

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

### **DR. ANISUR RAHMAN**

**Anisur Rahman** is currently Professor and Director, UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi. He holds Masters in two disciplines- Economics (AMU) as well as Sociology, M. Phil and Ph D (JNU). Before joining Jamia. He worked at the Institute of Applied Manpower Research, Planning Commission, and Government of India. His area of interest includes Migration and Diaspora, Gulf Social Demography, Issues of Higher Education and Minorities. He has published 4 books and over 2 dozen Research Papers in Reputed Journals in India and Abroad. He has also contributed 12 chapters in edited books. Dr Rahman has presented over 30 Research Papers in several Conferences/ Seminar/ Workshops in India and Abroad. He has also visited France under Indo- French Social Scientist Exchange Programme thrice for research in 2010, 2013, and 2015. He has delivered over 100 invited talks at different institutions of higher learning in India and abroad. He is also a member of several academic bodies and editorial boards. He may be contacted at [arahman@jmi.ac.in](mailto:arahman@jmi.ac.in), [anis\\_1964@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:anis_1964@yahoo.co.uk)

### **Academic Qualifications**

- Ph. D. in 1997 (**West Asian Studies**) from the School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India
- M.Phil. in 1991(**West Asian Studies**) from the School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India
- M. A. (Sociology) in 1989 from the School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi
- M.A. (Economics) in 1986 from the Faculty of Social Sciences, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, (U.P.), India
- B.A. (Hons) Economics, in 1984 from the Faculty of Social Sciences, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh (U.P.), India.

### **CURRENT ENGAGEMENT**

Apart from the main Responsibility at UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, teaching two Papers Research Methodology (Compulsory) and Social Demography, Migration and Development in the Gulf Region to M. Phil scholars as additional responsibility at the Centre for West Asian Studies, JMI since 2008.

### **Specialisation**

Migration and Diaspora, Population and Gulf Society, Staff Development and Higher Education; and Minorities

### **Invited Talks**

Delivered more than 100 invited Lectures on Issues of Migration and Diaspora at CPDHE, University of Delhi, Centre of West Asian Studies and UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, Aligarh Muslim University Aligarh (UP), ASC Banaras Hindu University,

Varanasi,(UP) Kurukshetra University, Hisar University, Kumaon University and MANUU, Hyderabad, HP University, Punjab University, Ranchi University and other Institutions of Higher Learning.

### **Awards/ Fellowships**

Qualified JRF/NET in West Asian Studies conducted by UGC in 1993.

One Month Social Scientist Exchange Programme, FMSH, Paris, June, 2010

One Month ICSSR-FMSH Cultural Exchange Programme, Paris, January 2013

Associate Research fellowship under DEA Programme, FMSH, Paris, June, 2015

### **Country Visited**

France, Netherlands, United Kingdom, Hong Kong, Switzerland, Germany

Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

### **Professional Development Programme Attended**

First one Week Professional Development Programme for Senior Faculty on E-Learning in Higher Education organised by the UGC-HRDC in Collaboration with FTK-Centre for Information Technology, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi from 4<sup>th</sup> January to 9<sup>th</sup> January, 2010.

56<sup>th</sup> Four Week Orientation Course from 27<sup>th</sup> December 2001 to 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2002 organised by the UGC-ASC, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.

### **Coordinator**

Centre for Distance and Open Learning Study Centre at the UGC- Human Resource, JMI

Management Development Programmes (now Orientation Programme) organised for University and College Administrators by the UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, Jamia Millia Islamia.

More than 50 Orientation Programmes for newly appointed Lecturers from Universities and Colleges organised by the UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, Jamia Millia Islamia.

First and Second Refresher Courses in West Asian Studies organized by UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, JMI

Professional Development Programmes for Senior Faculty, Group B & C Staff from University and Colleges.

### **Nodal Officer**

MA Programme in Kashmir and South Asian Studies jointly started by Jamia MMillia Islamia and the University of Kashmir

### **Associate Editor**

ASC Bulletin brought out by the then Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi

## **Membership of Professional Bodies/Societies**

Indian Association for Central and West Asian Studies (IACWAS), New Delhi

Gulf Research Centre (GRC), Dubai

Institute for Defence Strategic Analysis, New Delhi

## **PUBLICATION DETAILS**

### **BOOKS**

1. *Migration of Indian Labour to the Gulf: A Socio-Economic Analysis*. New Delhi, Rajat Publications, 2001, New Delhi.  
(Reviewed By Michael P. Todaro and Published in *Population and Development Review*, vol. 28 No. 2 June, 2002, pp. 363-364)
2. *Contesting Homogeneity in the Gulf Society*, Academic Excellence, New Delhi, 2008
3. *Human Rights and Social Security: Perspectives, Issues and Challenges*(Ed.) Manak Publications Pvt. LTD, New Delhi, 2011
4. *West Asia in Transition: Issues, Perspectives and Global Concerns*(Ed.), Academic Excellence, New Delhi, 2016

## **CHAPTER IN EDITED BOOKS**

1. "Gulf a Crucial Factor in India's Energy Requirement for Development" In edited Book on *India's Energy Security and the Gulf* by Dr. S.N. Malakar, Academic Excellence, New Delhi, 2005.
2. "Population of Indian Migrants in the Gulf: A Boon or Bane from the View Point of Sustainability" in edited book on *Population and Sustainable Development in India* by Ehsanul Haq & S.K. Singh, Authors Press, New Delhi, 2005.
3. "Economic and Social Development in Iran Since 1979 Revolution: Issues and Challenges" in edited book on *Imam Khomeini (R.A): Some Aspect of His Thoughts (A Collection of Articles)*, Iran Culture House, New Delhi, 2004.
4. "Migrant Workers and Human Rights: The Study of the Gulf Region" in edited book on *Implementing International Human Rights Norms in the Third World: Problems & Prospects*, Manak Publications, New Delhi, 2008.
5. "India's Energy Security: Gulf a Viable Option" in edited book on *Indian Foreign Policy: Post 11 September Scenario, Challenges and Opportunities* by S. K. Singh, Pentagon Press, 2009.

6. "Indian Manpower in the Gulf: Strategic and Economic Dimension" in edited book on *West Asia and the Region; Defining India's Role* by Rajendra M. Abhyankar, Academic Foundation, New Delhi, 2008
7. "Growth and Development of Area Studies in India; The Academic Staff College as a Factor" in edited book on *Area Studies in India: Challenges Ahead* by Mohammad Gulrez, Centre of West Asia Studies, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, 2009
8. "Protecting the Rights of Migrant Workers: Issues and Challenges" in edited book on *Human Rights and Social Security: Perspectives, Issues and Challenges*, by Anisur Rahman, Manak Publications Pvt. LTD, New Delhi, 2011
9. "India and West Asia: Imperative of a Closer Partnership" in edited book on *India's Foreign Policy: Emerging Challenges* by Nalinikant Jha and Subhas Shukla, Pentagon Press, New Delhi, 2012
10. "Indian Labour Diaspora in the Gulf: An Overview" in edited book on *Indian Trade Diaspora in the Arabian Peninsula* by Prakash C. Jain and Kundan Kumar, New Academic Publishers, New Delhi, 2012
11. Gulf NRIs as a factor in Strengthening India-Gulf Relations in edited book on *Indian Diaspora in the Era of Globalisation* by S. K. Jain, Gyan Books PVT. LTD, New Delhi, 2012
12. Population and Social Development in the United Arab Emirates: An Overview in edited book on *India and the GCC States: Historical, Geo-Political and Strategic Perspectives* by A K Pasha, Wisdom publications, New Delhi, 2014
13. "Economic and Social Consequences of Indian Emigration to West Asia" in edited book on *Foreign Policy of India and West Asia: Change and Continuity* by F. Mahmood and R. Azmi, New Century Publications, New Delhi, 2014, ISBN:978-81-243-2
14. Determinants, Trends and Patterns of Future Migration in the Gulf Region in edited book on *Contemporary West Asia: the Emerging Scenario* by Hemayun Akhtar Nazmi, Global Book Organization New Delhi, ISBN:978-93-80570-74-7
15. Changing Patterns of Indian Labour Migration to the Gulf: Causes and Effects in edited Book on *Diaspora, Development and Distress* by Ajaya k, Sahoo, Rawat Publications, Jaipur, ISBN: 978-81-316-0687-2
16. Indian Labour Migration in the Gulf and its Impact on Migrating Areas in India in edited Book on *South Asian Migration: Remittances and Beyond* by Md Mizanur Rahaman and Zaara Zain Hussain, Cambridge Scholars Publishing, New Castle upon Tyne, UK ISBN(10)1-4438-7841-8/ISBN(13) 978-4438-7841-8

## **RESEARCH PAPERS/ARTICLES**

1. "Migration of India Manpower to West Asia: Trends and Effects", *Manpower Journal*, July-Sep., 1999, IAMR, New Delhi.
2. "Human Resource Development in the Gulf Countries: Problems and Prospects", *Journal of West Asian Studies*, Nov. 12.1998, Centre of West Asian Studies; AMU, Aligarh.
3. "India Labour Force to West Asian Countries: Problems and Difficulties", *Journal of West Asian Studies*; No. 11, 1997, Centre for West Asian Studies; AMU.
4. "Socio- Economic Characteristics of Gulf Migrant from India: A Case Study", *Journal of Peace Studies*; Vol.6, July-Aug., 1998, Centre for Peace Studies, New Delhi.
5. "Iran and Regional Stability in West Asia", *Strategic Bulletin*, Vol. III, No.2, December, 1998, South Asian Centre for Strategic Studies, New Delhi.
6. "Migration of Indian Labour to Gulf", *Indian Dominion*, December, 1997, New Delhi.
7. "Impact of Indian Labour Migration on Migrant Households", *Third Concept*, March, 1998, New Delhi.
8. "Vocational Education in India", *Indian Dominion*, December 1998, New Delhi.
9. "Indian labour Workers in the Gulf", *Mainstream*, December, 1998, New Delhi.
10. "Prospects of Peace in West Asia: Issues and Concerns", *Journal of Peace Studies*, Centre for Peace Studies, New Delhi.
11. "Indo-Saudi Relations: A Need for Coming Closer", Vol. IV No. 283, May-September, 1999, *Strategic Bulletin*, South Asian Centre for Strategic Studies, New Delhi.
12. "Islam and Women Empowerment: Experiences of Saudi Arabia and Iran" *Journal of West Asian Studies*, No. 16, Centre of West Asian Studies, AMU, Aligarh, 2002.
13. "Women Empowerment in the Islamic Republic of Iran" *Journal of Peace Studies*, vol. 10, Issue 2, April-June 2003, International Centre for Peace Studies, New Delhi
14. "Socio-Economic Development in Post Revolutionary Iran and Regional Stability" *Journal of Peace Studies*, vol. 9, Issue 2, March-April, International Centre for Peace Studies, 2002, New Delhi.
15. "The Role of Academic Staff College in Professional Development", *Staff and Educational Development International*, Vol. 6, No 2, September 2002.
16. "Socio-Economic Development of Muslim Minority: A Need for Nation-Building" *The Radical Humanist*, Centre for the Study of Social Change, 2002, Mumbai.

17. "Muslims in Contemporary India: Issues and Challenges", *Resurging India, Bi -Annual Journal of Politics and Development*, vol.iii, no. 2, July-December, 2006, Centre for the Nehru Studies, Dept. of Political Science, AMU, Aligarh.
18. "Emerging Dynamics of Indo Gulf Relations" *Journal of West Asian Studies*, AMU, Aligarh, 2006.
19. "The Socio Cultural Dimension of Indo Omani Relations" *Bi-Annual Journal of International Politics*, Tehran, Iran, Vol.2 No.III Winter Spring 2009.
20. "Indian Diaspora in the Gulf: Problems and Prospects" *Diaspora Studies*, vol. 2, No.1, January-June, 2009, Journal of the Organisation for Diaspora Initiative, New Delhi (India).
21. "Migration and Human Rights in the Gulf" Migration and the Gulf, The Middle East Institute, Washington, DC, February, 2010, Available on website at <http://www.mei.edu>
22. "Maintaining India's Stronger Relations with west Asia: A Need of the Day", *Journal of West Asian Studies*, Centre for West Asian Studies, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, 2010

### **Book Review**

1. Unholy War : Terror in the Name of Islam by J. L. Esposito, Oxford University Press, 2003
2. Professional Competency in Higher Education by S. Neelamegham & N. K. Oberoi, CPDHE, DU, Delhi, pp.297
3. Islam, Dialogue and Civil Society by Seyed Mohammad Khatami, CPCAS/SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, 2003, pp. 119

### **ASSOCIATED WITH RESEARCH PROJECTS**

1. Impact Study of Orientation Program - conducted by UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, Jamia Millia Islamia.
2. A World Bank Project- "National Manpower Needs Assessment in Agriculture and Allied Sectors" sponsored by the Indian Council of Agriculture Research, Pusa, New Delhi. Restructuring of Training System of Khadi and Village Industries Commission-sponsored by the KVIC.
3. Rationalisation of Work of Some Division of the Department of Statistics Sponsored by the Department of Statistics, Manpower Assessment of some of the Department of Chandigarh Administration. – Sponsored by the Chandigarh Administration.

4. Restructuring of Training System of Khadi and Village Industries- sponsored by Khadi and Village Industries Commission, GOI
5. Survey on Concurrent Evaluation of Indira Awas Yojna and Million Wells Scheme in Bihar- Sponsored by the Ministry of Rural Development, Govt. of India.

### **SEMINAR ORGANISED**

National Seminar on Human Rights and Social Security in the Age of Globalisation held on 23-24 November, 2009 sponsored by UGC and JMI

### **SEMINAR/ SYMPOSIUM/ WORKSHOP ATTENDED**

#### **Papers Presented**

1. Indian Labour Diaspora in West Asia: A Strategic and Economic Assets for India in Three Days International Seminar on Security Dynamics in West Asia and Turkey held on February 1-3, 2016 at the Department of Civics and Politics, University of Mumbai in Collaboration with Department of International Relations, Zirve University, Gaziantep, Turkey
2. Identity, Citizenship and Human Rights Issues in the Indian Diaspora in the International Conference on Absences, Silences and the Margin: Restructuring Indian Diaspora Studies held on 7-9 January, 2016 at Kanyakumari, Tamil Nadu, INDIA
3. Emerging Dynamics of Indo-Turkish Relations: Soft Power as Factor in 3-Day International Conference on Indo-Turkic Relations: Perspectives and its Contemporary Relevance organized by Turkish Language & Literature Programme held on 1-3, November, 2015 at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi
4. Empowering Muslim Women: Gulf Migration as a Factor on International Seminar on Mapping Research on Muslim Women: Retrospect and Prospects organized by Sarojani Naidu Centre for Women's Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi held on 22-23, 2015
5. Migration of Indians Abroad: Understanding Diversity, Identity and Resistance at the Annual International Studies Convention 2015 on Power, Resistance and Justice in the International System held on 22-23 March, 2015 at Convention Centre JNU, New Delhi
6. The Presence of Indian Communities: A Vital Factor in Strengthening Indo-West Asian Relations in the International Seminar on India's Foreign Policy Strategies Through The 21<sup>st</sup> Century held on February 26-28, 2015 at the Department of Political Science, University of Kerala, Trivandrum, Kerala

7. Indian Migration to Saudi Arabia: A factor in Strengthening in Indo- Saudi Relations in the National Seminar on India and Saudi Arabia: The Emerging Socio-Cultural and Economic Dimensions held on March 3 , 2015, organized by the Centre for West Asian Studies, JMI, New Delhi
8. “Diaspora as a Factor for Cultural Development between Iran and India” in the National Seminar on Cultural Development and Development of Culture between Iran and India organized by the Institute of Persian Studies, AMU, Aligarh in Collaboration with Al Mustafa International University of Iran held on 24 December,2014 at AMU, Aligarh
9. “Ensuring the Rights of Migrant Workers in the Gulf: A need of the Time” in National Seminar on Human Rights and Good Governance in India and West Asia organized by the Centre for West Asian Studies held on 25-25 November,2014 at the Centre for India Arab Cultural Centre, JMI, New Delhi
10. “Indian Community: A vital Factor in Strengthening Bilateral Relations” in the First West Asian National Convention on West Asia in a Changing World organized by the Centre for West Asian Studies held on 12-14 November, 2014 at the School of International Studies, JNU, New Delhi
11. “Human Rights of Migrants Workers: A Global Concern in the International Seminar on Global Politics and Governance in 21st Century: Emerging Trends and Global Concerns” held on 22-23 March, 2014 organised by the Department of Political Science, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar Central University, Lucknow, UP
12. “Modern Education-A Panacea for the Empowerment of Indian Muslims” in National Seminar on Traditional versus Modern Education: Vision and Planning of Muslim Institutions organised by Centre for Promotion of Educational and Cultural Advancement of Muslims of India held on March 1-2, 2014 at Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh(UP)
13. “Determinants of Future Migration in the Gulf” in the National Seminar on Contemporary West Asia: the Emerging Scenario organised by the Centre for West Asian Studies held on February 25-26, 2014 at India Arab Cultural Centre, JMI, New Delhi
14. “Changing Patterns of Indian Labour Migration to the Gulf; Causes and Effects “in the International Seminar on Society, Culture and Politics in West Asia organised by the Department of Arabic, held on 24 & 25 October,2013 at the University of Kerala, Trivandrum, Kerala.
15. “Indian Diaspora as a factor in Indo-Bahraini Relations” in National Seminar on Contemporary Bahrain and Emerging Indo-Bahrain Relations by Gulf Studies Programme held on October 10 2013 at the Centre for West Asian Studies, JNU, New Delhi
16. “Integration and Identity of South Asian Immigrants in France” in the International Conference on Asian Migration and the Global Asian Diaspora organised by Southeast



Asia Research Centre, Department of Asian and International Studies and International Organization for Migration held on 6-7 September, 2013 at City University of Hongkong

17. "Indian Emigration to the Gulf and its Impact in Migrating Areas in India" in the International Conference on Development or Distress: 21st Century Indian Immigrants in the Persian Gulf by the Centre for the Study of Indian Diaspora, University of Hyderabad held on 11–12 March 2013 at the University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad
18. "Impact of Indian Gulf Migration on the Socio-Economic Conditions of Muslims in India: A Study of Migrating Villages in North India" in Gulf Research Meeting Workshop held on July 11-14, 2012 at the University of Cambridge, Cambridge (UK)
19. "International Instruments and Securing the Rights of Migrants Workers" in the National Seminar on Securing Group Rights: Experiences of Human Rights in Asia and Africa held on 7-8 February 2012 organized by the Academy of International Studies at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi
20. "Indians in Yemen" in the National Seminar on Contemporary Yemen and Indo-Yemeni Relations held on 30-31 January, 2012 organized by the Gulf Studies Programme at the School of International Studies, JNU, Delhi
21. "The Arab Spring and Its Implications for Expatriate Workers in the Host and Home Countries" in the National Seminar on The Arab Spring and Peace in West Asia held on 22-23 November, 2011 at the Centre of West Asian Studies, AMU, Aligarh, UP
22. "Instruments for Protecting Human Rights of the Migrant Workers: a critical Assessment" in the National Seminar on Emerging Paradigms of Human Rights: Issues and Challenges and Prospects on 19 October, 2011 at the Department of Political Science, AMU, Aligarh, UP
23. "Indian Migrants in the Gulf and India's Policy" in the National Seminar on Indian Diaspora Policy: Regional and Linguistic Challenges held on 12 October, 2011 at the School of International Studies, JNU, New Delhi
24. "Contributions of Indian Community in Kuwait" in the International Conference on Continuity and Change in India-Kuwait Relations held on 28 September, 2011 at the India Arab Cultural Centre, JMI, New Delhi
25. "Presence of Expatriate Workers in the Gulf Region: Assets or Liabilities?" In the Gulf Studies Conference organised by Institute of Arab and Islamic Studies, University of Exeter, Exeter, UK during 29<sup>th</sup> June – 2nd July, 2011
26. "Educational Empowerment of Indian Muslims: Issues and Challenges" in the National Seminar on Nehruvian Vision of India and the World: Mapping the Contemporary Realities( April, 4-5, 2011)organised by Centre for Nehru Studies, Department of Political Science, AMU, Aligarh( UP), India
27. "Some Vital Factors in India's Policy towards West Asia" in the National Seminar on Indian Foreign Policy: Challenges and Opportunities (March 26-27, 2011) organised by Department of Political Science, DAVPG College, Varanasi

28. "Ambedkar's Views on Minorities: A Critique" in the National Seminar on Relevance of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's Ideas Today (March, 23-24, 2010) Organised by Society for Social Empowerment at ICSSR, Conference Hall, Ferozshah Road, New Delhi.
29. "Migrant Workers, Human Rights and Threat Perceptions in The GCC Countries" in the National Seminar on Conflicts in South & West Asia: Prospects of Peace 9 20-21 December, 2010) organised by Centre of West Asian Studies, AMU, Aligarh (UP)
30. "Role of Jamia ASC in the Professional Development of Staff for Higher Education" in the National Workshop on Role of Human Resource Development Centre in improving Quality of Teachers in Higher Education(March, 16-17, 2010), organised by NUEPA, New Delhi
31. "Contextualising India- Iran Relation under the Backdrop of Nuclear Proliferation, Peace and Regional, Stability" in International Seminar on "Rajiv Gandhi's Disarmament Initiatives: Global and South Asian Contexts" (March 9-11, 2010) organised by Madanjeet Singh Centre for South Asian Studies, Pondicherry Central University, Pondicherry
32. "Gulf Migration: A Vital Factor in Strengthening India's Cultural Relations with the Arab World" in the International Seminar on "People, Culture and Goods in Motion: India-Arab Maritime Historical Relations" (3-4th March, 2010) organised by Gulf Studies Programme, JNU and India Arab Cultural Centre, JMI, New Delhi
33. "Immigration and State Policy in the GCC countries" in the National Seminar on "Ideological Trends in West Asia" (16th - 18th February, 2010) organised by Centre for West Asian Studies, AMU, Aligarh
34. "Human Rights and the Issues of Migrant Workers" in the National Seminar on "The Human Rights Discourse in India: Challenges for Theory and Action", (December, 2-3, 2009) organised by Department of Political Science, JMI, New Delhi
35. "Protecting the Rights of Migrant Workers: Issues and Challenges" in the National Seminar on "Human Rights and Social Security in the Age of Globalisation", (November 24-25, 2009) organised by Human Resource Development Centre, JMI, New Delhi
36. "Contemporary Indian Diaspora in the Gulf " in the Seminar on Indian Diaspora in the Gulf Countries(24 March,2009) organised by the Gulf Studies Programme, Centre for West Asia & African Studies, SIS, JNU, New Delhi.
37. "Population , Migration and Development in the United Arab Emirates" in the National Seminar on Contemporary United Arab Emirates and the Emerging Indi-UAE Ties (23 March,2009), Gulf Studies Programme, Centre for West Asian Studies, SIS, JNU, New Delhi.

38. "Labour Migration to the Gulf and its Impact on Muslims Education in India" in the National Seminar on "Minority Education in India: Issues of Access, Equity and Inclusion" 7 -8 March, 2009) organised by CEPECAMI, AMU, Aligarh, UP.
39. "Gulf NRIs As Economic Assets" in Two Day Seminar on Indian Diaspora in the Era of Globalisation: Implications for India (21-22 February, 2009) organised By Shaheed Bhagat Singh, University of Delhi, Delhi
40. "Performance and Excellence of Jamia ASC" in the National Workshop on Improvising Novel Strategies for enhancing effectiveness of ASC Training Programs: Setting Goals & Methods,( 14 January,2008) organised by ASC, Panjab University, Chandigarh.
41. "Issues in India's Changing Policy Towards West Asia" in the National Seminar on India's Foreign Policy: Emerging Challenges"( 7-8, January, 2009) organised by Rajiv Gandhi Chair in Contemporary Studies, Allahabad University, Allahabad
42. "Gulf Migrant Workers and Human Rights" in the National Seminar on Protection of Human rights (21-22 March' 07), Implementing International Human Rights Norms in the Third World: Organised by Academy of Third World Studies, JMI.
43. "India's Energy Security: Gulf as a Vital Factor" Indian Foreign Policy: Post 11 September Scenario, Challenges and Opportunities (11-12 April'07), organised by Dyal Singh College, Delhi University. Delhi
44. "Indian Manpower in the Gulf: A Strategic & Economic Assets" in the National Conference on India's Perspective on West Asia (21-22 August' 06) Organised by Centre for West Asian Studies, JMI.
45. "Gulf as a Factor in India's Energy Security and Development:" in the International Seminar on " India's Energy Security and Gulf Organised by GSP/ CWAAS, School of International Studies, JNU, New Delhi
46. Some Aspects of Indian Diaspora in the Gulf in the International Seminar on "India and Indian Diaspora" organised by School of International Studies, JNU and Indian Council of Cultural Relations, New Delhi
47. "Gulf Migration and Indian Muslims" Symposium on Minorities Issues in India organised by Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, GOI, New Delhi
48. "Socio-Cultural Dimensions of Indo- Omani Relations" in the Seminar on Contemporary Oman and Indo Oman Relations organized by the GSP/ SIS, JNU, New Delhi

#### **Chaired/Participated/ Discussant in Seminar**

1. Gulf Research Meeting Workshop held on July 11-14, 2012 at the University of Cambridge, Cambridge (UK)

1. International Workshop on Migration in Gulf in Gulf Research Meeting organised by Gulf Research Centre, University of Cambridge, UK during 6th -9th July, 2011
2. Meeting on Research Writing and Publication in the Social Sciences, February 2, 2010 EPW- TIS at the UGC, New Delhi
3. Seminar on "International Migration, Remittances and Development" organised by National Labour Institute and Ministry of Labour, NOIDA
4. National Seminar on "Education-Employment Linkages and Vocational Education", conducted by National Institute of Education Planning and Administration.
5. Symposium on "Contemporary Indo-Qatari Relations" conducted by Gulf Studies Programme, Centre for West Asian Studies, JNU, New Delhi.
6. Symposium on "Contemporary Kuwait and Indo-Kuwait Relations" conducted by Gulf Studies Programme, Centre for Asian Studies, JNU, New Delhi.
7. Seminar on "Iran: Twenty Years of Islamic Revolution" conducted by Gulf Studies Programme, Centre for West Asian Studies, held at JNU, New Delhi.
8. Seminar on "Indo-Kuwait Relations" conducted by Gulf Studies Programme, Centre for West Asian Studies, JNU, New Delhi.
9. Seminar on "Restructuring of Training of Khadi and Village Industries Commission" conducted by Institute of Applied Manpower Research, New Delhi.
10. Workshop on " Central & West Asia: What they mean to India" organised by Indian Association for Central and West Asian Studies, JMI, New Delhi

### **Invited Talks/Lectures**

1. Imperative for Professional Development of Staff in Higher Education & Diaspora; A Factor for Development and India's Image Abroad on 22& 23 February, 2016 in Special Winter School Refresher Course at the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, University of Kashmir.
2. Indian Diaspora and Research in Education on 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2015 in the 24<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme at the UGC-HRDC, B.P.S. Mahila Vishwavidyalaya, Sonapat, Haryana
3. Indian Diaspora : Projecting India's Image Abroad and Imperative for Professional Development of Staff in Higher Education on 09.12.2015 in Orientation Programme(OR83) at the CPDHE, University of Delhi, Delhi

4. Indian Diaspora : Projecting India's Image Abroad and Imperative for Professional Development of Staff in Higher Education on 24.11.2015 in Orientation Programme(OR82) at the CPDHE, University of Delhi, Delhi
5. Diaspora and Development in India & Cultivating Research Culture in India on 4 May, 2015 in the 22<sup>nd</sup> Orientation Programme at the UGC-HRDC, B.P.S. Mahila Vishwavidyalaya, Sonapat, Haryana
6. Cultivating Research Culture in Academic Institutions and Academic Writing on 3<sup>rd</sup> February , 2015 in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Refresher Course on Research Methodology at the UGC-HRDC, B.P.S. Mahila Vishwavidyalaya, Sonapat, Haryana
7. Diaspora, Investment and Development in India on 27<sup>th</sup> November,2014 in the Refresher Course in Business Studies at the UGC-HRDC, B.P.S. Mahila Vishwavidyalaya, Sonapat, Haryana
8. Indian Diaspora and Development: Indian Perspective on 8<sup>th</sup> November,2014 in the20th Orientation Programme at the UGC-HRDC, B.P.S. Mahila Vishwavidyalaya, Sonapat, Haryana
9. Professional Development of Staff in Higher Education in the Era of Globalization& Education, Diaspora and Development on 12<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> June, 2014 in the Refresher Course in Education at the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, University of Kashmir, Srinagar, J& K
10. Indian Diaspora and Development & Staff Development of Academic Staff : A Catalyst for Quality Enhancement in Higher" on 5<sup>th</sup> May,2014 in the18th Orientation Programme at the UGC-HRDC, B.P.S. Mahila Vishwavidyalaya, Sonapat, Haryana
11. Challenges in Higher Education and Contributions of Indian Diaspora on 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> March 2014 in the 67<sup>th</sup> Orientation Course at the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, UP
12. Contributions of Indian Diaspora in the 88<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme on 31<sup>st</sup> January,2014 at the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, JNU, New Delhi
13. Issues and Challenge of Higher Education & Indian Diaspora on 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2014 in the 105<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme at the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, University of Allahabad, Allahabad, UP
14. Indian Diaspora on 28<sup>th</sup> December,2013 in the Refresher Course at the UGC-HRDC, B.P.S. Mahila Vishwavidyalaya, Sonapat, Haryana
15. Issues and Challenge of Higher Education & Indian Diaspora on 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> September, 2013 in the 104<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme at the UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, University of Allahabad, Allahabad
16. Professionalization of Teaching in Higher Education & Research Trends in Humanities on 27.50.2013 in the Orientation Course at the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, MANUU, Hyderabad, AP.

17. Indian Diaspora and Professional Development of Staff in Higher Education Indian Diaspora and Professional on 10<sup>th</sup> May,2013 in the 14<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme at the UGC-HRDC, B.P.S. Mahila Vishwavidyalaya, Sonipat, Haryana
18. Contributions of Indian Diaspora& Staff Development and Higher Education on 27.04.2013 in the Orientation Programme the UGC-HRDC, Guru Jambheshwar University of Science & Technology, Hisar, Haryana
19. Higher Education: Future Challenges & Staff Development on 06<sup>th</sup> and 07<sup>th</sup> June, 2012in the 61<sup>st</sup> Orientation Course at the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, UP
20. Higher Education : Future Challenges & Indian Diaspora on 01.06.2012 in the 68<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme at the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, Haryana
21. Contributions of Indian Diaspora on 16.06.2012 in the Orientation Programme at the UGC-HRDC, Guru Jambheshwar University of Science & Technology, Hisar, Haryana
22. Indian Labour Migration to the Gulf Countries: Emerging Trends and Patterns and Protection of Migrant Workers in the Gulf Countries on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> April,2012 for the M. Phil Students at the Centre for Diaspora Studies, School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies, Central University of Gujarat, Gandhi Nagar, Gujarat
23. Writing Research Proposal on 07.01.2012 in the 9<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme by the UGC-HRDC, B.P.S. Mahila Vishwavidyalaya, Sonipat, Haryana
24. Issues of Identity and Integration of Expatriates in the Gulf Region & Rights of Migrant Workers on 27.12.2011 in the PG Diploma in Conflict Resolution and Peace Studies, at the Centre of West Asian Studies, AMU, Aligarh, UP
25. Research Methodology and Preparing Research Proposals on 24.12.2011 in Refresher Course in Emerging Issues in Educational Technology organized by the UGC-ASC, Guru Jambheshwar University of Science & Technology, Hisar, Haryana
26. Diaspora Investment & Development on 16.12.2011 in Refresher Course in Business Studies organized the UGC-HRDC, Ranchi University, Ranchi, Jharkhand
27. Management of Higher Education in India: Issues and Challenges, on 17<sup>th</sup> December, 2011 at the Cambridge Institute of Technology, University of Ranchi, Jharkhand
28. Preparation of Research Proposals on 15.12.2011 in Refresher Course in C.R. M. in Social Science organized by the UGC-HRDC, Ranchi University, Ranchi, Jharkhand
29. Indian Diaspora & Professional Development in Higher Education and Staff Development on 10.12.2011 in Orientation Programme 01.12.2011 to 28.12.2011 organized by the UGC-HRDC, Guru Jambheshwar University of Science & Technology, Hisar, Haryana

30. Rights of Migrant Worker Indian Situation and Global Scenarios on 23 & 24 .11.2011 in Refresher Course in Human Rights Group organised by the UGC-ASC, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, UP
31. Higher Education and Professional Development on 17.10.2011 in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Refresher Course in Education by the UGC-HRDC, B.P.S. Mahila Vishwavidyalaya, Sonipat, Haryana
32. Professional Development of Staff in Higher Education & Indian Diaspora: Projecting India's Image Abroad on 12 & 13. 09.2011 in the 57<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme by the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, UP
33. Professional Development of Staff in Higher Education on (09.06.2011) in the 7<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme organised by the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, B.P.S. Mahila Vishwavidyalaya, Sonipat, Haryana
34. Professional Development of Staff in Higher Education & Indian Diaspora: Projecting India's Image Abroad on 06 & 07.06.2011) in the 57<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme by the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, UP
35. Rights of Migrant Workers in the Era of Globalisation on 17.03.2011 in Refresher Course in Political Science organised by the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh
36. Indian Diaspora: Projecting India's Abroad on 16.03.2011 in Orientation Programme organised by the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh
37. Indian Diaspora: Projecting India's Image Abroad on 02.12.2010 in Orientation Programme organised by the UGC-HRDC, Guru Jambheshwar University of Sc. & Tech., Hisar, Haryana
38. Professional Development of Staff in Higher Education in the Era of Globalisation on 07.12.2010 in Orientation Programme-64 organised by CPDHE, University of Delhi, Delhi
39. Indian Diaspora: Projecting India's Abroad on 25.11.2010 in Orientation Programme organised by the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, Kuskshetra University, Kurukshetra, Haryana
40. Professionalization of Staff in Higher Education on 10.11.2010) in Refresher Course on Education organised by the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh
41. Problems and Issues of Human Rights in the Occupied Territories & Problems and Issues of Human Rights in the Gulf on 10, November, 2010 in PG Diploma in Conflict Resolution & Peace organised by the Centre of West Asian Studies, AMU, Aligarh, UP
42. Protecting the Rights of Migrant Workers in the Gulf; Immigrants in the Gulf: Problems and Prospects on 09 November, 2010 in PG Diploma in Conflict Resolution & Peace organised by the Centre of West Asian Studies, AMU, Aligarh, UP

43. Indian Diaspora: Projecting India's Image Abroad on 13.09.2010 in Orientation Programme( OP-98) organised by the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh
44. Professional Development of Staff in Higher Education & Indian Diaspora: Projecting India's Image Abroad on 14.09.2010 in 87th Orientation Programme organized by the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, Punjab University, Chandigarh, Punjab
45. Professional Development of Staff in Higher Education on 29.09.2010 organized by Cambridge Institute of Technology, Ranchi University, Ranchi, Jharkhand
46. Indian Diaspora & Professional Development of Staff in Higher Education in Orientation Programme on 27&28.09.2010 organized by the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, Ranchi University, Ranchi, Jharkhand
47. Professionalization of Teachers in Higher Education in Orientation Programme on 15&17.5.2010 at the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, MANUU, Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh
48. Programme( OR-61) at the CPDHE, Academic Research Centre, University of Delhi, Delhi
49. Indian Diaspora Enhancing India's Image Abroad on 27<sup>th</sup> October, 2009 in the Orientation
50. Indian Diaspora: Enhancing India's Image Abroad & Professional Development of University Staff on 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2008 in the 5<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme at the UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, Kumaun University, Nainital, UK
51. Indian Diaspora Projecting India's Image Abroad on 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2006 in the 97<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme at UGC - Human Resource Development Centre, AMU, Aligarh, UP

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