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Brief Academic Profile

Professionally an economist with specialisation in Agricultural, Natural Resource & Labour Economics, **Dr. Sarangi** is at present working as an 'Deputy Director' at National Institute of Labour Economics Research and Development (NILERD), Delhi under NITI Aayog, Government of India. He has conducted a number of research and evaluation studies and submitted reports to different Ministries in Government of India and other funding agencies like; Ministry of Human Resource Development, Ministry of Education, Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, Ministry of MSME, Ministry of Minority Affairs, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, DMEO, NITI Aayog, World Bank, NABARD, ICSSR, UGC, World Gold Council and TATA Trust etc. He is also actively involved in Teaching and Training for the Senior and Middle level government officials from Low, Middle Income developing countries under the Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC) Programme of Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India. He has earlier worked (in various positions) with prestigious institutions like Institute of Economic Growth (IEG), Delhi, Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad, NABARD's Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow and Xavier Institute of Management (XIM), Bhubaneswar. He holds MA, MPhil & PhD degree in Economics from Sambalpur University, Odisha. He was the recipient of the centrally administered Doctoral Fellowship from the Indian Council for Social Science Research (ICSSR) to pursue his PhD during 2007-10. He is also the recipient of the IEG-Think Tank Initiative Post Doctoral Fellowship from Institute of Economic Growth (IEG) at University of Delhi supported by IDRC Canada and Visiting Fellowship from Jamset Ji Tata Trust, Mumbai. He has published research articles in professional journals like Economic and Political Weekly, Journal of Social and Economic Development, Journal of Land and Rural Studies, Asia Pacific Journal of Environmental Law, International Journal of Biodiversity Watch, Indian Forester and Financing Agriculture. He has also contributed a number of papers in different Edited volumes, Monographs and Working papers published by Springer, Sage, Bloomsbury & Routledge. Recently he co-authored a book titled "Climate Change, Livelihood Diversification and Well-Being-*The Case of Rural Odisha*", Published by Springer Nature, Singapore. He is also a regular course writer for Bachelor & Master degree programme for Odisha State Open University (OSOU), Sambalpur, Odisha. He has presented wide range of research papers at various universities and research institutes in India and abroad such as United Kingdom, France, SriLanka, Bangladesh & Nepal. He is a life member and elected twice as Executive Council (EC) member of Indian Society for Ecological Economics (INSEE), New Delhi. His research interest includes Natural Resource Economics, Labour Economics, Climate Change, Human Resource Planning and Development, Rural Livelihood and Issues relating to Tribal and Marginalised Communities.

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

PhD (Economics), Thesis*: "Participatory Forest Management and Its Impact on Livelihood Among the Forest Dependent Communities in Western Orissa"*, Sambalpur University, Odisha, India. **2015**.

MPhil (Economics), Dissertation: *"Forest and Livelihood among the forest dependent people in Orissa"*, Sambalpur University, Odisha, India. **2003**.

M.A. (Economics), First Division, P.G. Department of Economics, Sambalpur University, Odisha, India. **2002**.

P.G. Diploma (Rural Development), Dissertation: *"Forest based Livelihood in Rural Orissa"***,** Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), New Delhi. **2006**.

AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS

(1) "**IEG-TTI Post Doctoral Fellowship**", Institute of Economic Growth (IEG), University of Delhi, Sponsored by Think Tank Initiative (TTI) Programme of IDRC Canada, 2014.

(2) "**Visiting Fellowship**", (Jamsetji Tata Trust), Research Unit for Livelihoods and Natural Resources (RULNR), Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad, 2012-13.

(3) "**Doctoral Fellowship**", (Centrally Administered Open category), Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi, 2007-10.

RESEARCH & TEACHING INTERESTS

Research Interests: Natural Resource Governance, Tribal Development, Rural Livelihood Issues, Microfinance, Human Resource Planning & Labour Economics. (*Special Interest on Forest & Livelihood*)

Teaching Interests: Environmental Economics, Agricultural Economics, Development Economics, Labour Economics & Human Resource Planning.

WORK EXPERIENCE (MORE THAN 16 YEARS)

(1) **"Deputy Director"**, National Institute of Labour Economics Research and Development (NILERD), *Formerly Institute of Applied Manpower Research (IAMR)*, under NITI Aayog, Government of India. (20th August 2026 to till date) <@ Pay Level- 11>

(2) **"Assistant Director"**, National Institute of Labour Economics Research and Development (NILERD), *Formerly Institute of Applied Manpower Research (IAMR)*, under NITI Aayog, Government of India. (1st October 2014 to 20th August 2026)

(3) "**Think Tank Initiative Fellow**", Institute of Economic Growth (IEG), University of Delhi. (July to September 2014)

(4) **"Senior Researcher",** Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad. (April 2013 to June 2014).

(5) **"Visiting Fellow"**, (Jamsetji Tata Trust), Research Unit for Livelihoods and Natural Resources (RULNR), Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad. (February 2012 to February 2013).

(6) **"Senior Research Officer"** (Equivalent to NABARD Grade-D Officer or Deputy General Manager Rank), Centre for Microfinance Research (CMR), Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow. (December 2010 to July 2011).

(7) **"Project Supervisor",** Xavier Institute of Management (XIM), Bhubaneswar, Odisha. (March 2008 to February 2009).

(8) **"Research Associate",** Xavier Institute of Management (XIM), Bhubaneswar, Odisha. (May 2007 to July 2007).

(9) **"Project Fellow",** UGC-DRS, under Special Assistance Programme (SAP) of UGC, P.G Department of Economics, Sambalpur University, Odisha. (November 2004 to March 2007).

(10) **"Research Assistant",** P.G Department of Economics, Sambalpur University, Odisha. (September 2002 to July 2004).

PUBLICATIONS

Books

(1) (2021) "Climate Change, Livelihood Diversification and Well-Being- The Case of Rural Odisha", Springer Publication, New Delhi. (with A. Mitra, S. Das, A. Tripathi, T. Ranganathan). https://link.springer.com/book/9789811670480

(2) (2021- Forthcoming) "Agriculture in Tribal Areas: A Study of Odisha State", Aakar Books, New Delhi.

(3) (2012) "Rural Indebtedness and Practices of Microfinance Institutions (MFIs) in Andhra Pradesh", India, LAMBERT Academic Publishing, Germany, ISBN: 978-3-659-19581-5.

(4) (2021), "Basic Characteristics of Indian Economy as Developing Economy- Indian Economy- I", Course book for Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Economics (BAEC-11, Block-1), Published by Odisha State Open University (OSOU), Sambalpur, Odisha.

(5) (2021), "Indian Economy and Environment- Indian Economy- II", Course book for Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Economics, (BAEC-13, Block-4), Published by Odisha State Open University (OSOU), Sambalpur, Odisha.

(6) (2022), "Current Challenges Facing Indian Economy- Indian Economy- II", Course book for Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Economics, (GEEC-02, Block-4, Unit-15 & 16), Published by Odisha State Open University (OSOU), Sambalpur, Odisha.

Journal Articles

(1) (2023) "Upgrading Braille Presses in India: Effectiveness and Its Impact on Visually Impaired Communities", Manpower Journal, Vol- LVII, Nos- 3 & 4, July to December, pp- 49-73.

(2) (2020) "Reform in Forest Tenure and Livelihood Impact: Implementation of Forest Rights Act 2006 in Odisha and Jharkhand", Journal of Land and Rural Studies, 8 (1), 77-95, Sage Publication. DOI: https://doi.org/10.1177/2321024919883144

(3) (2017) "The Forest Rights Act 2006 in Protected Areas of Odisha, India: Contextualising the Conflict between Conservation and Livelihood", Asia Pacific Journal of Environmental Law, 20 (1), 180-205, Edward Elgar Publishing, U.K. DOI: http://dx.doi.org/10.4337/apjel.2017.01.08

(4) (2017) "Issues on Livelihood of Adivasi Households in Rural Odisha, India", International Journal of Development and Social Science Research, Vol-6, Issue-1, June, XIM, Bhubaneswar. pp- 53-70. (with Dinesh Kumar Nayak)

(5) (2017) "Forest Rights Act 2006 in Odisha and Jharkhand: Implementation Process and Outcome", Adivasi Gujarat, Vol-1, Issue- 1, Tribal Research and Training Institute, Tribal Development Department, Government of Gujarat.

(6) (2016) "Implementation of Forest Rights Act 2006 in Protected Areas of Odisha", The Indian Forester, Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education, Dehradun, 142 (12): 1149-1156.

(7) (2016) "Labour Use Pattern in Forested Landscape of Western Odisha", Manpower Journal, National Institute of Labour Economics Research and Development, Delhi, Vol- L, No- 1 & 2, January to June, pp- 1-24.

(8) (2013) "Implementation of Forest Rights Act 2006 in Odisha: Process, Constraints and Outcome", Economic and Political Weekly, September 7-14, Vol-48, No-36, pp-61-67. (with Kailas Sarap & Jogindra Naik)

(9) (2013) "Institutional Reforms in Forest Governance in Odisha: Is there any Impact on Livelihood?", International Journal of Biodiversity Watch, July-December. Issue-2, No-2, pp-103-119.

(10) (2013) "Rural Indebtedness and Practices of MFIs in Andhra Pradesh, India", International Journal of Development and Social Science Research, Vol-2, Issue-1, June, XIM, Bhubaneswar.

(11) (2013) "Implementation and Outcome of Forest Rights Act 2006: Evidence from Two Indian States", International Journal of Biodiversity Watch, January-June, Issue-1, No-1, pp-79-99.

(12) (2010) "An Analysis of Working of Forest Institutions in Orissa", Journal of Social and Economic Development, Vol-12, No-2, July-December, pp-193-210, ISEC, Bangalore. (with Kailas Sarap)

(13) (2009), "Malfunctioning of Forest Institutions in Orissa", Economic and Political Weekly, September 12-18, Vol-44, No-37, pp-18-22. (with Kailas Sarap)

(14) (2008), "Evolution of Forest Policies in Orissa: A Historical Analysis", The Political Scientist, January Issue, Vol-3, No-3, pp-58-68.

(15) (2007), "Participatory Forest Management- Its Impact on Livelihood of Forest Dwellers in Orissa", Financing Agriculture, May-June, Vol-39, No-3, pp-29-32, Agricultural Finance Corporation Limited (AFCL), Mumbai.

Chapters in Edited Volumes

(1) (2024), "Implementation of Forest Rights Act, 2006" (Chapter-VII) Published in an edited volume titled "Biodiversity Conservation: Issues and Challenges" Edited by Dr. R.N Pati, published by Abhijeet Publications, New Delhi. ISBN: 978-93-92816-87-1.

(2) (2021), "Contextualising the Conflict between Livelihood and Conservation: Implementation of Forest Rights Act 2006 in Odisha" in Vincent Ekka, Ranjit Tigga & R.R. Patel (Eds), Development with Dignity: A Tribal Perspective, Published by Indian Social Institute (ISI), New Delhi. ISBN: 978-81-89762-82-7.

(3) (2018) "Nurturing Skill Development in Organized Sector- Chaos in Institutional Set-up: Experiences from an Industrial Region in India", NILERD (Ed), "Reflecting on India's Development- Employment, Skill and Health", Springer Publication, Singapore. ISBN- 978-981-13-1413-1. (with M.R. Prasad, Sachi Joshi, D. Indrakumar & V.K. Saxena).

(4) (2018) "Impact of Education on Labour Market Outcomes in Rural and Urban India", NILERD (Ed), "Reflecting on India's Development- Employment, Skill and Health", Springer Publication, Singapore. ISBN- 978-981-13-1413-1. (with K.C. Pradhan & P.C. Parida).

(5) (2018) "Functioning of SHGs with a special Focus on an Indian State", NILERD (Ed), "Reflecting on India's Development- Employment, Skill and Health", Springer Publication, Singapore. ISBN- 978-981-13-1413-1. (with A. Kamala Devi & Renu Lal).

(6) (2016) "Forest Rights Act 2006 and Its Impact on Livelihoods in Odisha and Jharkhand", in Kailas Sarap (Ed), "Adivasis in India: Resources, Livelihoods and Institution", Bloomsbury Publishing, India. ISBN- 978-93-85936-23-4.

(7) (2016) "Issues on Forest Governance in Contemporary Odisha" in an Edited Volume titles "Nature, Economy, and Society: Understanding the Linkages", Edited by N. Ghosh, P. Mukhopadhya, A. Shah & M. Panda, Indian Society for Ecological Economics (INSEE), Springer Publication, New Delhi. ISBN- 978-81-322-2403-7. (with Kailas Sarap).

(8) (2013) "Non-Timber Forest Products and Rural Livelihoods with special reference to the Policy & Markets in Orissa", in Somnath Hazra (Editor) "Environmental Issues and Challenges in India", REGAL Publications, New Delhi.

(9) (2012) "Land Alienation and Vulnerable Tribal Livelihood in Odisha" in K. Suman Chandra, V. Suresh Babu & P.K. Nath (Editors), Agrarian Crisis in India: The Way Out, (Seminar Proceeding), Centre for Agrarian Studies & Disaster Mitigation, National Institute of Rural Development (NIRD), Hyderabad.

(10) (2012) "Land, Forest & Tribal Rights: Cycles of Exploitation in Odisha" in Amalendu Jyotishi, Sushanta Kumar Mahapatra & Maarten Bavinck (Editors), Legal Pluralism in Natural Resources Management- South and South-East Asian Perspectives, Excel India Publishers, New Delhi.

(11) (2012) "Participatory Institutions and Sustainable Governance of Forests in Orissa" in Raj Kumar Sen (Editor), Forest Management and Sustainable Development, Deep & Deep Publication, New Delhi.

(12) (2011) "Non-Timber Forest Products and Rural Livelihoods with special reference to the Policies & Markets in Orissa", in First Indian Forest Congress, Volume- II, Compendium of Papers, Forest Research Institute, Indian Council of Forest Research and Education, Dehradun, Ministry of Environment and Forest (MoEF), New Delhi.

(13) (2011) "Decentralised Forest Governance and Its Functioning in Orissa", Proceeding of the National Seminar on "Community, Institutions and Participation in Natural Resource Governance", Published by Department of Sociology, University of Hyderabad. (with Kailas Sarap)

(14) (2010) "Working of Community Forest Management and Livelihood Impact of Forest-dependent Communities in Orissa", in Mohan K. Balla & Abadhesh K. Sing (Editors) PROCEEDINGS- National Conference on Forest-People Interaction, Published by NUFU-HIMUNET Project, Institute of Forestry (IOF), Pokhara, Nepal.

(15) (2010) "Tribal Development in Rural India: Issues & Concern" in Bishnu Mohan Dash (Editor) "Rural Development in India", New Delhi Publishers, New Delhi.

(16) (2010) "Factors Contributing to Erosion of Access to Forest and Private Land in Contemporary Tribal Orissa" in Kailas Sarap (Editor) "Institutions, Livelihood and Natural Resource Management", Bookwell, New Delhi. (with Kailas Sarap)

(17) (2009), "Forest Resource and Forest Based Livelihood: A Case Study of Western Orissa", in G.P. Guru (Editor), "West Orissa: Past & Present", Western Odisha Development Council (WODC), Rajeeb Bhaban, Bhubaneswar, Odisha.

Working Papers, Reports & Monographs

(1) (2025) "Efficacy and Impact of NATS throughout the Country", Sponsored by the Ministry of Education, Government of India.

(2) (2025) "An Assessment of Employment and Working Conditions of Workers in Indian Gold Industry", Sponsored by World Gold Council.

(3) (2025) "Evaluation of National Initiatives for Design Innovation (NIDI) Scheme", Sponsored by the Ministry of Education, Government of India.

(4) (2025) "Evaluation Report of the Research Scheme of NITI Aayog (RSNA)", Sponsored by Research and Networking (RSNA) Division of NITI Aayog, Government of India.

(5) (2024) "Assessment of Decisions Taken during Chief Secretaries Conferences", Sponsored by the Development Monitoring and Evaluation Office (DMEO), NITI Aayog, Government of India.

(6) (2023) "Assessment of Sick/Closed MSMEs" sponsored by the Ministry of MSME, Government of India.

(7) (2023) "Evaluation of Spices Board- Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce and Industry", Sponsored by DMEO, NITI Aayog, Government of India. (Co-PI).

(8) (2023) "Evaluation of Rubber Board", Sponsored by DMEO, NITI Aayog, Government of India. (Core Team member as Subject Specialist)

(9) (2021) "Study on Enhancing Skill Development Infrastructure in NE States (ESDI)" Sponsored by Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, Government of India. (With Dr. Pitam Singh & team).

(10) (2021) "A Study on Evaluation of the DDRS and DDRC Scheme", Sponsored by Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India. (With Dr. Pitam Singh & team).

(11) (2021) "Evaluation of Shastri Indo Canadian Institute", Sponsored by Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India.

(12) (2021) "Evaluation study on support for Establishment/Modernization/Capacity Augmentation of Braille Presses", Sponsored by Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India. (With Dr. Pitam Singh & team).

(13) (2021) "Impact Evaluation Study for Central Sector Schemes (*A Study on Evaluation of the Scheme Budgetary Support to National Trust*)", Sponsored by Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India. (With Dr. Pitam Singh & team)

(14) (2020) "Agriculture in Tribal Areas: A Study of Odisha State", Sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) New Delhi, Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi, Instituted at Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad.

(15) (2020) "Report on evaluation of Higher Education Statistics and Public Information System (HESPIS) scheme", Submitted to Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India. (with Dr. Pitam Singh & team)

(16) (2020) "A Study on Socio-Economic and Working Conditions of workers in Indian Gold Industry" Submitted to NITI Aayog, Government of India. (with Dr. Pitam Singh & Dr. P.C. Parida)

(17) (2020) Report on "Faculty Resource in Public Engineering Institutions under Project TEQIP phase III", Sponsored by World Bank's National Project Implementation Unit (NPIU), Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India. (with Dr. Pitam Singn & team).

(18) (2020) Report on "Efficacy and Impact of National Apprenticeship Training Scheme (NATS) throughout the countries", Sponsored by Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India. (with Dr. Shachi, Joshi).

(19) (2019) Report on "Climate Change, Livelihood Diversification and Wellbeing in Rural Odisha", Sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi and Instituted at Institute of Economic Growth (IEG), Delhi (with Dr. Arup Mitra & team).

(20) (2018) Report on "Efficacy and Impact of National Apprenticeship Training Scheme (NATS) of MHRD", Submitted to Board of Apprenticeship Training (BoAT), Southern Region, Chennai. (with Dr. M.R. Prasad & team).

(21) (2018) Report on "Efficacy and Impact of National Apprenticeship Training Scheme (NATS) of MHRD", Submitted to Board of Apprenticeship Training (BoAT), Northern Region, Kanpur. (with Dr. M.R. Prasad & team).

(22) (2018) Report on "Pilot study on Evaluating Polytechnic schemes of Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, Government of India", Submitted to Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, Government of India. (with Dr. A. Kamla Devi & team).

(23) (2017) Report on "Study of Properties under Urban Waqf Board", Submitted to Ministry of Minority Affairs, Government of India. (with Dr. M.R. Prasad).

(24) (2017) Report on "Evaluation Study Credit Linked Capital Subsidy Scheme (CLCSS)", Submitted to Ministry of MSME, Government of India. (with P.C. Parida & K.C. Pradhan).

(25) (2017) Report on "Efficacy and Impact of National Apprenticeship Training Scheme (NATS) of MHRD", Submitted to Board of Apprenticeship Training (BoAT), Western Region, Mumbai. (with Dr. M.R. Prasad & team).

(26) (2017) Report on "Study of Restructuring of Central Waqf Council (CWC)", Submitted to Ministry of Minority Affairs, Government of India. (with Dr. M.R. Prasad & team).

(27) (2016) "A Study on Determinants of Access to Formal Credit by Micro, Small & Medium Enterprise (MSME) Units in India" (Report submitted to NITI Aayog, Government of India), NILERD Report No- 2/2016, National Institute of Labour Economics Research and Development (NILERD), Delhi. (with P.C. Parida & K.C. Pradhan).

(28) (2016) "Employment, Productivity and Output Growth of Labour Intensive Manufacturing Industries in India" (Report submitted to NITI Aayog, Government of India), NILERD Report No- 1/2016, National Institute of Labour Economics Research and Development (NILERD), Delhi. (with P.C. Parida & K.C. Pradhan).

(29) (2015) "FRA 2006 in Protected Area of Odisha, India: Contextualizing the Conflict between Conservation and Livelihood", Institute of Economic Growth, University of Delhi, (IEG-Working Paper No- 355).

(30) (2014) "Working of Forest Rights Act 2006 and Its Impact on Livelihoods: A Comparative Study on Odisha and Jharkhand", CESS Monograph- 36, RULNR Monograph- 21, December 2014, Research Unit for Livelihoods and Natural Resources, Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad.

(31) (2013) "Legalising Rights through Implementation of Forest Rights Act 2006: A Critical Review on Odisha and Jharkhand", CESS Working paper No- 126, RULNR Working Paper No-20, May 2013, Research Unit for Livelihoods and Natural Resources, Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad.

(32) (2010), "Forest & Livelihood- The Tribal Scenario in Orissa", Working Paper No-1, UGC-DRS Programme, Phase-II, P.G. Department of Economics, Sambalpur University, Odisha.

(33) (2010) "Decentralised Forest Governance and Its Functioning in Orissa, India", Working Paper No-2, UGC-DRS Programme, Phase-II, P.G. Department of Economics, Sambalpur University, Odisha.

(34) (2010) "The Implementation of Institutional Reform (FRA 2006) in Orissa Forested Landscapes", Working Paper No-3, UGC-DRS Programme, Phase-II, P.G. Department of Economics, Sambalpur University, Odisha.

(35) (2010) "Rural Indebtedness and Practices of MFIs in Andhra Pradesh", Bankers Institute of Rural Development, Lucknow. (CMR-BIRD- Monograph).

(36) (2009) "Forest & Livelihood in Orissa" (Monograph-P.G. Department of Economics, Sambalpur University, Odisha).

Book Review & Others

(1) (2023) A small article titled "Changing Contours of Marriage System for Tribes in Western Odisha" published in JUHAR SURTA, A Souvenir Magazine of JUHAR Parivar, Delhi.

(2) (2022) A small article titled "An Overview of Major Tribes in West Odisha" published in JUHAR SURTA, A Souvenir Magazine of JUHAR Parivar, Delhi.

(3) (2021) A small article titled "The River "Gandhamardana Hill": The Hidden Treasure of Western Odisha" published in JUHAR SURTA, A Souvenir Magazine of JUHAR Parivar, Delhi.

(4) (2021), "*Mission Purvodaya and Development of Western Odisha*", in PURVODAYA-The Rise of Opportunities (A Bi-monthly Bulletin), Vol-I, Issue No-1, November-December 2021, Institute of Social and Cultural Studies, Kolkata.

(5) (2020) A small article titled "The River "MAHANADI": Lifeline of Western Odisha" published in JUHAR SURTA, A Souvenir Magazine of JUHAR Parivar, Delhi.

(6) (2019) A small article titled "*Non-Timbered Forest Products (NTFPs): A Major Source of Livelihood for the Forest Dwellers in Western Odisha*" published in JUHAR SURTA, A Souvenir Magazine of JUHAR Parivar, Delhi.

(7) (2018) Book Review titled "*Inclusive Finance India Report 2017*", by M.S. Sriram, Sage Publication in Manpower Journal, Vol. LII, Nos. 1 & 2 January- June Issue 2018.

(8) (2018) A small article titled "*The Saga of Community Forestry in Western Odisha*" published in JUHAR SURTA, A Souvenir Magazine of JUHAR Parivar, Delhi.

(9) (2017) A small article titled "*Forest Rights & Livelihoods in Badrama Wildlife Sanctuary of Sambalpur District, Odisha*" published in JUHAR SURTA, A Souvenir Magazine of JUHAR Parivar, Delhi.

(10) (2016) Book Review titled "*The Synergy of Microfinance: Fighting Poverty by moving beyond Credit",* by Binod B. Nayak, Sage Publication in Manpower Journal, Vol. L, Nos. 3 & 4, July-December 2016.

RESEARCH PROJECTS (Worked as PI, Co-PI & Core team member)

(1) "Rural Indebtedness and Practices of MFIs in Andhra Pradesh", Funded by MCID, NABARD, Centre for Microfinance Research (CMR), Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow. (*June 2011*).

(2) "Working of Forest Right Acts 2006 and Its Impact on Livelihood: A Comparative study of Odisha and Jharkhand", Funded by Jamsetji Tata Trust, Mumbai. Research Unit for Livelihoods and Natural Resources (RULNR), Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad. (*June 2014*).

(3) "Agriculture in Tribal Areas: A Study of Seven States in India", Funded by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi. Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad. (Completed *2013-16*).

(4) "Conservation and Livelihood with special reference to the Implementation of Forest Rights Acts 2006 in Protected Areas of Odisha", Institute of Economic Growth (IEG), University of Delhi. (*2014-15*).

(5) "A Study on Determinants of Access to Formal Credit by Micro, Small & Medium Enterprise (MSME) Units in India", Sponsored by NITI Aayog, Government of India. (with P.C. Parida & K.C. Pradhan), (*2014-15*).

(6) "Employment, Productivity and Output Growth of Labour Intensive Manufacturing Industries in India" Sponsored by NITI Aayog, Government of India, National Institute of Labour Economics Research and Development (NILERD), Delhi. (with P.C. Parida & K.C. Pradhan), (*2014-15*).

(7) "Manpower Planning in Odisha", Sponsored by Planning and Coordination Department, Government of Odisha. (with P.C. Parida & K.C. Pradhan), (Completed *2015-16*).

(8) "Study of Restructuring of Central Waqf Council (CWC)", Sponsored by Ministry of Minority Affairs, Government of India. (with Dr. M.R. Prasad & team)- Completed (2016-17).

(9) "Efficacy and Impact of National Apprenticeship Training Scheme (NATS) of MHRD", Sponsored by Board of Apprenticeship Training (BoAT), Western Region, Mumbai. (with Dr. M.R. Prasad & team)- Completed (2017).

(10) "Evaluation Study Credit Linked Capital Subsidy Scheme (CLCSS)", Sponsored by Ministry of MSME, Government of India. (with P.C. Parida & K.C. Pradhan)- Completed (2017).

(11) "Climate Change, Livelihood Diversification and Wellbeing in Rural Odisha", Sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi and

Instituted at Institute of Economic Growth (IEG), Delhi (with Dr. Arup Mitra & team)- Completed (2017-2019).

(12) "Study of Properties under Urban Waqf Board" sponsored by Ministry of Minority Affairs, Government of India. (with Dr. M.R. Prasad) Completed (2017).

(13) "Pilot study on Evaluating Polytechnic schemes of Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, Government of India", sponsored by Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, Government of India. (with Dr. A. Kamla Devi) Completed (2018).

(14) "Efficacy and Impact of National Apprenticeship Training Scheme (NATS) of MHRD", Sponsored by Board of Apprenticeship Training (BoAT), Northern Region, Kanpur. (with Dr. M.R. Prasad & team)- Completed (2018).

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(16) "A Study on Socio-economic and Working Condition of Workers in Indian Gold Market", Sponsored by NITI Aayog, Government of India. (with Dr. P.C. Padira)- Completed (2020).

(17) "Efficacy and Impact of National Apprenticeship Training Scheme (NATS) throughout the countries", Sponsored by Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India. (with Dr. Shachi, Joshi) Completed (2020).

(18) "Study on 'Faculty Resource in Public Engineering Institutions' under Project TEQIP phase III", Sponsored by National Project Implementation Unit (NPIU), Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India. (with Dr. Pitam Singn & team). Completed (2020).

(19) "Report on evaluation of higher education statistics and public information system (HESPIS) scheme" Sponsored by Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India. (With Dr. Pitam Singh & team). Completed (2020).

(20) "Study on Enhancing Skill Development Infrastructure in NE States (ESDI)" Sponsored by Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, Government of India. (With Dr. Pitam Singh & team)- Completed (2021).

(21) "Impact Evaluation Study for Central Sector Schemes (*Evaluation study on support for Establishment/Modernization/Capacity Augmentation of Braille Presses*)", Sponsored by Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India. (With Dr. Pitam Singh & team)- Completed (2021).

(22) "Impact Evaluation Study for Central Sector Schemes (*A Study on Evaluation of the Scheme Budgetary Support to National Trust*)", Sponsored by Department of

Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India. (With Dr. Pitam Singh & team)- Completed (2021).

(23) "A Study on Evaluation of the DDRS and DDRC Scheme", Sponsored by Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India. (With Dr. Pitam Singh & team)- Completed (2021).

(24) "Evaluation of Shastri Indo Canadian Institute", Sponsored by Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India. Completed (2021).

(25) "Learning Lessons from Implementation of Welfare Initiatives of Migrant Workers", Sponsored by NITI Aayog, Government of India.- on going (2021).

(26) "Evaluation of Spices Board- Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce and Industry", Sponsored by DMEO, NITI Aayog, Government of India. (Co-PI). (2023)

(27) "Evaluation of Rubber Board", Sponsored by DMEO, NITI Aayog, Government of India. (Subject Matter Specialist) (2023).

(28) "Assessment of Sick/Closed MSMEs" sponsored by the Ministry of MSME, Government of India. (2023).

(29) "Assessment of Decisions Taken during Chief Secretaries Conferences", Sponsored by the Development Monitoring and Evaluation Office (DMEO), NITI Aayog, Government of India. (2024).

(30) (2025) "Efficacy and Impact of NATS throughout the Country", Sponsored by the Ministry of Education, Government of India.

(31) (2025) "An Assessment of Employment and Working Conditions of Workers in Indian Gold Industry", Sponsored by World Gold Council.

(32) (2025) "Evaluation of National Initiatives for Design Innovation (NIDI) Scheme", Sponsored by the Ministry of Education, Government of India.

(33) (2025) "Evaluation Report of the Research Scheme of NITI Aayog (RSNA)", Sponsored by Research and Networking (RSNA) Division of NITI Aayog, Government of India.

(34) (2026) "Peer Review of Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA)", Sponsored by Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA), New Delhi.

(35) (2026) "Enhancing Global Competitiveness of Gujarat's Manufacturing Economy" Sponsored by Gujarat Rajya Institute of Transformation (GRIT), Government of Gujarat.

RESEARCH PROJECTS (Worked as Research Associate)

(1) "Agricultural Growth & Poverty Reduction in Orissa" for the Poverty Task Force, Government of Orissa, (2003).

(2) "Rural Development in Orissa and Chhattisgarh", Instituted at Center for Economic and Social Studies (CESS) Hyderabad, and sponsored by Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India, (2003).

(3) "Forest & Livelihood in Orissa", Instituted at Center for Economic & Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad. Funded by Department for International Development (DFID), Government of U.K. & University of East Anglia, U.K. (2004).

(4) "Performance of SSI units in five industrial clusters of Orissa", Instituted at Xavier Institute of Management Bhubaneswar (XIM-B) and supported by SIDBI, (2004).

(5) "Agrarian Transformation in Orissa", including Land, Labour, Credit and Output Market in Rural Orissa, under UGC-DRS Programme of the P.G Department of Economics (Autonomous), Sambalpur University, Orissa, (2007).

(6) "Growth & Role of Small Scale Manufacturing Units in a Developing Industrial Clusters in Orissa- With special reference to the Districts of Sambalpur & Jharsuguda", Instituted and Sponsored by Xavier Institute of Management (XIM), Bhubaneswar, (2007).

(7) "Impact Assessment Study of Community Initiatives at Hirakud & Talabira Mines", Instituted at Xavier Institute of Management Bhubaneswar (XIM-B), and Sponsored by HINDALCO, (2008).

(8) "Socio-economic, Socio-cultural, Infrastructure Survey and Resource mapping in the project affected (Displaced) villages due to the establishment of the Smelter & Power Project Site at Lapanga, Sambalpur" Instituted at Xavier Institute of Management Bhubaneswar (XIM-B), and Sponsored by Aditya Aluminum Limited, (2009).

(9) "Forest Right Act (FRA) and Its Implementation and Impact: A Multi-state Analysis", sponsored by Consumer Unity and Trust Society (CUTS), Jaipur, Rajasthan in collaboration with the University of Manchester, U.K. (2009)

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY COURSES & TRAINING PROGRAMMES

(1) International Workshop on Foundational AI and Data Science with Interdisciplinary Application organized by Dr. B.R. Ambedkar University, Delhi, in association with Indira Gandhi Delhi Technical University for Women (IGDTUW), Delhi, India, Mizan-Tepi University, Ethiopia & MathTech Thinking Foundation, Fazilka, Punjab, India held during 16-20 March 2026.

(2) International Symposium on the Ethical and Social Dimensions of Emerging Technology, AI and ML, Organised by Jamia Engineering Alumni Association, New Delhi, 26-27 April 2024.

(3) ESCAP "Introductory Training for Leaving No One behind (LNOB) Analysis in India" Organised by United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UN-ESCAP) at Hotel Le-Meridian, New Delhi, 24th May 2023.

(4) Online Training Programme on "Labour Market Analysis" Organised by V.V. Giri National Labour Institute (VVGNLI), Noida, 25-29 October 2021.

(5) Online Training Programme on "Migration, Skills and Reintegration: Issues and Perspective" Organised by V.V. Giri National Labour Institute (VVGNLI), Noida, 05-08 July 2021.

(6) "Future of Work in India & Young People's Aspirations" jointly organized by Ministry of Labour & Employment, V.V. Giri National Labour Institute & International Labour Organization (ILO) Decent Work Team for South Asia & Country Office for India, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi, 10th May 2016.

(7) United Nations Environment Program Training Workshop on "Economics of Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services: Building Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services into National Policy", Organised by UNEP at Kings College, University of Cambridge, United Kingdom, 20-21 September 2014.

(8) "Fifth Gender, Water and Equity" Training Workshop, Jointly Organised by South Asia Consortium for Interdisciplinary Water Resources Studies (Saci-WATERs), Hyderabad, Society for Promotion of Participatory Ecosystem Management (SOPPECOM), Pune, Gender and Water Alliance (GWA), The Netherlands, Water Supply and Sanitation Collaborative Council (WSSCC), Switzerland, UN-Habitat, Kenya & Cap-Net (UNDP), South Africa held at Kathmandu, Nepal, 14-18 June, 2010.

(9) Advanced Refresher Course on "Macro Economics with Special Reference to Indian Economic System", Sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi. Organised by Sardar Patel Institute of Economic and Social Research (SPIESR), Ahmedabad, 12-25 May, 2008.

(10) Training Workshop on "Computer Applications in Social Sciences (using SPSS)", Sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi, Organised by Madhya Predesh Institute of Social Science Research (MPISSR), Ujjain, 9-18 January 2008.

(11) Course on Qualitative Methods in Labour Research at V.V. Giri National Labour Institute (VVGNLI), Noida, 19-26 March 2007.

(12) National Training Programme on Research Methodology for Rural Social Sciences, Sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi, Organised by Rural Development Centre, Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Kharagpur, 17-23 July 2006.

(13) Small Industries Management Training Programme based on "Basic Managerial Skill" for small and medium enterprise. Organised by Xavier Institute of Management Bhubaneswar (XIMB), Sponsored by Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI), December 2002.

SELF-LEARNING CAPACITY BUILDING COURSES (UNDER IGOT- KARMAYOGI BHARAT PORTAL)

1. "AI for Social Sector Transformation", provided by the Wadhwani Foundation on 16 April 2026.
2. "Fundamentals of Public Policy", provided by Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Bangalore, DoPT and Capacity Building Commission on 09 April 2026 as part of Sadhana Saptah.
3. "Prevention of Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace", provided by the Institute of Secretariat Training and Management (ISTM) on 30 April 2026.
4. "Comprehensive Assessment for GR-A Officers for 2025–26", conducted by Yantra India Limited on 31 March 2026 as part of Sadhana Saptah.
5. "Industry 4.0 – Digital Transformation in Manufacturing", provided by the National Academy of Defence Production on 31 March 2026.
6. "Stress Management", provided by the Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA) on 30 March 2026.
7. "Interpersonal Skills", provided by the Institute of Secretariat Training and Management (ISTM) on 30 March 2026.
8. "Leading From Within: Behavioral Strategies for Self-Leadership", provided by the Department of Telecommunications under the Ministry of Communications on 30 March 2026.
9. "Overview of Viksit Bharat 2047", provided by Karmayogi Bharat under the Department of Personnel and Training (DoPT), Government of India, on 29 March 2026.
10. "APAR Comprehensive Assessment for SO/ASO", provided by NITI Aayog on 29 March 2026.
11. "Noting and Drafting", provided by the Institute of Secretariat Training and Management (ISTM) on 29 March 2026.
12. "Parliamentary Procedures", provided by the Institute of Secretariat Training and Management (ISTM) on 29 March 2026.
13. "Basics of Communication", provided by the Indian Institute of Mass Communication (IIMC) on 28 March 2026.
14. "Right to Information Act – Part 2", provided by the Institute of Secretariat Training and Management (ISTM) on 28 March 2026.
15. "Right to Information Act – Part 1", provided by the Institute of Secretariat Training and Management (ISTM) on 10 March 2026.

SEMINARS, WORKSHOPS & CONFERENCES *(Selected only)*

(1) Presented an article titled "Decentralised Forest Governance, Livelihood and Forest Rights in Odisha, India" at INSEARCH 2018- 5th International Conference on Governance and Modernization in Changing Environment at BARD, Comila, Bangladesh, jointly organized by Center for Administrative Research and Innovation (CARI), University of Dhaka, Network for Integrative Research (Netinsearch International), Governance and Administration Innovation Network (GAIN) International, Asian Conference on Population and Development (ACPD), China, Stamford University, Bangladesh and Bangladesh Academy for Rural Development (BARD) during 18-19 December 2018.

(2) Presented an article (co-author) titled "Convergence of MGNREGS, Ecosystem Restoration & Sustainable Livelihood in Odisha" at the seminar on "Ecosystem Restoration and Livelihood", organized by NABARD Chair Unit of Institute of Economic Growth (IEG), Delhi, 8th March 2018.

(3) Presented 3 papers as (co-authors) for the Workshop on Reflections on India's Development: Employment, Education, Empowerment and Health, Oganised by NILERD, Sponsored by ILO at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi, 15-16 March 2018.

(4) "Contextualising the Conflict between Conservation and Livelihood: Implementation of Forest Rights Act 2006 in Odisha, India", 7th Thematic Workshop of French Association of Environmental and Resources Economists (FAERE), hosted by AMURE research unit at the European Institute for Marian Studies (IUEM), *Institut Universitaire Europeen de la Mer*, Brest, France, 11-12 May 2017.

(5) "Contexualising the Conflict between Livelihood and Conservation: Implementation of FRA 2006 in Odisha", National Seminar on "Tribal Rights in India and Demand for Development with Dignity", Organised by the Department of Tribal Studies, Indian Social Institute (ISI), New Delhi, 4-5 February 2017.

(6) "Contexualising the Conflict between Livelihood and Conservation: Implementation of FRA 2006 in Odisha", National Seminar on "Governance, Resource and Livelihoods of Adivasis in India: Implementation of PESA and FRA", Organised by S.R. Sankaran Chair (Rural Labour), National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj (NIRD&PR), Hyderabad, 18-19 November 2016.

(7) "Reform in Forest Tenure: Implementation of Forest Rights Act 2006 in Odisha and Jharkhand", Workshop on "The Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006: A Revisit", Sponsored by Department of Land Resources (DoLR), Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD), Government of India, Centre for Rural Studies at Lal Bahadur Shastri National Academy of Administration (LBSNAA), Mussoorie, 20-21, April 2015.

(8) "Working of Forest Rights Act 2006 and Its Implication for Livelihoods: A Comparative Study of Two Indian States", International Conference on South Asian

Economic Development: The Way Forward, South Asian University, New Delhi, 9-10th April 2015.

(9) "Decentralised Forest Governance, Livelihood and Forest Rights in Odisha", Third ICSSR Northern Regional Social Science Congress, Doon University, Dehradun, 26-28 February 2015.

(10) "FRA 2006 in Protected Areas of Odisha, India: Contextualising the Conflict between Conservation and Livelihood", TTI-Post Doctoral Seminar, Institute of Economic Growth, University of Delhi, 19th December 2014.

(11) "Decentralised Forest Governance in Contemporary Odisha, India", 16th Annual BIOECON Conference on Biodiversity, Ecosystem Services and Sustainability, Kings College, University of Cambridge, U.K, 22-23 September 2014.

(12) "Forest Tenure Reforms through Implementation of Forest Rights Act (FRA) 2006: Evidence from two Indian States", 2nd International Conference on Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, 22-23 November 2013.

(13) "Institutional Reforms in Forest Tenure: Implementations of FRA 2006 in Forested Landscape of Odisha", 6th Biennial Conference of Indian Society for Ecological Economics (INSEE), Tezpur University, Assam, 5-8 December 2013.

(14) "Issues on Tribal and Forest Rights in Odisha", Silver Jubilee Conference on Human Development, Organised by the Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research (IGIDR), Mumbai, 26-28 September 2013.

(15) "Agriculture in Tribal Area of Odisha", One Day Workshop on Agriculture in Tribal Areas: A Study of Seven States in India, Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad, 30 August 2013.

(16) "Land Alienation and Vulnerable Tribal Livelihood in Odisha" in the National Conference on Agrarian Crisis in India: The Way Out, Organised by Centre for Agrarian Studies & Disaster Mitigation, National Institute of Rural Development (NIRD), Hyderabad, 5-7 November 2012.

(17) "Rural Indebtedness and Practices of Microfinance Institutions (MFIs) in Andhra Pradesh", in the National Conference on Regulatory Aspects of Financial Inclusion, Organised by Council for Social Development (CSD), Hyderabad, 23-24 August 2012.

(18) "Land, Forest & Tribal Rights: Cycles of Exploitation in Odisha", in the International Conference on Legal Pluralism in Natural Resource Management, Jointly Organised by Amrita School of Business, Amrita University, Coimbatore & Asian Initiative on Legal Pluralism, Supported by Commission on Legal Pluralism, The Netherlands, 30-31 March 2012.

(19) "Community Forest Management and its impact on livelihoods of forest Dwellers in Orissa" in the 4th International Congress of Environmental Research (ICER-2011) conference at Sardar Vallabhbhai National Institute of Technology (SVNIT), Surat, Jointly organised by Journal of Environmental Research and Development and Gujarat Pollution Control Board, 15-17 December 2011.

(20) "Non- Timber Forest Products and Rural Livelihoods with special reference to the Policies & Markets in Orissa" in the 1st Indian Forest Congress held at the National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (NASC), New Delhi & Organised by Indian Council of Forestry Research & Education (ICFRE), Ministry of Environment & Forest, Government of India, 22-25 November 2011.

(21) "Forest Governance in Orissa: Working of Participatory Institutions and Impact on Livelihood" in the 6th Biennial Conference of the Indian Society for Ecological Economics (INSEE), "Nature, Economy and Society: Understanding the Linkages", Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad, 20-22 October 2011.

(22) "Decentralised Forest Governance and Its Functioning in Orissa", in the UGC-SAP sponsored National Seminar on Community, Institutions and Participation in Natural Resource Governance, Organised by Department of Sociology, University of Hyderabad, 3-4 March 2011.

(23) "Decentralised Forest Governance and Its Functioning in Orissa, India", in Sustaining Commons: Sustaining our Future, The 13th Biennial Conference of the International Association for Study of the Commons (IASC), Foundation for Ecological Security (FES), Hyderabad, India, 10-14 January 2011.

(24) "Working of Community Forest Management and Livelihood Impact of Forest-dependent Communities in Orissa", in the National Conference on 'Forest-People Interaction', ComForm/Institute of Forestry (IOF), Pokhara, Nepal, 7-8 June 2010.

(25) "Participatory Institutions and Sustainable Governance of Forest Resources in Orissa" in the International Seminar on 'Forest Management and Sustainable Development: Economic & Environmental Issues', CSEDS, Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata, 27-28 February 2010.

(26) "An Analysis of Decentralised Forest Governance in Orissa" in the International Symposium on "Decentralization, Power & Tenure Rights of Forest-Dependent People", Organised by Wageningen University (the Netherlands), held at Sadguru Foundation, Dahod, Gujarat, 27-28 October 2009.

(27) "An Analysis of Working of Forest Institution in Orissa" in the Fifth Biennial Conference on "Environmental Governance", Organised by The Indian Society for Ecological Economics (INSEE), held at Gujarat Vidhyapeeth, Ahmadabad, 21-23 January 2009.

WORKSHOPS & TRAINING PROGRAMMES (COORDINATED/ CO-COORDINATED)

(1) International Training Programme on "Digitalization and Human Resource Management", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 6th to 19th August 2026.

(2) Training Programme on "Strategic Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation" for Planning Officers of Office of the Prime Minister and Cabinet Royal Government of Bhutan, Sponsored by Royal Government of Bhutan, 20th to 24th April 2026.

(3) International Training Programme on "Local Governance and Rural Livelihood (In French Language)", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 12th to 25th March 2026.

(4) International Training Programme on "Digitalization and Human Resource Management", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 4th to 17th December 2025.

(5) International Training Programme on "Skill Development, Entrepreneurship and Innovation", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 19th November to 2nd December 2025.

(6) Advance Training Programme on Workforce Planning and HR Metrics, Sponsored by Royal Civil Service Commission, Royal Government of Bhutan, September 1-12, 2025.

(7) Training Programme on "Workforce Planning and HR Metrics", Sponsored by Royal Civil Service Commission, Royal Government of Bhutan, 16thto 27thJune 2025.

(8) International Training Programme on "Livelihood Promotion through Self-employment at the Grassroots Level" Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 27th March to 09 April 2025.

(9) Special Training Programme on "Transparency and Prevention of Corruption" Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 13th to 26th February, 2025.

(10) International Training Programme on "Sustainable Development Goals in French", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 20th November to 3rd December 2024.

(11) ITEC Executive Programme on "Data for Development: Capacity Building Initiatives (D4D-CBI)", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 23rd to 29th October 2024.

(12) International Training Programme on "Circular Economy and Sustainable Governance", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 5th to 18th September 2024.

(13) International Training Programme on "Digitalization and Human Resource Management", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 30th July to 12th August 2024.

(14) International Training Programme on "Financial Inclusion and Digital Transformation", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 27th March 2024 to 16th April 2024.

(15) International Training Programme on "Health Sector Programmes & e- Health Initiatives in India", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 26th February 2024 to 17th March 2024.

(16) International Training Programme on "Skill Development, Entrepreneurship and Innovation", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 21st February to 12th March 2024.

(17) International Training Programme on "Digitalization and Human Resource Management", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 17th January to 6th February 2024.

(18) International Training Programme on "Sustainable Development Goals (Spanish)", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 26th October to 8th November 2023.

(19) International Training Programme on "Sustainable Development Goals: An Integrated Approach", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 4th to 31st January 2023.

(20) International Training Programme on "Women Empowerment: Issues, Challenges & Policy Guidelines", for the officials of the Ministry of Women Affairs, Government of Cambodia, Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 19th to 23rd December 2022.

(21) International Training Programme on "Digital Governance in Health (DGH)", Sponsored by ITEC, Ministry of External Affairs, 23rd November to 22nd December 2022.

(22) Online Training Programme on "Awareness Generation and Sensitization Programme on Rights of Persons with Disability Act 2016" Sponsored by DePWD, Ministry of Social Justice, Government of India December 2021 to January 2022.

(23) International Training Programme (e-ITEC) on "Manpower Information System (MIS)", Sponsored by Ministry of External Affairs, 29th November to 10th December 2021.

(24) Online 'Research Methodology Course', Sponsored by ICSSR, New Delhi. 23rd August to 3rd September 2021.

(25) One-day Awareness Generation and Sensitization Training Programme on Right of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016, Sponsored by DePWD, Ministry of Social Justice, Government of India, 15th December 2023.

(26) "International Training Programme on Manpower Information System (MIS)" under the Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC) Programme, sponsored by Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, at NILERD, Delhi, 14 January to 09 March 2020.

(27) "International Training Programme on Manpower Information System (MIS)" under the Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC) Programme, sponsored by Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, at NILERD, Delhi, 23 January to 19 March 2019.

(28) Workshop on "Agriculture in Tribal Areas: A Study of Seven States in India", Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad, 30 August 2013.

(29) Training Programme for Bankers on "Formation and Financing of Self Help Groups", at Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow, February 2011.

INVITED LECTURES (As Resource Person)

(1) Delivered a lecture on "Rural Poverty and Livelihood: Issues and Concerns" for the Training Programme on 'Research Methods on Gender, Poverty and the Informal Economy' at V.V. Giri National Labour Institute (VVGNLI), Noida under Ministry of Labour & Employment, Government of India, 19th October 2022.

(2) Delivered four lectures on Environmental Economics for the BA (Hons) students of the Odisha State Open University, dated 16th July 2022, 24th July 2022, 31st July 2022 & 9th August 2022.

(3) Delivered a lecture on "Poverty, Rural Livelihoods and Marginalized Communities: Issues & Concerns" in the "Refresher Course in Economics & Econometrics" for the University and College Teachers, Oganised by the Human Resource Development Centre of Bharathiar University, Coimbatore 23rd November 2021.

(4) Delivered a lecture on "Rural Poverty and Livelihood: Issues and Concerns" for the Online Training Programme on 'Research Methods on Gender, Poverty and the Informal Economy' at V.V. Giri National Labour Institute (VVGNLI), Noida under Ministry of Labour & Employment, Government of India, 20th October 2021.

(5) Delivered a lecture on "Development of Tools for Data Collection" for the Online International Training Programme on 'Monitoring and Evaluation', under the Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (e-ITEC) Programme, sponsored by Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, at NILERD, Delhi, 15th September 2021.

(6) Delivered a lecture on "Applications of Research Methods in Conducting Research Studies: Various Techniques Used in Evaluation of Impact Assessment" at ICSSR sponsored Training Programme on 'Research Methodology and Application of Econometrics in Research", Organised by National Institute of Labour Economics Research and Development (NILERD), Delhi, on 27th August 2021.

(7) Delivered a talk in the National Webinar on the topic "Impact of COVID Pandamic on the Socio-economic Scenario in Indian Economy" organized by Anchal College, Padampur, Odisha. 12th September 2020.

(8) Delivered a lecture on "Rural Poverty and Livelihood: Issues and Concerns" for the 'Course on Research Methods on Gender, Poverty and the Informal Economy' at V.V. Giri National Labour Institute (VVGNLI), Noida under Ministry of Labour & Employment, Government of India, 28th August 2019.

(9) Delivered a lecture on "Data Collection Techniques" for the International Training Programme on Human Resource Planning & Development, under the Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC) Programme, sponsored by Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, at NILERD, Delhi, 13th August 2019.

(10) Delivered a lecture on "SDGs: Employment, Income and Poverty" for the International Training Programme on Human Resource Planning & Development, under the Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC) Programme, sponsored by Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, at NILERD, Delhi, 26th July 2019.

(11) Delivered a lecture on "Evolution, Characteristics and Components of HR Information System" for the International Training Programme on Manpower Information System (MIS), under the Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC) Programme, sponsored by Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, at NILERD, Delhi, 7th February 2019.

(12) Delivered a lecture on "Research Methods" for the International Training Programme on Manpower Information System (MIS), under the Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC) Programme, sponsored by Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, at NILERD, Delhi, 1st February 2019.

(13) Delivered a lecture on "Data Collection Techniques" for the International Training Programme on Manpower Research, under the Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC) Programme, sponsored by Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, at NILERD, Delhi, 6th September 2018.

(14) Delivered a lecture on "Land, Forest and Livelihood: The Longstanding Issues of Adivasis in India" at ICSSR sponsored Research Methodology Workshop on "Livelihood, Health and Well being of Marginalized Groups in India", on 26th March 2018, at Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi.

(15) Delivered a lecture on "Data Management & Analysis" for the MIS course at NILERD, Delhi, 27th March 2018.

(16) Delivered a lecture on "Choice of Techniques" for the certificate course on HRP&D at NILERD, Delhi, 22nd March 2018.

(17) Delivered a lecture on "Data Management & Information" for the PG Diploma course on HRP&D at NILERD, Delhi, 6th March 2018.

(18) Delivered a lecture on "Development objectives & Priority settings" for certificate course on HRP&D at NILERD, 5th March 2018.

(19) Delivered lecture on "Economic Planning, Policy & Reforms" for the PG Diploma Course in Human Development and Planning, at NILERD (under NITI Aayog, Government of India), Delhi, November 2017.

(20) Delivered lecture on "Classification, Importance and Limitation of Research" for the PG Diploma Course in Human Development and Planning, at NILERD (under NITI Aayog, Government of India), Delhi, August 2017.

(21) Knowledge Forum on 'Climate Resilient Development in Himalayan and Downstream Regions' 16–17 June 2016 at the India Habitat Centre, New Delhi. Jointly organised by Institute of Economic Growth (IEG), Delhi and the International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development (ICIMOD), Kathmandu.

(22) Delivered Special Lecture at an ICSSR Sponsored Orientation Programme for ST and other Marginalized Groups Organised by Institute of Economic Growth, New Delhi, 4th May 2016.

(23) Delivered Lecture at National Workshop on "Forest Scenario vis-à-vis – The Scheduled Tribes & Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act 2006" for the Indian Forest Service (IFS) Officers, Centre for Forest and Natural Resource Management Studies (CEFNARM), Telangana State Forest Academy, Dulapally, Hyderabad, October 2015.

(24) Master Course on Human Resource Planning & Development for International Participant from LDCs, NILERD (under NITI Aayog, Government of India), Delhi, June 2015.

(25) P.G. Diploma Course on Human Resource Planning & Development for International Participant from LDCs, NILERD (under NITI Aayog, Government of India), Delhi, June 2015.

(26) Training Programme for Bankers on "Formation and Financing of Self Help Groups", Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow, February 2011.

(27) Training Programme for Bankers on "Sustainable livelihood approach through JFM", Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow, January 2011.

(28) Training Programme for Bankers on "Sustainable livelihood approach through JFM", Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow, December 2010.

Research Guidance

Guided a number of students from different countries for their Master & Diploma Course dissertation and project work at NILERD

Learning Materials Prepared

Prepared Learning Materials for ITEC's PG and Certificate Courses on Human Resource Planning and Development of NILERD affiliated with Guru Govind Singh Indraprastha University, Delhi.

Prepared Self Learning Materials on Indian Economy, Environmental Economics, and Development Economics for the BA (Honours) & MA Economics Courses of the Odisha State Open University

TV Interview

My Interview on 'Forest Conservation' to the DD Kisan Channel was telecasted on 30th June 2016 at 9.30 a.m in a programme title 'Prakrity Ki Ore' by Doordarsan Kisan or DD Kisan Channel.

Other Administrative Experience

- Admission In-charge Post Graduate Diploma Course in Human Resource Planning and Development. (2016-18)
- Since March 2020 serving as RTI 'Public Information Officer' (PIO) at National Institute of Labour Economics Research and Development, Delhi.
- Honorary Secretary in the Management Committee of NILERD (International Mess & Departmental Canteen).
- Member of Editorial Team- NILERD- Manpower Journal.
- Member of Vishaka Cell of NILERD.
- Member of Welfare Committee of NILERD.
- Member of Staff Grievance Cell of NILERD.
- Member of different screening committee for departmental promotion, grant of MACP to NILERD employees.
- Member of various local purchase committees of NILERD.
- Getting Prizes in Hindi Essay Competition on "Hindi Diwas" since last 4 years continuously.
- Registered and completed the exam held on 18th May 2026 for Hindi Language Correspondence course "Praveen" from the Central Hindi Training Institute, New Delhi.
- Member Board of Studies for Master of Economics Programme at Odisha State Open University.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES

(1) International Society for Ecological Economics (ISEE), West Allis, USA
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