

## BIO DATA

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Date of Birth & Age : 05/04/1970 & 52 Years

Academic Qualifications : M.A., Ph.D

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Qualifications :

Examination	Subject(s)	Name of the Board / University	Year of Passing	Percentage of marks obtained	Division / Class / Grade
SSC	General	SSC	1985	50%	II
Intermediate	HEC	Board of Intermediate	1988	45%	II
Undergraduate	SPP	Kakatiya University	1999	51%	II
Post-Graduate	M.A. Sociology	Kakatiya University	2001	58%	II
Ph.D.	Distance Education	Kakatiya University	2006		
	Title: Role of Distance Education in the Educational Development of Backward Caste Women : A Sociological Study in District of Telangana Region				
Other examinations, if any	CLISC Pre-Ph.D	Kakatiya University	1990 2004	50% 51%	II Distance Education

**Fields of Specification under the Subject / Discipline: Distance Education / Sociology**

### Administrative Experience

Designation	Department	Date of actual joining		Grade pay
		From	To	
Assistant Director (SS)	RCC (001) Govt. Degree College for men Adilabad	14/06/2007	05/08/2008	
Assistant Director (SS)	RCC (007) SR&BGNR Govt. Degree College, Khammam	06/08/2008	31/07/2019	
Deputy Director (SS)	RCC (021) Univ. Arts & Science College, Subedari Hanumkonda	01/08/2019	08/06/2022	
Deputy Director	Learner Support Service Division, Dr. BRAOU, Hyd.	09/06/2022	Till date	
Coordinator	BC Cell	08/07/2022	Till date	

### Orientation / Refresher Courses attended at Academic Staff Colleges:

Name of the Course	Academic Staff College / University	Duration	Sponsoring Agency
67 <sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme	ASC UGC Osmania University, Hyd	4/10/2010 to 30/10/2010	UGC Sponsored Orientation Course
7 <sup>th</sup> Refresher Course on Environmental Studies	ASC UGC Osmania University, Hyd	03/06/2011 to 24/06/2011	UGC Sponsored Refresher Course
Capacity Building Programme for Faculty in Social Sciences	Department of History & Tourism Management, KU	16/01/2014 to 31/01/2014	Sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR)
4 <sup>th</sup> Refresher course in Soft Skills and Personality Development (ID)	ASC UGC Osmania University, Hyd	18/09/2015 to 09/10/2015	UGC Sponsored Refresher Course
MOOCS, E-content Development and Open Education Resources	UGC HRD – HRDC, OU, Human Resource Development Centre, OU, Hyderabad	13/02/2019 to 19/02/2019	UGC HRDC, OU, Hyderabad

### Articles / Papers presented in journals

#### Seminars & Workshops Attended

##### International Seminars:

1. Two-Day International Conference on Higher Education in India: “Opportunities, Challenges and Solutions”.  
Organised by Dept. Of Sociology & P.V. Narasimha Rao Knowledge Centre.  
Dated:20/03/2022-22/03/2022.  
Paper Presented: Performance Evaluation of Distance Learners of Remote Regions.  
Dated: 20/03/2022-21/03/2022.
2. One-Day International Seminar on:” Ambedkar, Democracy and Nationalism”.  
Organised by Dept. Of History  
Dated: 11/07/2022.
3. International Conference on: Equipping the Unequipped Empowerment Through Knowledge Technology and Skills.  
Organized by Dr. BRAOU, HYD.  
Paper Presented: Evaluation of On Campus Activities in ODL- A Study.  
Dated: 10/11/2018-12/11/2018.
4. International Conference on Improved Access to Distance Higher Education Focus on Underserved Communities and Uncovered Regions.  
Organised by SDLCE-Collaboration with IDEA.  
Paper Presented:Multi-Use of Communication Technologies in Open and Distance Learning in Relation to Communication Barriers-A study.  
Dated:11/08/2018-12/08/2018.
5. 3-Day International Conference on” Dissemination Learning, Diminishing Borders-ODL in 21<sup>st</sup> Century”  
Organised by IDEA and In Collaboration with MANU University, Hyderabad

Paper Presented: Need for More Research on Women in ODL. Some Reflection on Uncovered Areas.

Dated: 05/04/2013-07/04/2013.

6. International Conference on "ICT-Initiatives, Policies and Governance"  
Organized by School of Computer Science & IT, Uttarakhand Open University in Collaboration with Commonwealth of Learning, Doon University & Graphic Era University.  
Paper Presented: Quality Assurances in E-Learning Image & Reality - A Study.  
Dated: 28/11/2011-29/11/2011.
7. ICODE in the International Conference on Open and Distance Education, Frontiers, Challenges and Strategies.  
Organized by Dr. BRAOU, Hyderabad.  
Paper Presented: Learners Attitude towards the Use of ICT in an Open Learning System, An Empirical Observation.  
Dated: 23/08/2007-25/08/2007.
8. International Conference on: Equipping the Unequipped Empowerment Through Knowledge Technology and Skills.  
organised by Dr. BRAOU, HYD.  
Paper Presented: Assessment of Performance of On-Campus Activities in ODL. A Case Study of Institution Learner, Interaction, and its Impact.  
Dated: 10/11/2018-12/11/2018.

#### National Conference

1. 24<sup>th</sup> IDEA National Conference on Emerging Perspective of Open and Distance Learning  
Organised by University of Mumbai, Institute of Distance and Open Learning (DOL) in Association with IDEA and Commonwealth Educational Media Centre for ASIA (CEMCA) - Jointly Organised.  
Paper Presented: Women's Educational Empowerment through Open and Distance Learning: An Impact Study of Dr. BRAOU.  
Dated: 17/07/2020-18/07/2020
2. One Day National Conference on E-Content Development and OERS in Higher Education Issues and Challenges.  
Organised by IQAC, Government Degree College, Narasampet RUSA Sponsored  
Paper Presented: Strategic Issues in Use of ICT in Open and Distance Learning.  
Dated: 31/01/2020.
3. XXI IDEA Annual Conference on Open & Distance Education in India: Emerging Issues and Challenges.  
Organised by Centre for Distance Education, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur.  
Paper Presented: Live Television Counselling in Open and Distance Learning: Issues in Accessibility.  
Dated: 29/04/2017-30/04/2017.
4. 19<sup>th</sup> IDEA Annual Conference on Quality Assurance and Sustenance of Open Distance Education: Issues, Concerns, Challenges and Developments.  
Organised by DDE, University of Jammu & IDEA.  
Paper Presented: Use of Desirable Media and Materials in Distance Education - A Study.  
Dated: 12/03/2014-14/03/2014.
5. 17<sup>th</sup> IDEA Annual Conference on Quality Assurance: Open and Distance Education: Issues, Concerns, Challenges and Developments.

Organised by IDEA in Collaboration with YCMOU.  
Paper Presented: Women in ODL Barriers & Incentives.  
Dated: 17/04/2012-19/04/2012.

6. 16<sup>th</sup> IDEA Annual Conference on Open and Distance Education for the Future Need for Innovation in Teaching -Learning Methodologies and Use of New Technologies.  
Organised by SDLCE,Kakatiya University Warangal Sponsored by Distance Education Council, New Delhi.  
Paper Presented: Omens Empowerment Through Open and Distance Education – A Women’s Perspective.  
Dated:26/03/2011-27/03/2011.
7. 15<sup>th</sup> IDEA Annual Conference on Quality Assurance in Open and Distance Education: Issues Concerns, Challenges and Developments.  
Organized by DDE, University of Kashmir, Srinagar & IDEA.  
Only Participation.  
Dated: 05/11/2009-07/11/2009.
8. 14<sup>th</sup> IDEA Annual Conference  
Organized by Institute of Distance and Open Learning, Gauhati University, Guwahati, Assam.  
Paper Presented: Evaluation of On-Campus Activities in Distance Education -A Tentative Study of Summer Contract Classes.  
Dated:14/11/2008-16/11/2008.
9. 13<sup>th</sup> IDEA Annual Conference  
Organised by DDCE, Utkal University, Bhubaneshwar.  
Paper Presented: Open and Distance Learning (ODL) in India Issues and Concerns in its Growth and Applications.  
Dated: 24/11/2007-26/11/2007.
1. Employable Skills to ODL Learners.  
Organised RCC 021 Warangal Dated: 11/03/2018.
2. GRADE and Telangana State Council of Higher Education Hyderabad.  
Title:Choice Based Credit System in ODL.  
Dated:28/07/2016- 29/07/2016, Hyderabad.
3. ICSSR Sponsored Workshop on Status and Position of OBC Occupational Groups (SDLCE), KU, Warangal.  
Paper Presented: How Long? Suicides And Hungry Death of Weavers.
4. Centre for Staff Training and Development & Corporate Centre  
Use of Internet (Broad Band) to the Heads of Regional Coordination Centres.  
Dated:13/07/2011.

Papers published in books/conference proceedings

1. Emerging Perspectives of Open and Distance Learning. Vol V  
Title: Women’s Education Empowerment Through Open and Distance Learning- An Impact Study of Dr. BRAOU  
First Editon-2021  
Himalaya Publishing House.  
ISO9001:2015 Certified.  
ISBN:978-93-5433-566-2

2. Two Days International Conference on Higher Education in India: Opportunities, Challenges and Solutions.  
Title: Performance Evaluation of Distance Learners of Remote Regions A Perspective.  
Conference Proceedings.  
ISSN :2277-8144  
Organised by Dept. of Sociology P.V. Narasimha Rao Knowledge Centre, KU, Warangal.
3. Empowering Distance Learners Issue and Challenges, Vol-I.  
Title: Assessment of Performance of On-Campus Activities in ODL: A case Study of 'Institutional Learner' Interaction and its Impact.  
First Published-2019. ISBN:978-81-938160-4-2.  
Editors: G Pushpa Chakrapani  
K. MuraliManohar.
4. OBCs In South India: Changing Status and Development.  
Title: Backward Castes in Telangana and Andhra Pradesh.  
Aryan Publications-2019  
ISBN:978-93-86695-16-1  
Editors: K. MuraliManohar  
Gopu Sudhakar
5. Emerging Trends in Open and Distance Learning  
Title: Live Television Counseling in Open and Distance Learning: Issues in Accessibility.  
Swastik Publications  
First Edition-2018.  
ISBN:978-93-83762-85-9  
Editors: K. Murali Manohar  
L. Vijay Krishna Reddy  
Veeraiah Kotture
6. BRAOU – Journal of Open Distance Learning.  
Title: Women in Open Distance Learning: Barriers and Incentives.  
Vol-1 July/2016-December/2016
7. Emerging Trends in Open and Distance Education  
Title: Quality Assurance in Distance Teaching Learning Systems An Analysis of Opinions of Academic Counsellors at the Field Level.  
First Published-2012  
ISBN:81-900011-3-8  
Editors: Gopu Sudhakar  
M. Erragattu Swamy
8. Mahadarshinikudu Phule  
Title: Mahathma Jotirao Pule Samajika Drukpadham – Oka Vishleshana  
First Published-2009  
Editor: Thatikonda Ramesh
9. IDEA-2015  
XX IDEA Annual Conference on Empowering India through Open and Distance Learning: Breaking Down Barriers, Building Partnership and Delivering Opportunities.  
24/04/2015-25/04/2015  
Title: Evaluation of On-Campus Activities in Open Distance Learning.  
Chennai Proceedings.  
ISBN:978-93-81830-89-5
10. Studies on OBCs in India, Issues and Challenges.

Title: Suicides and Starvation Deaths of Weavers. How long Will It Be?  
Editors:K.Murali Manohar  
Gopu Sudhakar  
ISBN:978-93-82968-92-4  
First Published in 2019.

#### Books Published

1. PhD Thesis Book  
Role of Distance Education in the Educational Development of Backward Caste Women-A Sociological Study.  
Published in 2012  
ISBN:81-900011-2-6  
Published by IDEA
2. Bharathadeshmla Dooravidya – Oka Parishalana – Book  
Published by IDEA in 2007

#### Memberships:

1. Life Member, Indian Distance Education Association (IDEA)