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Bio - Data

Positions Held:

- Director Centre for Staff Training and Development
- Head Department of History
- Dean Faculty of Social Sciences
- **Member Research Projects Committee of Indian Council of Historical Research.**
- Member Board of Studies of Osmania, Kakatiya, Nagarjuna, MANUU and Karnataka State Open University.
- She joined the Open University as an Assistant Professor in the year 1992 and became Professor in 2007. She had completed 27 years of service in Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Open University with 12 years' service as Professor. The **27 years of academic journey** of Dr. Sudha Rani is a good **blend of academic commitment and social responsibility.**

Administrative Experience:

In addition to regular academic activity, she held several administrative positions in the university. She was **Director Women's Development and Extension Centre (WDEC)** during 2002 to 2004, **Head, Department of History** during 2002 to 2014 and **Dean Faculty of Social Sciences** from 2008 to 2011. As director WDEC she established the **Sexual Harassments Complaint Committee** cell in the university.

Academic Qualifications:

Course	University	Year
Ph.D	Osmania University, Hyderabad	2000
M.Phil	Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi	1991
M.A	Osmania University, Hyderabad	1987
B.A	Vanitha Mahavidhyalaya, OU, Hyderabad	1985

Invited Lectures / Keynote Addresses :

- Participated as Guest Speaker at Dalit Shree Shakti Annual meeting at Secunderabad on Dalit Women Empowerment on 21st February, 2019.
- Invited to 39th ANNUAL SESSION on 8 - 10 February, 2019 to deliver prestigious Prof. B.C. Ray Memorial Lecture on Caste, Labour and Gender in Hyderabad State at Osmania University, Hyderabad.
- Invited as Guest speaker on 'Women-Representation' at a book release on 'Sampoorna Prajaswamiyam' by P.S.N.Murthy – on 11th August 2018 by Prabhuddha Bharat International at Telugu University Auditorium.
- Invited by DLRL as Guest Speaker on Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Phule Jayanthi celebrations conducted by SC/ST Employees Welfare Association on 13th July 2018.
- Gave a lecture on Trends in Telangana Women's History in the seminar on Revisiting Telangana conducted by Telangana History graduates Association on 8th May 2018 at ICSSR seminar Hall O.U. Hyderabad.
- Attended as Guest Speaker on 2581st Buddha Jayanthi celebrations conducted by Buddhist Society of India on 30th April 2018 at Lumbini Park , Hyd.
- Gave a guest lecture on the occasion of Dr.B.R.Ambedkar's 127th Birth Anniversary celebrations on 20th April 2018 conducted by CGO Towers Employees Hyderabad.
- Participated in 127th Birth Anniversary celebrations of Dr.B.R.Ambedkar and 111th Birthday celebrations of Babu Jagjivan Ram and gave a lecture on 19th April 2018(7:00pm) at Reserve Bank of India Hyderabad.
- Delivered 1st Bhagya Reddy Varma Memorial Lecture on 18th February 2018 at Adi Hindu Bhavan, Hyderabad.
- Invited as speaker on the occasion of Phule & Ambedkar Jayanthi celebrations on 17th April 2018 (5:00pm) at University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad.
- Invited by Ambedkar Memorial Society to give a lecture on Women and Buddhism- Dr. B. R. Ambedkar on 15th October 2017 at Visakhapatnam.
- Guest Lecture for Golden Jubilee of AISCSTEW, ONGC on 25th & 26th September, 2017 at Visakhapatnam.
- Invited to give Lecture on "Modernization of Hyderabad State under the Asaf Jahis Dynasty by MCRHRD on 24th July 2017.
- Guest Lecture at National Institute of Nutrition, Hyderabad on 28th April 2017 as a part of Babu Jagjeevanram and Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Birthday Celebrations.

- Invited Lecture on Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's perspectives on women Empowerment a National Seminar on "Social, Political and Economic Perspectives of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar" on 30-03- 2017 and 31-03- 2017.conducted by the Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Studies Centre, S. V. University, Tirupati.
- Guest of Honour address at Government Degree College, Medak for National Seminar on cultural Heritage of Telangana held on 3rd March 2017
- Invited for a talk on Dalit Women's Movement: A Historical Perspective at National Seminar on Social Movements and Dalit Literature in India on 28th February 2017 conducted by Department of English, University of Hyderabad
- Lecture on Dr.B.R. Ambedkar's views on women liberation in International Conference on "Ambedkar and Buddhism" on the eve of "Dr.B.R.Ambedkar's 125th Birth Anniversary" during 24th, 25th February 2017 and also chaired the session on Buddhism & Hindu Code Bill on 25th February 2017 Conducted by the Department of Social Welfare, A.P. & Centre for Mahayana Buddhist studies, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur.
- Special lecture on "Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Women's Empowerment" School of Economics, University of Hyderabad on 30th August, 2016 at Hyderabad.
- Dr. Shiela Raj Memorial Lecture on "Transcending Barriers: Women during Asaf Jahis" on 18th July, 2016 organised by H.E.H. Nizam Jubilee Pavilion Trust, Salarjung Museum, Hyderabad.
- Invited-lecture at DMRL SC/SCT Employees Union, Hyderabad on "Dr.B.R.Ambedkar's Perspective on Women" on 17th May, 2016.
- Chief guest address on "Babu Jagjivan Ram" on 15th April, 2016 organised by SC/ST Employees Association, Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanam (TTD), Tirupathi, Andhra Pradesh.
- Guest Lecture on Life and Mission of Savithri Bai Phule in 2016 by 'Savithri Bai Phule Chaitanya Vedhika" Hyderabad.
- Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's Perspective on Women Empowerment, Presidential address Dalita Stri Sakti, Hyderabad 8th March, 2014
 - Caste and Gender Perspectives and Challenges, Valedictory address ICHR sponsored national seminar on Caste, Society and Politics in South India and special reference to Tamil Nadu, Tagore Arts College, Puducherry, 17-18 February, 2014
 - Guest Lecture Caste and gender in – Historical perspectives social exclusion and liberal democracy SSS, JNU, New Delhi 17-19 July 2013
- Babu Jagjeevanram- The Maker of Modern India, Main speaker on Babu Jagjeevanram Birthday Celebrations at Kakatiya University, Warangal, 5th April, 2013

- Economic and Industrial Policy of Asaf Jahis of Hyderabad- Colonial Responses. Keynote address for the national seminar at University of Pune on 'Economic History of India (British Period)' March, 2013. Maharashtra.
- Women Empowerment : Contributions of Savitri Bai Phule, Inaugural address at, Savitri Bai Phule Adyayana Vedika, at Osmania University, Hyderabad on, 10th March, 2013
- Challenges and Opportunities of Women in Changing Global Scenario, Guest of Honour Address 22nd March 2013, centre for women studies, Kakatiya University.
- Exploring Women's History during Asaf Jahis : Initial Re-elections and Prospects, Presidential address at 37th session of A.P. History Congress, Avanigudda, 2013, Andhra Pradesh
- Gender in Public Policy, in 87th foundation Course of Administrative officers Training Program, Lalbahadur Academy of Administration, MCRHRD, Hyderabad, 2012
- Social Reforms in Telangana, Presidential Address at 33rd session of South India History Congress, Kannur, 2010. Kerala.

Countries Visited:

- Hague, **Netherlands** during 2006
- Heidelberg, Berlin and Halle in **Germany** during 2009
- New York and New Jersey in **United States of America** during 2009
- Koulalampur, **Malaysia** during 2014
- Khatmandu, **Nepal** during 2016

Lectures given Abroad

- **International Dalit Solidarity Network** invited in 2006 to **Netherlands** as one of the subject experts for the conference on Human Rights and Dignity of Dalit Women.

- Awarded with the prestigious German fellowship - **DAAD Exchange of Scientists**, in 2009 to conduct research on **Caste, Labour and Mines in Telangana** at **Heidelberg University, Germany**.
- While at Germany invited by the **Humboldt University Berlin** to speak on **Caste, Labour and State in India** and also gave a Lecture at **Halle** on the same topic.
- The **Columbia University New York, USA** has invited in 2009 as a panellist on **Gender and Caste** for the conference, **Caste and Contemporary India**.
- Invited by **Rutgers University, New Jersey, USA** to speak on **Dalit Women in Decision Making**.
- The **International Network of Engaged Buddhists and Government of Malaysia** has invited as subject expert to speak on “**Tradition and Modernity: Religion and Spirituality, in Changing World**” in 2013, in their biennial conference on **Inter-Faith Dialog for Peace and Sustainability** held in **Kaulalumpur, Malaysia**.
- Invited by the **Nepal Buddhist Federation**, to participate in two day workshop, on **Bridging Marginalized Communities in Nepal and India**, at **Kathmandu, Nepal** in 2016.

Memberships

- **Executive Editor, TRC Journal of Telangana Studies, Hyderabad**
- **Governing Board Member, APMASS, Hyderabad**
- **Academic Senate Member, Krishna University, A.P**
- **Research Project Committee, Indian Council of Historical Research, New Delhi**
- **Indian Academy of Social Sciences**
- **Indian History Congress**
- **Indian Association of Women’s Studies**
- **South India History Congress**
- **AP History Congress**
- **Telangana History Congress**
- **Board of Studies for Distance Education department of History MANUU, Hyderabad.**
- **Board of Studies Graduate and Post Graduate studies, Osmania University**

- **Board of Studies**, Karnataka Open University
- **Board of Studies Graduate and Post Graduate studies**, Kakatiya University
- **Board of Studies, Center for Buddhist Studies, Women Studies and Ambedkar Centre**, Acharya Nagarjuna University
- **Board of Studies** Mary Stella Degree College, Vijayawada
- **Depart Level Research Committee**, Dr. BRAOU
- **Board of Studies Faculty of Social Sciences** Dr. BRAOU
- **Advisor Jogini Vyavasta Vyathireka Porata Samiti**, Union against practice of Jogini, Hyderabad
- **Advisory Board, Center for Dalit Studies (CDS)**, Hyderabad

Academic Contributions:

She has been the Editor, Associate Editor and Course Writer of several under graduate, post graduate and PG Diploma in Heritage and Cultural Tourism. She is also co-ordinating the courses of PG Diploma in Women's Studies. In addition to the regular academic responsibilities at the university, Dr. Sudha has participated in **21 international** and more than **83 national level** conferences and Seminars and presented papers. She has also delivered more than **30 lectures and several lectures in UGC sponsored refresher and orientation programs** targeted to enhance the quality higher education on various topics including research methodology. She addressed several organizations and universities and gave more than 100 lectures. She conducted several National seminars in Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Open University, Hyderabad.

Dr. Sudha Rani's **research area of interest is Women Studies in general and Dalit Women in particular**, which is reflected from the beginning of her research career in conducting studies on **Durgabai Deshmukh (M.Phil), Participation of Women in the freedom struggle of Telangana region (Ph.D) and Women in Asaf Jahis period** Presidential Address in the 37th session of AP History Congress at Avanigadda, **Social Reforms and Women's Question in Telangana, 1900-51**, Presidential Address in the 30th South India History Congress at Kannur, Kerala and first guest lecture at Acharya Nagarjuna University Women's studies Centre in 2014 on **Women and Law** etc., are noteworthy. She is the course coordinator for PG Diploma in Women Studies. She has been Research Supervisor for the Students of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Open University and Osmania University. So far four Ph. D's been awarded under her guide ship and twelve more scholars are pursuing their research for M.Phil and Ph. D Degrees in Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Open University and Osmania University.

Awards

- **Eswari Bai Memorial Award** from **Government of Telangana and Eswari Bai Memorial Trust**, Hyderabad, 2018
- **Gyan Bhushan Award** for her contribution in the field of education by **Pride Educational Society and Tyagaraja Gana Sabha** on 24th June 2018.
- **Government of Telangana State Award to Meritorious Teachers**, 2015
- **Savitribai Phule Award** from **Savitribai Phule Chaitanya Vedika**, 2015, Hyderabad
- **Award of DAAD Fellowship** from the **Government of Germany** under exchange of **Scientists**, 2009

Major Studies

- UGC Major project on **Caste and Famine in Madras Presidency**-2014
- Minor Research Project on **Learners of Social Science foundation Course**-2011
- **Dalit women leadership in the self help movement in Andhra Pradesh** 2007.
- **Educational Status of children of rehabilitated Manual Scavengers in five states** 2005
- **Livelihoods under threat study of Kolleru lake, Andhra Pradesh** 2004
- **Impact of privatization on Road Sweeping Workers of Hyderabad Municipal Corporation** 2002.

Association with Civil Society Organizations:

Associated with **Women Organizations** such as **Asmitha, Anveshi** and gave several inputs on **women empowerment**.

Centre for Dalit Studies - Founding member, **Bhavitha** - Board member, **Jogini Vyavasta Vyatireka Porata Samiti** – Advisor, **Dalit Stree Shakti** – Subject Expert, **Prayas Gramin Vikas Samithi, Bihar** – Advisor, **Samta Sainik Dal** - Member and **Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Memorial Trust** – Member. She has been a regular contributor to the **Prabuddha** lecture series at **Santi Chakra International**, Hyderabad and **BAMCEF**.

Publications:

- **The 125th Bullock cart (Viluvandi), Sojourn of Mahatma Ayyankali in Travencore , 1893, TRC Journal of Telangana Studies, Vol.1, No.1, April- June, 2019**

- **B C Ray Memorial Lecture on Caste, Gender and Labour in Hyderabad State : 1900-1951, Published by South Indian History Congress, 2019**
- **The Identity, Consciousness and Leadership of Dalit in Hyderabad State, South Indian History Congress Souvenir, 39th Session, Department of History, OU Hyderabad, 2019.**
- **Dalitula Jeevitallo Velugu Nimpina Sumitra Devi Vanmayi, No.1- 2 , ISSN: 2230-7915, Hyderabad, 2018.**
- **Adi Hindu and Dalit Movements** Telangana History and Culture, Telugu Academy, Hyderabad, 2016.
- **Adi Hindu Dalita Udyamalu** (Telugu), Telangana History and Culture, Telugu Academy, Hyderabad, 2016
- **Women's Movement** Telangana History and Culture, Telugu Academy, Hyderabad, 2016.
- **Streela Udyamalu** (Telugu), Telangana History and Culture, Telugu Academy, Hyderabad, 2016.
- **Women education in Hyderabad State- Public and Privet institutions**, proceeding of Indian History Congress, University of Gour Banga, Malda, 2015.
- **Towards modernity : Role of women educationalists in Hyderabad State, XXXIX Session, Srisailam, 2015 ISSN: 2320-057X**
- **Women and famine relief Measures in Madras, 1850-1900, South Indian History Congress thirty four session Proceedings, Poondi, 2014 , ISSN: 2229-3671**
- **Women and Law in Facets of Gender (Discrimination and Violence)** Ed by Challapalli Swaroopa Rani, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur, 2014 (ISSN 978 -93-5212-179-3)
- **The Perceptions and Participation of Women in People's Struggle in India**, in Studies in Indian History of Festschrift, in honour of Prof. Adapa Satyanarayana, Research India Press, ISBN , 9781-89-131-661, New Delhi, 2013.
- **Exploring Women's History During Asaf Jahis : Initial Reflections and Prospects**, AP History Congress thirty seventh session, Avaniigadda ISSN 2320-057X
- **Tradition and Modernity : Religion and Spirituality in a Changing World**, in Inter-Faith Dialog for Peace and Sustainability, Proceedings of INEB biennial conference 27th Oct-5th Nov, 2013, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
- **“Adi Hindu Movement”** in Social Reform and Social Change in Modern Andhra, National Seminar proceedings ISBN – 978-93-5067-756-8, Rajhundry, 2012
- **Education – A key to women empowerment in pre and post independent India** in Social Reform and education – A tool of women empowerment some reflections, national seminar proceedings ISBN – 978-93-5067-756-8, Rajhundry, 2012
- **Participation Telangana women in the nationalist struggle in Hyderabad State.** In JHSS Journal of Humanities and social sciences Vol-3, March 2008.

- **Mahila Manipoosa Ramabai Ambedkar in Samanthara Vol-1, issue 12, March 2008.**
- **Dalitha Sthreela Udyama Spoorthy, Dr.Ambedkar.** Samanthara Vol-2 issue 13, April 2008.
- **Telangana Rajakeeyalalo Dalita Mahila Druvatharalu, Sumitra devi in Neeli janda , Vo-1 issue 7, April 1-15, 2008.**
- **Telangana Rajakeeyalalo Dalita Mahila Druvatharalu, Eswari bai in Neeli janda , Vo,1 issue 8, April 16-30, 2008.**
- **Telangana Rajakeeyalalo Dalita Mahila Druvatharalu, T.N.Sadalakshmi in Neeli janda , Vo,1 issue 9, March 1-15, 2008.**
- **Caste based Discrimination in Self Help Groups-Experiences of Dalit Women in Andhra Pradesh.** Conference Papers, Ambedkar Center for research and Social Action. Mahatma Gandhi National Institute of Research and Social Action,14/15/February, 2007.
- **Telangana Charitralo Streelu (in Telugu).** Telangana Times: Monthly Bulletin, Vol-1, Issue-3. March, 2006.
- **“A Thousand Laurels- Dr. Sadiq Naqvi (Studies on Medieval India with Special Reference to Deccan) Joint Chapter in Volume II “ Molla-The first Women Writer belongs to Productive Castes in Medieval Andhra”** Published by Felicitation Committee Department of History& Department of AIHC&A Osmania University, Hyderabad, 2005.
- **Stree Vimukti Udyamalu: Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Krushi (inTelugu).** Dalit: A Quarterly, Bulletin No: 2. Andhra Pradesh Jogini Vyavasta Vyatireka Porata Samithi, Hyderabad, Sep 2005.
- **Livelihoods under Threat study of Kolleru Dalits.** Proceedings international Seminar on development and Displacement Afro Asian Perspectives. Department of Political science, Osmania University, Hyderabad, 27-28 November 2004.
- **Molla-The first women Write of Productive Caste in Medieval Andhra.** People’s Movements in the Princely States –by Y. Vaikuntham. Manohar Publications 2004.
- **Status, Consciousness of Women in Hyderabad State Socio-economic, Political and Cultural Context.** Studies in Indian History and Culture .Department of History Osmania University, 2004.
- **“Consciousness and participation of Telengana Women in the people’s Movement in Hyderabad State, 1901-1951”**Chapter in **People’s Movements in the Princely States”- Y. Vaikuntham.** Published by Monohar Publications.2004.
- **Growth of Women’s education in Hyderabad state (1900-1951).** Proceedings of XXV Sessions AP History Congress. A. P. History Congress, Hyderabad,2001.
- **“Social Reforms in Andhra and Telengana: Consciousness of Women”** Presented in XVII session of A.P. History Congress Proceedings, Hyderabad, 1999.
- **“Towards Equality- Dr. Bhima Rao Ambedkar’s Contribution”** Joint Chapter with Dr. Vidhyavathi, in P.Ramaih and K.Satish Reddy. **Dr. B.R. Ambedkar’s Economic Philosophy,** Delta publications, New Delhi, 1994.

- **“Struggle of Equality: Role of Popular Telugu Women’s Magazines,”** Presented in the 5th Regional International Conference of World Council for Curriculum and Instruction, New Delhi, 1994.
- **Non-formal Education in Andhra: Durgabai Deshmukh’s Contribution.** Proceedings of XVII session of A.P. History Congress. A. P. History Congress, Tirupathi, 1993.
- **Non-Formal Education in Andhra: Durgabai Deshmukh’s Contribution-XVII session of A.P. History Congress Proceedings,** Tirupathi, 1993.

Special Articles in News Papers:

- Published a editorial note on “Dalita Vidya chiatanya Ketanam”(Bhagya Reddy Varma an Iconic role model for educational awareness among Dalits” in Mana Telangana on 3rd February, 2018
- Published a Special article titles Asalaina Stree pakshapathi Ambedkar”(Dr. B.R. Ambedkar: A real women emancipator) in Nava Telangana on 14th April, 2018
- Published a article on editorial page “ Hyderabad Jabili Mahalaqabai Chanda” (Hyderabad Moon MahaLaqa Bai Chanda) in Andhra Jyothi on 2nd June, 2018
- A special Article Published by Mana Telangana on June 10th,2018 entitled Dalitula Atma Gourava Bavuta Bhagya Reddy Varma (Social Reformer of Dalit Self-Respect Movement led by Bhagya Reddy Varma)
- A Special article published by Mana Telangana on July 8th 2018 on titled “Mahad-oka Nirantara Dheerga yatra”(Mahad an unending long March)
- A special editorial article published on “ Prajaswamyam ante ennikalena? (Is elections panacea for Democracy?) in Mana Telangana on 2nd December, 2018

Published Books:

- **“ Bhagya Reddy Varma Rachanalu, Sampadakeeyalu- Nivedikalu”,** Adi-Hindu Social Service League, Hyderabad – 2018 , ISBN: 978-93-87540-47-7
- **Eshwari Bai Monograph,** Telugu Academy, Hyderabad, 2017.
- **Durgabai Deshmukh – A Pioneer in Women Empowerment.** Book Links Corporation, ISBN, 81-85194-88-2, Hyderabad. 2007

Edited Books:

- **Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Rachanalu Prasangalu Volume 14, Part 1** (Translated from English to Telugu) P. S. Telugu University Hyderabad, 2017, ISBN No. 81-86073-410-1
- **Editorial Board, ICSSR, National Seminar Proceedings,** Globalisation- A strategy towards Women Empowerment, Department of Political Science, Kurnool 2016, ISBN No. 978-93-85101-15-1
- Edited and Compiled, **Vision and thoughts of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar- A compilation of Memorial Lectures, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar open University,** Hyderabad, 2017
- Edited **Telangana History, Culture,** Telugu Academy, Hyderabad 2016.
- Edited **Telangana Charitra Samskruthi,** Telugu Academy, 2015.

- Chief Editor, **Textbook for Intermediate first Year, History (English)**, Board of Intermediate Education, Hyderabad, Telugu Academy, Telangana, 2014.
- Chief Editor, **Textbook for Intermediate first Year, History (Telugu)**, Board of Intermediate Education, Hyderabad, Telugu Academy, Telangana, 2014.
- Editor, **Senior Secondary Course History 1**, AP State Open School, Hyderabad, 2012.

Seminars and Workshops Conducted:

- **International Conference “ Socio-Political Economic and Cultural relations of Deccan with Iran from 14th to 18th Century, 16- 17, February, 2019 at Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Open University, Hyderabad**
- **Workshop on “ Digital On Screen Evaluation System, CSTD, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Open University, 20th July, 2018**
- **Two- Day Training Programme on translation from English to Telugu, CSTD, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Open University, 12-13 June, 2018**
- **Symposium on “ The legacy of National Movement” August- 15, 2017**
- **Two-Day Workshop on Effective Office Procedures and Online Services, 15-16 September, 2017, CSTD, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Open University**
- **National Symposium on Democratization of Higher education in India: Dr. B.R. Ambedkar’s Vision, April 4th 2017, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Open University**
- Organised One Day National Symposium on “**Spirit of National Movement – Legacy and Relevance**” on 22nd August, 2016 at Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Open University, Hyderabad.
- Organised Two Day National Seminar on “**Retrieving People’s History of Telangana –Participation, Perception and Prospects**” during 7th and 8th September, 2015 at Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Open University, Hyderabad.
- A Five half day training program on "On-line Admissions and Office Administration", 2015.
- A Five Half day training programme on "Service Rule and Office Administrative Procedures", 2015.
- A five half day training program to the Technical Staff "New Technologies", 2015.
- A Five half day training program on "Effective Office Administration and Work Ethics", 2014.
- Research methodologies and research support is scheduled in the month of December, 14, 2014.
- **Organizing Secretary, XXXIII Indian Social Sciences Congress**, by Indian Academy of Social Sciences and Dr.BRAOU, March 10 – 14, 2010 at Hyderabad.
- **Vice President Organizing Committee** on Social Reform in Telangana in Hyderabad State. 1900-48 in Telangana History Congress held in 1-2 march, 2008 at OU, Hyderabad.
- Organized one day Symposium on “**Women’s Development Perspectives and Concerns**” Dr. BRAOU, 8th March, 2004
- **Organizing Secretary**, National Seminar on “**Status and Role of Women in India**” Dr.BRAOU,2003

Seminars /Conferences/ Workshops Attended

INTERNATIONAL

- International Conference “ Socio-Political economic and Cultural relations of Deccan with Iran from 14th to 18th Century, 16- 17, February, 2019 at Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Open University, Hyderabad

- Women in Distance Education- equipping the unequipped empowerment through knowledge, technology and skills, IDEA and Dr. BRAOU, 10-12th November, 2018.
- Moharram ceremonies among Non-Muslims in Telangana Region, Deccan History society and cultural attach, the consulate general of Islamic Republic of Iran, Hyderabad
- Prapancha Telugu Mahasabhalu, December 15th-19th, 2017, Govt. Of Telangana, Hyderabad.
- Invited as a resource person for a one day International seminar on “Iconography Culture in Karnataka” on 7th September 2017 and Spoke on Buddhist Images of Kadri Karnataka.
- Sri Narayana Guru and Women’s Upliftment, Inter Religious Harmony, 17th and 18th October, 2016, SV University, Tirupati.
- Reimaging Struggles at the Margins- History of Unconquered and Oppressed, Ayyankali Chair, Dept. Of History, Kerala University, 17-18th July, 2014.
- Inter Faith Dialogue for Peace and Sustainability, INEB (International Network of Engaged Buddhist), 27th October- 5th November, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, 2013.
- Caste and Labour in Hyderabad Stare, Osmania University, 17-19th December, 2010.
- Member of the Panel, Gender and Caste, Columbia University, New York, USA, 2009
- Dalit Women in Decision Making, Rutgers University, New Jersey, USA, 2009.
- Empowerment of Women from Marginalised groups through ODL in India, Commonwealth of learning, Dr. BRAOU, Hyderabad, 23-25th August, 2007
- Right to Food and Women, FIAN International, Asia Regional Workshop, Hyderabad, 2006.
- Human Rights and Dignity of Dalit Women, DNN, Hague, Netherlands, 2006.
- International symposium of Women Entrepreneurs, Association of Lady Entrepreneurs of A.P, Hyderabad, 2006.
- Women’s participation in Buddhist social action, Transcending Barriers: Dr. B.R. Ambedkar and Buddhist World, INEB, Nagaloka, Nagpur, October 14th, 2005.
- Globalisation and Displacement of Coastal Women at Kolleru, Centre for Canadian Studies, Kannur University, Kerala, 25-27th March 2004.
- Development and Displacement- Afro-Asian Perspectives, OU, Hyderabad, 2004
- Open and Distance Education: Future concepts and strategies, Dr. BRAOU, Hyderabad, 18th - 20th December, 2003.
- 5th regional Conference of World Council for Curriculum and Instruction, Delhi, 1993.
- Technical and Vocational Programme through Distance education, Dr. BRAOU, 1992.

NATIONAL

- Status and Role of Women in Development of India, JNU, New Delhi, 1990
- Indian History Congress, Aligarh, 1990
- Indian History Congress, New Delhi, 1991.
- Non formal education and functional literacy for Women in Andhra, contributions of Durga Bai Deshmukh, A.P History Congress, Guntur, 4-5th January, 1993.
- Development of Audio Visual Materials, Dr. BRAOU, Hyderabad, 9-10th November, 1993.
- Empowerment of Women- A step towards a just society- Reflections, Perceptions, expectations, WCCI, New Delhi, 12th December, 1993.

- Development of User friendly instructional materials, CSTD, Dr.BRAOU, Hyderabad, 30th January-4th February, 1995
- Status and Role of Women in development of India, WDEC, Dr. BRAOU, Hyderabad, March 1997.
- ETV Script Development, IGNOU, New Delhi, 29th January- 5th February, 1998.
- Training Programme for use of IT for teachers in distance education, CSTD, Dr. BRAOU, Hyderabad, 25th August, 1999
- Women's perspectives on public policy, Indian association for Women Studies at NICIET, Hyderabad, 8th-11th January 2004
- Retrieving past, history and culture of Telangana, Dept. Of History OU, Hyderabad, 11-12th March 2004
- Impact of Neo Liberal Globalisation of Women, Chandra Rajeshwar Rao Foundation for Progress, Neelam Rajshekar Reddy, Research Centre, Hyderabad, 10th October, 2004.
- Globalisation and displacement of livelihoods, Study of Kolleru Dalits. Deot. Of Political Science, OU, 27-28th November 2004.
- Research methodology for distance education, BRAOU and COL Canada, 6th -10th December 2004.
- Capacity building for Women Managers in higher education, Bangalore University, Bengaluru, 14-19th December, 2004
- National Round Table cum Workshop on extension and outreach programmes in Indian Universities, AAOU, New Delhi, 14-16th March 2005.
- Telugu Diaspora through the ages, P. S Telugu University, Srisailam, 18-19th November 2005.
- All India Samta Sainik Dal 12th National Conference, Warangal, December 2005.
- Role of Multimedia and e- Learning in ODL, IGNAOU and BRAOU, Hyderabad, 23-27th Feb, 2006.
- Liberation and empowerment of Dalit Women-Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's perspectives, Babasaheb Bhim Rao Ambedkar Central University, Lucknow, April 14th 2006.
- Fresh light on the History, P.S Telugu University, Srisailam 23rd and 24th September, 2006.
- Dr. Ambedkar's ideologies: revision and vision, Ambedkar Chair, Padmavati Mahila Vishwa Vidyalaya, Tirupati. 1st-2nd March, 2007
- Rural governance in India emerging dynamics, Dept. of Public administration OU 30th-31st March 2007
- Choice and use of ICT in ODL's – Impact strategies and future prospects, GRADE DR. BRAOU, Hyderabad, 29th -30th March 2007
- Irrigation and Agricultural Development in Telangana during 19th-20th centuries Dept of History OU 28th-29th March 2007
- History of Telugu's as reflected in the travel accounts of Huen Tsang, P.S. Telugu University, Srisailam, 21st March 2007
- Education and empowerment of Women, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's Vision, BRAOU, Hyd 5th-6th July 2007.
- Social reforms in Telangana Hyderabad State, Telangana History Congress, OU Hyderabad 1st-2nd March 2008
- Women and work in Hyderabad, AP History Congress Warangal 6th-7th jan, 2008
- Dalit movement in Telangana, South India History Congress, 20th session, 19th – 21st January 2008
- Women in Buddhism a just social order, centre for Dalit studies Hyderabad 15th March 2008

- Privileging women agency in history: Work, Worship, leisure and pleasure Dept History OU Hyderabad, 26th- 27th March 2008
- Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, Maker of Modern India, Gulbarga University, Gulbarga 28th – 29th April 2009.
- Social Dimensions of buddhims Acharya Nagarjuna University Guntur, 16th – 17th September 2011
- Savitri Bai Phule Jeevitam Adarsham P.S Telugu University, Hyderabad, 3rd Jan 2012
- Bhagya Reddy Varma his life and struggle, Shanti Chakra International, Hyderabad 2012
- Women in Telangana movement, politics of regional identity and national building in India Kakatiya University A.P 14th-15th March 2012
- Dalit traditions and customs in Andhra and Telangana, folk traditions, regions and languages in Deccan, OU 29th- 30th March 2012
- Role of Bhagya Reddy Varma in regional Dalit Movement, History, region and identity- a study of Telangana OU 28th- 29th May 2012
- Kumaradevan Pratyaksha Raksha Daiva Sabha, Dalita Vaitalikula, SC cell, P.S. Telugu University, 14th May 2012
- Adi Hindu Movement, Social reform and social change in modern Andhra, Rajahmundry 20th-21st July 2012
- Role of women in Samta Sainik Dal (SSD) State convention , Hyderabad, 3rd June 2012
- Education a key to women empowerment in pre and post independent India
- Social reform and education a tool of women empowerment, Rajahmundry, 18th-19th March 2012
- Role of Dalit journals on Socio Cultural awakening in Hyderabad State, Socio religious and cultural responses of India during colonial rule in 19th and early 20th century, Andhra Loyola college Vijayawada 17th 18th August 2002
- Audio Visual presentation and anchoring of education programmes CSTD DR BRAOU 21st-27th September 2012
- Theoretical explorations and practical issues on domestic violence on Dalit women, Dalit women and domestic violence Anveshi research centre for women Hyderabad 13th October 2012
- Role of Women in Indian History, Women in national building Centre for Women Studies Acharya Nagarjuna University, Andhra Pradesh.26-27 November 2012.
- Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's perspectives on Education, Ambedkar on Education Ambedkar's chair Acharya Nagarjuna University, Andhra Pradesh. 3-4 December 2012.
- Anti Caste Movements in India. Shanthi Chakra International Hyderabad, 10th Jan 2013
- Exploring women's history during Asaf Jahis, 37th Annual session of AP History Congress Avani Gadda, AP 5-6 Jan 2013.
- Debates on Caste and Gender, Contemporary debates on gender issues, Women's study Center Acharya Nagarjuna University, Andhra Pradesh.27th March 2013
- Economic Development in Hyderabad State, Economic History of India British period Dept. of History University of Pune 6-7 March 2013
- Dr. B.R.Ambedkar's visit to South India, South India History Congress Trivandrum Kerala, 15-17 Feb 2013.
- RTI Act. 2015 CSTD, Dr.BR.A.O.U., Hyderabad 14-16 March, 2013

- Jothirao Phule's role in emancipation of women, makers of modern India Phule, Ambedkar and Jagjivanram, SC cell PS Telugu University, Hyderabad 29th May 2013.
- Accounts of Chinese travellers on Deccan History, interpreting Deccan history Dept. Of History, OU, Hyderabad 28-29 June 2013.
- Capacity enhancement training program in ICT and e – Learning, CSTD, Dr. B.R.A.O.U 15 -20 July 2013.
- History, Culture, Art and architecture and Kakatiya, Dept. Of History and Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, 29-30th October, 2013.
- Gendering Famines in Madras Presidency South India History Congress University of Tanjore, Tamil Nadu, 28th February – 2nd March 2014
- Gender in History National Symposium on teaching History perspectives and challenges, Kakatiya university, Warangal, 21st-22nd March 2014
- LIS education in India with special reference to ODL: prospect and retrospect, DR> BRAOU Hyderabad, 29th-30th May, 2014
- Towards modernity: the role of Women educationist in Hyderabad State A.P History Congress, Srisailam, 31st Jan- 1st Feb, 2015
- Karnataka as a tourist destination in historical perspective, the national educational society of Karnataka, the national degree college Bangalore, 22nd-23rd August 2014
- Pioneers of Women educationalist during Asaf Jahis, South Indian History Congress, 35th Annual Session, 20-22nd February 2015
- National capacity building of ODL professionals on OER quality, commonwealth education media centre for Asia, New Delhi in collaboration with Dr. BRAOU, Hyderabad 27th-29th May 2015
- Women's movement in Hyderabad State: contributions of Hyderabad State Women's conference, Dept. Of History and tourism management Kakatiya University, Warangal, 25th June 2015
- Women's education in Hyderabad State – Public and Private initiatives, Indian History Congress 76th Session, Gour Banga, Malda, 27-29th December 2015
- Invited for the 36th session of South Indian History Congress is being held under auspices of the Dept. of History, Tagore Arts College, Puducherry from 4th to 6th March, 2016.
- Organised a one day seminar on Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's thought; Relevance to contemporary Indian society" on the eve of 125th Birth Anniversary Celebrations of Babasaheb Dr. B. R. Ambedkar. On behalf of PS. Ambedkar Memorial Trust on 8th April, 2016 at Telugu University Auditorium.
- Invited by the Dept. of Sociology S.V.U, Tirupathi and Sree Narayana Guru Dharma Prachara Sabha, Sivagiri Mutt, Kerala attended a two day International Conference on " Inter Religious Harmony" on 17th & 18th October, 2016
- Invited as Guest of Honour in a National Seminar on" Retrieving People's History Architect of the Telangana Armed struggle D.V. Rao held during 19-20 June, 2017 by Department of History, Osmania University and also chaired the session on 20th June for a session on "Relevance of DV Ideology to present times."
- Invited for a two day National seminar on "Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Vision and works on education" – Relevance to our times" by Telangana State Council for Higher Education on 14 & 15th July 2017.
- Invited as a resource person for a one day International seminar on "Iconography Culture in Karnataka" on 7th September 2017 and Spoke on Buddhist Images of Kadri Karnataka.

- A two day workshop on “Constitutional Governance :The predicament of oppressed communities in India – A way forward” by ONGC (AISCSTEWA) at Visakhapatnam on 25-26th September 2017.
- Invited to SOUTH INDIAN HISTORY CONGRESS 38th ANNUAL SESSION from 28th to 30th January, 2018 by the University of Calicut, Kerala.
- Participated in One Day Consultation on Rural Education and Community Engagement Curriculum Framework for Rural Resilience, Department of Public Administration and NIRI, 15th March, 2018
- Invited as resource person for two day National seminar on Changing Trends in History and Historiography on March 20st and 21st 2018 spoke on Changing Trends in Women’s History Caste gender perspectives in pre-noon section on 21st March 2018.
- Conducted Interface with Academics, Civil Society Organisations Prof. Kshirsagar on 15th April 2018 evening (7.00pm) at Telugu University seminar hall, PS Telugu University Hyderabad.
- Attended Third Annual Conference of Telangana History Congress during 25th & 26th June 2018. Conducted by Department of History, Osmania University.
- Invited as resource person to the seminar on “Social-Sciences-Contemporary Society” conducted by Telugu Academy on 30th July 2018, on the eve of Golden Jubilee celebrations and spoke on “Social-Sciences-Gender Perspectives.”
- Attended Seminar on “ Revisiting Hyderabad History and political Thought of Dr. Raj Bahadur Gour, August, 2018, Department of History, O U, Presented a paper on Dr. Raj Bahadur Gour, reflections on Telangana Armed Struggles
- Attended International Seminar on 9th September 2018, and spoke on “Moharram Exemplary in Enriching Telangana Culture and Communal Harmony.”Conducted by Deccan History Society and Iran Consulate at Iran Consulate, Hyderabad.
- Participated in a ICHR Sponsored National Seminar on “Indian Press and Socio-Cultural and Religious Transformation in Colonial Rule of 19th & 20th Centuries: A New Perspective on 20th September, 2018 at Nagarjuna University Ongole Campus, Ongole, And presented a paper on “Women and Modernity as Reflected in Press in Hyderabad”.
- Invited by Southern Regional Centre of Indian Council of Historical Research, as a resource Person for a two-day National-level Seminar on ‘Rethinking the History of Princely States with Special Reference to Cochin and Travancore’ on 5th & 6th October 2018.
- delivered Keynote Address on one day National Seminar on “Issues in Social Transformation in Commemoration of 125th Anniversary of Bullock Cart Sojourn of Mahatma Ayyankali on 13th December 2018, at University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram
- Attended Two-Day National Seminar on Asaf Jahis to Andhra Pradesh – Telangana, conducted by Telangana Sahitya Academy, 1-2 March, 2019 and Presented a paper on Women during Asaf Jahi period
- Attended one day national symposium on Reforms in Revenue Administration with special focus on Lands titles and Rights, 15th July 2019 organized by Department of Public Administration, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Open University

Contribution to Distance Education

Undergraduate course under CBCS pattern

- Editor course 4, Indian History and Culture from 1857 to 1947 CE
- Course writer Indian History and Culture from 1526 CE to 1857 CE Semester 3 E.M and T.M
- Course 2, Indian History and Culture from 712 to 1526 CE
- Course 1, Indian History and Culture from earliest times to 712 CE, course writer and associate editor
- Associate editor and Writer B. A, first year Generic Elective, Human Society and Development
- Course writer B.A/ B.Com/B.Sc first year Sem 1, Ability Enhancement Compulsory course, Gender Sensitisation.

Course writer, coordinator, editor, associate editor

B.A History

- Indian History and Culture upto 1526 AD
- Indian History and Culture, 1526 to 1989 AD
- Modern world 1789-1991 AD
- History of Far East 1840- 1964 AD

M.A History

- Ancient civilisations
- Historical method
- Modern revolutions
- Indian national movement
- History of Andhras upto 1687 AD
- Socio Economic History of India from earliest times to 700 AD
- Socio Economic History of India from earliest times to 700-1707AD
- Social history of modern India
- History of Modern Andhra (1687-1956 AD)
- Contemporary History of India (1947-2010)

PG Diploma in Culture and Heritage Tourism

- Cultural Heritage
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- Management of hospitality services
- Guide services
- Essentials of Tourism Management

PG Diploma in Women Studies (Coordinator)

- Coordinator, Course 1, theoretical approaches to Women Studies
- Course writer, Course 2, Women in contemporary India
- Course writer, Course 3, Women an Law
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