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Curriculum Vitae

Academic Qualifications

- Currently serving as Sir Ratan Tata Post-doc Fellow in Sociology, at the level of Assistant Professor at Institute of Economic Growth, New Delhi.
- Ph.D. in Sociology, Centre for the Study of Social Systems, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.
- M.Phil. in Sociology, Centre for the Study of Social Systems, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.
- Junior Research Fellow, JRF in Sociology
- Master of Arts, M.A. in Sociology, Ambedkar University Delhi (AUD).
- Bachelors, Miranda-House, University of Delhi.

Research Papers

- Sharma, Malvika. 2022. Insecurities of Nativism: A Woman Ethnographer Studying Her Own Community, *H.A.U: Journal of Ethnographic Theory*, Vol 12 (1), 126-140
- Sharma, Malvika. 2022 In Search of a Religion: The Making of a Dalit Identity in Jammu and Kashmir. *Social Identities: Journal for the Study of Race, Nation and Culture*, 28:3, 417-436, DOI: 10.1080/13504630.2022.2054794
- Sharma, Malvika. 2021. Identity, Religion and Difference in the Borderland District of Poonch Jammu and Kashmir. *Borders in Globalization Review*, Vol 3 (1), 24-34, <https://doi.org/10.18357/bigr31202120263>
- Sharma, Malvika. 2021. Nodes of Marginality: Identity, Displacement and Migration in the Post-Partition Borderlands of Kashmir. *Journal of Immigrant and Refugee Studies*, Manuscript DOI: 10.1080/15562948.2021.1949656
- Sharma, Malvika. 2020. Of Women and Belonging: Ethnographic Encounters at the Borderland of Gurez in Jammu and Kashmir, in a special Issue, Trial by Fire: Trauma, Vulnerability and Fieldwork, in *Commoning Ethnography*, Vol 3, Issue 1
- Sharma, Malvika. 2020. Remaking of Ethnic-boundaries: Identity and Religion Among Sikhs in the Borderland of Poonch, Jammu and Kashmir, *Asian Ethnicity*, 23(2), 279–297 <https://doi.org/10.1080/14631369.2020.1811951>

Certificate Courses

- Completed course titled ‘Researching the Contemporary’ in July-August, 2016 at the Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, CSDS, New Delhi.

- Attended Workshop “Creative Thinking Between Theory and Method”, organized by Centre for Study of Social Systems, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi under the UGC-CAS Programme from 19-23 March, 2018.
- Attended an International Winter School on “Changing Grounds: Dynamics of Culture and Livelihood”, jointly organized by IIT Delhi; University of Groningen, Netherlands, and Goethe University of Frankfurt, from 11-15 February, 2019 at IIT-Delhi.
- Attended an International Winter School on “Globalization and Religious Diversity: Issues, Perspectives and the Relevance of Gandhian Philosophy”, at Ambedkar University Delhi in Collaboration with Aarhus University, Denmark, January, 2020.

Projects Completed

- Ph.D. thesis titled “Communities on the Border: Nation, Religion and Remaking of Ethnic boundaries in Poonch District, Jammu and Kashmir”, Centre for the Study of Social Systems, School of Social Sciences, JNU.
- M.Phil. dissertation titled “Borderlands, Communities and Nation States” CSSS/SSS, JNU.

Articles and Op-eds in Popular Press

- With India-Pakistan Ceasefire Pact, Focus Must Shift to Development in J&K Borderlands, thewire.in, February 26, 2021.
- Certainty Amidst Ceasefire Violations, or How to Plan a Wedding in a Border Village, thewire.in, November 24, 2020.
- Stories of Magical Saints Keep Up the Spirits of Villagers Along the Line of Control, thewire.in, October 23, 2020.
- Love of Urdu in Times of Shrinking Diversity: A narrative from a partitioned borderland of Poonch, thewire.in, September 26, 2020.
- In J&K, Language has always been a tool for polarizing people, thewire.in, September 11, 2020.
- Borderland Stories: The Bajaj Scooter, My Dad’s Third Child, livewire.thewire.in, August 25, 2020.
- The Everyday Trauma of Living in the Borderlands, livewire.thewire.in, June 19, 2020
- The Last House in the Last Village, livewire.thewire.in, April 25, 2020
- In India’s Borderlands, Education Needs to Start at Home, livewire.thewire.in, June 26, 2019

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Declaration

I, Malvika Sharma, hereby present it as an undertaking that the information provided above is

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