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**Educational Profile**

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| Ph.D. | Manipur University, Indo Myanmar Road, Canchipur, Imphal, Manipur 795003  Year of award-2014 |
|  | Supervisor : Prof. Memcha L |
| MMM | Pune University, Maharashtra  Year of award- 2005 |
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BBA Dharwad University, Karnataka

Year of award- 2002

**Professional Experience**

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| **Assistant Professor**, Department of Management Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, India | 19th September, 2008 -till date |
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**Research Publications**

1. Determinants of customer loyalty in the Insurance sector with reference to LIC, Manipur: Chand K.S.; Sarma Barua B.P.; *International Journal of Management* Volume 11, Issue 10, October 2020, 533-547.
2. Wildlife Watching and Recreational Experience of Visitors in Kaziranga National Park : Sarma Barua B.P.; Chand K.S.; *International Journal of Humanities and Social Science Invention;* Volume 9 Issue 3.; March **2020**, 15-22
3. Study on pastoralist lifestyle of yak herders of Monpa tribe: Effect of modernization on traditional way of life; T. Choepel; K.Chand.: *International Journal of Education, Modern Management, Applied Science & Social Science (IJEMMASSS) 100 ISSN : 2581-9925, Volume -02, No. 03, July - September, 2020,* 100-108.
4. Bleeting-Namtsering and Pangsau-Nampong Cross Border Trade Centres of Arunachal Pradesh- An Application of SWOT Analysis: P.Modi.; Chand K. S.; O. Mara.; *East African Scholars Journal of Economics, Business and Management, Kenya*, **2018***, ISSN-2617-4464(Print) ISSN-2617-7269(online) Volume-1/Issue-3/Dec 2018*, 89-96.
5. Expenditure Pattern of Monpa Farmers From West Kameng District of Arunachal Pradesh, India.; P.Modi.; Chand K. S.; O. Mara.; *East African Scholars Journal of Economics, Business and Management, Kenya*, **2018***, ISSN-2617-4464(Print) ISSN-2617-7269(online) Volume-1/Issue-3/Dec 2018*, 72-81.
6. Income Pattern of Monpa Farmers- A Case of West Kameng District of Arunachal Pradesh, India.; P.Modi.; Chand K. S.; O. Mara.; *East African Scholars Journal of Economics, Business and Management, Kenya*, **2018***, ISSN-2617-4464(Print) ISSN-2617-7269(online) Volume-1/Issue-3/Dec 2018*, 82-88.
7. Financial status of Arunachal Pradesh State Transport bus service: a historical approach P.Modi.; Chand K. S; Likha Eicher.; *South Asian journal of Marketing & Management Research,* **2012** *ISSN-2249-877X Volume 2/Issue 6/June 2012,* 140-148.

**Book/Book Chapter published**

1. Chand K.S.; Sarma Barua B.P.; Homestay as an emerging mode of accommodation for tourists and exploring the experiences of tourists – a case study of Ziro valley in Arunachal Pradesh.; *Contemporary issues and insights of Anthropology of North-east India,;* Singh H.V.; Borgohain Milonjyoti.; Kalpaz Publications.; Delhi.; 2020.; 137-156.
2. Sebastian B.; Chand K.S.; Challenges associated with the Adoption of E-Learning in the Educational Institutions of Aruanchal Pradesh in the context of Covid-19 pandemic.; *Contemporary issues and insights of Anthropology of North-east India,;* Singh H.V.; Borgohain Milonjyoti.; Kalpaz Publications.; Delhi.; 2020.; 233-244

**Research guidance**

**Ph.D scholar**

1. Mr. Tenzin Choepel

Topic of research: A study on the socio-economic activities of Yak herders with special reference to Monpa tribe of Arunachal Pradesh: Transition and Continuity.

Year of PhD degree: Ongoing

1. Mr. Benny Sebastain

Topic of research: Strategic approaches to employability skill development among graduates: an empirical evidence from Arunachal Pradesh.

Year of PhD degree: Ongoing

1. Mr. Tashi Lungtan Kee

Topic of research: Assessment of Homestay Tourism in Arunachal Pradesh with special reference to Tawang and Lower Subansari District.

Year of PhD degree: Ongoing

1. Mr. Charu Okam

Topic of research:

Year of PhD degree: Ongoing

**Course/Conference/Workshop organized**

1. Organized 5 days Online Faculty Development Program on LaTeX + Xfig in association with Spoken Tutorial, IIT Bombay.

**Duration- (5 Days) 18th Sep-22nd Sep, 2020.**

*Role- Coordinator*

**Course/Conference/Workshop etc. attended**

1. Five days online faculty development programme on open, distance and online learning “Emerging new realities: Bridging the gap of regular and ODL mode held at RGU, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh, India, during **28th July-1st August 2020.**
2. Five days International online faculty development program on New Paradigms of Research in Commerce and Management mode held at RGU, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh, India, during **29 June- 3rd July- 2020.**
3. 14 Days National Faculty Development Programme on Data Analysis for Research in Social Sciences held at Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan Collge University Of Delhi, India, during **17th -20th June, 2020.**
4. 5 days online Faculty Development Programme on “Emerging Issues in Social Science Research”, organized by Department of Anthropology, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, India from **4th to 8th May, 2020**
5. Two Weeks National Faculty Development Programme in Entrepreneurship held at Centre for Entrepreneurship, Rajiv Gandhi University, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh, India, during **23rd April -4th May, 2019.**
6. Ethnicity, Livelihoods and Culture change among the Himalayan people: Anthropology and beyond held at the Department of Anthropology, Rajiv Gandhi University in collaboration with Indira Gandhi Rashtriya Manave Sangrahalaya (IGRMS), Bhopal, Aruanchal Pradesh during **23rd – 24th Sept 2019.**

*Title of paper:* *Socio-cultural Live of Brokpa Community of Monpa Tribe in Arunachal Pradesh.*

1. Delivered a presentation on “Business opportunities in Arunachal Pradesh ” in the 3 days National Entrepreneurship Awareness Camp organised by the Centre for Entrepreneurship, Rajiv Gandhi University in collaboration with Entrepreneurship Development Institute of India (EDI), Ahmedabad in October 2018.
2. Delivered a presentation on “Identification of Business Opportunities and mechanism for product selection” in the Entrepreneurship Development Programme (EDP) on “Rapid Water Cleaning Using Bio-Resources & Other Low Cost Materials in Arunachal Pradesh organised by the Centre for Entrepreneurship, Rajiv Gandhi University in November, 2017.

1. Delivered a presentation on “Marketing Research for Entrepreneurship ” in the Entrepreneurship Development Programme (EDP) on “Rapid Water Cleaning Using Bio-Resources & Other Low Cost Materials in Arunachal Pradesh organised by the Centre for Entrepreneurship, Rajiv Gandhi University in October 2017
2. Delivered a presentation on “Questionnaire Design for Entrepreneurship ” in the Entrepreneurship Development Programme (EDP) on “Rapid Water Cleaning Using Bio-Resources & Other Low Cost Materials in Arunachal Pradesh organised by the Centre for Entrepreneurship, Rajiv Gandhi University in October 2017
3. Attended the Winter School on Socio-Cultural, Religion, Political & Value Education for National Integration, HRDC, Manipur University during **7th -29th December, 2015.**
4. Rural Development in India ‘Issues, progress & programme effectiveness’ held Department of Commerce, RGU during **26th – 27th April, 2013.**

*Title of paper: Role of Thaji in rural development among Yobin community of Arunachal Pradesh.*

1. Attended the Refresher Course held at Academic Staff College, Lucknow University, Uttar Pradesh, India during **1st Sept-22nd Sept, 2012.**
2. Participated in the Faculty Development Programme on Personality Development sponsored by NERIST TEQIP under the aegis of MHRD-World bank organized by Centre for Management Studies during **7th -9th May, 2012.**

1. Attended the Orientation Programme held at Academic Staff College, NEHU, Meghalaya, India during **4th July-31st July, 2011**.
2. Participated in the 3 day workshop on Statistical Package for Social Sciences conducted at Manipur Institute of Management Studies, Manipur University during **1st-3rd July, 2011**
3. Attended the UGC sponsored short term course in Research Methodology at Manipur University from **7th to 11th June, 2011.**