# INDIAN SCHOOL OF POLITICAL ECONOMY, PUNE

ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2011-2012 (APRIL-MARCH)

1. Journal

One joint issue for January-December 2009 of the *Journal* of *Indian School of Political Economy*, was published during the year. The issue for 2009 is a special issue

containing the revised versions of selected papers and Notes submitted for the seminar on the theme 'Is There a Case for Re-organisation of States?' organised by the Indian School of Political Economy in Memory of Founder-Director Prof. V. M. Dandeker on August 27 & 28, 2010.

The Issue contains papers by Prof. Vikas Chitre and Shri Abhay Tilak (Is There a Case for Re-organisation of States?); Prof. Nilakantha Rath (Separation Is No Solution to the Problem of Regional Imbalance in Development), Prof. P. R. Panchmukhi (Regional Justice Perspectives and the Issue of States Re-organisation in India: A Revisit), Prof. R.P. Kurulkar (The Problem of Regional Disparities in Maharashtra State and the Role of the Regional Development Boards), Shri R. L. Piitale (Why Vidarbha State? Failure of Article 371(2) of the Constitution: Vidarbha State is the Only Alternative), Prof. Gautam Pingale (The Telangana Tragedy – A Lesson in Integration and Disintegration). It also contains Selected Notes from participants viz. Dr. Yogendra Yadav, Prof. Suhas Palshikar, Prof. Amit Prakash, Prof. Sandeep Shastri, Shri Prakash Ambedkar, Prof. R. P. Kurulkar, Prof. D. NJ. Dhanagare, Shri Ratnakar Mahajan and Prof. Anupama Saxena. The documentation section contains the Report of the States Re-organisation Commission (1955) and Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's celebrated article on Thoughts on Linguistic States, was published during the year. A follow up joint issue of the journal, containing summary of detailed Proceedings of the above-mentioned Seminar along with documentation of Committee for Consultations on the Situation in Andhra Pradesh (Chairman: Shri Justice B.N. Srikrishna) (December 2010) is under preparation.

The joint issue for January-December 2010, containing research articles on various subjects, and Documentation on the East India Deccan Riots Commission, 1878, appointed to inquire into the causes of the riots which took place in the year 1875 in Poona and Ahmednagar districts of Bombay Presidency, will be shortly sent to the press. The Report of the Deccan Riots Commission is a rare report, containing detailed and insightful analysis of the conditions of the farmers in these districts during the six decades after the fall of the Maratha empire, and how it came to be affected by accumulated indebtedness, heavy assessment for land revenue, and massive fluctuations in prices of agricultural produce and provides wealth of information about these.

Dr. S. Sriraman, Honorary Fellow of the School, is editing a special issue of the journal containing the revised versions of the three papers presented and discussed at the seminar at the School on 'Urbanisation – Trends and Changes: Maharashtra and India' organized on September 23-24, 2011.

We are keen to publish on a regular basis Papers, Notes or Comments based on material included in the documentation section and statistical supplements of the journal.

Readers are invited to contribute the same to our journal, which we shall consider for publication in subsequent issues of the journal, subject to the usual refereeing process.

The flow of articles for the delimited fields of the Journal was more or less adequate; however, the revision of articles, suggested by the referees and the editor, has taken time resulting in delay in the publication of the journal.

The Journal has been publishing the contents pages of sister quarterlies on an exchange basis.

The total number of subscribers for 2009 was, 149, while 44 copies are being sent as gratis or on exchange basis. In addition, 107 subscribers have renewed subscription for 2010 and 42 for 2011. The number of subscriptions for the issues to be published for the subsequent years is expected to grow as issues for these years get published.

The subscription rates continued to be:

Institutions other than colleges: Rs. 600/- per annum Colleges and individuals: Rs. 300/- per annum

#### 2. Arthabodh Patrika

Launched in 1998, *Arthabodhpatrika*, the Marathi monthly of the School has completed 13 years in November 2011. Initially a bi-monthly, it became a monthly publication with effect from 1 April 2003.

Particulars of the twelve (12) issues published during the year under consideration are as follows:

**Number of issues published -** Twelve (Vol. 10, issues 1 to 12). Of these, four were special issues. These issues contained focussed articles on subjects such as urban environment, international migration of unskilled labour engaged in informal sector activities, issues associated with measurement of value of natural resources and consumer culture. Together, 432 pages of reading material.

# Nature of Articles published

Economic and Industrial - 12, Science and Scientific Research - 5, Technology - 4, Social - 6, Political - 4, Educational - 2, Environment - 5, Urbanization - 7, Cultural issues - 1, World of Animals - 1, Consumer culture - 5, Evolution - 1, Media - 2, Arcaheology - 1, History - 1: Total articles - 65. Short notes (*Jikde-Tikde*) - 8.

# Number of readers' responses received and published - 07

**Countries covered:** - India, China, America, Britain, Spain, Italy, Australia, Greece, Thailand, Myanmar, Cambodia, Austria, Bangladesh, Guam, Philippines, Egypt, Ghana, Laos and Kenya.

**References or sources used** - Economist, New Scientist, Nature, BBC Wildlife, Down to Earth, Current Science, Appropriate Technology, Science Focus, Economic and Political Weekly (In all 9 magazines). Besides this, 13 books on a variety of subjects and study reports available in the ISPE library as also 31 different Websites.

**Subscribers** -As on March 31, 2012, there were 782 subscribers for *Arthabodhpatrika*. The special efforts made by Honorary Fellow Shri Manohar Bhide in persuading the Chairman of the Saraswat Cooperative Bank Ltd. to enlist all their 253 branches and offices as subscribers for *Arthabodhpatrika* are deeply appreciated. Efforts are also being made to approach University affiliated Colleges to enrol as subscribers so that the Patrika can reach more and more teachers and students.

# 3. Books and Booklets

• A Booklet in Marathi on 'Arthasankalp: Moolbhhot Sankalpana' is being written by Prof. A. S. Nadkarni which is expected to be published shortly.

It is proposed to publish the report of the Survey of Primary Schools of the Pune Municipal Corporation in Marathi and English during the year 2012-13.

# 4. Seminars/Discussion Group Meetings/Workshops:

#### Seminar:

A seminar on the theme 'Urbanisation – Trends and Changes: Maharashtra and India' was organized on September 23-24, 2011. The following three research papers, prepared by three Fellows of the School were presented for detailed discussion in the seminar:

- 1. Abhay Tilak, "Urbanisation in Maharashtra-1961-2001"
- 2. Sharadini Rath, "Overview of Non-farm Sector in Urban Maharashtra (Economic Census 1998 & 2005, Annual Surveys of Industry 1998-2008)"
- 3. S. Sriraman, "An Approach to a National Urban Transport Policy Framework for India"

Distinguished scholars, experts, representatives of Government agencies, NGOs, social and political workers participated in the Seminar and put forward their views and suggestions on the subject of vital importance. The following delegates attended the Seminar:

1. Prof. N. Rath, 16/19-5, Patwardhan Baug, Erandwane, Pune 411004

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- 4. Prof. Suhas Palshikar, B-703, Rohan Garima, Shivaji Hsg. Soc, Off Senapati Bapat Road, Pune 411 016. e-mail: suhas@unipune.ernet.in

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- 1. Justice (Rtd.) N. Chapalgaokar, Retired Judge, Mumbai High Court and Visiting Fellow, ISPE, Pune <a href="maintage@yahoo.com">nanajudge@yahoo.com</a>
- 2. Professor A. L. Nagar, Emeritus Professor, Delhi University and Visiting Fellow, ISPE, Pune <a href="mailto:aan2803@yahoo.com">aan2803@yahoo.com</a>

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- 1. Prof. L.G. Burange-Mumbai e-mail: lgburange@hotmail.com
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9. Prof. Amitabh Kundu, New Delhi

11. Ms. Sheena Mathews Pune.

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13. Sebastian Antony
Mumbai

12.Ms. Shilpa Mujumdar, Pune

15.Shri Prasanna Patwardhan Prasanna Travels, Pune 14.Ms. Ruchira Khandwale

17.Nitin Ghag Mumbai.

16.Ms. Prajakta Panshikar18.Dr. Medha Deshpande

20. Prof. Smita Gandhi
Department of
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Mumbai

19.Shri Ramanath Jha, Pune

21.Dr. Arun Firodia,

Force India Ltd., Pune

It is proposed to hold a two-day Seminar on "National Food Security Bill" during 2012-2013.

# **Discussion Group Meetings**

During the year three meetings of the Discussion Group were organised.

Date	Subject	Name of the Discussant	
12/12/2011	Challenges before Democratic System: Indian	Prof. Suhas Palshikar	
	Context (in Marathi)		
13/12/2011	Public Participation, Democratic System and	Shri Anand Agashe	
	Media (in Marathi)		
19/02/2012	LNG: An Important Component of Energy	Shri Anand Barve	
	Security		
10/03/2012	Dialogue with writer and litterateur Shri Rajan	Shri Rajan Gavas	
	Gavas on Rural facts and changes being		
	happened there in general and rural sociology,		
	politics, economics family life and values in		
	particular		

### 5. Fellowship:

Advertisements were inserted in the issues of the JISPE and on our Website calling for applications for grant of fellowship. However, the proposals received were either incomplete or not suitable to consider for fellowship. Detailed comments for revision have been sent in response to one of the proposals. Fresh advertisement calling for applications will be issued during the year 2012-13.

#### 6. Research Project on the Primary Schools of Pune Municipal Corporation

The School has undertaken a research project on the primary schools conducted by the Pune Municipal Corporation. The study has been initiated with effect from September 2005 after receiving the permission of the Pune Municipal Corporation (PMC) and the Municipal Education Board for accessing the relevant original records of the PMC and for administering the proposed tests to the sample students. The twin objectives of the said study are:

- To record, analyse and study the trend of enrolment in every class in all types of schools during the last thirty years.
- To investigate the level of education at the primary level. This inquiry would involve understanding of aspects such as students' ability in reading, writing and arithmetic.

A Seminar based on the reports of the Associate Researchers was held on July 30-31, 2008 and detailed deliberations were held. Based on the same, a draft of the Final Report had been submitted by the Associate Researchers. Shri Abhay Tilak and the President read the drafts. Both of them came to the conclusion that it would not be useful to ask for further revision of the drafts. Instead, they agreed that Shri Tilak shall do the work of revising the drafts for publication. The work on finalising the report in Marathi is complete while that of translating the same into English is nearing completion.

# 7. Staff

The list of staff in position as on 31st March 2012 is given below:

Mr. Abhay Tilak, Member, Academic Staff and Editor, Arthabodh Patrika

Mrs. Shaila R. Konlade, Asst. Administrative Officer and D.T.P. Editor for JISPE

Mrs. Rajyashri Kshirsagar, Asst. Editor, Arthabodh Patrika

Mr. V. B. Khadilkar, Accountant,

Mr. D. K. Limbore, Clerk-Typist,

Mr. V. G. Redkar, Clerical Grade,

Mr. M. V. Jade, Peon.

Mr. K. Y. Dhawade is working as Administrative Officer in the School in an honorary capacity on year-to-year basis.

# 8. Meetings:

The Annual Meeting of the Council was held on 25th June 2011.

Four meetings of the Executive Committee were held and one resolution was passed by circular meeting during the period from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2011 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2012.

# 9. Library:

The total number of books in the Library is 13,764 and that of serials is 3,833. During the year under report, 215 books and 50 serials were added to the stock. Out of the additions, 15 books and 48 serials were received as gift; while 3 books were received for review.

An amount of Rs.1,74,520/- was spent on purchase of books. In addition, an amount of Rs.3,507/- was spent as subscription towards periodicals and newspapers.

During the year under review, 30 persons/students took the advantage of the reference material and reading facilities provided in the Library.

#### 10. WEBSITE

The School has its own Website *ispepune.org.in*. The website contains back issues of the *Journal of Indian School of Political Economy* from the year 2000 onwards as also that of *Arthabodhpatrika* from January 2007 onwards. One can also search for the Books in the Library of the School on the website.

# 11. Computer Equipment, Soft wares and Data Bases:

The School has 11 PCs {One Lenovo, Two Dell PCs, One Compaq Laptop, One IBM Pentium 4, One Compaq Pentium 4, One Zenith Pentium 4, One Compaq Pentium III, 3 PCs upgraded to Pentium III two Dot Matrix Printers, two HP Laser Printers, Sharp Copier-cum-Printer, Canon LIDE Scanner (The School has one 386 tape-driver PC, One Apple Laser Writer and one Daisy Wheel Printer – not in use for want of spares)

The School has acquired Devnagari soft-wares, 'Leap Office' and 'Akruti' as well as Office 2003, Windows 98 and Windows XP (HE), SPSS 12, E-Views 5 Soft-wares.

All the PCs are connected to the Internet through Air-Tel Broad Band and VSNL dial-up account is being used for receiving and sending emails. The facility of Internet and email is being extensively used for searching material for the *Journal of Indian School of Political Economy* and *Arthabodh Patrika* and for receiving papers and referees' reports and correspondence with authors of articles for the Journal.

# 11.General

The School has received permission from the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India to accept foreign grant. Efforts are being made to receive projects grants through the help of affiliate fellows.

# 13. Academic Activities

The academic activities of the executive staff etc. of the School during the year are given in brief in Sub-Section I and those reported by the Honorary Fellows in the Sub-Section II.

#### **SUB SECTION I**

# Prof. N. Rath

During the year I discharged my routine functions as the President of ISPE, and refereed papers sent to me by the Editor of JISPE.

# Papers:

- A lecture on Co-operation in India, (written out and submitted) in a seminar on the subject at the Vaikuntha Mehta National Institute for Co-operative Management, Pune, April, 2011.
- 2. *Prospects of Indian Agriculture*, an article published in Sadhana, in Marathi, April, 20, 2011.
- 3. Poverty in Retrospect and Prospect, a paper presented in the international seminar on poverty in the Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur, 18th August, 2011. The first two-thirds of this paper was subsequently published in EPW on 15th Oct. 2011. The entire paper was translated into Marathi and published in Sadhana during the year.
- 4. A Note on the National Food Security Bill, submitted to the Ministry of Rural Development, 25-9-2011.

Participated in the two-day seminar organised by the School, and in the meetings of the discussion group.

# Prof. V. S. Chitre

Worked as Honorary Director of the School and Editor of the Journal of Indian School of Political Economy. The joint issue for January-December 2009, containing selected research articles and Notes, submitted for the Seminar organized by the School on August 27-28, 2010, on the theme: Is there a Case for Re-organisation of States in India? -thoroughly revised by the authors, and documentation on the Report of the States Re-organisation Commission (1955) and Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's celebrated article on Thoughts on Linguistic States, was published during the year. A follow up joint issue of the journal, containing summary of detailed Proceedings of the above-mentioned Seminar along with documentation of Committee for Consultations on the Situation in Andhra Pradesh (Chairman: Shri Justice B.N. Srikrishna) (December 2010) is under preparation. The joint issue for January-December 2010, containing research articles on various subjects, and Documentation on the East India Deccan Riots Commission, 1878, appointed to inquire into the causes of the riots which took place in the year 1875 in Poona and Ahmednagar districts of Bombay Presidency, will be shortly sent to the press. The Report of the Deccan Riots Commission is a rare report, containing detailed and insightful analysis of the conditions of the farmers in these districts during the six decades after the fall of the Maratha empire, and how it came to be affected by accumulated indebtedness, heavy assessment for land revenue, and massive fluctuations in prices of agricultural produce and provides wealth of information about these.

Invited to comment on the India Development Report 2011, published by Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research, Mumbai, at its Release by Dr, D. Subbarao, Governor, Reserve Bank of India, on 11 July 2011.

Invited to participate in the International Conference on "Dynamics of Global Recession and Corporate Strategies for Survival and Growth" organised by Gujarat Technology University, Ahmedabad, in collaboration with Parul Group of Institutes, Parul Campus, Baroda on 6-8, January 2012, as a Panel Speaker in the Technical Session on Economic Scenario in US, Europe and Emerging Markets. Presented a paper on "Euro Zone Crisis: Economics and Politics Impinging on Euro".

Invited to deliver an Inaugural Address to the Faculty Development Seminar of South Gujarat University on February 24, 2012. Delivered an Address on the Eurozone Crisis.

Invited to speak about late Professor Suresh Tendulkar on 4 February 2012 in the National Seminar on Two Decades of India's Economic Reforms – Understanding Poverty, Inequality and Regional Disparity, organised by Sir Parashurambhau College of Arts, Science& Commerce, Pune, on 2-4 February 2012.

Invited to evaluate proposals for a research grant in memory of Late Professor P.R. Brahmananda at the Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bangalore.

Evaluated Ph. D. thesis entitled, "Core Inflation and Monetary Policy in India", submitted by Mr. Bichchal Motilal Anand to Department of Economics, School of Social Sciences of the University of Hyderabad.

Worked as a Member of the Selection Committee for Professors and Associate Professors at the Indian Institute of Education, Pune, on 20-21, April, 2011 and on 31 January 2012.

Continued to work as Member, Board of Management, and Member, Selection Committee of Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research, Mumbai.

Worked as a Member, Governing Council, Centre for Multi-Disciplinary Development Research, Dharwad.

Worked as a Member, Search Committee for Director, Centre for Multi-Disciplinary Development Research, Dharwad.

Was appointed member, Executive Council, Post-Graduate Programme in Banking and Finance of National Institute of Bank Management, Pune, for a term of three years.

Following of my papers were published during the year under report:

(Jointly with Abhay Tilak) "Is There a Case of Re-organisation of States?", *Journal of Indian School of Political Economy*, Vol. No. 1-4, 2009, pp. 1-191.

"India Development Report2011-Review", *Journal of Quantitative Economics*, July 2011, pp. 173-183.

#### **SUB-SECTION II**

# Prof. L. K. Deshpande

# 1) Project in hand

The Kanara Saraswat Association, a caste-based association of the Chitrapur Saraswats, invited me and Dr. Sudha Deshpande to undertake the census of population and a broad socioeconomic survey of the members of the Saraswat community. The office bearers of the Association wanted to help the needy but they did not know who and where the needy were and what they needed. The community is highly educated and unlikely to show a high incidence of absolute poverty. None knows the extent of income inequality in the community and how it is affecting the community socially and psychologically. The more articulate members express concern about loss of cohesion and interest in participation in Math and Association-based activities in general and alienation of the youth in particular; declining and ageing population of Saraswats; spread of consumerism; inter-caste marriages; dissonance between rising expectations of parents from their children and the native capabilities of children; increasing divorces; shifts in consumption patterns and so on.

Neither the precise number of households nor the population of Saraswats is known despite the pioneering role of community in holding cast-based census, the first being in 1911. According to the Directory of subscribers to the Shirali Math, the seat of the religious head of the community, the Saraswat households numbered 6400 in 2008/09. The community has a large pool of volunteers who collect annual subscriptions from households allotted to them. Many of them agreed to work as enumerators for the project. Preliminaries of the field work such as framing the questionnaire, training supervisors and investigators at different places in Maharashtra, Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh were done in January and February. Field work was started in March but we had no control over it. Consequently the response was poor and indifferent. The Association decided that we prepare an interim report based on the data from 2495 (39% of 6400) schedules that were computerised till October 31, 2011. This report relates to Part 1 of the schedule relating to census of population only. The Association informs us that they have succeeded in getting the some of the data gaps in these schedules filled and also collected additional schedules. We are awaiting the receipt of the additional data.

# 2)Article

'Occupational Citizenship: Foundation of Utopia of Good Society' to be published in the forthcoming issue of the Indian Journal of Labour Economics

Book Review Article on 'Work after Globalization: Building Occupational Citizenship' authored by Guy Standing, published by Edward Elgar, Cheltenham UK and Northampton, MA, USA.

# Prof. Ravindra H. Dholakia

#### Published Books

Bajpai, Nirupam and Dholakia, Ravindra H., *Improving the Performance of the Accredited Social Health Activists (ASHA) in India*, UNICEF and The Earth Institute, Columbia University, May-2011

Rangarajan C, Ravindra H. Dholakia and others, Report of the High Level Committee on Efficient Management of Public Expenditure, Government of India, Planning Commission, New Delhi, September, 2011

#### **Monographs**

- **1.** Dholakia, Ravindra H. and Mahapatra, Diptiranjan, *Natural Gas Pricing, Utilization and Infrastructure*", Submitted to Confederation of Indian Industry, New Delhi, 2011
- 2. Bajpai, Nirupam and Dholakia, Ravindra H., *Improving the Integration of Health and Nutrition Sectors in India*, Columbia Global Centres South Asia Working Paper Series No.2, May 2011 http://globalcenters.columbia.edu/southasia/
- 3. Dharmadhikari, D.M., Ravindra H. Dholakia, Rajeshwar Dayal and Syed Nasir Ali., *Report of Expert Committee on HR Issues of the Merged Air India*, Submitted to Ministry of Civil Aviation, Govt. of India, New Delhi, January 31, 2012

# Chapters in Monographs and Books

- 1. Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Regional Sources of Growth Acceleration in India", in P.Balakrishnan (Ed), *Economic Reforms and Growth in India*, Hyderabad, Orient BlackSwan Pvt. Ltd., 2011
- 2. Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Understanding Indian Economic Growth: Some Observations", in P.Balakrishnan (Ed), *Economic Reforms and Growth in India*, Hyderabad, Orient BlackSwan Pvt. Ltd., 2011
- 3. Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Foreword", in Samir Joshi, Wahid Hejazi and Nivedita Bhadarka (Eds.): *Changing Economic Environment and Performance of the Nations India and Canada*, New Delhi, Excel India Publishers, 2012

#### Articles in Professional Journals

- 1. Dholakia, Ravindra H., and Sapre, Amey, "Gujarat's Growth Story", *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol.46, No.32, August 6-12, 2011, pp. 122-124
- 2. Dholakia, Ravindra H. and Sapre, Amey, "Estimmating Structural Breaks Endogenously in India's Post-Independence Growth Path: An Empirical Critique", *Journal of Quantitative Economics*, New Series Volume 9, No.2, pp. 73-87

# Published Articles in Periodicals, Financial dailies & Newspapers

- 1. Dholakia, Ravindra H, "Compensation and Benefits Pay for Performance", *Human Factor* (Monthly), August 2011
- 2. Dholakia, Ravindra H, "Pranabda breaks Gujarat's heart" *Times of India*, March 18, 2012, pp 2

# Papers Read at Professional Conferences and Workshops

- 1. Dholakia, Archana and Ravindra H. Dholakia, "Policy Reforms and Economic Development in Gujarat", Seminar on Role of Government Policies in Growth and Development held at National Institute of Public Finance and Policy, New Delhi on October 1, 2011
- 2. Dholakia, Ravindra H. and (Late) Nanda K. Choudhry, "Use of Generalized Inverse to Regionalize the National I-O Table A Suggested Non-Survey Method", presented at 16<sup>th</sup> International IORA-India Conference held at Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, Pune, March 6-8, 2012
- 3. Sethia, Deepak and Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Issues in Preparing Back Series of State Income with Base Year 2004-05: Challenges for State Bureaus", Annual Conference of IARNIW held at Directorate of Economics and Statistics, Puducherry, March 15-16, 2012
- 4. Pandya, Manish and Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Estimating Urban and Rural Incomes in India in 2010-11", Annual Conference of IARNIW held at Directorate of Economics and Statistics, Puducherry, March 15-16, 2012

# Invited Seminars/Colloquia

- 1. Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Usefulness and relevance of NSSO Data", Inaugural Address for the Seminar organized by NSSO on the Statistics Day at Gujarat Vidyapith, Ahmedabad, July 29, 2011
- 2. Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Global Economic Development and Indian Economy", Lecture delivered at College of Defence Management, Secunderabad, July 30, 2011
- 3. Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Is Agricultural Growth and Diversification Sustainable in Gujarat?", Address to Conference on Green Revolution-2 organized by ASSOCHAM and Government of Gujarat, Ahmedabad, August 25, 2011
- 4. Dholakia, Ravindra H., "FDI in Multi-Brand Retail", Panel discussion for 30 minutes on Doordarshan TV first telecast on December 5, 2011 and subsequently two times

- 5. Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Dynamics of Global Recession: Economic and Corporate Strategy for Survival and Growth", Keynote Address in the Inaugural Session at an International Conference organized by the Gujarat Technical University and Parul Group of Industries at Vadodara on January 6, 2012
- 6. Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Making ASHA more Efficient and Effective under NRHM", presentation at UNICEF Seminar on ASHA at Delhi on January 27, 2012
- 7. Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Fiscal Policy Reforms in India" Lecture in the Faculty Development Programme under I.G.Patel Trust at Surat on February 27, 2012
- 8. Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Expectations from the Union Budget- 2012-13", Pre-Budget Three-Hour Panel Discussion on Zee-News TV during 8am to 11am on March 16, 2012
- 9. Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Comments on the Union Budget- 2012-13", Post-Budget Two-Hour Panel Discussion on Zee-News TV during 12.30pm to 2.30pm on March 16, 2012
- 10 Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Remarks from the Chair", in the session on Universal Health Coverage organized by the Institute of Public Health Management at Ahmedabad on March 17, 2012
- Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Analysis of the Union Budget- 2012-13", Lecture to the MBA students of Sardar Patel University at Vallabh Vidyanagar on March 17, 2012

#### Unpublished (Include names of co-authors, if any)

- 1. Iyengar, Shreekant and Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Access of the Rural Poor to Primary Healthcare in India", IIM-A Working Paper No.2011-05-03, May 2011
- 2. Sapre, Amey and Dholakia, Ravindra H., "Speed of Adjustment and Inflation Unemployment Tradeoff in Developing Countries Case of India", IIM-A Working Paper No.2011-07-01, May 2011
- 3. Dholakia, Ravindra H., and Pandya, Manish H., "Estimating Urban and Rural Incomes in Gujarat, 1993-94 to 2004-05", IIM-A Working Paper No.2011-09-02

### **Proforma for Research Projects**

1.	Name of the Project	Improving the Performance of ASHA in NRHM	
2.	Name(s) of faculty/research staff	Dholakia, Ravindra H.	
3.	Area under which to be categorised	Economics & PSG	
4.	Sponsor(s)	UNICEF through Earth Institute, Columbia University	
5.	Seed grant □ Project grant √ Classification □ Primary Focus □		
6.	Current Status	Completed	
7.	Date of Commencement	2010	
8.	Expected date of completion	2011	
9.	Has a Working Paper/Research Report/ Monograph been produced:	Yes	
10.	Scope and Objectives:		
	Role of Accredited Social Health Activist (ASHA) under National Rural Health Mission to be studied with field visits in five selected states in India and specific suggestions made to the International Advisory Panel for improvement and strengthening the performance of ASHA.		

1.	Name of the Project	Improving Health and Nutrition Sectors in India under NRHM		
2.	Name(s) of faculty/research staff	Dholakia, Ravindra H.		
3.	Area under which to be categorised	Economics & PSG		
4.	Sponsor(s)	UNICEF through the Earth Institute, Columbia University		
5.	Seed grant □ Project grant √ Classification	□ Primary Focus □		
6.	Current Status	Completed		
7.	Date of Commencement	2010		
8.	Expected date of completion	2011		

9.	Has a Working Paper/Research Report/	Yes		
	Monograph been produced:			
10.	Scope and Objectives:			
	Current status of the role and interactions between the primary health and nutrition sectors in the rural Indito be studied with field visits in five selected states and specific suggestions for improvement to be made the International Advisory Panel for strengthening NRHM in the country.			

		<b>Outside Activities</b>			
Name of Institution		Nature of Involvement		Duration	
Ministry of Civil Aviation, GoI		Member, Committee on Air India Merger	11 months May 2011 – March 12		
Dharmsinh Desai University		Member, Academic Council	Several years now		
Gujarat Institute of Development Research, Ahmedabad		Trustee & Member, BoG and Chairman, A & A Committee	Several years now		
Indian Health Economics and Policy Association		President	One year		
Power Finance Corpn. of India		Independent Director		Two Years	
State Trading Corporation		Independent Director	One Year		
APSEZ		Independent Director	One Year		

# Prof. Surinder S. Jodhka

# **Research Publications:**

#### **Books**

Village Society: Culture, Politics and Social Life in Rural India: Orient Blackswan. Edited. 2012

Changing Caste: Mobility, Ideology and Identity. New Delhi: Sage Publications. Edited. **2012.** 

# **Research Papers**

Plural Societies and Imperatives of Change: Interrogating Religion and Development in South Asia *Economic and Political Weekly*. **January 7, 2012** vol xlvIi no I: 43-44

'Religions, Democracy and Governance: Spaces for the Marginalised in Contemporary India' (with Gurpreet Mahajan) *Economic and Political Weekly*. **January 7, 2012** vol xlvIi no I: 45-52.

'In the Name of Development: Mapping 'Faith-Based Organisations' in Maharashtra' (with Pradyumna Bora) *Economic and Political Weekly*. **January 7, 2012** vol xlvIi no I: 77-85.

Caste. Oxford Bibliographies Online. New York: Oxford University Press 2011

# **Popular Articles and Book Reviews:**

'How Caste matters and Doesn't Matter'. Mint, The Wall Street Journal. January 25 2012.

Review of Baviskar Amita and Raka Ray (eds.) (2011) *Elite and Everyman: The cultural politics of the Indian middle classes*. New Delhi: Routledge in *Seminar* number 626. 2011.

# **Recently Delivered Lectures/Talks:**

'Communities: Old and New'. Plenary Lecture, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai. February 17 2012.

'Rural Social Change: Learning from the Indian Experience'. SANPAD, Durban, November 22 2011.

'Agrarian Changes in the Times of (Neo-Liberal) "Crises" Revisiting Attached Labour in Haryana'. University of Oxford. July 2011.

# Prof. Suhas Palshikar

# A) Work Completed

- Electoral Democracy and structures of Domination: A Study of Assembly Elections in Maharashtra-2009, Report submitted (Nov. 2011) to the UGC for the Major research project.
- Comparative study of State politics in India, report submitted (November 2011) to BCUD, University of Pune for the BCUD Project.
- Review of Election Studies (1977-2010), Report submitted to ICSSR (July2011) for its commissioned project.

# B) Work in progress:

- Member, Steering Committee, National Election Study, 2009, Lokniti Project, (2009-)
- Member, Core team of investigators, State of Democracy in South Asia, Round II, Lokniti, CSDS (2011-)
- An overview report on Politics in Maharashtra, commissioned by Planning Department, Govt of Maharashtra, for the Committee on Balanced Regional Development (2011-)

# Other Information

- Head, Dept of Politics since April 2011
- Member/Chair of various UoP committees
- Hon. Director, Lokniti-- Programme, on Comparative Democracy, CSDS, Delhi; 2008-
- Fellow, Indian School of Political Economy, Pune, 2006-
- Chief Advisor, Political Science, NCERT; 2005-
- Member, Executive Board, Samaj Prabodhan Samstha, Pune; 2000-
- Coordinator and resource person in the 'Workshop on Quantitative methods for the study of Indian Politics' jointly held by CSDS and Jain University Bengaluru
- Reviewer for OUP, Routledge, Orient Blackswan and the journal, Asian Politics and Policy

- Member, Academic Council, GIPE, 2011-13
- Expert Commentator, Political Affairs, IBN-Lokmat TV Channel

#### **Publications**

- A Moment of Spurious Democracy, Seminar, 629, Jan. 2012, pp. 28-31.
- Towards Radical Social Sciences: Lessons from D.R. Gadgil, in Sulabha Brahme (ed.), 2011, The Indian Political Economy: Problems and Prospects—Selected Writings of D.R. Gadgil, New Delhi, OUP, pp. 409-424.
- Nirarthakateche Rajkaran, Pariwartanacha Watsaru, 1-15 March, 2012, 11-18.
- Rajakiy Udyojakacncha Uday, *Grahak Heet*, November, 2011, 278-284.
- Sansadeey Lokshahipudhachi Avhane, *Pariwartanacha Watsaru*, Special Issue, November 2011, 295-303.
- Binasaslelya Rajkarnachya Mulashi.., *Anubhav*, November 2011, 58-66/175-76.
- Bahupadari Apayash, *Akshar*, Annual, November 2011, 55-64
- Maharashtrachya Rajakiya Arthawyawasthatmak Mulyampanachi Choukat, *Pariwartanacha Watsaru*, 1-15 May, 2011; 5-10.
- Prastavana (Introduction), Naxalwadache Avhan, Devendra Gawande, 2011, Pune, Sadhana, 13-23.
- Khanderao, Adgal Awarat Ja Rao!, Anubhay, April, 2011,
- Bheem Shakti-Shivshakti: Dalit Rajakaranapudhil Pech, Kanta Abhay, Tukaram Jadhav and Surendra Jondhale (eds.), 2011, *Ripublicananchi Harakiri*, Pune, Pari Pariwartanacha Watsaru publication, 118-123

# Monographs and Reports

- Reimagining Maharashtra: Towards Creative Politics, Draft submitted to the Committee on Regional Imbalances, Planning Dept, GoM, Feb 2012
- Electoral Democracy and structures of Domination: A Study of Assembly Elections in Maharashtra-2009, Report submitted (Nov. 2011) to the UGC for the Major research project.
- Comparative study of State politics in India, report submitted (November 2011) to BCUD, University of Pune for the BCUD Project.
- Review of Election Studies (1977-2010), Report submitted to ICSSR; July2011; *accepted by ICSSR*

# Conference/Seminar Participation

- International Workshop on reworking the Global Barometer Questionnaire for South Asia study, Delhi, Feb 2012
- Practice of Secularism in Maharashtra, paper read at the National Seminar on Actually Existing secularism across states of India, CSDS, Delhi, Feb 2012
- Convenor, Panel on Diversifying the Idea of Democracy, at the International Sociology Conference of the World Sociology Congress held at Delhi, February 2012
- Conducted a session at the Training workshop for the study of urban local elections jointly organized by Dept of Politics, UoP, SP College Pune and H.V. Desai College, Pune, 11 Jan., 2012
- Targeting the Outsider: Two Moments of anti-Migrant politics, 2012, paper read at the 14<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Maharashtra Culture and Society, Dept of Civics and Politics, University of Mumbai, 6-8 January.

- International Workshop on Comparative state Politics: Issues of Identity and representation, December 17-20, Dept of Politics and CSDS, held at Pune
- Language as Basis of Politics, International Conference on Multiligualism organized by Department of Foreign Languages, University of Pune, November 2011
- International Workshop for framing the study of comparative democracy in South Asia, Kathmandu, Nepal, September, 2011
- Presentation on National Election Studies in India at the Plenary of the CSES Project of Michigan University held at Mexico city, June 11-13, 2011

# Organization of Seminars/Workshops

- Research Students' Workshop , Dept of Politics & Pub Admin., University of Pune. 24 march 2012
- State level Seminar on Local Elections in Maharashtra, Dept of Politics & Admin., University of Pune, 17 March 2012
- Co-organizer of International Workshop on Framing the Global barometer Questionnaire for South Asia study, Delhi, Feb 2012
- Co-organizer of the International Workshop on Framing comparative study of democracy in South Asia, Kathmandu, September 2011

# Extension/Guest Lectures

- Lecture on Corruption and Democracy at Research Students' Seminar, Zoology Department, UoP, Feb 4, 2012
- Lecture on the Relevance of the Discipline of Political Science, 25 Jan., 2012; Dept of Politics, Fergusson College, Pune
- Lecture on Challenges before Democratic system: Indian Context, 12 December, 2011, ISPE, Pune
- Lecture on Caste and Politics in India at Dr. Ambedkar Institute of Social and Economic Change, Mumbai, 4 Dec 2011
- Lecture on the Anti-corruption Agitation at Economics Department, UoP, Aug 26, 2011
- Resource person at the Refresher Courses organized by Dr Ambedkar Studies Centre, UoP—Jan 20 and March 1, 2012

# Prof. S. Sriraman

### (A) Journal Articles:

- 1. Transport and Environmental Regulation, RITES JOURNAL, Vol.14, No.1, January 2012.
- 2. Urban Transport Governance with special reference to Mumbai, The Journal Governance, Vol.4, January 2012
- 3. Bus Transport Regulation in India, paper to be soon published by the CUTS Institute for Regulation and Competition, New Delhi.

# (B) Other Articles in Newspapers/Magazines

Review of book "Beyond the invisible Hand: Groundwork for a New Economics, published by Penguin books, New Delhi, 2011, RITES JOURNAL, Vol.14, No1, June 2012.

# (C) Seminars/ Conferences/ Workshops

- 1. Organised a workshop on "Public Private Partnership in Transport" on July 2, 2011 at the ICSSR Conference Hall, Kalina Campus, University of Mumbai on behalf of the Walchand Hirachand Unit in Transport Economics, Department of Economics, University of Mumbai.
- 2. Presented a paper on ""An approach to a National Urban Transport Policy Framework for India" at the Dandekar Memorial National Seminar held at the Indian school of Political Economy, Pune, September 21-22.
- 3. Organised a Workshop on "Finalising the Memorandum to the National Transport Development Committee (Rakesh Mohan) on behalf of Road Transport Industry, March 22, 2012 at the Department of Economic, University of Mumbai.

#### (D) Other Activities

- a) Worked as a member of the Working Group on Railways, set up by the Railway Board, New Delhi.
- b) Worked as the Chairman of a Working Group to examine issues relating to Pricing and Costing of Railway Services, Railway Board, New Delhi.
- c) Worked on the Board of Studies of the Centre for Habitat Studies, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai.
- d) Member of the Research and Recognition Committee in Economics, S.N.D.T. University, Mumbai.
- e) Worked for three months (December 2011 and February 2011) as a Member of the Budget Scrutiny Committee appointed by the Management Council, University o Mumbai for the purpose of careful scrutiny of the budget of the University.
- f) Member of the Board of Studies, Symbiosis School of Economics, Pune.
- g) Member of the Committee to finalise the MBA Programme in Transport Management being offered jointly by the Indira Gandhi National Open University and the Institute of Rail Management, New Delh from 2012-13.
- h) Member of the Committee to finalise the BA (Road Transportation) Programme being offered by the Yashwantrao Chawan Maharashtra Open University, Nashik from 2012-13.
- i) Was actively involved with the work of the All India Confederation of Goods Vehicles Owners Association in submitting detailed memorandum the National Transport Development Policy Committee (Rakesh Mohan) on various issue relating to the trucking industry in India.
- j) Continued to serve on the Advisory Group on "Modernisation of the Trucking Industry in India" set up by the Shriram Group of Companies, Chennai.
- k) Continued to serve as a Member of the Editorial Board of the RITES Journal.
- 1) Currently serving a Member of a Jury (sponsored by CEAT) to finalise awards for the Road Transport Sector in India for 2011-2012.

#### (F) Ph.D. Students

Name and Topic of Ph.D student who has submitted thesis during this year under my supervision: Vidya Mohite on "The Housing Sector in India with special reference to the Urban Poor" submitted in June 2011.

# (G) Ongoing Work

- 1. Involved in preparatory work for setting up Truckers Cooperatives in Sangli, Maharashtra.
- 2. Working on a Model Concession agreement for Bus Transport in India along with representatives of the government and the industry.

# Dr. Yogendra Yadav

# A) Appendix I

# Reports/Papers/Articles in Journals/Books (Published)

- "Elections and Political Representation in Contemporary India", in Jahrbuch 2009/2010, ed. by Herausgegeben von Luca Giuliani and Mit Berichten Und Beiträgen Von, Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin: Institute for Advance Study.
- Transition, Stagnations and Transformations, Seminar, No. 620, April 2011.
- Ambedkar and Lohia: A Dialogue on Caste, Seminar, No. 629, January 2012.
- 'Preface' in *Anna: 13 Days That Awakened India* by Ashutosh, Delhi: Harper Collins Publishers, 2012.

#### Lectures/Seminars/Talks/Conferences

- Delivered a lecture in a panel discussion on "Media and Corruption" organized by Foundation for Media Professionals, New Delhi, August 2011.
- Participated in prepetry workshop on "State of Democracy in South Asia" at Kathmandu, September 7-9, 2011.
- Address a conversation organised by Aadi Dharma Samaj, New Delhi, September 24, 2011.
- Participated in a dialogue on "National Dialogue on the Victims of Socio-Economic Injustices in Democratic India" organised by Lokniti, CSDS at United Theological College, Bangaluru, October 1-2, 2011.
- Participated in a consultation on "Higher Education in 12<sup>th</sup> Plan" organised by Publics and Policies Programme, CSDS, New Delhi, October 8, 2011.
- Presentation on "Electoral Reform" in a seminar organised by NAPM, Gandhi Darshan, Delhi, November 1, 2011.

- Presented a paper on "Ambedkar-Lohia Dialogue" in a seminar "Annihilation of Caste" at IIAS, Shimla, November 21-23, 2011.
- Presented a paper on "Ambedkar-Lohia Dialogue" in CSDS Retreat, Orchha, November 30 – December 3, 2011.
- Delivered a lecture on "Learning from Ambedkar-Lohia dialogue on Caste" at Sarvodya Bhawan, Hissar, December 11, 2011.
- Participated in a seminar on "Comparative State Politics" Pune, December 17-18, 2011.
- Participated in a workshop on "Participatory Policy Consultation" organised by Publics and Policies Programme, CSDS at Teenmurti, New Delhi, January 18-19, 2012.
- Moderated a session in a seminar on "Fixing Electoral Boundaries in India and its Implication for Political Representation" organised by CSDS, Delhi, January 27-28, 2012.
- Delivered lectures on "Chunav Sudhar, Vaikalpik Rajniti aur Vyavastha Parivartan" organised by SM Joshi Foundation at Jalgaon, Pune, Mumbai and Aurangabad, December 19-22, 2011.
- Made a presentation on "Policy to Promote Excellence in Social Science and Humanities" at ICSSR, February 7-8, 2012.
- Participated in a Planning workshop organised by Lokniti for State of Democracy in South Asia meeting, Delhi, February 15-16, 2012.
- Participated as a Chair of the Plenary Session "The Future of Democracy" in 40<sup>th</sup> World Congress on February 18, 2012 at India Habitat Centre, Delhi.
- Commented on "The Painful Transition" at Department of Political Science, University of Delhi in a seminar on Prof. Achin Vanaik, February 22, 2012.
- Participated in "Global Conversations on Democracy and Democratisation" on February 25-27, 2012 in Surajkund.
- Moderated a panel discussion on "Youth Politics in India" Delhi, February 27, 2012.
- Moderated a panel discussion on the release of PAISA report, Delhi, March 20, 2012.
- Moderated a session on "Electoral Reform" in Jansansad, organised by NAPM, March 21, 2012.
- Delivered a lecture on "The Future of Indian Democracy" Hyderabad, March 22, 2012.
- Delivered a lecture on "The Political Theory for India" Hyderabad, March 23, 2012.

# Articles in Newspapers/Magazines

- Anna ka Aandolan Subh Hai, Basharte Vah Aalochakon Se Sikhe, Samayik Varta, No.3, April 2011.
- Kerala me Kisi Suspense ki Ummeed Na Kare, Amar Ujala April 11, 2011 and also in Prabhat Khabar, and BBC Hindi
- Pashchim Bengal me 'Poribortan' ki Bayar, Amar Ujala, April 27, 2011 and also in Prabhat Khabar, and BBC Hindi.
- Vaikalpik Vampanth ke Liye Avasar, Samayik Varta, No.4, May 2011.
- Ye Jo Public Hai, Amar Ujala, May 13, 2011 and also in Prabhat Khabar, and BBC Hindi.
- Mahendra Singh Tikait aur Kisan Aandolan, May 23, 2011.
- Anshan par Betal ka Sawal, Amar Ujala, June 5, 2011 and also in, Prabhat Khabar, and BBC Hindi.
- Rajniti ke Vikalp ya Vaikalpik Rajniti, Amar Ujala, June 20, 2011 and also in Prabhat Khabar, and BBC Hindi.
- Mizoram me Shanti ke Pachchis Sal, Amar Ujala, July 4, 2011 and also in,
   Prabhat Khabar, and BBC Hindi.
- The More They (Don't) Remain The Same, Outlook, February 27, 2012
- Election results 2012: Regime change doesn't spell end of Rahul Gandhi,
   Mayawati Empire, Economics Times, March 7, 2012.
- Congress ki Vifalta ka Arth, Amar Ujala, March 12, 2012.
- How to get it Wrong, Outlook, March 19, 2012

# **Television Programmes**

- Political Analyst cum Psephologist in Special live television programme on counting of the results of Assembly Election Study 2011: A Post Poll Survey of Voters Attitudes, Opinions and Political Choices in states of Assam, Kerala, Tamilnadu and West Bengal, at CNN-IBN, April-May 2011.
- Presented the findings of Assembly Election Study 2011: A Post Poll Survey of Voters Attitudes, Opinions and Political Choices in states of Assam, Kerala, Tamilnadu and West Bengal, at CNN-IBN, April-May 2011.
- Expert Guest in Special television programmes on assembly elections to Assam, Kerala, Tamilnadu and West Bengal, IBN-7, April-May 2011.
- Expert guest for "State of the Nation Survey", at CNN-IBN, July-August 2011.

- Expert guest for "State of the Nation Survey", at IBN-7, July-August 2011.
- Commentator of Anna movement in several programmes at CNN-IBN and IBN-7, August 2011.
- Two special half hour interviews on IBN-Lokmat (marathi channel) on Anna Movement, August and December 2011.
- Political Analyst cum Psephologist in Special live television programme on counting of the results of Assembly Elections in Uttar Pradesh, Uttrakhand, Punjab, Goa and Manipur, CNN-IBN Channel, February-March 2012.
- Presented the findings of Assembly Election Study, 2012, A Post Poll Study conducted in states of Uttar Pradesh, Uttrakhand, Punjab and Manipur, at CNN-IBN, February-March 2012.
- Expert Guest in Special television programmes on assembly elections to Uttar Pradesh, Uttrakhand, Punjab, Goa and Manipur, IBN-7, February-March 2012.
- Expert Guest in Special programme on elections to Uttar Pradesh and other assemblies, CNBC, February-March 2012.
- "Ask Yogendra Yadav" a special show on CNN-IBN on psephology and outcomes of the assembly elections, CNN-IBN, 7 March 2011.
- Regular political analyst and commentator for CNBC
- Occasional participation in programmes at Rajya Sabha TV.
- Occasional participation in programmes at Loksabha TV.

# **Training and Curriculum Development**

- Summer School on Quantitative Methods in Political Science Research held at Jain University, Bangaluru, May 14-26, 2011.
- One semester M.Phil course "Methods and Approaches to the Study of Democracy in India" at Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2011-12.

# **Other Academic Activities**

#### **Projects completed**

- (With Rajeev Bhargava) Global Conversations on Democracy and Democratization, Funded by Ford Foundation,
- (With Sanjay Kumar) Assembly Election Study, 2012, A Post Poll Study conducted in states of Uttar Pradesh, Uttrakhand, Punjab and Manipur, February-March 2012.
- (With Sanjay Kumar) Assembly Election Study 2011: A Post Poll Survey of Voters Attitudes, Opinions and Political Choices in states of Assam, Kerala, Tamilnadu and West Bengal, April-May 2011.
- (With Sanjay Kumar) State of the Nation Survey, July-August 2011.

# **Projects in Progress**

(With Rajaram Tolpadi) Selected Works of Rammanohar Lohia

# B) Appendix II

# Member of Academic/Advisory/Editorial Bodies

# **Academic/Editorial Responsibilities**

- Editor, Samayik Varta, a monthly political magazine in Hindi,
- Member, Editorial Board, Peoples' Movement,
- Member, International Advisory Board, European Journal of Political Research,
- Member, Governing Body, Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla,
- Member, Governing Council, Indian Council of Social Science Research, Delhi.
- Member, Research Council, Indian Council of Social Science Research, Delhi.
- Honorary Fellow, Indian School of Political Economy, Pune.

# **Advisory Responsibilities**

- Member, University Grant Commission.
- Member, Assessment and Monitoring Authority [to monitor the performance of all the minority related schemes of Government of India], Planning Commission, Government of India.
- Member, National Advisory Council on Right to Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India.
- Member, Search-cum-Selection Committee for selecting Director, NCERT
- Member, Search-cum-Selection Committee for Fellowships instituted by Rajya Sabha
- Chair, Task Force on Research and Evaluation, NAC on RTE, Ministry of Human Resource Development.
- Member, Steering Committee on Empowerment of SC, ST and OBC for the 12<sup>th</sup> Five Year Plan, Planning Commission, Government of India
- Special Invitee, Steering Committee on Higher and Technical Education for the 12<sup>th</sup> Five Year Plan, Planning Commission, Government of India
- Member, Sub Committee on Affirmative Action, National Advisory Council, Government of India
- Member, Task force on Mobilisation and Publicity, NAC on RTE, Ministry of Human Resource Development
- Member, Sub-Committee on 12<sup>th</sup> plan, ICSSR
- Member, Committee on Conflict of Interests, University Grants Commission
- Member, Committee on Area Studies Programmes, University Grants Commission

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