

Research Scholar Profile



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1. Academic Accomplishments:

SL No	Degree	Specialization	University / Institution	Year of Completion
1	B. A	Political Science	Sambalpur University	2017
2	M.A	Political Science	Sambalpur University	2019
3	M.Phil.	Political Science	Sambalpur University	2020
4	Ph.D.	Forest Rights Act and Identity Crisis	Sambalpur University	Pursuing

- 2. Area of Interest:** Political Science, Social Justice, Identity Politics, Tribal Development, Indian Government and Politics, Political Theory, Political Thought, Ambedkar Philosophy, Gender, and Development.

3. Professional/ Experience:

SL No	Field of Experience	Institution /Organisation	Nature of Appointment	From	To
1	Teaching	Jyoti Vihar Junior College, Sambalpur University	Guest Faculty	2019	2020
2	Teaching	P.G Dept. of Political Science, Sambalpur University	As a Research Scholar	2021	2022

3	Teaching	Larambha Degree College, Bargarh	Permanent/Regular under Govt. of Odisha	05/09/2022	Present
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4. Orientation/Refresher/Short-term Courses /Workshop/Training Programme attended:

SL No	Title of the Programme	Sponsors	Venue & Duration	International/National / State / Regional / College or University Level
1	Application of Research Methodology in Management and Social Science	IPREMS-Berhampur	Institute for Public Research in Economics, Management and Social Development, Berhampur, Odisha	National Workshop
2	One day Training Programme on Human Rights	National Human Rights Commission	Sambalpur University	National Training Programme
3	TWO-WEEK INTERDISCIPLINARY REFRESHER COURSE in "ADVANCED RESEARCH METHODOLOGY	MINISTRY OF EDUCATION PANDIT MADAN MOHAN MALAVIYA NATIONAL MISSION ON TEACHERS AND TEACHING	Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College University of Delhi	National Level
3	Five-Day National e-Workshop on Research Methodology and Publication Ethics	Dr. B R Ambedkar Central Library Jawaharlal Nehru University	Dr. B R Ambedkar Central Library Jawaharlal Nehru University	National

5. Seminars/Conferences/Workshops Presented / Participated:

SL No	Title of the paper Presented	Title of Conference	Organized by	International/ national/ State / Regional / College or University Level	Year
1	Democratic Decentralised Governance in Tribal Region of Odisha	Annual Conference on Political Economy and Governance Reform in Tribal Regions of Odisha: Climate Change, Culture, and Development Experience	Government College, Koraput (Odisha) in associated with COATS, Koraput	ICSSR Sponsored National Seminar	2020
2	Ambedkar's Perspectives on Social Justice	The Emergence of New India in a Globalized World	P.G Department of Political Science, Sambalpur University	National Seminar	2020
3	Forest Rights Act and Tribal Development in Odisha	Debating National Security in India: A Human Security Perspective	School of Political Science, Gangadhar Meher University, Sambalpur	ICSSR Sponsored National Seminar	2022

6. Achievements / Awards:

SL NO	Details of award / Prize	Year	Contribution
1	UGC National Eligibility Test	2019	Qualified UGC NET
2	UGC Junior Research Fellowship/ NFSC	2020	Awarded NFSC Fellowship

7. Other Miscellaneous Information:

Ph.D. Registration No	106/2021/Pol. Sc with effect from 19.03.2021, valid to 19.03.2027
Name of the Dept and Address	PG Dept of Political Science and Public Administration, Sambalpur University, Jyoti Vihar, Burla, Pin-768019.
Name of the Supervisor and Correspondence Address	Dr. Roshni Kujur Asst. Prof in Political Science, PG Dept of Political Science & Public Administration, Sambalpur University,
Title of the Research Topic	Forest Rights Act and Identity Crisis: A Case Study on Kalahandi District, Odisha
Abstract of the Research Work	<p>The forest-dwelling scheduled tribes have faced several challenges concerning the exercise of their traditional rights over the forest and its resources. The rights over their forest habitat have not even been recognized, and they began to face a threat of eviction from the land, access to resources, and other related issues from their very inception. To undo this historical injustice and hurdles faced by forest dwellers communities and to recognize their role in the protection of the forests, the parliament enacted the Forest Rights Act (FRA) in 2006. The Forest Rights Act (FRA) 2006 claims to devolve ownership to local forest dwellers in India, to provide local communities with better tenurial security and allow increased rights over forest resources. One argument for this is the redressal of historical injustices, particularly to tribal people. The uprooting of indigenous tribes and other forest inhabitants from their traditional homes will unquestionably do damage to their identities. So, this study tends to identify the implementation of FRA in Odisha and its impact on the livelihood and identity of the Adivasis. Furthermore, the research will comprise empirical research, which will include the gathering of primary data from the Odisha district of Kalahandi and the analysis of those data to identify the problematic process of implementing the Forest Rights Act 2006 in those areas of study.</p>
Present Progress of Research Work	Currently, I am working on the second chapter and also collecting data related to my topic.

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