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EDUCATION

- **Ph.D. (2002):** Department of Social Work, **Kurukshetra University.**
Topic: *Women Workers in Unorganized Sector: A Study of Brick Kilns of Hissar Division.*
- **Bachelor of Laws (LL.B) (1997):** Department of Law, **Kurukshetra University.**
- **M.A (Social Work) (1994):** Department of Social Work, **Kurukshetra University.** **Area on Interest:** Gender Studies, Industrial Social Work
- **P.G. Diploma (1992):** Department of Commerce, **Kurukshetra University.**
Course Title: *Planning and Management of Small Scale Industries*
- **B.Sc (Computer Science) (1991):** Government College Hisar, **Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra**
- **10+2 (1988):** **Sainik School Kunjpura, Karnal, Haryana**

EMPLOYMENT

- **February 26, 1996 - February 25, 2005:**
Lecturer- Department of Social Work, Punjabi University Patiala
- **February 26, 2005 - February 06, 2006:**
Reader - Department of Social Work, Punjabi University Patiala
- **February 07, 2006 - March 30, 2006:**
Reader in social work, School of Continuing Education, IGNOU, New Delhi
- **March 31, 2006 - October 28, 2009:**
Reader - Department of Social Work, Punjabi University Patiala

- **October 28, 2009 - January 31, 2013:**
Professor - Department of Social Work, Punjabi University Patiala
- **February 01, 2013- February 28, 2013:**
Director- Ch. Ranbir Singh Institute of Social and Economic Change, Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak
- **March 01, 2013-Present:**
Professor - Department of Social Work, Punjabi University Patiala, Punjab.

ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES

- **Head: July 01, 2011 – Present (except Feb 01-28, 2013)**
- **Faculty In-Charge:** Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Malaria and T.B. Round-7 An International Project (Mobilized approximately Rs. 88 Lakhs for the Department)
- **Director:** Ch. Ranbir Singh Institute of Social and Economic Change, Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak (**February 01, 2013- February 28, 2013**)

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

1. Singh Virk, Gurnam and Singh, D.P. 2015. *Labour Force in Informal Economy*. Studera Press. New Delhi. ISBN 978-81-930333-1-9.
2. Singh, D.P. and Mor, Ritu. 2013. *Community Participation in School Education*. Shipra Publications. New Delhi. ISBN 978-81-7541-669-7.
3. Singh, D.P. and Singh, Manjit (Eds.) 2008. *Violence: A Concern for Peaceful Co-Existence*. Patiala: Punjabi University. ISBN 81-302-0154-2
- **Review of this Book was published in *The Sunday Spectrum. The Tribune*. Jan 04, 2009. Online available at:**
<http://www.tribuneindia.com/2009/20090104/spectrum/book9.htm>
4. Singh, Manjit and Singh, D.P. (Eds.) 2008. *Violence: Impact and Intervention*. New Delhi: Atlantic Publishers. ISBN 978-81-269-0941-4
- **Review of this Book was published in *The Sunday Spectrum. The Tribune*. July 27, 2008. Online available at:**
<http://www.tribuneindia.com/2008/20080727/spectrum/book2.htm>
5. Singh, D.P. 2007. *Female Foeticide in Punjab: Causes and Consequences*. New Delhi: Paragon International Publishers. ISBN 81-89253-88-3
- **First Review of this Book was published in *The Sunday Spectrum. The Tribune*. Nov 11, 2007. Online available at:**
<http://www.tribuneindia.com/2007/20071111/spectrum/book7.htm>
- **Second Review of this Book was published in *The Sunday Spectrum. The Tribune*. Nov 25, 2007. Online available at:**
<http://www.tribuneindia.com/2007/20071125/spectrum/book2.htm>

6. Singh, D.P. 2005. *Women Workers in Unorganized Sector*. New Delhi: Deep and Deep. ISBN 81-7269-654-6
7. Singh, D.P. and Singh, Manjit. (Eds.). 2005. *Women and Empowerment: Experiences from Some Asian Countries*. Chandigarh: Unistar Books.

RESEARCH PAPERS

1. Singh, D.P., Ritu. 2016 “Participatory Management of Schools in Punjab”. *Contemporary Social Work*. Year 1 , Issue 1, January ISSN 0975-1793
2. Singh, D.P., Ritu. 2013. “Facilities in Government Rural Schools in Punjab: Require a Shift from Quantity to Quality”. *Journal of Indian Education*. Vol. XXXIX. Number 1. ISSN 0972-5628
3. Singh, R. N. and Singh, D. P. 2013. “Selected Characteristics of Secularism Aimed at Preventing Terrorism in India,” N. Prabha Unnithan (Ed.), *Crime and Justice in India*. Sage Publications.
4. Singh D.P. 2011. Elementary Teacher Education in Haryana: Re-visioning the Role of District Institutes of Education and Training (Neelam Sood). NUEPA. New Delhi. 2010. *Journal of Educational Planning and Administration*. Vol. XXV (1). January 2011. ISSN 0971-3859 (Book Review)
5. Singh, D.P. 2011. “Elementary Education in Punjab: Profiling the Gender Gap”. *Learning Community*. Vol. 2(3). December. ISSN: 0976-3201.
6. Singh, D.P., Ritu. 2010. “Student-Teachers’ Classroom Transactions: A Study of Elementary Schools in Punjab”. *Educational Quest: International Journal of Education and Applied Social Science*. Vol.1 (1), December. ISSN:0976-7258
7. Singh, R. N., McBroom, James and Singh, D P. 2010. "Adjustment of Divorced/Separated Mothers to Parenting in India". *Contemporary Social Work*. Year 2 (2). July. ISSN 0975-1793
8. Singh, D.P. 2010. “Female Foeticide in Punjab: Causes and Consequences”. *Coherence: A Journal of Humanities and Science*. Vol.1 (1), June. ISSN: 0976-5301
9. Singh, D.P. 2010. “Women in Grass-Roots Democracy in India: Experiences from Selected States”. (**Lead Article**). *Contemporary Social Work*. Year 2, Issue 1, January. ISSN 0975-1793
10. Singh, D.P., Singh, Manjit. 2009. “Teachers’ Absenteeism in Punjab: Exploring the Extent and Reasons”. *Journal of Educational Planning and Administration*. Vol. XXIII (3). July. ISSN 0971-3859
11. Singh, D.P., Singh, Darshan and Kaushik, Naresh. 2008. “Urban Informal Sector: Exploring the Plight of Cycle-Rickshaw Pullers in Haryana”. *IASSI Quarterly*. Vol. 27 (1& 2). July-December. ISSN 0970-9061
12. Singh, D.P. 2008. “Gender Based Violence: Magnitude, Impact and Intervention”. *Indian Police Journal*. Vol. LV (2). April-June. ISSN 0537-2429
13. Singh, D.P. 2008. “Women Empowerment through the 73rd Amendment Act 1992” (**Lead Article**). *Participative Development*. Vol. 07. No. 01. January-June.
14. Singh, D.P. 2008 “Diverse Dimensions of Violence: Exploring Intervention Strategies”. *Indian Police Journal*. Vol. LV (1). January-March. ISSN 0537-2429
15. Singh, D.P. 2008. “Role of State in Empowering Women”. In Ahlawat, S.R. (Ed.). *Economic Reforms and Social Transformation*. Jaipur: Rawat Publications. ISBN 81-316-0078-5 . pp:401-418
16. Singh, D.P. 2007. “Female Foeticide in Punjab: Issues and Intervention” (**Lead Article**). *Perspectives in Social Work*. Vol. XXII. No. 03. December.

17. Singh, D.P. 2007. "Female Deficit in Punjab: Highlighting the Agenda for Social Work Intervention". *Contemporary Social Work*. Vol. II. December
18. Singh, D.P. 2007. "Women Workers in Brick Kilns". *Social Welfare*. CSWB, Govt. of India. Vol. 54(2). May. ISSN 0037-8038
19. Singh, D.P. 2007. "Impact of 73rd Amendment Act on Women Leadership in Punjab". *Journal of Government and Political Studies*. Vol. XXIX (1). March.
20. Singh, D.P. 2006. "Right to Die: Religion versus Science". *The Journal of Religious Studies*. Vol. XXXVII. No. 1 and 2. Spring-Autumn. ISSN 0047-2735
21. Singh, D.P. 2005. "India's Roadmap to Women Empowerment". In Singh, D.P. and Singh, Manjit (Eds). *Women and Empowerment: Experiences from Some Asian Countries*. Chandigarh: Unistar Books.
22. Singh, D.P. 2005. "Ending Discrimination against the Girl Child: Some Policy Options". In Singh, D.P. and Singh, Manjit (Eds). *Women and Empowerment: Experiences from Some Asian Countries*. Chandigarh: Unistar Books.
23. Singh, D.P. 2005. "Professional Social Work: Some Issues". *Contemporary Social Work*. Lucknow University. Vol. XXII. April.
24. Singh, D.P. 2005. "Women Workers in Brick Kilns Industry in Haryana, India". *Indian Journal of Gender Studies*. Vol. 12(1). New Delhi/Thousand- Oaks/London: Sage Publications. Jan-April. ISSN 0971-5215
25. Singh, D.P. 2004. "Strategies to Boost Efficiency of Rural Development Programmes" (**Lead Article**). *Kurukshetra, Journal on Rural Development*, Government of India. Vol. 53, No. 2. December. ISSN 0021-5660
26. Singh, D.P. 2004. "Strengthening Panchayats in Haryana: Challenges to be met". In Surat Singh (Ed.). *Decentralized Governance in India: Myths and Reality*. New Delhi: Deep and Deep Publications. ISBN 81-7629-577-9 pp:382-387
27. Singh, D.P. 2004. "Good Governance and Development". *The Indian Journal of Public Administration*. Vol. L, No. 1, January-March. ISSN 0019-5561
28. Singh, D.P. 2003. "Living Conditions of Women Workers in Brick Kilns Industry: Reflecting the Agenda for Social Work Intervention". *The Indian Journal of Social Work*. Vol. 64, Issue 3. July. ISSN 0037-8038
29. Singh, D.P. 2002. "Legislation and Women's Empowerment". *Social Welfare*. Vol. 49(4). July. ISSN 0019-5634
30. Singh, D.P. "Political Empowerment of Women in Haryana". *Journal of Government and Political Studies*. Sept 2000 and March 2001. Vol. XXII. Issues 1 and 2.
31. Singh, D.P. 2001. "Issues and Initiatives in Women's Empowerment". *Social Welfare*. Vol. 48(6). September. ISSN 0037-8038
32. Singh, D.P. 2001. "Women and the Unorganized Sector". *Social Welfare*. Vol. 48(9). December. ISSN 0037-8038
33. Singh, D.P. and Chand, Pramod. 2000. "Women in Panchayats Need Training and Education". *Social Welfare*. Vol. 47(4). July. ISSN 0037-8038
34. Singh, D.P. 1999. "Make Health Care Elder Friendly". *Social Welfare*. Vol. 46(1). April. ISSN 0037-8038

MEDIA ARTICLES/LESSONS

1. Singh, D.P. 2013. "Sensitivity Training must for Effective Teaching". *The Tribune*. November 12, Online Available at:
<http://www.tribuneindia.com/2013/20131112/edu.htm#1>

2. Mor, D.P.S. 2012." Homeschooling, a Flexible Way of Educating Your Child". *The Tribune*. January 17 , Online Available at:
<http://www.tribuneindia.com/2012/20120117/edu.htm#1>
3. Mor, D.P.S. 2011." Crisis of Quality in Govt. Schools". *The Tribune*. November 29, Online Available at: <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2011/20111129/edu.htm#1>
4. Mor, D.P. 2009." Adopt Activity-based Learning". *The Tribune*. October 13, Online Available at: <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2009/20091013/edu.htm#2>
5. Singh, D.P. 2009. "Not Just About Charity". *The Hindustan Times*, Chandigarh June 13, Online Available at:
http://epaper.hindustantimes.com//artMailDisp.aspx?article=13_06_2009_014_006&typ=1&pub=722
6. Mor, D.P. 2009." When Teachers Play Truant". *The Tribune*. May 05 , Online Available at: <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2009/20090505/edu.htm#1>
7. Mor, D.P. 2008." Reform Affiliation System". *The Tribune*. December 16, Online Available at: <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2008/20081216/edu.htm#1>
8. Mor, D.P. 2008." When Students Go to Polls". *The Tribune*. September 16, Online Available at: <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2008/20080916/edu.htm#1>
9. Mor, D.P. 2008. "Stop Ragging Newcomers ". *The Tribune*. September 9. Online Available at : <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2008/20080909/edu.htm#1>
10. Mor, D.P. 2008. "Curricula Need Revamping". *The Tribune*. August 19. Online Available at : <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2008/20080819/edu.htm#1>
11. Mor, D.P. 2008. "Curbing School Violence". *The Tribune*. May 20. Online Available at : <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2008/20080520/edu.htm#1>
12. Mor, D.P. 2008. "Encourage Community Participation". *The Tribune*. April 29. Online Available at : <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2008/20080429/edu.htm#2>
13. Mor, D.P. 2008. "Improve Existing Schools". *The Tribune*. January 22. Online Available at : <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2008/20080122/edu.htm#1>
14. Mor, D.P. 2007. "Gender Disparity Well Entrenched". *The Tribune*. Dec.04. Online Available at: <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2007/20071204/edu.htm#1>
15. Mor, D.P. .2007. 'Why Girls' Education Is Important'. *The Tribune*. Jan. 30. Online Available at : <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2007/20070130/edu.htm#1>
16. Mor, D.P. .2005. "Breaking Barriers in Panchayats" *The Tribune*. September 04. Online Available at : <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2005/20050904/edit.htm#3>
17. Singh, D.P. 2004. "Social Work-A Fast Emerging Profession". *The Tribune*. May 28. Online Available: <http://www.tribuneindia.com/2004/20040528/career.htm#1>
18. Singh, D.P. 2004. "*Personality Theories*". New Delhi: IGNOU- BSW Program. BSWE-001, Block 05, Unit 4. April.
19. Mor, D.P.S. 2003. "Signs of Tribal Culture "- a write-up on *Khap Panchayats* in Haryana. *The Tribune*. May 09. Online Available at:
<http://www.tribuneindia.com/2003/20030509/edit.htm#7>

PUBLISHED PROCEEDINGS

1. Member, Board of Editors of the **Proceedings of International Conference on ‘Women, Peace and Security’** organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala on **October 26-27, 2012** published by Publication Bureau, Punjabi University Patiala (2013) . ISBN 978-81-302-0240-2
2. Member, Board of Editors of the **Proceedings of International Conference on ‘Mainstreaming Gender: Issues and Challenges’** organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala on **Nov 25-26, 2011** published by Publication Bureau, Punjabi University Patiala (2012) . ISBN 978-81-302-0182-5
3. Member, Board of Editors of the **Proceedings of International Conference on ‘Women and Child Issues: National and International Perspectives’** organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala on **Feb 11-12, 2011** published by Publication Bureau, Punjabi University Patiala (2011) . ISBN 978-81-302-0112-2
4. Member, Board of Editors of the **Proceedings of International Conference on ‘Women and Development: Issues and Initiatives’** organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala on **March 26-27, 2010** published by Publication Bureau, Punjabi University Patiala (2011) . ISBN 978-81-302-0069-9.

RESEARCH PROJECTS

1. **Faculty In-Charge/Coordinator, Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Malaria and T.B. Round-7 (2009-2015)**
2. Sarva Siksha Abhiyan Authority Punjab Sponsored Evaluative Study on **‘Alternative Innovative Education (AIE) Scheme in Elementary Schools of Punjab’ (2010-11).**
3. Sarva Siksha Abhiyan Authority Punjab Sponsored Evaluative Study on **‘Alternative Innovative Education (AIE) Scheme in Elementary Schools of Punjab’ (2009-10).**
4. Sarva Siksha Abhiyan Authority Punjab Sponsored Research Project on **‘Study of Class Room Transactions in Elementary Schools of Punjab’ (2009).**
5. Sarva Siksha Abhiyan Authority Punjab sponsored Evaluative Study on **‘Teachers’ Absenteeism and Students’ Attendance in Elementary Schools of Punjab’ (2008).**
6. UGC sponsored Research Project on **“The Causes and Consequences of Female Foeticide in Rural Punjab: A Study of Patiala District” (2005-2006).**
7. **Baseline Social Assessment Study, Punjab** for District **Ferozepur** under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, sponsored by **National Institute of Administrative Research, LBS National Academy of Administration, Mussoorie (2005-2007).**
8. **Baseline Social Assessment Study, Punjab** for District **Moga** under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, sponsored by **National Institute of Administrative Research, LBS National Academy of Administration, Mussoorie (2005-2007).**

9. **Baseline Social Assessment Study, Punjab** for District **Faridkot** under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, sponsored by **National Institute of Administrative Research, LBS National Academy of Administration, Mussoorie (2005-2007).**

RESEARCH GUIDANCE Ph.D

- Awarded : Nine
- Submitted :
- In Progress: Five

ORGANIZED SEMINARS/CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS/TRAININGS

INTERNATIONAL:

1. Convener of the **6th Annual Conference on ‘Promoting Excellence in Women Development: The Way Forward for Progress** organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala on **October 30-31, 2014**
2. Convener of the **5th International Conference on ‘Women and Development’** organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala on **November 22-23, 2013.**
3. Convener of the **International Conference on ‘Women, Peace and Security’** organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala on **October 26-27, 2012.**
4. Coordinator of the **International Conference on ‘Mainstreaming Gender: Issues and Challenges’** organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala on **Nov 25-26, 2011.**
5. Coordinator of the **International Conference on ‘Women and Child Issues: National and International Perspectives’** organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala on **Feb 11-12, 2011.**
6. Coordinator of the **International Conference on ‘Women and Development: Issues and Initiatives’** organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala on **March 26-27, 2010.**
7. Organizing Secretary of **International Symposium on ‘Secularism and Non-violence: A Mandate for World Peace’** organized by Department of social work, Punjabi University Patiala on **December 17-18, 2009.**
8. Organizing Secretary of **International Seminar on ‘Coping with Violence In Today’s World’** organized by Department of social work, Punjabi University Patiala on **Feb 22-23, 2007.**

NATIONAL:

1. Convener of Workshop on *Engendering Gender through Integrating and Learning Human Rights* organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala in collaboration with People’ Movement for Human Rights New York from **March 21-28, 2012.**
2. Coordinator, Induction/ Refresh Trainings (more than 20 trainings) of PHC/CHC Nurses/Counselors for HIV and AIDS Counselling organized by Department of

social work, Punjabi University Patiala under **Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Malaria and T.B. Round-7 Project from February 2009- till date.**

3. Organizing Secretary of **National Seminar** on ‘**Female Foeticide: Role of Society and Technology**’ organized by Dept of social work, Punjabi University Patiala on **Feb 20-21, 2009.**
4. Coordinator, Two-days’ Training Programme for Family Counsellors from Haryana, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh and Punjab organized by Dept of social work, Punjabi University Patiala on **September 01- 02, 2006.**

PRESENTATION / PARTICIPATION IN SEMINARS / CONFERENCES / WORKSHOPS

INTERNATIONAL

1. Presented paper on “*Mainstreaming Gender: Towards a Contextual Approach*” in the **International Conference** on ‘**Mainstreaming Gender: Issues and Challenges**’ organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala on **Nov 25-26, 2011.**
2. Presented paper on “*Empowering Women: Need for Breaking Barriers*” in the **International Conference** on ‘**Women and Child Issues: National and International Perspectives**’ organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala on **Feb 11-12, 2011.**
3. Presented paper titled “*Empirical Research on Women Empowerment: Exploring the Indicators of Measurement at Household and Community Levels*” in **International Seminar on Gender Equality and State Intervention: Issues Ahead** organized by Department of Sociology and Social Anthology, Punjabi University Patiala on **October 28-29, 2010.**
4. Presented paper titled “*Women Development: Issues and Initiatives*” in the **International Conference** on ‘**Women and Development: Issues and Initiatives**’ organized by Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University Patiala on **March 26-27, 2010.**
5. Presented paper titled “*Non-violence: A Gandhian Perspective*” **International Symposium** on ‘**Secularism and Non-violence: A Mandate for World Peace**’ organized by Department of social work, Punjabi University Patiala on **December 17-18, 2009.**
6. Presented paper titled “*Violence: Impact and Intervention*” **International Seminar** on ‘**Coping with Violence in Today’s World**’ organized by Department of social work, Punjabi University Patiala on **Feb 22-23, 2007.**
7. Presented paper titled “*Women in Grassroots Democracy in India: Experiences from Selected States*” in the **Third International Conference on Women and Politics in Asia** organized by The Researchers, **ISLAMABAD, PAKISTAN** on **November 24-25, 2005.**
8. Presented paper titled “*From Panchayat to Parliament: India Roadmap to Women’s Empowerment*” in the **Second International Conference on Women and Politics in Asia** organized by Institute of Human Development and Training, **COLOMBO, SRI LANKA, November 19-20, 2004.**

9. Participated in Workshop on **Women and Leadership** organized by Institute of Human Development and Training, **COLOMBO, SRI LANKA, November 18, 2004.**

NATIONAL

1. Presented the paper “Eight Decades of Professional Social Work: Concerns remain the Same” in the National Seminar on ‘Putting People First: Contemporary Perspectives of Social Work’ organized by Centre of Social Work, Panjab University Chandigarh on **Feb 27, 2015.**
2. Presented the Inaugural address in the National Seminar on Livelihood Security and Social Policy in India organized by Maharaja Agrasen College, Jagadhri on **March 5-6, 2014.**
3. Participated in Ist Indian Social Work Congress organized by Department of social work, University of Delhi and NAPSWI from Feb 23-25, 2013.
4. Participated in the National Consultation on National Network of Schools of Social Work for Quality Enhancement of Social Work Education in India organized by School of Social Work, Tata Institute of Social Sciences on **Dec 21-23, 2012.**
5. Participated in the National Consultation on National Network of Schools of Social Work for Quality Enhancement of Social Work Education in India organized by School of Social Work, Tata Institute of Social Sciences on **May 2-3, 2012.**
6. Participated in the All India Conference on Profession of Social Work on Cross Roads organized by Department of Social Work, Jamia Millia Islamia on **Feb. 23-25, 2012.**
7. Presented paper on “Plight of Brick Kiln Workers” in the **National Seminar on ‘Plight of Women Workers in Unorganized Sector’** organized by G N Khalsa College for Women Ludhiana on **January 10, 2012.**
8. Presented a Paper on “*Disability: Community Based Rehabilitation*” in **National Seminar on ‘Integrating Persons with Disability: Education, Training and Rehabilitation’** organized by Dept of social work, Punjabi University Patiala on **March 18-19, 2011.**
9. Participated in UGC sponsored three-day Workshop on Computer Applications in Social Science Research organized by Academic Staff College, Punjabi University Patiala, on **Feb 24-26, 2011.**
10. Presented a Paper on ‘Migratory Patterns of Women Workers in Brick Kilns’ in the **Northern Region Consultation Workshop** on “Gender and Migration” organized by Centre for Women’s Development Studies, New Delhi on **September 22-24, 2009.**
11. Presented a Paper on “*Female Foeticide: Causes and Consequences*” in **National Seminar on ‘Female Foeticide: Role of Society and Technology’** organized by Dept of social work, Punjabi University Patiala on **Feb 20-21, 2009.**
12. Presented paper on ‘Issues in Social Science Research’ in two day Workshop on ‘Researching Standards and Techniques for Study of Social Development’

- organized by the Centre for South-West Asia Study (Pakistan-Afghanistan) and the IASSI on **January 27-28, 2009.**
13. Participated as a Discussant in the Prelude Seminar on 'Global Warming: Its Impact on India' organized by Department of Social Work, Punjabi University Patiala and Indian Institute of Public Administration on **Sept. 12, 2008.**
 14. Participated in the seminar 'Deprivation, Development and the Rights Based Approach: Response of Human Service Professions' organized by Department of Social Work, University of Delhi on **March 25 – 26, 2008.**
 15. Presented paper titled *Diverse Dimensions of Violence: Exploring Intervention Strategies* in XI NWISA annual conference on **Emerging Trends of Violence in North West India** organised by Department of Sociology and Social Anthropology, Punjabi University Patiala on **Nov. 05-06, 2007.**
 16. Delivered the Keynote address in the two day seminar on 'Legal and Human Rights of Women' organized by Progressive Youth Forum Gaggha, Patiala and sponsored by the National Commission for Women on **May 12-13, 2007** at Gaggha, **Patiala**
 17. Participated in two-day Workshop cum Training Programme on Baseline Social Assessment Study, Punjab under *Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan*, organized by **NIAR, LBS National Academy of Administration**, Mussoorie, on **July 21-22, 2006.**
 18. Presented paper titled "Legislations for Ending Discrimination against the Girl Child" at the National Seminar on **Plight of the Girl Child** organised by Dept. of Sociology, Maharishi Dayanand University, Rohtak on **Dec 15, 2005.**
 19. Presented paper titled 'Women Empowerment through PRIs' in the National Seminar on '**Women's Empowerment and Child Development**' organised by Department of social work, University of Lucknow, Lucknow on **Dec. 10-12, 2005**
 20. Attended the 2nd National Seminar on 'Social Work and HIV/AIDS ' organised by IGNOU and US Embassy, New Delhi on **Sept 16-18, 2005.**
 21. Participated in Two-day Workshop cum Training Programme on Baseline Social Assessment Study, Punjab under *Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan*, organized by NIAR, **LBS National Academy of Administration**, Mussoorie, on **Sept 02-03, 2005.**
 22. Participated in Three-day Workshop cum Training Programme on Baseline Social Assessment Study, Punjab under *Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan*, organized by NIAR, **LBS National Academy of Administration**, Mussoorie, on **April 18-20, 2005.**
 23. Participated in Two-day Workshop on Baseline Social Assessment Study, Punjab under *Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan*, organized by NIAR, **LBS National Academy of Administration**, Mussoorie, on **Feb 21-22, 2005.**
 24. Presented paper titled "Women's Empowerment: Highlighting Government's Commitments " at the National Seminar on **Economic Reforms and Social Transformation** organised by Dept. of Sociology, Maharishi Dayanand University, Rohtak on **January 28-29, 2005.**
 25. Presented paper titled "Rural Development: A Social Work Perspective" at the National Seminar on **Rural Development Administration in 21st Century** organised by Haryana Institute of Rural Development, Nilokheri and Dept. of

- Public Administration, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra on **September 08-09, 2004**
26. Participated in Workshop on Social Capital and Rural Development organized by Haryana Institute of Rural Development, Nilokheri, Dist. Karnal on **September 02, 2004.**
 27. Attended the National Seminar on ‘Social Work Gender and HIV/AIDS’ organized by IGNOU and NIPCCD held at PHD House, New Delhi on **May 17-19, 2004.**
 28. Presented paper titled ‘Social Work- A Critical Review’ in the National Seminar on ‘**Social Work – The Ethico-Spiritual Paradigm**’ organized by Jain Vishva Bharati Institute, Ladnun, Rajasthan, on **Nov 13-15, 2003.**
 29. Presented paper titled ‘Community Participation in Watershed Management’ in the National Seminar on **Water Resources Management** organised by Dr B.R. Ambedkar College, University of Delhi on **May 16-17, 2003.**
 30. Presented paper titled ‘Social Transformations in Haryana: Issues to be Addressed’ in the National Seminar on **Social Transformations in Haryana: Issues and Problems** organized by Department of Sociology, M D University Rohtak on **March 31-April 01,2003.**
 31. Attended a workshop on ‘Development of Strategies for the Involvement of Social Work Professionals in Rehabilitation of the Disabled’ organised by Department of Social Work, University of Delhi on **March 28-29,2003.**
 32. Presented paper titled *Good Governance: a Conceptual Perspective* in the National Seminar on Problems of Governance: A Study of North-West India organised by Department of Correspondence Courses, Punjabi University Patiala on **March 24-25, 2003.**
 33. Presented paper titled *Good Governance: a New Mantra for Development* in the National Seminar on Politico-Administrative System in Punjab organised by Department of Public Administration, Punjabi University Patiala on **March 20-21, 2003.**
 34. Presented paper titled *Strengthening Panchayats in Haryana: Plugging the Loop-Holes* in the National Seminar on **Strategies for Strengthening Panchayati Raj Institutions** organised by Haryana Institute of Rural Development, Nilokheri, Karnal on **March 6-7, 2003.**
 35. Presented paper titled *Community Sensitization through Volunteers* in National Seminar on Volunteerism, organized by Department of Social Work, University of Delhi on **March 20-21, 2002.**
 36. Presented paper titled *Rural Development through Women Development: Reflecting the Agenda of the Government* in ICSSR National Seminar on **Rural Transformation in Northwest India** organised by Department of Rural Development, M D University Rohtak on **March 15-16, 2002.**
 37. Presented paper titled *Women Employment in Unorganised Sector in India* in XXI ISSA Conference organised in Grand Hotel, AGRA on **Oct. 28- 30, 2001.**
 38. Presented paper titled *Political Empowerment of Women in Haryana* in XXIV Indian Social Sciences Congress organised in Punjab University, Chandigarh on **March 01-05, 2001.**
 39. Presented Paper titled *Women’s Development- Issues and Initiatives* in National Seminar on **Gender Equality and Development** organised by Department Of

- Sociology and Social Anthropology, Punjabi University Patiala on **Feb. 23-24, 2001.**
40. Presented Paper titled ' *Problems in Field Work Practice* ' in National Seminar on ' **Social Work Education in 21st Century-Challenges and Issues** ' organised by Department of social work, Lucknow University, Lucknow on **March 11-12, 2000.**
 41. Presented paper on *Impact of 73rd Amendment on Women Leadership in Haryana* in the National Seminar 'Local Govt. Institutions in India' by Department of Public Administration, Punjabi University Patiala on **March 24-25, 1999.**
 42. Attended National Seminar on ' Grass Roots Intervention for Social Development ' organised by Department of Social Work, University of Delhi, Delhi on **March 19-20, 1999.**
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