

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Area of research interest: Population and Gender, ageing, youth and child rights, health economics, public health.

Current Position

ICSSR Post Doctoral Fellow at G. B. Pant Social Science Institute, Prayagraj. Topic of research work is “Dynamics of Contraceptive Use Pre- and Post-Abortion in India”

Educational qualifications

- Ph.D. in Population Studies from International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai, India in 2016.
- Master of Philosophy in Population Studies from International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai, India in 2009, with grade A-minus.
- Master of Arts in Population Education and Rural Development, Lucknow University, Lucknow, India in 2007 with First Class, 72.9%.

Visiting fellowship

- Received **Canadian Commonwealth Scholarship 2012-13**, granted by the Canadian Bureau for International Education (CBIE) on behalf of the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade Canada (DFAIT), Government of Canada from January 16th to June 21st, 2013 (appx. 6 months).

Lecturership ability

- Cleared **UGC-National Eligibility Test** for Lectureship in Population Studies held in June-2012.

Research/Professional Experience

- Analysed and written a report on **Situational Assessment of Nutrition Services in the ICDS and Health Programs in Uttar Pradesh** under Uttar Pradesh- Technical Support Unit, India Health Action Trust, Lucknow.
- Analysed and written a report on **Household Survey for Family Planning** under Uttar Pradesh- Technical Support Unit, India Health Action Trust, Lucknow.
- Worked as a **State Monitoring and Evaluation Specialist** at Uttar Pradesh- Technical Support Unit, India Health Action Trust, Lucknow from 15th October 2014 to 20th July, 2015.
- Worked as a **Research Officer** at **World Health Organization: Study of Global Ageing and Adult Health (WHO-SAGE)** at International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai from 15th January 2009 to 30th April 2010.

- Submitted a dissertation entitled “**A Study of Child Work in India- An Analysis of NFHS-III data**” for the partial fulfilment of M. Phil. in Population Studies at International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai, India.
- Conducted a Qualitative Field Survey in Ganeshwadi urban slum area of Mumbai on “**Status of Child Health and Well Being in Ganeshwadi**” during Master in Population Studies at International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai, India
- Submitted a Seminar Paper entitled “**Child Work and School Attendance in India and Selected States**”, for the partial fulfilment of Master of Population Studies at International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai, India.
- Submitted the Dissertation entitled “**Problems in Rural Community**”, for the partial fulfilment of Master of Arts in Population Education and Rural Development, Lucknow University, Lucknow, India.

Publications

■ Ongoing Research Work

- **Gaur, K.** & Acharya, R. (Ongoing). Does place of abortion have any role in the contraceptive uptake?
- **Gaur, K.** & Keshri, K. (2020). Migration Status of Husbands of Women: An NFHS-4 based study. In: Atlas of Demographic and Gender Inequalities in India. (Edited by Christophe Guilmoto and Nandita Saikia). Forthcoming.
- Srivastava, R., Keshri, K., **Gaur, K.** Padhi, B. & Jha, A. K. (2019). Internal Migration in India and the impact of Uneven Regional Development and Demographic Transition across States: A Study for Evidence Based Policy Recommendations. A Study Report Prepared for the UNFPA. New Delhi, UNFPA. Forthcoming.

■ Book

- **Gaur, K.** 2011. A Study of Child Work in India and Selected States: An Analysis of NFHS-III Data. LAP LAMBERT Academic Publishing AG & Co. KG: Germany (ISBN: 978-3-8454-2455-2).

■ Published Research Papers

- **Gaur, K.** and Ram, U. 2015. “**Mental health problems among youth in India and its correlates**” *International Journal of Human Rights in Health Care* 9(2), 95-108.
- Ram, U., Strohschein, L., and **Gaur, K.** (2014). “**Gender socialization: Differences between male and female youth in India and associations with mental health**” *International Journal of Population Research*, 2014, 1-11.
- **Gaur, K.**, K. Keshri and W. Joe. 2013. “**Does living in slums or non-slums influence women’s nutritional status? Evidence from Indian mega-cities**”, *Social Science & Medicine* 77, 137-146.
- **Gaur, K.** and K. Keshri. 2010. “**Use of census data in understanding human dimension of environmental change**”, *Population and Environment Bulletin* 7(1), 2-5.
- **Gaur, K.** and S. Parasuraman. 2010. “**Understanding the socio-economic correlates of child work in India**”, *Indian Journal of Social Work* 71 (2).
- Agrawal G., K. Keshri and **K. Gaur**. 2009. “**Aging, disability and health care services among older persons in India**”, *Middle East Journal of Age and Ageing* 6(5): 21-28.

Reviewed papers for

- Social Science and Medicine
- Journal of Urban Health
- Ethnicity and Inequalities in Health and Social Care
- Quality in Ageing and Older Adults

Fellowships/ Awards/ Grants

- Received **ICSSR Post Doctoral Fellowship** for the year 2018-19 for a period of 2 years to work on "Dynamics of Contraceptive use Pre- and Post-abortion in India"
- Received funding to attend **RASTA-Family Planning in India** workshop under the RASTA initiative organized by the Population Council, Delhi during 24-26 May, 2018.
- Received **Canadian Commonwealth Scholarship 2012-13**, granted by the Canadian Bureau for International Education (CBIE) on behalf of the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade Canada (DFAIT), Government of Canada from January 16th to June 21st, 2013 (appx. 6 months).
- Received **Early Career Scholar Grant** to attend the pre conference workshop on "Cross Cultural Perspectives on Peer Victimization" and to present a paper at the "22nd Biennial Meeting of the International Society for the Study of Behavioural Development (ISSBD 2012)" held during 7-12 July, 2012.
- Received partial funding to present a paper at "2nd Asian Population Association Conference" held during 26th-29th August, 2012.
- Received partial funding to attend 1st "Asian Population Association Conference 2010" held in **New Delhi, India** during November 16-20, 2010.
- Receiving **UGC-NET (Government of India)** fellowship for Ph.D. programme at International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai (India).
- Received **UNICEF** fellowship for pursuing M. Phil. Course at International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai (India), from 2008-2009.
- Received **Government of India (Ministry of Health and Family Welfare)** fellowship for pursuing MPS Course at International Institute for population Sciences, Mumbai (India), from 2007-2008.

Invited Lectures

- Invited to present a paper entitled "Migration status of Husbands of women age 15-49" in the workshop to prepare an Atlas of Demographic and Gender Inequalities in India" during December 16-17, 2019 at the Centre for Social Sciences and Humanities, Delhi.
- Invited to deliver a lecture in the workshop on "Overview and Use of Recently Released National Family Health Survey (2015-16) on February 05, 2018 at G. B. Pant Social Science Institute, Prayagraj.

Conferences/Workshops/Training Programmes participated

- Presented a research paper entitled "Dynamics of Contraceptive Use- Pre and Post Abortion" in the ICSSR sponsored National Seminar on "Population, Health and Environment" at G B Pant Social Science Institute, Prayagraj during September 20-22, 2019.
- Presented a research paper entitled "Mental Health among Indian Youth: Prevalence and its Correlates" at National Workshop on "National Health Mission: Achievements and

Challenges” held at **Institute of Economic Growth**, New Delhi, during 8th-12th September, 2014.

- Presented a research paper entitled “Romantic Relationship and It’s Association with Mental Health of Indian Youth” at “2nd Asian Population Association Conference” held at Imperial Queen’s Park Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand during 26-29th August, 2012.
- Attended a Pre-conference workshop on pre conference workshop on “Cross Cultural Perspectives on Peer Victimization” held at held at University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada on 7th July, 2012.
- Presented a paper entitled “Parental Connectedness and Mental Health among Indian Youth: Exploring the Unexplored” at the “22nd Biennial Meeting of the International Society for the Study of Behavioural Development (ISSBD 2012)” held at University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada during 7-12 July, 2012.
- Attended a Pre-conference workshop on *Approaches to Social Science Research* held at **Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai, India** during 21-23 November, 2011.
- Presented a research paper entitled “Parental Connectedness and Mental Health Outcomes of Youth in India: A Gender Perspective” at the “Ninth Indian Association for the Social Science and Health Conference” held at **Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai, India** during 24-26 November, 2011.
- Presented a research paper entitled *Vulnerability of Urban Youth to Common Mental Disorders and Substance Use* at the “33rd Annual Conference of Indian Association for the Study of Population” held at **Sanjay Gandhi Post Graduate Institute for Medical Sciences, Lucknow, India** during 11-13 November 2011.
- Presented a research paper entitled *Double Burden of Under and Over-nutrition among Women of Eight Major Cities in India* at “International Conference of Population Dynamism of Asia: Issues and Challenges Ahead” held at **University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia** during 11th – 13th July, 2011.
- Presented a research paper entitled *How Far Parental Communication on Sexual and Reproductive Issues Reduces Mental Health Concern among Youth in India* at the “32nd Annual Conference of Indian Association for the Study of Population” held at Utkal University, **Bhubaneswar, India**, during 28-30 November, 2010.
- Presented a research paper entitled *Working Children and their School Attendance in India* at “1st Asian Population Association Conference 2010” held at **New Delhi, India** during November 16-20, 2010.
- Presented a research paper entitled *Child Work and School Attendance in India and Selected States* at “30th Annual conference of Indian Association for the Study of Population” held in **Bangalore, India** during October 17-19, 2008.

Software Knowledge

- Quantitative Analysis Software: **SPSS, Stata, Spectrum, MORTPAK**
- Proficient in presenting map and analysing GIS data by **Arc-View GIS**.
- Data entry software: **CSPRO**

Professional Affiliations

- Annual member of International Union for Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP).
- Life member of Indian Association of Social Science and Health (IASSH).
- Life Member of Indian Association for the Study of Population (IASP).
- Life member of IIPS Alumni Association (IIPSA)

Personal details

- Date of birth: 23rd September, 1985
- Nationality: Indian
- Marital status: Married
- Languages known: English and Hindi

References

(i) Dr. Usha Ram, Ph. D.

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