

Personal Profile



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Educational Profile

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Social Work	Department of Social Work (Delhi School of Social Work) University of Delhi, New Delhi. Topic: <i>The Politics of Presence in Indian Democracy: A Study of Women's Participation in Panchayati Raj Institutions of Bihar</i> Supervisor: Prof. Pamela Singla
M.A. in Social Work	Social Work (Gold Medalist), Department of Social Work (Delhi School of Social Work) University of Delhi, New Delhi
B.A. (Hons)	English Literature, Faculty of Arts, Banaras Hindu University

Professional Experience

Assistant Professor Department of Social Work, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, India	31 st July, 2015- Till date
Deputy Superintendent of Police (Dy. SP) Bihar Police Service, Department of Home, Government of Bihar	1 st Jan 2019- 16 th December, 2019 (11 Months, 16 Days)
Transmission Executive (All India Rank-3) All India Radio-National Channel, Prasar Bharati, New Delhi	April to July 2015 (04 Months)

Administrative Experience

Head (Officiating), Department of Social Work, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, India.	:14 th September, 2021-Till Date
Co-Ordinator, Field Work and Placements, Department of Social Work, RGU	:2020-2021
Co-Ordinator, Training Leadership and Research Cell, Centre for Youth Development and Leadership Studies (CYDLS), RGU	:July 2017-Till Date
Department Co-Ordinator, Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), Social Work, RGU	:2020-2021
SWAYAM Course Co-Ordinator, Department of Social Work, RGU	:2020-2021
Coordinator, Criterion VI, NAAC SSR, Third Cycle, RGU	:2020-2022
Coordinator, Criterion VI, AQAR, RGU	:2020-2022
Member, Anti Sexual Harassment Committee, RGU	:2020-2022
Member, Third Party Audit Report, RGU	:2021

Awards & Honours

1. Research and Academic Excellence Award 2020, Institute of Scholars, Karnataka.
2. Young Social Scientist Award- 2017 by the Indian Social Science Association, Indore, January, 06, 2018.
3. Gold Medal (Kunda Datar Medal) on 24th March 2012 during 89th convocation ceremony of University of Delhi for securing highest marks in M.A. - Social Work.
4. Maharshi Karve Memorial Prize on 24th March 2012 during 89th convocation ceremony of University of Delhi for being the best candidate in M.A. Examination in Social Work held in 2011.
5. Gian Pandit Award 2010 for securing Highest marks in M.A. (Social Work) Previous Year by Delhi School of Social Work.
6. Janaki Devi Memorial Award 2010 for Scoring Highest marks in Social Justice and Empowerment Paper by Delhi School of Social Work.
7. UGC-JRF during UGC NET Exam held in Dec 2010.

Membership of Professional Bodies

1. Life Membership of National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI).

Research Interests

- Occupational Social Work
- Political Economy
- Social Infrastructure
- Gender Studies
- Social Justice and Empowerment

Research Publications

1. Symbolic and Substantive Significance of Sex Education: Awareness Concerns and Felt Needs of Key Stakeholders in Arunachal Pradesh: Kumar, RR.; Yadav, V.K.; Nguri, N., Satyam, K. & Arya, K; *Journal of Social Work and Social Development (JSWSD)*, Department of Social Work, Visva-Bharati, ISSN 2229-6468 (UGC-CARE), 2021, 13(1), 1-17.
2. Monsoon, Market and Middlemen as Key Ingredients to Agrarian Distress in Contemporary India: Prioritizing for Policy and Practice-Based Interventions: Kumar, RR.; Yadav, V.K.; & Arya, K.; *Psychology and Education*, ISSN 0033-3077 (*Old Scopus*), 2021, 58(2), 6333-6340.
3. Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship in Arunachal Pradesh: Opportunities and Challenges: Kumar, R.R.; Singh, K.P; & Ete, L.: *Space and Culture, India: A Peer Reviewed India focused International Journal in Humanities and Social Sciences*, ISSN 2052-8396 (*Old Scopus*), 2021, 8(4), 148-152. <https://doi.org/10.20896/saci.v8i4.924>.
4. GO-NGO Partnership and Mentally Challenged Children: A Reflective Discourse: Dey, J.; & Kumar, R.R.: *International Journal of Research and Analytical Reviews (IJRAR)*, 2019, E-ISSN 2348-1269, P-ISSN 2349-5138, 6(2), 310-319.
5. District Rehabilitation Centres in the State of Punjab: Efficacy and Neglected Concerns of Female Drug Users: Arya, K.; & Kumar, R.R.; *Mahila Pratistha*, 2018, ISSN 2454-7891 (UGC Approved Journal No. 63549 (Old), Impact Factor 2.1797), 4(2), 217-234.
6. Re-Igniting the Grassroot Debate: The Symbolic and Substantive Significance of Women's Reservation in Panchayati Raj Institutions of Bihar: Kumar, RR.; *Social Work Journal-Assam University*, ISSN 0976-5484, 2017, 8 (2), 32-47.

7. Advocating for Politics of Presence in Indian Democracy: A Study of Women's Participation in Panchayati Raj Institutions: Kumar, RR; *The International Research Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities*, ISSN 2320-4702, 2017, 6(8), 1-24.
8. In Pursuit of Complete Well-Being: Challenges of Mental Health and National Responses in Contemporary India: Kumar, R.R., & Arya, K.; *Social Science Gazetteer: Journal of the Indian Social Science Association*, ISSN 0975-7511, 2016, 11(1&2), 63-85.
9. Breaking the Shackles: Advocating for Co-education in Contemporary India with an analogy to Gandhian Philosophy of Education: Jainar, N.; Kumar, R.R.; Prashad, L.; & Dutta, M.; *Gandhi Marg, A Quarterly Journal of the Gandhi Peace Foundation*, 2016, ISSN 0016-4437 (UGC-CARE), 37 (3&4), 553-564.
10. Armed Forces Special Powers Act in North Eastern India: An Evaluation of Intrinsic and Instrumental Significance: Arya, K., & Kumar, R.R.; *JONER, Journal of North East Region (A Peer Reviewed Interdisciplinary Research Journal)*, 2015, ISSN 2321-0583, 3 (1), 224-229.
11. Social Work and Social Sciences: An Overview of Meeting and Departure: Arya, K.; & Kumar, R.R; *The International Research Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities*, 2015, ISSN 2320-4702, 4(5), 43-57
12. Crisis of Conscience and Criminalization of Politics in Contemporary India: A Case Study of 15th Lok Sabha: Satyam, K.; & Kumar, R.R.; *BSSS Journal of Social Work*, 2014, ISSN 0975-251X, VI (I), 60-73.
13. Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan: Problems and Prospects A Study in Cachar district of Assam: Dey, J.; & Kumar, R.R; *SELP Journal of Social Sciences (A Refereed Quarterly Journal)*, 2013, ISSN 0975-9999, IV, 207-223.

Book Chapter(s) Published

1. Arya, K.; & Kumar, R.R: Integrated Social Work Intervention with Drug Dependents, in *Social Work Education: Indigenous Perspectives*, Ed. Roy, S. SAGE Publications, New Delhi, 2021, pp 189-203.
2. Kumar, R.R.: Introduction to Soft Skills: Communication, Negotiation & Leadership Skills; Ed. Singla, P., *Soft Skills Manual for Police Personnel*. Amazon Publishing House: USA, 2020, pp. 53-67.

3. Kumar, R.R.: Social Work Practice in Conflict Resolution: A Mediation Perspective, in *Professional Social Work in India: Methods and Practices*, Eds. K, Satyam. & S, Joseph. Academic Publication, New Delhi, 2019, pp 177-191.
4. Arya, K.; & Kumar, R.R.: Traditions, Globalization and Drug Abuse in North-East India Highlighting the Renewed Concerns of an organized Drug crime, in *Globalisation and the Concerns of Social Landscape in India*, Ed. J. Dey., Renu Publishers, New Delhi, 2018, pp. 95-106.
5. Kumar, R.R.; & Dey, J.: Prospects of Disaster Management in Higher Education in India: A Reflective Discourse, in *Environmental Degradation and Disaster: A Vision Plan for Sustainable Development*, Eds. Das, T.K. & Mondal, K., Avenel Press, Memari, Burdwan, 2016, pp. 239-249.
6. Prashad, L.; Kumar, R.R.; Dutta, M.; & Arya, K.: Medical Social Work in India: Addressing Emotional and Social Components of Illness, in *Field work Practice in Social Work Education Contemporary Areas and practices*, Eds. Dash, B. M. & Roy, S., Atlantic Publishers, New Delhi, 2016, pp. 224-244.
7. Kumar, RR.; & Arya, K.: Gender Balance for Good Governance: An Overview of Women's Reservations in Panchayati Raj Institutions of Bihar, in *Women and Development, Opportunities and Challenges*, Ed. Ansari, I.A., Raj Publications, New Delhi, 2015, pp. 15-36.
8. Kumar, RR.; & Arya, K.: Inconvenient Truths of Biodiversity conservation and Governance Concerns in India: An overview of Gadgil Panel Recommendations, in *Environmental Development, Issues and Challenges*, Ed. Ansari, I.A., Raj Publications, New Delhi, 2015, pp. 13-35.
9. Kumar, R.R.; Dey, J.; & Bhattacharjee, A.: Care and Crisis in Old Age Home: A Case Study in Cachar District of Assam, in *Marginalized/Subaltern Voices and beyond, Issues and Challenges in North - East India*, Ed. Pathak J., Excel India Publishers, New Delhi, 2014, pp. 201-209.

Research Guidance

Ph.D. Scholars

1. Menuka Kadu

Topic of Research: *Conception and Consumption of Violence: A Social Work Epistemic Enquiry of Nature-Culture & Inter-Generational Perspectives from Arunachal Pradesh*

Date and Year of Registration: 15.02.2021

Year of PhD Award: Ongoing

2. Toko Jiri

Topic of Research: *Commodification, Credibility and VIP Culture in Healthcare: A Phenomenological Study on Priorities and Efficacy of Medical Social Work in Public and Private Hospitals in India*

Date and Year of Registration: 16.02.2021

Year of PhD Award: Ongoing

3. Ceemona Taku

Topic of Research: *Hegemonic Masculinity and Women in Tribal Society: An Emancipatory Social Work Study of Domestic Violence in Arunachal Pradesh*

Date and Year of Registration: 15.02.2021

Year of PhD Award: Ongoing

PG Scholars (MASW Dissertations: Session Wise)

2016-17

1. Tame Ramjuk (15MSW15)

Topic: *Exploring the Life and Livelihood of Puroiks: A Study of Puroik Colony at Itanagar Capital Complex, Arunachal Pradesh.*

2017-18

1. Raju Tamang

Topic: *The Impact of Opium in the life of Youth: A Social Work Study at Tezu, Arunachal Pradesh*

2019-20

1. Decem S Mitkong (18MSW08)

Topic: *Institutional Adjustment Level of Visually Impaired Children: A Social Work Institutional Study with Visually Impaired Children at Chimpu, Itanagar*

2. Gedak Rime (18MSW24)

Topic: *Exploring the Social Status of Rural Women in Galo Tribe: A Social Work Exploratory Study at West Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh*

3. Arpan Borah (18MSW31)

Topic: *Impact of Changing Social Scenario on Elderly Care in Arunachal Pradesh: A Social Work Study to Improve Policy and Practice*

2020-21

1. Bishnupriya Borah (19MSW05)

Topic: *Locating Transgenders in Psychological Landscape of Youth: A Social Work Exploratory Study in East of North-East India*

2. Ngurang Yami (19MSW33)

Topic: *Gender Justice and Polygamy: A Feminist Social Work Study at Papumpare, Arunachal Pradesh*

3. Pallabi Debi Nath (19MSW06)

Topic: *Medical Negligence: A Social Work Exploratory Study in the East of North-East India*

4. Dodum Natung (19MSW29)

Topic: *Youth Inspiration, Aspiration, Insecurities and Felt Needs: A Social Work Exploratory Study of Youths of Colleges and Universities in Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh*

2021-22

1. Manjeet Borah (20/SW/MASW/017)

Topic: *Role of Unregistered Markets in Socio-Economic Upliftment Amid Covid Pandemonium: A Case Study of Rural Vendors in Lakhimpur, Assam*

2. Millo Mangku (20/SW/MASW/019)

Topic: *Formality of Formal Education: A Phenomenological Study of Quality Issues in Education at Capital City of Arunachal Pradesh*

3. Mousumi Kalita (20/SW/MASW/020)

Topic: *COVID WIDOWS: A Phenomenological Study in Udalguri District, Assam*

4. Nani Lamgu (20/SW/MASW/022)

Topic: *Fertility Issues and Women in Arunachal Pradesh: A Social Work Phenomenological Study from East Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh*

5. Nguri Rinya (20/SW/MASW/023)

Topic: *A Social Work Exploratory Study on Healthcare Infrastructure and Accessibility Concerns in Rural Areas of Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh*

6. Priya Saikia (20/SW/MASW/024)

Topic: *Maternal Health in Rural Areas: A Social Work Interventional Study in Lakhimpur, Assam*

7. Rimi Phukan (20/SW/MASW/025)

Topic: *Multiple Marginalizations of Tribal Women: A Social Work Phenomenological Study in Lakhimpur, Assam*

8. Sanny Miwu (20/SW/MASW/027)

Topic: *Suicide in Idu Mishmi Tribe: A Case Study of Mayu, Lower Dibang Valley, Arunachal Pradesh*

Course/Conference/Workshop Organized

FDP (s)/ CBP (s)/ Orientation Programme(s):

1. Seventh Orientation Programme, Department of Social Work, Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU)

Duration: 6th – 10th September, 2021

Role: Convenor

2. One Week Online Faculty Development Programme (e-FDP) on the theme *Resilience, Resurgence & Revival Measures for Unorganized Sector: A Roadmap to Self-Reliant India* at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU).

Duration: 24th to 29th August, 2020

Role: Convenor

3. One Day Online Capacity Building Programme (e-CBP) on the theme: *Disaster Risk Reduction with special reference to Earthquake, Flood, Landslide, Fire and other Emergent Hazards* at Rajiv Gandhi University.

Duration: 19th June, 2020

Role: Convenor

4. Five-Day Online Faculty Development Programme (e-FDP) on the theme *Re-thinking Research and Contemporary Development Priorities: Learning Essentials for a Sustainable Future* at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU).

Duration: 18th to 22nd May, 2020

Role: Convenor

5. Faculty Development Programme on *Rural Community Engagement* at Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar, sponsored by National Council of Rural Institutes (NCRI), MHRD, Government of India, Hyderabad.

Duration: 20th March to 26th March, 2018

Role: Organizing Member

International Seminars/ Webinars:

1. Three Day Trans-Disciplinary International Conclave on 'Universal Happiness in Post-Truth Era- Market, Media, Technology and Global Well-Being: An Educational Perspective for Gen-Next' at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU)

Duration: 26th-29th April, 2022

Role: Convenor

2. Annual International Conference, Commemorating the Birth Anniversary of the Mahatma on *Contextualizing Gandhi in the Paradigms of Literature, Culture & Social Transformation* at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU)

Duration: 11th – 12th October, 2021

Role: Convenor

3. Ten-Day International Online Workshop (FDP Equivalent) on "21 Century Skills for Personal and Professional Life" at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU)

Duration: 23rd August-1st September, 2021

Role: Co-Ordinator

4. Three Day Online International Conclave (e-Conclave) on Intrinsic and Instrumental Significance of Mahatma Gandhi for a Self -Reliant India at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU).

Duration: 19 to 21 August, 2020

Role: Convenor

National Seminars/ Webinars:

1. One-day National Webinar to commemorate National Youth Day, the Birth Anniversary of Swami Vivekananda on "Awakening the Youth Power for a Resilient Society" at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU)

Duration: 12th January, 2022

Role: Convenor

2. One-day National Webinar to celebrate One Year of NEP 2020 on "Focus on Employability and Multidisciplinary Education through NEP 2020: Implications for Learners and Educators" at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU)

Duration: 10th August, 2021

Role: Co-Ordinator

3. One-day National Webinar to celebrate One Year of NEP 2020 on "National Education Policy 2020: A Pathway to Uniform and Universal Education" at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU)

Duration: 9th August, 2021

Role: Co-Ordinator

4. One Day Online National Conclave on Recalling the Valour of Indian Armed Forces and Ending the Genocide by the Pakistan Army in Bangladesh on 16th December, 1971: Socio-Political Ramifications in South Asia at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU).

Duration: 16, December, 2020

Role: Convenor

5. One Day Online National Dialogue on Strategies and Roadmaps for a Holistic, Flexible and Inclusive Higher Education through NEP 2020 at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU).

Duration: 21 September, 2020

Role: Organizing Member

6. One Day National Webinar on Re-Imagining Mahatma Gandhi at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU).

Duration: August 30, 2020

Role: Convenor

7. Two Day National e-Symposium on Crafting Career Choices amid COVID Crisis: Approaches & Strategies at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU).

Duration: 17-18 August, 2020

Role: Co-Ordinator

8. Two days' *Workshop on Mental and Emotional Well Being of Youth*. Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar.

Duration: April, 2017

Role: Co-Convener

9. National Workshop on Beti Bachao - Beti Padhao. Organized Jointly by Department of Sociology, Department of Social Work, NSS Unit and Women Study & Research Centre, RGU in Collaboration with Centre for Tribal and North-Eastern Youth Development, Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development (RGNIYD), Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, GoI.

Duration: 23-24 March, 2017

Role: Organizing Committee Member

Award Committees and Others:

1. 'Street Skit on Freedom Fighters and Contemporary Social Issues in Arunachal Pradesh' on the occasion of Janajatiya Gaurav Diwas

Commemorating 146th Birth Anniversary of Bhagwan Birsa Munda at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU)

Duration: 15th-22nd November, 2021

Role: Organizing Member

2. Online Skit & Poster Making Competition on *Ideas & Ideals of Mahatma Gandhi*; Celebrating 152nd Birth Anniversary of the Mahatma

Duration: 9th October, 2021

Role: Convenor

3. Interaction and Awareness Training Programme with Mrs. Shyamala S. Kunder, Member, National Commission for Women (NCW) at Anti-Sexual Harassment Committee, Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU).

Duration: 06 January, 2021

Role: Organizing Member

4. Degree and Gold Medal Committee. XVI Convocation, 2018. RGU.

Duration: 30th November, 2018

Role: Member

5. First Field Study Tour (to Sikkim), MA (SW)-II and IV Semester, RGU.

Duration: 23rd to 29th June, 2018

Role: Coordinator and Lead Faculty

6. 1st Board of Undergraduate Studies (BUGS) in Social Work. Department of Social Work, RGU, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh.

Duration: 12th June, 2018

Role: Chairperson (Ex-Officio) and Member

7. 1st CYDLS Symposium on "Youth" dated 11th May, 2018 at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU), Rono Hills, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh.

Duration: 11th May, 2018

Role: Organizing Member and Moderator

8. Workshop on "Transacting Students Engagement for Promoting Rural Resilience" by the Department of Social Work, NSS Cell and NCRI, MHRD, Government of India,

Duration: 2-3 February, 2017.

Role: Organising Member cum Moderator

9. Record Keeping, Prize and Certificate Committee. XVII Unifest 2016. Rajiv Gandhi University, Rono Hills, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh.

Duration: 24th to 26th October, 2016

Role: Member

10. Village Adoption (*Unnat Bharat Abhiyan*) Programme at Lazu Village, Tirap District. Arunachal Pradesh.

Duration: 29th September to 06th October, 2016

Role: Member – Planning and Intervention

11. Board of Post Graduate Studies for devising Course Curriculum to MASW at Department of Social Work, Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar.

Duration: Recurring

Role: Member and Chair (Ex-Officio)

Course/Conference/Workshop etc. Attended

FDPs/ CBPs Attended:

1. Online Capacity Building Programme of Teaching Staff on Development of Online Courses at Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, dated 6th July to 8th July, 2020.
2. Five-Day online Faculty Development Programme on New Paradigms of Research in Commerce and Management at the Department of Commerce, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, dated 29th June to 3rd July 2020.
3. Five-Day online Faculty Development Programme on *Madhyakalin Hindi Sahitya me Shodh ki Shambhavnaye* at Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, dated 1st to 5th June, 2020.
4. Five-Day online Faculty Development Programme on Critical Theories and their Contemporary Trajectories in Humanities at Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, dated 12th to 16th May, 2020.
5. One Week Faculty Development Programme on Rural Community Engagement organized jointly by Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar and National Council of Rural Institutes (NCRI), MHRD, Government of India, Hyderabad from 20th to 26th March, 2018.
6. 101st Faculty Orientation Course at Human Resource Development Centre (HRDC), Hyderabad Central University (HCU), Hyderabad sponsored by UGC, New Delhi from January 18th to February 14th 2018.
7. Three (03) Days Capacity Building Programme on Domestic Violence for University and College Teachers organized by National Institute of Public

Co-operation and Child Development (NIPCCD), Regional Centre, Guwahati from 21-23 September, 2016.

8. One (01) Day National Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) on the theme How to Protect your Creations, organized by IPR Cell, Rajiv Gandhi University, Rono Hills, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh on 22 February, 2016.

Paper Presentations: International Conference(s)

1. Presented a Research Paper on- **Migrant Women Workers of India and COVID-19: Learning Essentials for Happiness and Global Well-Being**, during the Three Day Trans-Disciplinary International Conclave on 'Universal Happiness in Post-Truth Era- Market, Media, Technology and Global Well-Being: An Educational Perspective for Gen-Next', organized by Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh in Collaboration with VKCTE, Nirjuli, Hills College of Teacher Education, Lekhi, Gandhi King Foundation, Hyderabad, NEEPCO, Doimukh, Don Bosco College, Itanagar and other Partners from 26th to 29th April, 2022.
2. Presented a Research Paper on, **In Pursuit of Happiness through Uniform and Universal Health and Education for All: A Social Work Perspective**, during the Three Day Trans-Disciplinary International Conclave on 'Universal Happiness in Post-Truth Era- Market, Media, Technology and Global Well-Being: An Educational Perspective for Gen-Next' organized by Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh in Collaboration with VKCTE, Nirjuli, Hills College of Teacher Education, Lekhi, Gandhi King Foundation, Hyderabad, NEEPCO, Doimukh, Don Bosco College, Itanagar and other Partners from 26th to 29th April, 2022.
3. Research Paper Presentation on **Health as a Commodity or Basic Human Right: A Gandhian Analogy** during the Annual International Conference on Contextualizing Gandhi in the paradigms of Literature, Culture & Social Transformation organized by the Departments of English and Social Work, Rajiv Gandhi University, AP from 11th-12th October 2021.
4. Research Paper Presentation on the theme, **Constraints of Online Teaching in Remote Locations: A Social Work Perspective from Arunachal Pradesh** during the Three Days International Webinar on Digital Pedagogy in 21st Century: Opportunities and Challenges organized by the Department of Education, RGU, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh, India from 25th to 27th June, 2020.

5. Presented a Research paper on, **Social Work and Social Sciences: An Overview of Meeting and Departure** at the International conference on the theme of Social Work Practice: Concerns and Challenges in 21st Century, organized by the Department of Social Work, Jain Vishwa Bharati Institute, Ladnun, Rajasthan on 12th and 13th October, 2014.

Paper Presentations: National Conference(s)

1. Research Paper Presentation on the theme, **NEP 2020 and Youth in Higher Education: Building Resilience for a Future Ready India**, during the International e-Conference on MEDUNEP-2021 Media Education and National Education Policy-2020: A Trans-Disciplinary Global Perspective organized by the Department of Mass Communication, Rajiv Gandhi University, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh, India from 15th - 16th November 2021.
2. Research Paper Presentation on **Existential Crisis to Social Work Profession in Contemporary India: Redefining Priorities and Addressing Detrimental Factions** in the 9th Indian Social Work Congress 2021 (ISWC), Jointly organized by Matru Sewa Sangh Institute of Social Work, Nagpur; Maharashtra Association of Social Work Educators (MASWE) and National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI) from 28th-30th October, 2021.
3. Research Paper Presentation on the theme, **Child Centric Disaster Risk Reduction** during the Three days Online Training Programme on Child Centric Disaster Risk Reduction organized by the Department of Rural Development, Government of Uttar Pradesh and NIDM, MHA, Govt. of India from 09-11 June, 2021.
4. Research Paper Presentation on the theme, **The Universal Conscience: Identifying the Gandhi within Each Self**, during the Three Day Online International Conclave (e-Conclave) on Intrinsic and Instrumental Significance of Mahatma Gandhi for a Self-Reliant India, organized by the Department of Social Work, RGU from 19th to 21 August, 2020.
5. Research Paper Presentation on the theme, **Innovation Infrastructure in India** during the International e-Conference on Innovation Infrastructure in India: Issue, Challenges and Way Forward, organized by Amity College-Florida (USA), International Association of Research Scholars, Nirmal Integrated Consultancy, WAIMS and Business Press of India on 8th May, 2020

6. Research Paper Presentation on the theme, **Intersection of Drug Intervention and Human rights in India: Advocating for a Right-Based Approach for Drug Dependents** in the 3rd National conference on Human Rights and Gender Justice, organised by the Indian Law Institute, New Delhi on 23rd June, 2018.
7. Research Paper Presentation on the theme, **Stressful Situations and Coping Mechanism of Youth in Higher Education: A study at Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar**, during the National Seminar cum Workshop on Mental Health and Social Work Practice at Assam Don Bosco University, Guwahati in Collaboration with Guwahati Medical college and Hospital (Guwahati) and LGB Regional Institute of Mental Health (Tezpur) from 27th to 28th April, 2018.
8. Research Paper Presentation on the theme, **GO-NGO Partnership and Mentally Challenged Children: A Reflective Discourse** in the National Seminar on Role of CBO's and NGO's in the emerging Rural Transformation Scenario held at RGU, Rono Hills, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh, jointly organized by NIRD & PR, Guwahati and Rajiv Gandhi University, Rono Hills, Doimukh Arunachal Pradesh, from 27th – 28th March, 2018.
9. Research Paper Presentation on the theme, **Revisiting Status of Social Work in Contemporary India: Prospects, Problems and Parallels with other Professions**, during the Two Days Workshop on Role of Academia in Building Resilience of Children to Disasters in Barack Valley of Assam, organized by the Department of Social Work, Assam University, UNICEF, Assam & State Disaster Management Authority, Assam from 11th to 12th December, 2017.
10. Research Paper Presentation on the theme, **The Moral Core of Caring Profession: Re-Emphasizing Professional Social Work Values in An Era of Increasing Market Dominance**, during the Third Indian Social Work Congress, on the theme Community Engagement, Social Responsibility and Social Work Profession, jointly hosted by the NAPSWI (National Association of Professional Social Workers in India) and Department of Social Work, Jain Vishwa Bharati Institute, Ladnun, Rajasthan, from 24th – 26th October 2015.
11. Research Paper Presentation on the theme, **Armed Forces Special Powers Act in North East India: An Evaluation of Intrinsic and Instrumental Significance**, in the seminar titled, Marginalized/Subaltern Voices and beyond, Issues and Challenges in North - East India, organized

by ICSSR Sponsored National conference by Department of Political Science, Bodoland University, Kokrajhar, Assam on 14th November, 2014.

12. Research Paper Presentation on the theme, **Care and Crisis in Old Age Home: A Case Study in Cachar District of Assam**, during the National conference on the theme of Marginalized/Subaltern Voices and Beyond, Issues and Challenges in North - East India, organized by the Department of Political Science, Bodoland University, Kokrajhar on 13th November, 2014.

Resource Person/ Academic Session(lecture)/ Jury/ Examiner:

Technical Session Chair:

1. Chaired a Technical Session during the Two Day Virtual International Conference on Protecting Children from Multiple Vulnerabilities: Social Work Responses from Community to Global Context organized by the Programme of Social Work, Assam Down Town University, Guwahati in Collaboration with the Department of Social Work, Assam University (Central), Silchar on 18th May 2022.
2. Chaired a Technical Session during the session on Universal Happiness and Well-Being during the Three Day Trans-Disciplinary International Conclave on 'Universal Happiness in Post-Truth Era- Market, Media, Technology and Global Well-Being: An Educational Perspective for Gen-Next', organized by Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh in Collaboration with VKCTE, Nirjuli, Hills College of Teacher Education, Lekhi, Gandhi King Foundation, Hyderabad, NEEPCO, Doimukh, Don Bosco College, Itanagar and other Partners from 26th to 29th April, 2022.

Resource Person:

3. Resource Person on **Career Counselling Cum Professional Orientation**, during Students Mentoring in Don Bosco College, Jollang, Arunachal Pradesh on 31st March, 2022.
4. Resource Person on **Co-building a New Eco-Social World: Leaving No One Behind** on World Social Work Day 2022 organized by the School of Social Work, Brisbane, Australia dated, 15th March, 2022.
5. Resource Person on **Prospects and Aspirations of Youth** during the Two-day National Youth e-Conclave on "Enhancing Employability through Symbiotic Engagement and Capacity Building" organized by the Centre for Youth Development and Leadership Studies and Department of Social Work, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, India in collaboration

with Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development (RGNIYD), Sriperumbudur, Tamil Nadu, India on 28th and 29th January, 2022.

6. Resource Person on **Creating a Conducive Environment for Ensuring Rights of Children in the Certificate Course on Child Rights** in Association with UNICEF, MP organized by the Bhopal School of Social Sciences, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh on 4th October, 2021.
7. Resource Person on the topic **Qualitative Research in Social Sciences**, during the Webinar on Qualitative Research in Social Sciences organized by the Faculty of Humanities & Social Sciences Assam Down Town University on 29th December, 2020.
8. Resource Person on the theme **Competitive Exams and Job Interviews**, during the Two-Day National e-Symposium on Crafting Career Choices amid COVID Crisis: Approaches & Strategies, organized by the Department of Commerce, RGU from 17-18 August, 2020.
9. Resource Person for session on **Evidence Based Practice, Research Paradigm, Qualitative Data Analysis Using Meta-Analysis and Reductionism**, during FDP on Higher Education, Technology & Research Methodology organized by the Department of Social Work, Assam University, Silchar, Assam, from August 2 to 15, 2020.
10. Resource Person on the theme **Planning and Preparation Strategies for Competitive Exams and Job Interviews**, during Webinar on Digital Pedagogy in 21st Century: Opportunities and Challenges organized by the Department of Social Work, Assam University, Silchar from 29 to 31 July 2020.
11. Resource Person on the theme **Participatory Research Methodology in Social Sciences** during the Short-Term Course on Doing Research and Academic Writing from 07th to 15th March, 2020 organized by the Department of English, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh at RGU, Doimukh on 8th March, 2020.
12. Resource Person on the theme **Life Skill Education** in the Induction Training for the National Youth Volunteers from 29th January to 12th February, 2020 organized by *Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan*, Itanagar, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India at Itanagar on 3rd February, 2020.
13. Resource Person on the theme **Monsoon, Market and Middlemen as Key Ingredients to Farm Crisis in Contemporary India** during the 2nd

National Seminar on Environmental Sustainability and Conservation: Challenges and Responses in 21st Century organized by Fight for Right (Voluntary Organization), Ghaziabad in Collaboration with Dr. R. Chandra Kalyankari Sanstha & Jugnu let's make everyone shine (NGO) at Kullu, Himachal Pradesh on 10th November, 2019

14. Resource Person on the theme **Participatory Research Methods** in the Faculty Development Programme-2018 on Gandhi's Nai Talim, Work Education and Experiential Learning held at the Department of Education, Rajiv Gandhi (Central) University in collaboration with Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education on 14th December, 2018.
15. External Practical Examiner for the Even Semester (2nd and 4th) Concurrent Field Work of Integrated MSW Programme (5-year Integrated) at the Department of Social Work, Assam University (Central), Silchar in May 2018.
16. Jury for the Essay Competition during the XII Inter College Youth Festival, organized by Rajiv Gandhi University, Rono Hills, Doimukh from 22nd to 24th April, 2018.
17. Resource Person on **Role of Academia in Building Resilience of Children to Disasters in Barack Valley of Assam**, during the Two Days Workshop on Role of Academia in Building Resilience of Children to Disasters in Barack Valley of Assam, organized by the Department of Social Work, Assam University, UNICEF, Assam & State Disaster Management Authority, Assam at, Assam University, Silchar on 11th -12th December 2017.
18. Resource Person on **Issues, Challenges and Way Forward for the Youth in North - East India**, during the International Seminar and Youth convention on Digitalization and Rural Development in North East India: Issues, Challenges and Way Forward, organized by the Department of Social Work & Centre for Bangladesh Studies at Assam University, Silchar, from 13th to 15th February, 2017.
19. Resource Person on **Disability Studies** in the Symposium on Curriculum Development for Disability Studies (A Paper in MSW Level), organized by the Department of Social Work, Assam (Central) University, Silchar, in collaboration with CBM, Bangalore on 24th February 2016.
20. Resource Person in the Workshop on **Digital India**, organized by the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, Government of India and NSS Cell, RGU on 20th August, 2016.

Capacity Building/Trainings Attended:

1. One Day Training on “**Child Protection and Sensitization towards Women’s Issues**”, organized by Aangan Trust and Bihar Police Academy, Bihar Police Academy, Rajgir dated 15-16 April, 2019.
2. State Level Training/ Sensitization Programme on “**Social Defence Issues for Middle Level Police Functionaries on the Topic ‘Drug Abuse Prevention’**” organized by National Institute of Social Defense (NISD), Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India in Collaboration with Bihar Police Academy, Government of Bihar, Bihar Police Academy, Rajgir on 29th and 30th January, 2019.
3. Participant in the **National Symposium (Gyan Sangam) of Arunachal: Known to Unknown** by the Art of Living, Arunachal Pradesh on 24-25 November, 2018.

Sponsored Project(s)

Title of the Project	Funding Agency	Year of Sanction	Role
A Participatory Research Study on Level of Awareness, Challenges and Best Practices in Response to COVID-19 by Five Adjoining/ Adopted Villages of Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh	Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh	2020-2021	Co-PI
Mental Health Concerns among Rural Youth: A Participatory Study in Mechuka, Arunachal Pradesh	MGNCRE, Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India	2022-23	PI