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Personal Information:

Date of Birth: 14th September 1973

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Present Position: Associate Professor in Department of Geography

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Date of Appointment in the College: 9th August 2006

Total Teaching Experience: 14years 5months and 19days

Native Place: Delhi

Education:

(Starting from Graduation)

Examination	Class/ Division	Percentage	Year	Subject(s) taken	Name of University
B.A(Hons) Geography	2 nd	56%	1994	Geography Sub.Subjects- Hindi,English and History	University of Delhi
M.A(Hons) Geography	1 st	60.7%	1996	Geography	University of Delhi
MPhil Geography	1 st	68%	1999	Geography	University of Delhi
P.hD in Geography	N.A	N.A	May 2007	Geography	University of Delhi

Fellowship and Awards: (including convener/co-convener/member organizing committees etc for International and national conferences/workshops/seminars)

- Coordinator: Definitional Dictionary of Geography, Government of India, Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Ministry of Human Resource Development (Department of Higher Education) from 5th October to 9th October 2015, in Swami Shraddhanand College, University of Delhi.

International /National Positions and/or Awards/ Fellowships

- Commendation certificate from National Association of Geographers, India, received on Research paper entitled “Cyclone disaster mitigation along Indian Coasts” at 23rd Indian Geography Congress at Sagar, December 28-30, 2001.
- UGC Junior Research Fellowship awarded on 24th June 1998.

List of Students Awarded Ph.D./M/Phil.:

N.A

List of Students Pursuing Ph.D./M.Phil. :

N.A

List if Students guided for /M.Tech./B.Tech/B.Sc./M.Sc./B.A./M.A. Projects etc. .

N.A

List of students guided for Summer projects

N.A

List of Students guided for Innovation Projects

N.A

REVIEWER INTERNATIONAL/National JOURNALS:

Member International/National Journal editorial Board etc.

N.A

Research Projects/ Innovation Projects Undertaken:

(i) Completed

N.A

(ii) Ongoing

N.A

Research Interest:

Computer Literacy: (Software etc. used /working knowledge)

Windows, MS Word, MS Excel, MS Power Point, Visual Basic,

(i) Training Programme for GIS and Remote Sensing

- One day workshop on “Use of open GIS Softwares, Satellite Imageries and GPS” held on April 3rd, 2008 organized by Department of Geography, Delhi University.
- Two day training programme on Geomedia from Rolta International in 2003
- Two weeks training programme on GIS and Remote Sensing for Geographers, jointly organized by CSDMS and Department of Geography, Delhi University from July 2-13, 2001
- Training Programme on GIS and Remote Sensing conducted by Department of Geography, Delhi School of Economics, Delhi University during March 26-31, 2001.

Contribution in International Conferences/Seminars/Workshops:

- Attended an International Conference on “Contextualizing Gender Studies in South Asia”, Organised by University of Delhi and Australian National University (ANU), March 03 to 05th, 2010.
- Attended an international disaster management conference on “Facilitation of Supply Chain for Disasters” organized by Response Net and Omaxe Foundation and supported by National Disaster Management Authority at Pragati Maidan on March 19, 2007
- Participated in “Earth Day Celebrations” and International Conference on “Sustainable Development and Sustainable Life Styles” held on April 22-23, 2001 at National Cooperative Union of India Auditorium, August Kranti Marg, New Delhi.

Participation in Seminar Institutes/Refresher/ Reorientation Course during the year/ semester

1. Attended an Orientation Course, UGC-ASC Orientation Course (OR-52). Duration December 28, 2006 to January 24, 2007 from Centre for Professional Development in Higher Education (CPDHE), University of Delhi, Delhi – 7.
2. Attended a Refresher course in Geography and Environmental Studies. Duration 16th January 2009 to 6th February 2009 from Jamia Mallia Islima, Centre of Advanced Studies (RC – 11th in Department of Geography).
3. Attended a Refresher course in Geography and Environmental Studies. Duration 15th February, 2011 to 9th March, 2011 from Jamia Mallia Islima, Centre of Advanced Studies (RC – 11th in Department of Geography).
4. Attended a Refresher Course, UGC-ASC) in Education (Interdisciplinary)Duration March 1st, 2013 to March 21st 2013 from Centre for Professional Development in Higher Education (CPDHE), University of Delhi, Delhi – 7.

Contribution in National Conferences Seminars/Workshops:

- (i) Subject Expert for Definitional Dictionary of Geography, Government of India, Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Ministry of Human Resource Development (Department of Higher Education) from 5th October to 9th October 2015, in Swami Shraddhanand College, University of Delhi.
- (ii) Subject Expert for Definitional Dictionary of Geography, Government of India, Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Ministry of Human Resource Development (Department of Higher Education) from 10th August to 13th August 2015, in Shaheed Bhagat Singh College, University of Delhi.
- (iii) Subject Specialist for Eco Club school teachers, presented an lecture on “Disaster Management” for State Council of Educational and Research and Training (SCERT) on 14th July 2015.
- (iv) Subject Expert for Definitional Dictionary of Geography, Government of India, Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Ministry of Human Resource Development (Department of Higher Education) from 29th June to 3rd July 2015, in Shaheed Bhagat Singh College (Evening), University of Delhi.
- (v) Presented a paper titled “ Sustainable Smart Cities : A Conceptual Framework” in National Conference on Smart Cities : Challenges and Vision Ahead, held on 6th April 2015 held at India International Centre, New Delhi.
- (vi) Resource person for “ Development of Resource material on Management of Human Made Disasters” for Department of Education in Science and Mathematics, National Council of Educational and Research and Training (NCERT) from 24th March to 28th March 2014.
- (vii) Attended The Academic Congress- Enabling the Young: Redefining Education, 6th-7th September, 2012, as a joint rapporteur for the Plenary Session-C- School University Interface on 7th September, 2012.
- (viii) Attended an Ist National Training on “Rain Water Harvesting” from 16th to 19th August, 2011 organized

by All India Foundation for Peace and Disaster Management (NGO), supported by Ministry of Earth Sciences, Government of India.

- (ix) Attended a national workshop on “Information Technology and Disaster Management”, Organized by All India Foundation for Peace and Disaster Management (NGO), April 25, 2009.
- (x) Attended a seminar on “Responses of Earth System to Climate Shift” by Prof. S.C. Tandon, Pro VC at Department of Geography, Delhi School of Economics on February 2, 2007
- (xi) Attended UGC-SAP National Seminar-2005 on “Vulnerable Cities Hazards, Risks and Preparedness”, held on March 18-19, 2005
- (xii) Participated in UGC-SAP National seminar on ‘Spatial Information System for Natural Resource Management’ held on February 21-22, 2003
- (xiii) Participated in CIDA-SICI Partnership Project Dissemination Workshop from November 3-4, 2000 at Department of Geography, Delhi University

LIST OF PUBLICATION (with title of the papers/articles, list of authors along with journal title , year of publication, ISSN/ISBN No. and Impact factor) :

- (i) Historical Perspective of Cyclonic Storms and their impact in Coastal Andhra Pradesh Published in Journal of Annals of National Association of Geographers, chapter 5 Vol. No. xx No. 2, December, 2000, pages 66-84.

List of Books/Monographs Published (along with the Publisher’s name and ISBN No. and year of Publication)

Kaur Ushvinder “ Coping with Cyclone Disaster in India: Focus on East Coast”, 2014, Research India Press, New Delhi, ISBN: 978-81-89131-81-4

Articles in Edited Books/Conference Proceedings/Book Chapter Published(along with title of the book, publisher and ISBN No and year of publication).

- (i) *Nomenclature of Rural Urban Fringe* in Patra Punyatoya (eds.); “Fringe Dynamism in Metropolitan City, Delhi” Globe Pub., Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh, 2011, chapter 1, pages 1-20. ISBN 81-87854-05-7
- (ii) *Anatomy of Cyclone Disaster and Storm Surges* in Pandey B.W (eds.) “Hazard Ecology- Approaches and Techniques” Mittal Publication, New Delhi, 2010, chapter 18, pages 275-284. ISBN 81-8324-105-0.
- (iii) *Warning and Forecasting of Tropical cyclones in India* Published in Thakur B. and Tandon S.K. (eds.) “Recent advances in Geomorphology, Quaternary, Geology and Environmental Geosciences: Facilitation Vol. in Honor of V.K Verma” Manisha Pub. New Delhi, 2002,chapter 33, pages 409-422.ISBN 81-87740-05-1.

Journal Proceedings/ Journals Edited (with title of the journal , year of publication etc.)

- (i) *Historical Perspective of Cyclonic Storms and their impact in Coastal Andhra Pradesh* Published in Journal of Annals of National Association of Geographers, Vol. No. xx No. 2, December, 2000, chapter 5 pages 66-84.

Popular articles published / Articles published in newspapers etc.

- (ii) *Environmental Hazards and Global Warming* as a course material for students of B.A (Hons. / Prog) in Geography (available online). Published by Association of Geographical Studies (AGS) in association with Department of Geography, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, 2009.
- (iii) *Eco System Concept* Published in Journal of Geo Vision Volume 2, March 2007, pub by Department of Geography, Swami Shraddhanand College, DU, pages 30-31.
- (iv) *Sustainable Development* Published in Journal of Geo Vision Volume1, February 2006, pub by Department of Geography, Swami Shraddhanand College, DU, pages 17-18.
- (v) *Geo Strategic Importance and Maritime Claims in Indian Ocean Region* Published in Journal of Indian Geo Journal Volume 1, No. 1, 2004, pub by Department of Geography, Shaheed Bhagat Singh (Eve.) College, DU pages 41-47.

- (vi) *Resource Concept and Emerging Resource Issues* Published in Ankur, Volume-6 magazine of Department of Geography, Shaheed Bhagat Singh (Eve.) College, DU, 2001 pages 27-29.
- (vii) My comments on Orrisa cyclone of November 1999 were given in Outlook magazine edition of November 15, 1999
- (viii) M.Phil. thesis “Environmental Monitoring and Mitigation in the coastal region of Andhra Pradesh” was referred in Delhi Times section of Times of India newspaper in November 18, 1999
- (ix) Understanding Disaster Management

Professional Association and Membership of Learned Bodies

- 1) Life membership of National Association of Geographers of India (NAGI)
- 2) Life membership of Association of Geographical Studies (AGS)

Any Other information:

- (i) Administration of College/Department /University
 - 1. Taken educational field tour to Nanital, from 31st October to 3rd November 2014 for IIIrd year Geography (Hons.) students from Swami Shraddhaanand College
 - 2. In Academic Session 2012-13. I am obliged with the responsibility of Teacher in charge of the Department of Geography. I have tried my best in fulfilling my responsibilities as an in charge by fully participating in the admission process, timely submission of time tables to the college and esteemed colleagues, Appointment of Adhoc lecturers in the department, organization of lecture in the Department by eminent speaker. Department of geography has decided to have geo fest in month of April,2013 in the same the annual magazine ‘Geo Vision’ of the department was launched.
 - 3. Committee Member of Teaching Placement Cell Committee in Swami Shraddhanand College 2012-2013.
 - 4. Committee Member of Teaching Post Committee in Swami Shraddhanand College 2011-2012.
 - 5. Committee Member of Swami Shraddhanand College Memorial Lecture Committee in Swami Shraddhanand College 2010-2011.
 - 6. Committee Member of Protoral and Anti Ragging Committee in Swami Shraddhanand College 2009-2010.
 - 7. Committee Member of Canteen Committee in Swami Shraddhanand College 2008-2009.
 - 8. Committee Member of Garden Committee in Swami Shraddhanand College 2007-2008.

9. Committee Member of Environment Committee in Swami Shradhanand College 2007-2008.
10. Committee Member of Art Committee from Kamala Nehru College.
11. Taken educational field tour to Shimla, H.P. from Sept 29 – Oct 4, 2007. for IInd year Geography (Hons.) students from Swami Shradhaanand College.
12. Taken an educational field tour To Gwalior, Orchha, Shivpuri in December 2003 from Kamala Nehru College.
13. Taken educational field tour to Mussoorie in 2002 from Kamala Nehru College
14. Taken educational field tour to Gangtok and Darjeeling in Oct 2001 from Shaheed Bhagat Singh College