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EXPERIENCE

- Assistant Professor in Economics** January 2025-Present
Institute of Economic Growth
University of Delhi
- Postdoctoral Fellow in Economics** June 2024-December 2024
Delhi School of Public Policy and Governance
University of Delhi, Institution of Eminence
- Assistant Professor in Economics** September 2022-May 2024
Department of Economics, Christ University
Courses: History of Economic Thought, Research Methodology, Intermediate Macroeconomics & Intermediate Microeconomics, Advanced Microeconomics II, Environmental Economics, Econometrics
- Assistant Professor in Economics** August 2021-August 2022
School of Entrepreneurship, Rishihood University
Courses: Research Methodology, Principles of Microeconomics & Intermediate Microeconomics, Business Environment, Statistics
- Assistant Professor in Economics** May 2019-July 2021
Gateway Education
Courses: Research Methodology, Principles of Microeconomics & Intermediate Microeconomics, Business Environment
- Visiting Faculty in Economics** January 2019-April 2019
Department of Economics, Dyal Singh College, Delhi University
Courses: Indian Economy, Microeconomics
- Visiting Faculty in Economics** January 2017-April 2017
Department of Economics, Sri Aurobindo College, Delhi University
Courses: Indian Economy, Principles of Microeconomics & Macroeconomics
- Remedial Tutor in Economics** August 2015-December 2015
Centre for International Trade and Development, Jawaharlal Nehru University
Courses: Microeconomics

RESEARCH INTEREST

Gender, Education, Development and Health

EDUCATION

- Centre for International Trade and Development, Jawaharlal Nehru University** 2016-2022
Ph.D. in Economics
Dissertation Title: The Effect of Arsenic Poisoning on Education Outcomes: Evidence from

Select Indian Districts
Supervisor: Dr. Rashmi Barua

Centre for International Trade and Development, Jawaharlal Nehru University 2014-2016
M. Phil in Economics

Dissertation Title: The Effect of Arsenic on Health Outcomes in India: A District Level Analysis
Supervisor: Dr. Rashmi Barua

S.D College, CCS University 2012-2014
M.A Economics

Dyal Singh College, Delhi University 2009-2012
B.A (Honours) Economics

PUBLICATIONS

[“Gender Disparities in the Prevalence of Undernutrition in India: The Unexplored Effects of Drinking Contaminated Water”](#) (with Rashmi Barua), 2024, *Environment and Development Economics (ABDC-B)*

[“Still Waters Run Deep: Groundwater Arsenic Contamination & Education Outcomes in India”](#) (with Rashmi Barua and Marian Vidal-Fernandez), [Life Course Centre Working Paper No. 2022-08](#), May 2022, *Economics of Education Review, 2024, (ABDC-A)*

[“Effect of Arsenic on Health: Evidence from Indian Districts”](#). *The Indian Economic Journal, The Sage*, 71(2), 420-433, 2023, (ABDC-C)

[“Health shock, catastrophic expenditure, and its consequences on the welfare of the household engaged in the informal sector”](#) . (with Nadeem Ahmad). *Journal of Public Health*, 25(6), 611-624, 2017

[Gender Inequity and Economic Growth: An Empirical Analysis](#) (With Pooja Rathore & Kirti Kashyap). *Towards Excellence*, 15(2), 2023.

Article in an edited book on FDI titled “FDI in agriculture: Challenges and Prospects”

MEDIA PUBLICATIONS

[“Put Out Those Fires”](#) The Telegraph, 2024

[“Fight Against Addiction”](#) Telangana Today, 2024

[“Religious Tourism and Employment”](#) Telangana Today, 2024

[“For Women Led Development, Invest in the Care Economy”](#) The Indian Express, 2024

[“On a High”](#) The Telegraph, 2024

[“Stubborn Affliction”](#) The Telegraph, 2023

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

Thomas Sterns Best Ph.D. Thesis Awards

2024

Environment for Development Initiative

Maharishi Kanad Postdoctoral Fellowship 2024
University of Delhi, Institution of Eminence

Teaching Excellence Award 2024
Christ University

Best Research Paper Award 2020
International Conference on “Sustainable Development in International Higher Education: Strategies to achieve Gender Equality and Development” organized by Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University & Jawaharlal Nehru University

Best Research Paper Award 2019
International Conference on “International Conference on Growth, Development, and Sustainability” organized by Flame University, Indian Econometrics Society and Wage Indicator Foundation

Scholarship 2019
Workshop on “Measurement and Survey Design” by J-PAL/CLEAR South Asia/IFMR

India Development Fund (IDF) -\$AUD 10,000 September 2017-December 2018
Awarded by University of Sydney, with Dr. Rashmi Barua (Jawaharlal Nehru University) and Dr. Marian Vidal Fernandez (University of Sydney)

UGC National Eligibility Test (Junior Research Fellowship), India 2015

UGC National Eligibility Test for Lectureship, India 2015

3rd rank holder in 3rd year, Dyal Singh College, University of Delhi 2012

3rd rank holder in 2nd year, Dyal Singh College, University of Delhi 2011

1st rank holder in 1st year, Dyal Singh College, University of Delhi 2010

Scholarship for Excellence in Central Board of Secondary Education in 12th std.,
New Delhi, India 2009

Scholarship for Excellence in Central Board of Secondary Education in 10th std.,
New Delhi, India 2007

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Member September-present
Economics Science Association

Member January 2023-present
The Econometric Society

Editorial Member August 2023-present
International Journal of Entrepreneurship and Start Up Venture
Rishihood University

Research Coordinator Department of Economics, Christ University, Delhi	August 2023-May 2024
Coordinator, Seminar Series Department of Economics, Christ University, Delhi	June 2023- May 2024
Coordinator, SAMVAD Club Department of Economics, Christ University, Delhi	September 2022- May 2024
NAAC Criteria In charge Department of Economics, Christ University, Delhi	September 2022- May 2024
Member, Research Cell Rishihood University	August 2021-August 2022
Assistant Editor Rishicruise (Monthly Newsletter-RU) Rishihood University	August 2021-August 2022

CONFERENCES, SEMINARS, PRESENTATION AND WORKSHOPS

BREW ESA organised by Ashoka University, Sonipat	2024
Workshop “Impact Evaluation of Development Programmes” organised by Institute for Human Development & Campbell South Asia	2024
Workshop, “Machine Learning and Economics” organised by South Asian University, New Delhi	2024
Convener, National Seminar on “Women in Economy” organized by Christ University, New Delhi	2024
“European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society (EWMES)” organized by University of Manchester, United Kingdom	2023
“Winter School” organised by Centre for Development Economics, Delhi School of Economics and The Econometric Society	2023
Faculty Development Program “Foundation of Applied Econometrics” BML MUNJAL UNIVERSITY & BIRMINGHAM CITY UNIVERSITY	2023
Convener, National Seminar of “Women in Sports” Department of Economics, Christ University	2023
Resource person “Workshop on Capacity Building in Research” School of Commerce, Finance and Accountancy	2023
Faculty Development Program “Advances in Curriculum and Pedagogy of Economics” Christ University , New Delhi	2023
Faculty Development Program “Tech Savy Educator: Embracing Digital Tools for Enhanced Learning and Teaching” Christ University, New Delhi	2023

“Annual Conference on Economic Growth and Development” Indian Statistical Institute (ISI)	2022
“3 rd Annual Conference in Economics and Finance” , BITS Pilani, Hyderabad	2022
Development Economics, Boston University, North East Universities Development Consortium	2021
“Women in the Economy” Workshop, IWWAGE-ISI, New Delhi	2021
“An Uncertain World: Growth, Development, and Sustainability” Flame University, PUNE	2019
“All India International and Area Studies Convention” JawaharlalNehru University, New Delhi	2019
“Measurement and Survey Design” J-PAL/CLEAR South Asia, New Delhi.	2019
Workshop on “Advanced Methods in Large Scale Data Analysis” JawaharlalNehru University, New Delhi.	2018
“Annual Conference on Indian Association for Social Science and Health, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.	2018
“Annual Conference on Economic Growth and Development” Indian Statistical Institute (ISI), New Delhi	2018,
“Economic Growth and Regional Disparities: Theories and Empirics” University of Calcutta	2018
Faculty Development Program (FDP) on “An application of Econometrics Methods and Techniques” Daulat Ram College, University of Delhi	2018
Workshop on “Application of Environmental Cost-Benefit Analysis using welfare Economics, Global Initiative Academic Network (GIAN)” Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi	2017
DAAD Workshop on “New Paradigm of Economic Development: Social and Environmental Dimension” JawaharlalNehru University, New Delhi.	2017
“Poverty, Environmental and Sustainable Development Goals” Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bangalore.	2016
“Research workshop methodology workshop in Environmental Economics” Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi	2016
“Environmental Concerns and Sustainable Development: An Indian Perspective "Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi	2016