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Educational Qualifications					
Degree		Institution			Year
MSc	University of Nottingham, England				2011

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2019

Career Profile

PhD

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Teaching different economics papers since last 27 years in college and university levels: Econometrics, Macro Economics, Political Economy and Development Economics.

Administrative Assignments

Worked as a convener and member in different college and university level committees for admission, time table, paper setting, evaluation and syllabus etc. works.

Areas of Interest / Specialization

Econometrics, Macroeconomics, Political Economy and Development Economics

Subjects Taught

MBA (Business Economics), BA (Hons) Economics and BA (Program)

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Research Guidance

Publications Profile

- Co-Editor of the edited book from the Springer, entitled "Development Outlook of Education and Migration: Indian Perspective" (September, 2023).Link: https://link.springer.com/chapter/10.1007/978-3-031-39382-2_1.
- Paper on Leaning into a Critical Theory of Love to Adaptively Engage in Teaching and Learning During COVID-19 in India and the US", with Witenstein, M. A. International Journal of Educational Reform. 24th May, 2023. Link: https://doi.org/10.1177/10567879231176263.



Faculty Details



- Paper on "Re-Examining Vocational Education in Indian Education System on Reproducing Status quo among the Marginalized, jointly written with Vaishali in the journal Diaspora, Indigenous, and Minority Education, 1-16. 4th April, 2023. Link: https://doi.org/10.1080/15595692.2023.2193882.
- Paper on "Age, wage and vintage: Empirical validation of brain drain in the migration of Indian knowledge workers to the United States of America" jointly written with Binod Khadria in the Asian and Pacific Migration Journal, 31(4), 355–381. 22 February, 2023. Link: https://doi.org/10.1177/01171968231153714 •
- Chapter on "Migration, Health and Development in India, South Asia and China:
 Perspectives in the COVID-19 Era" Jointly written with Binod Khadria and
 Ratnam Mishra, published in International Development Policy, Volume: 14,
 Link: Governing Migration for Development from the Global Souths Challenges
 and Opportunities | Brill •
- Defacto Privatization in Education and Populist Budget Through NEP 2020' coauthored in EPW on February, 2022. Vol. LVII No.9. Link:https://www.epw.in/journal/2022/9/commentary/de-facto-privatisationeducation-and-p opulist.html ●
- "Stimulating economy via fiscal package: The only way out to save vulnerable Workers' lives and livelihood in Covid-19 pandemic", co-authored and published in Journal of Public Affairs on Feb 1, 2021

 Link:https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC7995184/ ●
- Paper on "The UN Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration: Its Impact on Asia" Jointly written with Binod Khadria and Imelda Nicolas, Takgon Lee, Jigmin Yangand Ychen Jang, published in International Migration, 27th October, 2019, Link: https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/abs/10.1111/imig.12654 •
- Chapter on "Privatization and shrinking free space in Indian higher education: challenges for inclusive knowledge society" (with Gaurav J. Pathania) in "Education and the Public Sphere Exploring the Structures of Mediation in PostColonial India", 1st Edition, book edited by Suresh Babu; Routledge. Link:https://www.routledge.com/Education-and-the-Public-Sphere-Exploringthe-Structures-of-Mediation/GS/p/book/99781138495371. ●
- Chapter contributed in a book edited by Prof JBG Tilak, "Declining Public Funding and Increasing Private Expenditure in Neo-Liberal Regime: Challenges Ahead for Universalisation of Secondary Education" Link: https://books.google.co.in/books?id=gfryDwAAQBAJ&pg=PA12&lpg ●
- Chapter on "Graduate Employability and Outcomes in India and Australia" (with Shelley Kinash and Amy Bannatyne) in "Teaching and Learning in Higher Education in India and Australia", 1st Edition, Book edited by James Arvanitakis, Bhushan Sudhanshu, Nayantara Pothen, Aarti Srivastava; Routledge (August, 2019) .Link:https://www.routledge.com/Teaching-and-Learning-in-Higher-

Education-in-India-and-Australia/Arvanitakis-Bhushan-Pothen-Srivastava/p/book/9780367275228 ●

- Chapter on 'Gender Divide of Indian Diaspora in the US Labour Market: A Comparative Analysis of Male-Female Wages and Education across Knowledge and Service Workers' (with Professor Binod Khadria) in a book, edited, 'Women
 - in the Indian Diaspora', by Dr. Amba Pandey, Springer, published in December, 2018.Link; https://www.springer.com/gp/book/9789811059506#aboutBook
- Report on 'India's Human Capital in Gen-Y and -Z: Constructs of an Index of Service Production in Education' from Melbourne Graduate School of Education, The University of Melbourne, October, 2016 (Paper with Professor Binod Khadria and
 - ReemAshraf).Link:https://education.unimelb.edu.au/yrc/resources/research-publications#2016.
- Paper on 'Defacto Privatization in Indian Public Higher Education: A Transition from Four- year undergraduate Programme to Choice-based Credit System', paper published in the journal Economic and Political Weekly, Vol. 51, Issue No. 9, 27
 Feb, 2016. Link: https://www.epw.in/journal/2016/9/commentary/de-factoprivatisation-indian-public-higher-education.html
- Paper published on "Skill Development or De-skilling through Privatization of Indian VET System: Emerging Challenges for Sustainable Development" in IASS Quarterly Journal; Indian Association of Social Science Institutions (IASSI), February,
 - 2018.Link:http://www.indianjournals.com/ijor.aspx?target=ijor:iassi&volume=37 &issu e=1&type=ttoc.

Conference / Presentations / Workshops

- 1. Two Lectures given on WTO, NEP 2020 and Indian Higher Education in NIEPA (2025)
- 2. Expert for Economics NEP Syllabus of Graduation and Post Graduation in Uttarakhand during 2025
- 3. External examiner of Introductory Econometrics in St. Stephen College, Hindu College and Ramjas College in 2025
- 4. External examiner of PhD students in NIEPA during 2024-25
- Member of a Sub-committee on the construction and estimation of Index for Service Production (ISP) of Education Services, Government of India, 2013-14

Research Projects (Major Grants/Research Collaboration)

Co-director of Two Research Projects Funded by ICSSR: 2024 and 2025

Awards and Distinctions

Universitas 21 Fellowship for MSc in Economics and Econometrics from Nottingham University, United Kingdom

ICSSR fellowship for PDF

Association With Professional Bodies

- 1. The Indian Econometric Society (TIES)
- 2. Indian Society of Labour Economics (ISLE)
- 3. Comparative Education Society of Education (CESI)

Other Activities

Professor Narender Thakur (14/07/2025)

Signature of Faculty Member