

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Career Objective

To work for an organization which provides me the opportunity to improve my skills and knowledge to growth along with the organization objective.

Profile Summary

I am pursuing Ph.D on, "Politics of Sugarcane Crisis in Uttar Pradesh" from the Department of Political science, University of Delhi under the supervision of Professor Madhulika Banerjee. The proposed research will try to understand the political economy of sugarcane Crisis and the political processes involved in it since the issue of sugarcane is deeply a political one and has been a source of farmer's mobilization for a long time. Apart from that I am also interested in looking at this issue from the perspective of Politics of Knowledge since the cultivation of sugarcane is not a new but its product white crystal sugar is a product of modernity and comes through a knowledge discourse which is deeply embedded in the Nexus between the Science, State and Modern Sugar Industry. Also, I am eager and curious to know not only theoretical aspect of agriculture but also enthusiastic to learn its practical dimension.

Also, I am working as a Research Associate (Honorarium) in the ICSSR sponsored project titled 'Knowledge, Development and Politics in Post- Colonial India: Contestation in State, Market and Civil Society'. This project will help in my research work and in further understanding the Politics of Knowledge question associated with the agrarian issues. This is the reason why I am looking forward to work in this project.

Personal Qualities

- ❖ I am calm and composed, sincere and hard working
- ❖ Eager to learn theoretical and practical dimension of any issues
- ❖ Curious to learn new methodology and innovative skills in agriculture sector
- ❖ Ability to work as individual as well as in group.

Academia

High School from Kendriya Vidyalaya Amhat, Sultanpur, U.P (C.B.S.E Board) with 84.4% marks in the year 2008.

Intermediate from Kendriya Vidyalaya Amhat, Sultanpur, U.P (C.B.S.E Board) with 72.2% marks in the year 2010.

B.A (H) Political Science from Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi with 60.14 % marks in the year 2013.

M.A. in Political Science from Ramjas College, University of Delhi with 56.93% marks in the year 2015.

Pursuing, Ph.D from the Department of Political Science, University of Delhi on the topic “Politics of Sugarcane Crisis in Uttar Pradesh” from March 2016.

Achievements

- ❖ Presented paper entitled “ Governance, Public Policy & Political Economy of Sugarcane Pricing” in the UGC sponsored National Seminar held at Miranda House, University of Delhi on 24th January 2017.
- ❖ Presented paper entitled “ Transition from subsistence to commercial cash farming; A case of Sugarcane in India in the 5th National conference of Network of Rural and Agrarian Studies (NRAS) on “Agrarian Transition and Rural-Urban Linkage in India in 21st century” during 27-29, October, 2017 held at NCDS, Bhubaneswar, Odisha
- ❖ Actively participated in the academic programme titled “Security and Development in South Asia” organized at the University of Delhi as part of the U21 Masters Intensive Module 2015 From February 2-6, 2015.
- ❖ Presented a paper on “Civil Society; the Right to self- determination in India” in the N.N Agarwal Inter-college paper presentation contest on 6th February, 2013 organized by Department of Political Science, Hindu College, University of Delhi
- ❖ Participated as a Rapporteur in the two day programme titled “ Panchayats, Women & Sustainable Development Goals SDGs” at Institute of social Sciences (ISS), New Delhi, held on 24-25 April, 2016.
- ❖ Attended/Participated seminar on “ National Consultation on Drought” conducted by Swaraj Abhiyan at Indian Social Institute on 1st May, 2016
- ❖ Qualified UGC Net/JRF (Political Science) exam in the year 2015

Extra Curricular Activities

- ❖ Reading National daily and local newspaper especially related with the agrarian issues
- ❖ Cooking, Gardening, Yoga and Meditation
- ❖ Participated in the activities of National Service Scheme (N.S.S)

Personal Details

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