CURRICULUM VITAE



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A. EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

- Ph.D. (Psychology), Himachal Pradesh University, Post Graduate Diploma in Marketing Management, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla, Post Graduate Diploma in Mental Health Policy and Services, NOVA Medical School, Lisbon, Portugal.
- Basic Practitioner of Neuro Linguistic Programming (NLP), the National Federation of Neuro Linguistic Psychology, Englewood, Florida, USA.

B. ACADEMIC INITIATIVES

Organized the Job Training for the Students of MBA (RD) at Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow, Chinmaya Organization for Rural Development (CORD), Dharmshala, National Institute Teachers Technical Training & Research, Chandigarh (NITTT&R), State Institute of Rural Development (SIRD), Shimla and RUCHI, Dharmpur, Solan, District Rural Development Agency (DRDA). Convened MoU's at different Platform with Government and Non-Government Organisations.

C.	RESEARCH PROJECTS COMPLETED	20 Number(s)
	RESEARCH PROJECT ONGOING	01 Number(s)
	PG Dissertation COMPLETED	29 Number(s)
	PG DISSERTATION ONGOING	06 Number(s)

D. ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

E. AREAS OF INTEREST

Consumer Psychology, Rural Psychology, Social Psychology, Community Psychology, Cultural & Indigenous Psychology, Mental Health, Human Development, Displacement & Rehabilitation, Positive Psychology

17 (+) Year(s)

F. PUBLICATIONS

05 Number(s)
08 Number(s)
35 Number(s)

G. SEMINARS/CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS/TRAINING PROGRAM ATTENTED

INTERNATIONAL

NATIONAL

10 Number(s) 38 Number(s)

H. ACADEMIC IDENTITY

- 1. ORCID ID :https://orcid.org/0000-0003-2431-1973
- 2. Google Scholar ID: <u>https://scholar.google.com</u>
- 3. Research Gate ID: <u>https://www.researchgate.net</u>
- 4. Academia Education ID: <u>https://independent.academia.edu</u>

G. ACADEMIC WORK

- MBA-RURAL DEVELOPMENT COURSES:
- 1. PSYCHOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVES ON DEVELOPMENT
- 2. ORGANIZATION BEHAVIOUR
- 3. INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT
- 4. RURAL MARKETING MANAGEMENT
- 5. BASIC COMMUNICATION AND PRESENTATION SKILLS

I. MEMBERSHIP/PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION

- 1. MEMBER, AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION (APA), 2019.
- 2. MEMBER, INDIAN SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGY ASSOCIATION (InSPA), 2020.

J. SPONSORED PROJECTS

- 1. CPEPA-UGC
- 2. HPPCL
- 3. ICSSR
- 4. MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS, GoI
- 5. Department of Social Justice & Empowerment, Gol

K. RESEARCH GUIDANCE

- 1. **PhD-**Rural Development (Ongoing) Latest-02
- 2. M.Phil-Rural Development (Ongoing) Latest-01

L. RESOURSE PERSON

- 1. Understanding Psychosocial Needs of the Disaster Survivors (MFH, Shimla)
- 2. Anger and Conflict Management Workshop (*DoE, GoHP*)
- 3. Stress Management Workshop (MD, VTC, Solan, HP)
- 4. Stress Management and Positive Attitude Workshop (DoE, GoHP)
- 5. Training on Counseling Skills for Stakeholders in Social Defense Setting (SJ&E, Gol)
- 6. Psycho-social Motivation and Women Empowerment (*NGOs*)
- 7. Training Programme on Combating Human Trafficking, (*HPP, GoHP*)
- 8. Stress Management & Positive Attitude of Police Personnel (HPP, GoHP)
- 9. The art of dealing with consumers (IPS, Gol)

M. OTHER ASSIGNMENTS (PRESENTLY)

- **4 Coordinator:** MBA (Rural Development)
- **Associate Director**(*Internal*): DIS-IIHS (UGC Centre of Excellence)
- 🖊 Editorial Board Member: Himalayan Studies Journal
- **Editorial Board Member**: IIHS Bulletin
- **Academic Expert:** Projects and Internship (MA Psychology), IGNOU, New Delhi.
- **Department Coordinator:** NAAC

N. COUNTRY VISITED

England (Manchester), Indonesia (Yogyakarta), Portugal (Lisbon)

O. REFERENCES

- Prof. Girishwar Mishra Ex Vice Chancellor, Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya Hindi Vishwavidyalaya, Wardha,, former Head & Professor, Dept. of Psychology, University of Delhi
- Prof. Sagar Sharma Founder, former Head & Professor, Department of Psychology, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla
- Prof. R. S. Pirta former Head & Professor, Department of Psychology, Himachal Pradesh University Shimla

I solemnly declare the above certificates, achievements and experiences are correct in my knowledge.

(Dr. Randhir S. Ranta)