti Sharma, who hopes to put India in the spotlight at the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games! Rahman shows his belief in the concept of crowdfunding and appeals to India to raise funds for her training on [Fueladream](#).

Bhakti Sharma holds a number of world records in long distance swimming. The longest distance she swam is 36kms! In Jan 2015, she set a world record by swimming 2.28 kilometres in 41.14 minutes in 1 C temperature. This was in the Antarctic Ocean.

Long distance swimming, also called OPEN WATER SWIMMING, has now become an Olympic event. This event involves swimming 10kms and she is training herself to represent India at the 2020 Olympic games in Tokyo, Japan. The crowdfunding campaign on [Fueladream](#) is raising funds for her annual training expenses for 2016.

This is what Bhakti has to say, "A. R. Rahman has been an idol for me, and his music has been the one thing I have always turned to for inspiration & motivation. To find him tweeting for me and this Olympic dream that I have for India, is just an unbelievable high; this has spurred and energized me!"

"The tweet from A R Rahman to support Bhakti Sharma's campaign was music to our ears. It takes one hero to recognize another & we are very thrilled for Bhakti", **Ranganath Thota, Founder of Fueladream expresses.**



You can visit the campaign here - <https://www.fueladream.com/home/campaign/248>

About FuelADream.com



FuelADream.com is a crowd funding marketplace for people & organizations that aim to raise funds for creative ideas, causes, charities etc. Founded in Mid-2015 and based in Bangalore, the start-up aims to impact 2.2 billion people in India, Africa & S.E Asia. Fuel A Dream has raised \$ 250,000 in an initial round of funding over the last 8 months from a clutch of individual investors from the corporate world.

Fueladream.com is the brainchild of Ranganath Thota. His team is focused on transforming how people raise and contribute money for ideas, social causes and other activities. **FuelADream.com** connects the campaign owners (people who want to raise money) to funders in a very productive and engaging way.

The Campaign owners who have an innovative idea or a social cause at heart and who want to raise money for them can showcase their stories and get funders (both individuals and corporates) to support them on this platform. The company believes in creating a community of people who understand the power of giving and the impact they can make through this. Whether funding an idea that may change the face of music or getting an electric bike that will change how we commute to work or funding a fashion show by a talented young designer or helping a charity that works with orphans make ends meet or raising a helping hand to aid victims of a flood – there are many a dream that needs to be fuelled.

For more information, visit <http://fueladream.com/>

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