

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## Education

**PhD, CIPOD, SIS, JNU, 2021**

Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament,  
School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.

Title of Thesis: “Alternate Narratives in International Relations: A Select Study of Marginalised Communities in India”.

**MPhil, Diplomacy and Disarmament Studies, 2014**

Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament,  
School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.

Title of Dissertation: “Cosmopolitanism and War in International Relations: Examining Normative Contestations”.

**UGC NET/JRF, Dec. 2012**

Junior Research Fellow (JRF) in Political Science, from 25 March 2013.

Senior Research Fellow (SRF) under the same scheme until 25 May 2017.

**MA, Political Science, 2012**

Kirori Mal College, University of Delhi, Delhi [60.19%]

**BA (Hons.) Political Science, 2009**

Maharaja Agrasen College, University of Delhi, Delhi [62.45%]

## Teaching

- **Senior Assistant Professor**, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi. Since 8 November 2022.

### Courses taught at Doctoral level (PhD in Political Science):

- *Decolonizing Indian Political Thought: Search for Indigenous Vocabulary*
- *Research Methodology*

### Courses taught at Post-Graduate level (MA Political Science):

- *Research Methods in Political Science*
- *‘Worlding’ International Relations: Perspectives from the Global South*
- *Democracy and Violence: Contestation, Convergence and Discourse*
- *Theories of International Relations*
- *Comparative Political Analysis*
- *Security: An Interdisciplinary Discourse*
- *India in World Affairs*
- *Peace and Conflict in International Relations*
- *The Modern State in Comparative Perspective*
- *Politics of Violence in South Asia*
- *Themes in Indian Political Thought*

- **Assistant Professor**, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 7 November 2022.

- **Assistant Professor (Ad-hoc)**, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 21 July 2017 to 4 November 2022.
- **Guest Lecturer (Resource Person)**, Department of Political Science, School of Open Learning, University of Delhi, Delhi for M.A. Political Science
  - *Comparative Political Analysis* [Sem-II, June 2021 and Sem-I, August 2017].
- **Course Coordinator**, School of Open Learning, University of Delhi, Academic Session 2020-21, for the following courses:
  - *Introduction to Comparative Government & Politics* [BA (Hons.) Political Science, Semester-III]
  - *Comparative Government & Politics* [BA (Prog.) Political Science, Semester-III]
  - *Political Processes & Institutions in Comparative Perspective* [BA (Hons.) Political Science, Semester-IV]
- **Student Tutor (Teaching Assistant)**, Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament, School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi
  - *Theoretical Aspects of International Relations* (MPhil, Monsoon Semester 2016).
  - *Research Methodology* (MPhil, Winter Semesters 2015 and 2016).

## Research Projects

- **Project Director** for ICSSR (Indian Council of Social Science Research) Research Project under Special Call for Collaborative Research Projects on *Vision Viksit Bharat@2047* (Category B - INR 80,00,000/-).  
Title: A Socio-Technical Framework for Resilient and Sustainable Water Management for Smart Cities: A Study of Urban Rajasthan (September 2024 onwards).

## Publications

### Journal Articles:

1. Choudhary, Abhishek (2024), **Cosmopolitanism, War and Realism: Examining the Role of Dominance**, *Cogent Social Sciences*, Vol. 10 (1). Taylor and Francis. E-ISSN: 2331-1886.
2. Choudhary, Abhishek, Aiman Urooj and Avantika Singh (2024), **Deconstructing India's soft power trajectory in South Asia: Mapping the case of Bollywood**, *Indian Studies Review*, Centre for Studies of Politics and Governance, 5 (S-1): 130-157. ISSN: 2583-004X; E-ISSN: 2582-7154
3. Ragi, Sangit Kumar, Abhishek Choudhary and Ningthoujam Koiremba Singh (2024), **Contours of India's Culture-based Foreign Policy in South and Southeast Asia**. *Indian Studies Review*, Centre for Studies of Politics and Governance, 5 (S-1): 1-12. ISSN: 2583-004X; E-ISSN: 2582-7154
4. Ragi, Sangit Kumar and Abhishek Choudhary (2024), **Halal Economy and Assertive Islam: A Critical Study**, *Indian Studies Review*, Centre for Studies of Politics and Governance, 5 (1): 67-95. ISSN: 2583-004X; E-ISSN: 2582-7154
5. Choudhary, Abhishek (2022). **The Purpose of India's Security Strategy: Defence, Deterrence and Global Involvement**, *Pacific Affairs*, 95 (4): 866-868. The University of British Columbia. ISSN: 0030-851X (P); 1715-3379 (O). ISSN: 2277-2405.

6. Choudhary, Abhishek (2019). **A Critical Theoretical Reading of Diplomacy: Construction of Norms in the Public Sphere of Diplomacy.** *Social Glance: Journal of Social Science and Humanities*, 8: 1-16. Loyola Institute of Social Science Training and Research (LISTAAR), Loyola College, Chennai. ISSN: 2319-3654.
7. Choudhary, Abhishek (2019). **Nuclear Weapons, South Asia and Morality.** *Think India*, 22 (3): 535-546. ISSN: 0971-1260.
8. Choudhary, Abhishek (2018). **Justice, Morality and International Relations: A Critical-Theoretical Reading.** *Jadavpur Journal of International Relations*, 22 (1): 22-38. Sage Publications. ISSN: 0973-5984 (P); 2349-0047 (O).
9. Choudhary, Abhishek (2016). **Personality, Cognition and International Negotiations: The Case of the Simla Agreement.** *World Affairs: The Journal of International Issues*, 20 (3), Autumn (July - Sept), pp. 82-94. ISSN: 0971-8052 (P); 0974-0937 (O).
10. Choudhary, Abhishek (2016). **Cosmopolitanism as Biopower: Creating and Targeting Cultural Others.** *The IAFOR Journal of Politics, Economics and Law*, 3 (1), Spring, pp. 13-23. ISSN: 2188-9562 (O).

### Book Translation:

1. Choudhary, Abhishek (2018). **भारत की विदेश नीति: पुनरावलोकन एवं संभावनाएँ (Bharat ki Videsh Niti: Punravlokan avum Sambhavnayein).** New Delhi: Oxford University Press. ISBN: 9780199485185. Hindi translation of Sumit Ganguly (ed.), *India's Foreign Policy: Retrospect and Prospect*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press. Published under the aegis of OUP-Indian Languages Publishing Programme.

### Book Chapters:

1. Choudhary, Abhishek (2025). **Political and Economic Inequalities.** In Nirmal Jindal and Kamal Kumar (eds.) *Understanding International Relations: Decolonizing the Discipline*, New Delhi: Routledge [forthcoming].
2. Choudhary, Abhishek (2023). **Poverty and Inequality in a Globalising World.** In Nirmal Jindal and Kamal Kumar (eds.) *Understanding Globalisation: Challenges and Prospects*, New Delhi: Routledge. ISBN: 9781032499857.
3. Choudhary, Abhishek (2023). **Global Justice.** In Ali Farazmand (ed.) *Global Encyclopedia of Public Administration, Public Policy, and Governance*. Cham: Springer, pp. 5308–5314, ISBN: 9783030662516; E-ISBN: 9783030662523
4. Choudhary, Abhishek (2023). **राज्य (Rajya/State).** In Sanjeev Kumar (ed.) *राजनीति सिद्धांत: अवधारणाएं और विमर्श (Rajneetik Sidhant: Avdharnayein aur Vimarsh)*, New Delhi: Orient Blackswan. ISBN: 9789354425219.
5. Choudhary, Abhishek (2021). **राज्य (Rajya/State).** In Sanjeev Kumar (ed.) *राजनीति सिद्धांत: अवधारणाएं और विमर्श (Rajneetik Sidhant: Avdharnayein aur Vimarsh)*, New Delhi: Sage Bhasha. ISBN: 9789353887605.
6. Choudhary, Abhishek (2021). **Migration and Terrorism: The Logic of Othering.** In Stanzin Lhaskyabs, Shameer Modongal and Anuradha Oinam (eds.) *Counterterrorism and*

*Global Security: Genesis, Responses and Challenges*, Vij Books India Pvt Ltd, New Delhi. ISBN: 9789390917846 (HB), 9789390917860 (PB), E-ISBN: 9789390917877.

7. Nath, Abhishek and Abhishek Choudhary (2019). **Caste, Gender, Ethnicity & Class as Distinct Categories and their Interconnection**. In Radhanath Tripathy (ed.) *Human Rights, Gender and Environment*, Scholar Tech Press, New Delhi. ISBN: 9789382273351.
8. Choudhary, Abhishek (2018). **Global Justice**. In Ali Farazmand (ed.) *Global Encyclopedia of Public Administration, Public Policy, and Governance* [Living Edition]. **Springer** International Publishing, Cham, Switzerland. ISBN: 978-3-319-31816-5 (O).

### **Contribution to e-content:**

- 2021: यूरोकेंद्रिकता तथा वैश्विक दक्षिण के परिप्रेक्ष्य (Yoorokendrikta tatha Vaishvik Dakshin ke Pariprekshya), Hindi e-content for the module *अंतर्राष्ट्रीय संबंधों और विश्व इतिहास पर परिप्रेक्ष्य* (Antarrashtriya Sambandhon aur Vishva Itihaas par Pariprekshya), pp. 107-125, B.A. (Hons.) Political Science, Department of Political Science, School of Open Learning (SOL), University of Delhi.
- 2021: **Eurocentrism and Perspectives from the Global South**. E-content for the module *Perspectives on International Relations and World History*, pp. 82-95, B.A. (Hons.) Political Science, SOL, University of Delhi.
- 2021: **History and IR: Emergence of the International State System; Pre-Westphalia and Westphalia**. E-content for the module *Perspectives on International Relations and World History*, pp. 13-24, B.A. (Hons.) Political Science, SOL, University of Delhi.
- 2021: **Post-Westphalia**. E-content for the module *Perspectives on International Relations and World History*, pp. 25-37, B.A. (Hons.) Political Science, SOL, University of Delhi.
- 2020: **The Nature, Scope and Methods of Comparative Political Analysis**. E-content for the module *Comparative Government and Politics*, pp. 1-10, B.A. (Prog.) Political Science, SOL, University of Delhi.
- 2020: **Understanding Comparative Politics**. E-content for the module *Introduction to Comparative Government and Politics*, pp. 1-12, B.A. (Hons.) Political Science, SOL, University of Delhi.
- 2019: **Preventive Detention and National Security Laws**. E-content for the module Core Course: *Constitutional Government and Democracy in India*, pp. 133-143, B.A. (Hons.) Political Science, SOL, University of Delhi.
- 2019: निवारक निरोध और राष्ट्रीय सुरक्षा के कानून (Nivarak Nirodh aur Rashtriya Suraksha ke Kanoon / Preventive Detention and National Security Laws). Hindi e-content for the module *भारत में संवैधानिक शासन और लोकतंत्र* (Bharat mein Samvaidhanik Shaasan aur Loktantra), pp. 142-152, B.A. (Hons.) Political Science, SOL, University of Delhi.
- 2015: राजनीति में जाति तथा जाति का राजनीतिकरण (Raajneeti mein jaati tatha jaati ka raajneetikaran / Caste in Politics and the Politicization of Caste). Hindi e-content for the module *भारत में राजनीतिक प्रक्रियाएँ* (Bharat mein Rajneetik Prakriyaein), Virtual Learning Environment (VLE), Institute of Life Long Learning (ILL), University of Delhi, 2015. ISSN: 2349154X.
- 2015: लोकतंत्र पर जयप्रकाश नारायण के विचार (Loktantra par Jayaprakash Narayan ke vichaar / Jayaprakash Narayan on Democracy), Hindi e-content for module *तुलनात्मक राजनीति के*

सन्दर्भ (Tulnaatmak Rajneeti ke Sandarbh), VLE, ILL, University of Delhi. ISBN: 9789385611940.

### Translation of e-content:

- 2021: 'अरस्तु'. Translation of Nishant Kumar (2021). Aristotle. Hindi e-content for the module *क्लासिकल राजनीतिक दर्शन (Classical Rajneetik Darshan/ Classical Political Philosophy)*, B.A. (Hons.) Political Science, SOL, University of Delhi.
- 2021: 'कौटिल्य'. Translation of Nishant Kumar (2021). Kautilya. Hindi e-content for the module *भारतीय राजनीतिक विचार - I (Bhartiya Rajneetik Vicharak - I/ Indian Political Thought - I)*, B.A. (Hons.) Political Science, SOL, University of Delhi.

### Book Reviews Published in Journals:

- 2022: Review of Daniel R. Brunstetter and Jean-Vincent Holeindre (eds.) *The Ethics of War and Peace Revisited: Moral Challenges in an Era of Contested and Fragmented Sovereignty*, *Aether*. Air University Press. March 21, 2022.
- 2021: Review of Alexander E. Davis, Vineet Thakur and Peter Vale, *The Imperial Discipline: Race and the Founding of International Relations*, *Insight Turkey*, 23 (4): 289-291. ISSN: 1302-177X.
- 2021: Review of Lee Marsden, *Religion and International Security*. *Central European Journal of International and Security Studies (CEJISS)*. 15 (2): 82-84. Metropolitan University Prague Press. ISSN: 1802-548X (P); 1805-482X (O).
- 2021: Review of Chris Ogden, *China and India: Asia's Emergent Great Powers*. *Journal of Indo-Pacific Affairs*. 4 (1): 75-76. Air University Press. ISSN: 2576-5361 (P); 2576-537X (O).
- 2020: Review of Richard Caplan, *Measuring Peace: Principles, Practices, and Politics*. *Peace and Change: A Journal of Peace Research*. Wiley Blackwell. 46 (1): 108-111. ISSN: 0149-0508 (P); 1468-0130 (O).
- 2020: Review of Humeira Iqtidar and Tanika Sarkar (eds.), *Tolerance, secularization and democratic politics in South Asia*, *Politics, Religion & Ideology*. Taylor and Francis. 21 (2): 260-261. ISSN: 2156-7689 (P); 2156-7697 (O).
- 2020: Review of Chris Ogden, *China and India: Asia's Emergent Great Powers*. *Strategic Studies Quarterly*. Air University Press. June 2, 2020.
- 2019: Review of Ersel Aydınli and Gonca Biltekin (ed), *Widening the World of International Relations: Homegrown Theorizing*. *Insight Turkey*, 21 (4): 227-229. ISSN: 1302-177X.
- 2019: Review of Fernando R. Tesón and Bas van der Vossen, *Debating Humanitarian Intervention: Should We Try to Save Strangers?* *Human Rights Review*. Springer. 20 (3): 395-396. ISSN: 1524-8879 (P); 1874-6306 (O).
- 2019: Review of Karen Rasler, William R. Thompson, and Sumit Ganguly, *How Rivalries End. Conflict and Society: Advances in Research*. Berghahn Books. Vol. 5, pp. 202-204. ISSN: 2164-4551 (P); 2164-4543 (O).
- 2019: Review of Andrew Linklater, *Violence and Civilization in the Western States-Systems*. *International Studies*. Sage. 56 (2-3): 211-213. ISSN: 0020-8817 (P); 0973-0702 (O).
- 2019: Review of Stephanie Lawson, *International Relations, 3rd ed.* *Strategic Studies Quarterly*. Air University Press. January 14, 2019.

- 2018: Review of Rob Jenkins and James Manor, *Politics and the Right to Work*. **Contemporary South Asia**. Taylor and Francis. 26 (3): 357-358. ISSN: 0958-4935 (P); 1469-364X (O).
- 2018: Review of Nina Caspersen, *Peace Agreements*. **Human Rights Review**. Springer. 19 (3): 411-412. ISSN: 15248-879 (P); 1874-6306 (O).
- 2018: Review of Ted Piccone, *Five Rising Democracies and the Fate of the International Liberal Order*. **Strategic Studies Quarterly**. Air University Press April 23, 2018.
- 2018: Review of Lee Jarvis and Jack Holland, *Security: A Critical Introduction*. **International Journal for Social Science Research and Global Security**. Savitribai Phule Pune University, 1 (1): 198-200. ISSN: 2349-9095 (P).
- 2018: Review of Mark Gibney, *International Human Rights Law: Returning to Universal Principles*. **Insight Turkey**. 20 (1): 255-257. ISSN: 1302-177X.
- 2017: Review of Alberto D. Cimarador, Gabriele Koehler and Thomas Pogge (eds.), *Poverty and the Millennium Development Goals: A Critical Look Forward*. **Political Studies Review**. Sage. 15 (4): 648-649. ISSN: 1478-9299 (P); 1478-9302 (O).
- 2017: Review of Vijay Joshi, *India's Long Road: The Search for Prosperity*. **International Affairs**. Oxford. 93 (5): 1280-1281. ISSN: 0020-5850 (P); 1468-2346 (O).
- 2017: Review of Shivshankar Menon, *Choices: inside the making of India's foreign policy*. **Contemporary South Asia**. Taylor and Francis. 25 (3): 326-327. ISSN: 0958-4935 (P); 1469-364X (O).
- 2017: Review of Bhikhu Parekh, *Debating India: Essays on Indian Political Discourse*. **Political Studies Review**. Sage. 16 (1) ISSN: 1478-9299 (P); 1478-9302 (O).

### Peer Review for Journals:

1. Peer Reviewer, **Public Integrity**, Routledge, 2016, 2020, 2022.
2. Peer Reviewer, **Journal of Polity and Society**, Department of Political Science, University of Kerala, Oct. 2024, Jan. 2025.
3. Peer Reviewer, **Indian Studies Review**, Centre for Studies of Politics and Governance, Delhi, 2022, 2023, 2024.
4. Assistant Editor, **Indian Studies Review**, Centre for Studies of Politics and Governance, Delhi, 2022-2024.

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## Conferences/ Seminars/ Workshops

### Papers Presented in International Seminars/ Workshops:

1. “Decolonizing Environmental Politics: Relationality and Cosmopraxis in the Sundarbans region, Bangladesh” at the workshop on “Bridging the Divide: Revisiting the Discrepancy between Policy and Practice in Environmental Management in the Context of Asia,” National Chengchi University, Taiwan and virtually, 21 October 2024.
2. “Revisiting Emancipation: A Standpoint Theory of Justice” at the **74th Annual International Conference of Political Studies Association (PSA)**, University of Strathclyde, Glasgow, UK, 25-27 March 2024.
3. “Justice in International Relations: Alternate Narratives from India” at the **74th Annual International Conference of the Political Studies Association (PSA)** on *After*

*(Neo-) Liberalism: Towards an Alternative Paradigm?*, University of Strathclyde, Glasgow, UK, 25-27 March 2024.

4. **“Emancipation as Security, Dignity as Emancipation”** at the 2023 Annual Millennium Symposium on *Remapping the Critical: Imagining Anti-Hierarchical Futures in International Studies*, LSE, London, UK, 19-20 October 2023.
5. **“Expanding the boundaries of International Relations: Alternate Narratives and Homegrown Theorizing”** at the **International Studies Association (ISA) 2023 Virtual Conference**, via zoom meetings, 1-4 August 2023.
6. **“Exclusion and Nationalism: The Rise of Indian Security State”** at the **International Studies Association (ISA) 2023 Virtual Conference**, via zoom, 1-4 August 2023.
7. **“Indian Security State: Religion, Nationalism and Majoritarianism”** at the **International Political Studies Association (IPSA) Joint Colloquium of Research Committees 14 and 43**, Queen’s University Belfast and virtually, 31 May - 2 June 2023.
8. **“Homogenizing Diversity: Religion, Nationalism and Majoritarianism in India”** at the **64th Annual Convention** of International Studies Association (ISA), Montreal, Quebec, Canada, 15-18 March 2023.
9. **“Listening to the Margins: Alternate Narratives in International Relations”** at the **ISA-Northeast Annual Conference 2022** of International Studies Association Northeast Region (ISA-Northeast), virtually, 1 November 2022.
10. **“Bringing emancipation to the fore: Can the marginalised reclaim dignity?”** at the **BISA 2022 Conference** on *Can the world survive?* of the **British International Studies Association (BISA)**, virtually, 14-17 June 2022.
11. **“Rescuing the Discipline of International Relations: Listening to the Margins”** at the **72nd Annual International Conference on Politics from the Margins** of the **Political Studies Association (PSA)**, virtually, 11-13 April 2022.
12. **“Narrative methodology in International Relations: Towards a homegrown theory of justice”** at the **International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Convention 2022** on *A Wider Discipline For A Smaller World*, virtually, 28 March - 2 April 2022.
13. **“Broadening the Discipline through Homegrown Theorizing: Emancipation as Security, Dignity as Emancipation”** at the **ISA-Northeast Annual Conference 2021** of International Studies Association Northeast Region, virtually, 4-6 Nov. 2021.
14. **“Disciplining International Relations: The Flawed Case of Indian Nationalism”** at the **ISA-Northeast Annual Conference 2021** of International Studies Association Northeast Region, virtually, 4-6 November 2021.
15. **“When Crisis is Routine: State of Exception and the Indian Security State”** at the **ISA-West Annual Conference 2021** of International Studies Association West Region (ISA-West), virtually, 23-25 September 2021.
16. **“Exclusive Nationalism in India: Hindutva, Migration, Citizenship and Othering”** at the **International Studies Association (ISA) 62nd Annual Convention 2021**, virtually, 6-9 April 2021.
17. **“Neoliberal Governmentality and Bare Lives in India: Pandemic, Migrants and Marginalization”** at the **International Studies Association (ISA) 62nd Annual Convention 2021**, virtually, 6-9 April 2021.

18. **“Redefining Emancipation in International Relations: Ambedkar, Conversion and the Idea of Justice”**, Workshop *The International in Ambedkar*, University of Mumbai and Department of IRGS, Shiv Nadar University, Microsoft Teams, Nov. 2020.
19. **“Countering Erasure in IR: Towards a Homegrown Theory of Justice”** at the *2019 Millennium: Journal of International Studies Annual Conference*, LSE, London, UK, October 2019.
20. **“Theorizing Violence in India: Past Lessons and Future Uncertainties”** at the *ISA Asia-Pacific Conference 2019* of International Studies Association Asia-Pacific Region (ISA-AP), Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, 4-6 July 2019.
21. **“Indian Security State: The Rhetoric of Rise and the Reality of Marginalization”** at the *ISA Asia-Pacific Conference 2019* of International Studies Association Asia-Pacific Region (ISA-AP), Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, 4-6 July 2019.
22. **“The making of a Dalit protest: rhetoric, whispers and silences”** at the *44th Annual Conference* of the British International Studies Association (BISA), The Royal Society, London, UK, 12-14 June 2019.
23. **“Listening to the Margins: An Indian Narrative on Justice”** at the *60th Annual Convention* of International Studies Association (ISA), Toronto, Ontario, Canada, 26-30 March 2019.
24. **“Annihilation of Caste as Divine Violence: Normative Contestations”** at the *2018 Millennium: Journal of International Studies Annual Conference: Revolution and Resistance in World Politics*, Clement House, London School of Economics (LSE), London, UK, 27-28 October 2018.
25. **“Listening to the Dalit Voices: Politics and Rhetoric in India”** at the *43rd Annual Conference* of British International Studies Association (BISA), Bath, UK, June 2018.
26. **“Political participation and religious conversion as vehicles for emancipation”**, *42nd Annual Conference* of BISA, Brighton, UK, 14-16 June 2017.
27. **“Local Voices Contra Globalisation: Case of Economic Marginalisation in India”** at the *67th Annual International Conference* of the PSA, Glasgow, UK, April 2017.
28. **“The changing politics and the politics of change: A case study of caste and politics in India”** at the *67th Annual International Conference* of PSA, Glasgow, UK, April 2017.
29. **“Understanding Continuity and Change through Alternate Narratives: The Domestic, the International and the Idea of Emancipation”** at *58th Annual Convention* of International Studies Association (ISA), Baltimore, USA, Feb. 2017.
30. **“Global Justice: A Critical-theoretical Interpretation”** at the *24th World Congress of Political Science* of International Political Science Association (IPSA), Poznań Congress Center, Poznań, Poland, 23-28 July 2016.
31. **“A critical-theoretical reading of frontline diplomacy: construction of norms in the public sphere of diplomacy”** at the *57th Annual Convention* of ISA, Atlanta, Georgia, USA, March 2016.
32. **“Third World, Gender, and Family: Empowering through Social Criticism”** at the *International Conference on Women Studies and Social Sciences 2016*, IMRF, Carmel College, Goa, March 2016.



33. **“Cosmopolitanism as Biopower: Creating and Targeting Cultural Others”** at the *Second European Conference on Politics, Economics and Law 2015* of the **International Academic Forum (IAFOR)**, Brighton, UK, July 2015.
34. **“Equality or Inequality? Revisiting the Principle of Sovereign Equality”** at the *40th Anniversary International Conference 2015* of **BISA**, London, UK, June 2015.
35. **“In Defense of Justice in International Relations: Theorizing the Concept in the Changed Global Context”** at the 43rd Annual International Conference of the **Indian Association for American Studies (IAAS)**, BITS Pilani, Goa, 31 Oct.- Nov. 2014.
36. **“Changing Notions of Sovereignty: Contextualizing it in the Responsibility to Protect Debate”** at the International Seminar on *Peace-Building in a Conflict-Ridden World*, Rajiv Gandhi Chair in Contemporary Studies, **University of Allahabad**, February 2014.

### **Papers Presented in National Seminars:**

1. **“Ascendancy through Emancipation: ‘Securing’ the Marginalised”** at the *All India International and Area Studies Convention 2019 (AIASC)*, Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), New Delhi, 30 January - 1 February 2019.
2. **“Global Justice: A Hegemonic Enterprise?”** in the panel “Global Law, Institutions and Justice” at the *Annual International Studies Convention 2015 (AISC)*, held at Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), New Delhi, 22-23 March, 2015.
3. **“Contesting the Idea of Global Good”** at the *55th All India Annual Conference on Revisiting Political Theory and Political Systems: Oriental and Occidental*, organised by the **Indian Political Science Association (IPSA)**, Hyderabad, 28-30 December 2013.

### **Sessions Chaired/ Served as Discussant:**

1. Chaired a panel **“World Order, Culture, and Global Society”** at the *ISA-West Annual Conference 2021 on Crises and Routine: Opportunities and Challenges in International Affairs*, organised by the **International Studies Association (ISA) West Region**, held on virtual platform, 23-25 September 2021.
2. Discussant in the panel **“The Past and Future of International Cooperation”** at the *ISA-West Annual Conference 2021 on Crises and Routine: Opportunities and Challenges in International Affairs*, organised by the **International Studies Association West Region (ISA-West)**, held on virtual platform, 23-25 September 2021.
3. Chaired a panel **“Necropolitics: Life, Death and the Order of Violence”** at the **International Studies Association (ISA) 62nd Annual Convention 2021** on *Globalization, Regionalism and Nationalism: Contending Forces in World Politics*, held on virtual platform, 6-9 April 2021.
4. Discussant in the panel **“Necropolitics: Life, Death and the Order of Violence”** at the **International Studies Association (ISA) 62nd Annual Convention 2021** on *Globalization, Regionalism and Nationalism: Contending Forces in World Politics*, held on virtual platform, 6-9 April 2021.
5. Chaired four sessions on **“Dialogues on Comparative Politics”** with Dr. Ramesh Rao on India and USA in a Comparative Perspective; with Dr. Rajiv Ranjan on India and China in a Comparative Perspective; with Mr. Kapil Dudakia on India and United Kingdom in a Comparative Perspective; with Col. Rupinder Hayer on India and Canada in a Comparative Perspective, organised by the Department of BA Programme and the Department of

Political Science, **Miranda House**, University of Delhi via Zoom, 12 September-October 2020.

6. Chaired a panel “**Conflict and terrorism**” at the **ISA Asia-Pacific Conference 2019** on *Asia-Pacific and World Order: Security, Economics, Identity and Beyond*, organised by the **International Studies Association Asia-Pacific Region (ISA-AP)**, Singapore, July 2019.
7. Discussant in the panel “**Conflict and terrorism**” at the **ISA Asia-Pacific Conference 2019** on *Asia-Pacific and World Order: Security, Economics, Identity and Beyond*, organised by the **International Studies Association Asia-Pacific Region (ISA-AP)**, held at Nanyang Technological University, One North Campus, Singapore, 4-6 July 2019.
8. Discussant in the panel “**Infrastructural Public Impulse**” at the **2nd International Conference of the India Public Policy Network (IPPN): Politics and Public Policy**, held at University of Delhi, Delhi, 5-6 February 2019.
9. Discussant in the panel “**Re-Tooling IR: Ideas and Practices in Motion**” at the **60th Annual Convention** on *Revisioning International Studies: Innovation and Progress*, organised by the **International Studies Association (ISA)**, held at Toronto, Ontario, Canada, 26-30 March 2019.
10. Chaired a session on “**New Frontiers in International Conflict and Cooperation**”, at the **2nd Annual CIPOD Young Scholars Conference** on *Conflict and Cooperation in Contemporary World Politics*, organised by the Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament, School of International Studies, **Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU)**, New Delhi, 20 November 2018.

### **Participation in Workshops/Roundtables:**

1. Participant in the Roundtable on “**The Changing Nationalisms of South Asia**”, at the **International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Convention 2022** on *A Wider Discipline for A Smaller World*, Nashville, Tennessee, USA, 28 March-2 April 2022 [virtual].
2. Participant at the **ISA Third Emerging Global South Scholar Workshop**, at the **XXXIV Annual Convention of the AMEI**, organised by the Committee on the Status of Engagement with the Global South (CSEGS) of the **International Studies Association (ISA)** in collaboration with the **Mexican International Studies Association (AMEI)**, held at Mexico City and Virtually, 20 October 2021 [virtual].
3. Participant at the **ISA Emerging Global South Scholar Workshop**, at the **60th Annual Convention** on *Revisioning International Studies: Innovation and Progress*, organised by the **International Studies Association (ISA)**, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, March 2019.
4. Participant at the **Workshop on Research Methods in International Relations** conducted by School of International Studies, **Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU)**, November 2012.

### **Faculty Development/ Training/ Refresher/ Induction Programmes:**

1. Completed Online **Two-Week Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme (MMTTP) on NEP Orientation and Sensitisation** organised by Mahatma Hansraj Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, under Malaviya Mission Scheme of UGC, MoE, Govt. of India, Hansraj College, University of Delhi, December 2023.

2. Completed Online **Two-Week Refresher Course in Political Science** organised by Teaching Learning Centre (TLC), Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, under the aegis of the Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Training (PMMMNMNTT) scheme of Ministry of Education, November - December 2023.
3. Completed **Two-Week Faculty Development Program (FDP)** on *Indian Knowledge System: A Multidimensional Legacy*, organised by TLC, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, in collaboration with SPM College, University of Delhi under the aegis of Ministry of Human Resource Development, PMMMNMNTT, July 2023.
4. Completed Online **Two-Week Interdisciplinary Refresher Course on Advanced Research Methodology** organised by TLC, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, in collaboration with M.V.S. Government Arts & Science College (Autonomous), Mahabubnagar, Telangana, under the aegis of the PMMMNMNTT scheme of Ministry of Education, May - June 2023.
5. Completed **One-Month Online Induction/ Training/ Orientation Programme for Faculty in Universities/ Colleges/ Institutions of Higher Education** organised by TLC, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, under the aegis of the PMMMNMNTT scheme of Ministry of Education, March - April 2023.
6. Completed **Two-Week Online Refresher Course in Political Science** organised by TLC, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, under the aegis of the PMMMNMNTT scheme of Ministry of Education, December 2022 - January 2023.
7. Completed One-Month **Online Induction/ Training/ Orientation Programme for Faculty in Universities/ Colleges/ Institutions of Higher Education** organised by TLC, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, in collaboration with **MIT School of Education & Research, MIT Art, Design & Technology University, Pune, Maharashtra**, under the aegis of the PMMMNMNTT scheme of Ministry of Education, September-October 2022.
8. Completed One-Week Online **Faculty Development Program (FDP)** on *National Education Policy 2020: Re-Envisioning Higher Education in India*, organised by TLC, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, under the PMMMNMNTT scheme of Ministry of Education, in collaboration with Shiksha Sanskriti Utthan Nyas, August-September 2021.
9. Completed One-Week Online **Faculty Development Program (FDP)** on *Academic Writing*, organised by TLC, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, under the PMMMNMNTT scheme of Ministry of Education, 10 May 2021 to 16 May 2021.
10. Completed One-Week Online **Faculty Development Program (FDP)** on *Qualitative Data Analysis*, organised by TLC, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, under the PMMMNMNTT scheme of Ministry of Education, 27 April 2021 to 3 May 2021.
11. Completed One-Week Online **Faculty Development Program (FDP)** on *Dr B.R. Ambedkar and the Idea of India*, TLC, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, under the PMMMNMNTT scheme of Ministry of Education, 13 April 2021 to 19 April 2021.

### **Organization of Seminars/Conferences:**

1. Co-Coordinator, International Seminar on **India's Culture-based Foreign Policy in South and Southeast Asia**, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, March 2024.
2. Member, Organizing Committee, International Seminar on **Revisiting the Ideas of India from 'Swaraj' to New India**, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, as part of Centenary Celebrations of University and Azadi ka Amrit Mahostav, 19-21 May 2022.

3. Member, Organizing Committee, National Seminar on **India's Neighbourhood Policy: Issues and Challenges**, Department of Political Science, **University of Delhi**, Feb 2020.
4. Member, Organizing Committee, National Seminar on **Mapping India's Foreign Policy: Regional and Global Dynamics**, Department of Political Science, **University of Delhi**, Delhi, 7 March 2019.
5. Member, Academic Committee, **2nd Annual CIPOD Young Scholars Conference on Conflict and Cooperation in Contemporary World Politics**, organised by the Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament (CIPOD), School of International Studies, **Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU)**, New Delhi, 20 Nov. 2018.
6. Member, Organizing Committee, **CIPOD Young Scholars Conference on Emerging Themes in World Politics**, organised by CIPOD, School of International Studies, **Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU)**, New Delhi, 16-17 March 2017.

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### Administrative Responsibilities

1. Member, Board of Research Studies, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Delhi, January 2024 - till date.
2. Member, Committee of Courses, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, Oct. 2022- Sept. 2024.
3. Member, Departmental Research Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, Oct. 2022- Sept. 2024.
4. Member, Internal Assessment Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2018-19; 2019-20; 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24.
5. Convenor, Grievance Redressal Committee, PG Admissions, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2023-24, 2024-2025.
6. Co-Convenor, PhD Coursework Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2024 - till date.
7. Co-Convenor, PG Admissions Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2024 - till date.
8. Member, PhD Admissions Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2024 - till date.
9. Member, Anti-Ragging Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2024 - till date.
10. Member, Admissions Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2019-20; 2020-21; 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24.
11. Member, Hindi Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2023-24, 2024 - till date.
12. Member, PhD Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2023-24.
13. Member, Student Advisory and Students Grievance Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2024 - till date.
14. Member, Student Advisory Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2023-24.
15. Member, Workload Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2023-24.

16. Member, Time Table Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2024-25.
17. Member, Department Website Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2024 - till date.
18. Member, Departmental Public Information Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2023 - till date.
19. Subject Expert, Political Science, CUET, National Testing Agency, December 2023.
20. Subject Expert (Screening Committee), Department of Political Science, Ramjas College, University of Delhi, Dec. 2022.
21. Subject Expert (Screening Committee), Department of Political Science, College of Vocational Studies, University of Delhi, April-May 2023.
22. Subject Expert (Screening Committee), Department of Political Science, Shri Ram College of Commerce, University of Delhi, July 2023.
23. Working Group Member for 47 courses for the revision of Under Graduate courses of Political Science, under LOCF, University of Delhi, 2019.
24. Faculty in-charge, Selection and Allocation of Elective Courses offered by the Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2018 – till date.
25. Member, NAAC co-ordination committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2017-18; 2018-19; 2019-20, 2020-21, 2021-22, 2023-24.
26. Member, Examination Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2017-18; 2018-19; 2019-20, 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23.
27. Member Coordinator, Open Book Examinations Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, August 2020, December 2020, March 2021, June 2021, December 2021, March 2022.
28. Member Coordinator, Undergraduate Paper Setting Boards, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2019-20, 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23.
29. Coordinator, Examinations, South Campus, University of Delhi, Nov 2017, May 2018, Nov 2018, May 2019, Nov 2019.
30. Special invitee, Committee of Courses, for revision of BA CBCS Programme & MA CBCS Programme, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, 2018-19; 2019-20, 2020-21, 2021-22.
31. Designing, launch and management of the website of the Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, since 2017.
32. External Panel Member, Examinations, Assam Women's University, Jorhat, Assam, 2021.
33. External Panel Member, Examinations, North East Christian University, Dimapur, Nagaland, January 2022, May 2022, October 2023.

### **Grants Received**

1. **Millennium Conference Travel Bursary** from Millennium: Journal of International Studies for paper presentation at the 2023 Millennium Annual Symposium, London School of Economics (LSE), London, UK, 19-20 Oct. 2023.
2. **Virtual Facilitation Grant** from International Studies Association (ISA) for paper presentation at the ISA Virtual Convention, 1-4 August 2023.

3. **Travel Grant** from International Studies Association (**ISA**) for paper presentation at the 64th Annual Convention of the ISA, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, March 2023.
  4. **Virtual Facilitation Grant** from International Studies Association (**ISA**) for paper presentation at the Annual Virtual Convention of the ISA, 28 March - 2 April 2022.
  5. **Virtual Facilitation Grant** from International Studies Association (**ISA**) for paper presentation at the 62nd Annual Virtual Convention of the ISA, 6-9 April 2021.
  6. **Post Graduate Bursary** from British International Studies Association (**BISA**) for paper presentation at the 44th Annual Conference of BISA, London, UK, 12-14 June 2019.
  7. **Travel Grant** from International Studies Association (**ISA**) for paper presentation at the 60th Annual Convention of the ISA, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, 26-30 March 2019.
  8. **Millennium Conference Travel Bursary** from Millennium: Journal of International Studies for paper presentation at the 2018 Millennium: Journal of International Studies Annual Conference, London School of Economics (**LSE**), London, UK, 27-28 Oct. 2018.
  9. **Post Graduate Bursary** from British International Studies Association (**BISA**) for paper presentation at the 42nd Annual Conference of BISA, Brighton, UK, 14-16 June 2017.
  10. **International Visitor Grant** from Political Studies Association (**PSA**) for paper presentation at the 67th Annual International Conference of the PSA, Glasgow, UK, 10-12 April 2017.
  11. **Travel Grant** (partial) from International Studies Association (**ISA**) for paper presentation at the 58th Annual Convention of the ISA, Baltimore, Maryland, USA, 22-25 Feb. 2017.
  12. **Travel Grant** from Indian Council for Social Science Research (**ICSSR**), New Delhi for paper presentation at 24th World Congress of Political Science of the International Political Science Association (IPSA), Poznań, Poland, 23-28 July 2016.
  13. **Travel Grant** from International Studies Association (**ISA**) for Paper Presentation at the 57<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the ISA, Atlanta, Georgia, USA, 16-19 March 2016.
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### **Certificate Courses Completed**

1. **The Modern and the Postmodern (Part 2)**, Wesleyan University on Coursera, November 2024.
2. **The Modern and the Postmodern (Part 1)**, Wesleyan University on Coursera, May 2024.
3. **The Modern World, Part Two: Global History since 1910**, University of Virginia on Coursera, May 2021.
4. **The Modern World, Part One: Global History from 1760 to 1910**, University of Virginia on Coursera, May 2020.
5. **Justice (ER22.1x)**, Harvard University (HarvardX) on edx, May 2020.
6. **Understanding International Relations Theory**, National Research University - Higher School of Economics on Coursera, April 2020.
7. **Classical Sociological Theory**, University of Amsterdam on Coursera, October 2016.
8. **Qualitative Research Methods**, University of Amsterdam on Coursera, April 2016.
9. **Quantitative Methods**, University of Amsterdam on Coursera, April 2016.
10. **Moral Foundations of Politics**, Yale University on Coursera, March 2015.
11. **Conditions of War and Peace**, The University of Tokyo on Coursera, December 2014.
12. **Introduction to Philosophy**, The University of Edinburgh on Coursera, March 2014.

13. **Moralities of Everyday Life**, Yale University on Coursera, March 2014.
  14. **How to Change the World**, Wesleyan University on Coursera, March 2014.
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### **Professional Affiliation/ Membership of Academic Associations**

1. Member, *International Studies Association (ISA)*, USA [2015- till date]
  2. Member, *British International Studies Association (BISA)*, UK [2015- till date]
  3. Member, *Political Studies Association (PSA)*, UK [2016- till date]
  4. Member, Global South Caucus, *ISA*, USA [2019- 2020]
  5. Member, South Asia in World Politics Section, *ISA*, USA [2018- 2022]
  6. Member, Global Development Section, *ISA*, USA [2022- till date]
  7. Member, Diplomatic Studies Section, *ISA*, USA [2015-2017]
  8. Member, Post-Graduate Network, *BISA*, UK [2015-2020]
  9. Member, *International Political Science Association (IPSA)*, Canada [2015- 2018]
  10. Member, *American Political Science Association (APSA)*, USA [2016- 2017]
  11. Member, *Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)*, USA [2017- 2019]
  12. Member, *International Association for Political Science Students (IAPSS)*, The Netherlands [2015-17]
  13. Member, *International Academic Forum (IAFOR)*, Japan [2015-2016]
  14. Life Member, *Indian Political Science Association (IPSA)* [2013- till date]
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