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Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla-171005
NAAC Accredited 'A' Grade University

MISSION

To create an integrated knowledge base and to evolve strategies for the development of the Himalayan region and its people through research, academic course and service with global perspective



OBJECTS

- To act as a nucleus of academic and research activities in Himachal Pradesh University and region by way of creating and enabling environment for sharing resources and skills.
- To generate primary data to be utilized by various departments and agencies of the Government.
- To collaborate with government and social institution in its endeavour to realise its mission.
- To undertake research leading to the formulation and implementation of suitable policy for inclusive development of Himachal Pradesh.
- To build an integrated Knowledge base of socio-cultural, economic, political, physical and biological resources.
- To cater to the informational needs of stakeholders by developing state of the art library and documentation centre.
- To undertake academic programme and capacity building activities for developing employable skills.
- To help Himalayan people to improve their quality of life through gaining information on new discoveries, initiation into new technology and imparting of employable skills.
- To organise national, regional and international seminars, workshops, training programmes, conferences in the thematic areas identified by the institute from time to time.
- To conduct academic courses including short-term certificate and diploma programmes and long-term program leading to Ph.D in interdisciplinary fields.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE DEPARTMENT

- Complete more than 125 research projects
- Completed more than 65 status reports
- Published more than 48 books
- Completed more than 100 monographs printed
- Published seven Issues of IIHS News Bulletins
- Compiled more than fifteen databases
- Giving consultancy to various Government and Non-Governmental agencies at National and International Level.

SH. JAI RAM THAKUR

Chief Minister, Himachal Pradesh

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I am very happy to know that the Department of Interdisciplinary Studies, Himachal Pradesh University is bringing out the new issue of IIHS Bulletin. A strong believer of the saying 'Knowledge is Power' Himachal Pradesh University has been imparting the quality education to the young generation by fostering the ethical and moral values, while enhancing their talents and innovative skills. A group of dedicated faculty is focused to carve a niche for this department. I extend my heartiest congratulations to the faculty members and students for their strenuous efforts. The department is known for its quality research, academic programmes and extension programmes and I believe that it will surely go a long way. The department has developed innovative avenues and the endeavors of the students and faculty will help the department in achieving excellence in all spheres. I believe that the News bulletin will provide a platform for the faculty & students to showcase their abilities. I hope that in the years to come the Department of Interdisciplinary Studies will continue to progress and soon emerge a model for quality education. I hope that this issue of News bulletin will be beneficial to academic community. I conclude my message by quoting Rabindranath Tagore that “The higher education is that which does not merely give us information but makes our life in harmony with our existence.”

My best wishes for the publication of News bulletin.

(Jai Ram Thakur)



PROF. SIKANDER KUMAR
Vice-Chancellor

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The Department of Interdisciplinary Studies-Institute of Integrated Himalayan Studies (UGC Centre of Excellence) is dedicated to its mission, which is contributing immensely since its establishment in 2002 as IIHS and it is matter of pride privilege for all university community that His Excellency has granted the status of full-fledged Department. The Department has been active enough to collaborating with other academic and research institutions and the government departments. The Department is creating strong networking worldwide to provide exposure to its students, research scholars and the faculty.

I am proud that Director, Faculty and the students are quite energetic and proved their capability by successfully organizing Faculty Development Programme in collaboration with National Council for Rural Institute (NCRI), Hyderabad, organizing Jaivik Kisan Mandi which have been inaugurated by H.E. Chancellor and Curriculum Development Framework called 'Rural Management and Rural Engagement' Further, it is matter of pride that the Department of Interdisciplinary Studies has been recognized as a nodal centre by Indian Institute of Remote Sensing, Indian Space Research Organization, Dehradun for its outreach programs.

The faculty members of this department are not only organizing academic activities like conferences, seminars and training programmes but are frequently attending the acasuch activities with in India and abroad.

The challenge of the department like ours is to educate and create a human resource that can not only demonstrate their worth and attain recognitions for their wisdom but also make contribution to the society. I am hopeful that in the year to come, the Department will expand its academic sphere and emerge as a model in quality research and academics. I wish that the Department will emerge as Nodal Resource Centre for various other departments of the state as well Centre Government

I wish them all the success

(PROF. SIKANDER KUMAR)

PROF. R.P. SHARMA
Director
Department of Interdisciplinary Studies-IIHS



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Education is not merely an instrument for realizing the career goals but the way of introducing them to new prospects. Institute of Integrated Himalayan Studies, a role model as Interdisciplinary Department with focus on academics, extension activities, research, and outreach programs in diverse fields is committed for employing the interest of students to move ahead, refining their personality by nurturing the young brains with value-based education. Being, a Interdisciplinary Teaching-cum-Research Department, in view of its responsibilities towards various stakeholders, it keeps on performing diverse activities as per its mandate.

Nestled in the lap of dense Deodar and Oak forests and kindled by the mission to outshine, the Department of Interdisciplinary Studies attempts to harness the best of its human resource amidst various challenges through its committed faculty, dynamic students and the leadership of its president, the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor. Driven by the desire to work collectively with dedication and action oriented approach, the faculty of the Department is committed to achieve Academic Excellence by providing quality education to its students in the emerging areas with tremendous potential.

Starting of need-based academic programs as per the Vision 2020 has been an important milestone in the history of Himachal Pradesh University. The Department boosts of its skilled faculty with expertise in interdisciplinary fields which makes the Department with difference. Though the Department is touching new heights because of the constant hard work put in by its energetic team during the last fifteen years journey, a lot more is yet to be realized, which I am sure will be achieved. We expect to build a future, full of positivity and enthusiasm with cooperation of everyone.

(PROF. R.P.SHARMA)

ACTIVITIES

September 2017-July 2019

Meeting with National Council for Rural Institutes

IIHS upgraded as Department of Interdisciplinary Studies:

Institute of Integrated Himalayan Studies is upgraded as full-fledged Department of Interdisciplinary Studies after the final approval of His Excellency, The Chancellor in the proposed amendments in the University statutes. Following three schools under the department have also been approved:

1. School of Environmental Studies
2. School of Developmental Studies
3. School of Liberal Arts

Besides this, the statutory Bodies of the department have also been constituted, as: Department Council, Board of Studies, Faculty, Research Degree Committee (RDC) and Standing Committee

Constitution of statutory Bodies of the department:

Faculty, Board of Studies, Research Degree Committee and Standing Committee

Academic Activities Organized

Curriculum Development Workshop [March 22-

23, 2018]: A Curriculum Development Workshop 'Rural Management and Rural Engagement' was organized by the NRCI, Hyderabad in collaboration with the Department of Interdisciplinary Studies at Himachal Pradesh University, in which 25 Faculty members participated from NRCI, DIS-IIHS, other departments of H.P. University and NITTT&R and prepared a modal curriculum for MBA (Rural Development).



Jaivik Kisan Mandi [March 23, 2018]:

A Jaivik Kisan Mandi was organized in the university campus which was inaugurated by His Excellency, The Governor, Himachal Pradesh, Acharya Dev Vrat. In this event around 45 organic farmers from Himachal Pradesh, Utrakhand, Punjab and Chandigarh showcased their products. His Excellency in his inaugural address made an appeal to the participants to



shift towards zero budget organic farming for sustainable future.

His Excellency, The Governor honored Sh. Jagat Singh Junglee, a renowned Green Ambassador and Environment Activist for his invaluable service to the mankind who has raised his own forest consisting of medicinal and wild plants, numbering around 1,50,000 plants.

Faculty Development Programme [March 24-31, 2018]:

Faculty Development Programme for Rural Development Professionals was organized by the National Council of Rural Institute in collaboration with Department of Interdisciplinary Studies-Institute of Integrated Himalayan Studies from March 24-31, 2018. “Developing rural infrastructure and building market linkages are crucial for making farming attractive and agriculture remunerative. MBA Rural development is a practical science; it



needs elements of practical orientation on of students through field visits and community engagement. He further said that there is a need for an integrated and convergent programme of education, health and hygiene, local self-government and natural resource management in rural India. There are 6 important J’s in rural management– Jan, Jal, Jungle, Jameen, Janwar, and Jeevika.

Women’s voices are heard and health facilities are provided to them. Use the spirit of volunteerism, because everyone wants to create something beautiful. Successful implementation can be executed if trainers, officer work and live in the village. Rural prosperity must be achieved in the rural way. There is a success story of Odisha village where every child got educated. Success story of Rajasthan Sarpanch shows that where people were encouraged to grow 110 trees for the birth of every one girl child and ultimately transformed the village. Aloe Vera plantation on also makes the soil fertile. We need to use drip irrigation on to save and conserve water” said Dr Kshama Metre from Chinmaya Organization for Rural Development.

“One needs to continuously evaluate oneself to continuously grow. Similarly a rural management course must regularly provide field work to the students to get them to understand the reality of rural India and also get involved with addressing sustainable livelihood issues and bringing development to the village level. In Rural Management, the philosophy must be “small is beautiful”. Urban India can have economies of scale. But rural India can grow with networking and implementation of local government programmes. It is imperative to redistribute the country’s natural wealth to the resource conservative use of rural India, and stop the exploitation of human and natural resources” said Dr. W.G. Prasanna Kumar NCRI Chairman in his keynote address.

In this one week long events many expert or the resource persons shared delivered their lectures among them were known environmental activist and academician such as Sh. Jagat Singh Jagalee from Uttarakhand, Dr. S.P.Mehra from Rajasthan, Prof. Upender Nath Roy from NITTT&R, Dr. Krishan Sudheer Potaju from TISS, Tulajapur shared their experiences with the participants. The organizers also been successful in inviting the key responsibly persons involved in planning and implementation of rural development in this chain Dr. Ravinder Nath Batta, Principal Secretary Rural Development and Dr. Rakesh Kanwar, Director , Rural Development intelligently shared the state experiences and challenges of rural development. One day field visit was also organized to expose the participants towards horticulture entrepreneurship.

The certificates to all the participants were distributed on the closing day by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Rajinder Singh Chauhan; he also thanked the NCRI, Hyderabad for collaborating with the University for organizing FDP on such an important issue, i.e. Rural Management & Rural Engagement. Prof. Chauhan also appreciated the efforts of DIS-IIHS Director and his faculty team for successfully organizing this FDP in a short notice.

Prof. Arvind Kumar Bhat, Director, DIS-IIHS thanked the vice-chancellor for all his supports, Dr. Prasanna Kumar and Dr. Anjali from NCRI for their association, all the participant who have come in short



Rural Field Visits/Exposure [October 2, 2018]

Students Field Visit/exposure to the students of MBA-Rural Development was organized by the department under the supervision of faculty members Dr. Rattan Singh Chauhan, Dr. Randhir Singh Ranta, Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Dr. Baldev Singh Negi, Dr. Lalit Kumar Sharma and Dr. Vijay Kumar Sharma. This event was organized on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti to have the Gram Sabha exposure as on this day gram sabha is scheduled to take place in the state.



Whole class was divided in four groups Group-I visited the modal gram panchayat Thadi. This group was comprised of Babita, Hema Kumar, Lavish Patial, Mangesh Chauhan, Nancey Kapoor, Parual Chandel, Phoola Sharma, Udit of fresher's batch and Vinita Mansi Thakur,

Nishu Thakur, Sheetal and Yogesh of senior batch. Group-II Gram Panchayat Baldeyan, in this group Abinesh, Baljinder Thakur, Munish Kumar, Prableen Kaur, Ritesh Sain, Romit Verma, Sourabh Negi, Vaibhav Sharma were from freshers' batch and Abha Mehta, Divya Chhajta, Pankaj Thakur, Swati Gautam and Gaurav from senior batch. Group-III visited Gram Panchayat Neri in which there were Akshita Pathania, Ahsish Kumar Chauhan, Chetan Aukta, Atul Kumar, Naveen Chauhan, Neelam Kumari, Samriti Chauhan and Ujjawal Sewal from freshers' batch and Megha Bhardwaj, Rahul Chauhan, Sonia Sahni, Vaibhav Naggar and Abhshek from senior batch. Group-IV visited Gram Panchayat Neri, this group was comprised of Anmol Anshika Gupta, Indu Bala, Kewal Krishan, Niketan, Puneet Bhauta, Sharmila Devi and Pankaj Kumar of freshers' batch and Divya, Gaurav Sharma, Hemant, Manisha Sharma, Anil from senior batch. Group- V who visited Gram Panchayat Ghanahati was comprised of Ajay Kumar, Amandeep, Kusum Kumari, Naveen Thakur, Niita Kabir, Shubham Chaudhary and Vikas Thakur from freshers' batch and Anuj Kulla, Neha Chauhan, Sapna Thakur, Tejaswani Sharma, Tushar, Vinay Kumar and Dharmender from senior batch.



During this visits students were exposed to the working of gram sabha how it is conducted and how people taking part in the decision making process at the grass root level. Students also observed the rural developmental activities going in the respective gram Panchayats and discussed the usages of the infrastructure created under the MGNREGA and other schemes. Students also recorded the problems and challenges of local peoples in these selected gram Panchayats. Not only was this sanitation drive also initiated by students in respective gram Panchayats with local people and the panchayat representatives. One representative from each group presented the relevance of different rural developmental schemes. After returning to the classroom in the next day a feedback session was organized in the department in which students were quite enthusiastic and said people had overwhelming response and the exposure was a great learning to them.

Invited Lectures

A special Lecture was organized on “Dynamics of Panchayati Raj Institution in Himachal Pradesh” by Kewal Kumar Sharma, Additional Director, Department of Panchayati Raj Department, and Government of Himachal Pradesh on October 13, 2018. This lecture was followed by discussion in which students of MBA-Rural Development and M.Sc. Environmental Sciences interacted



with the resource person who very intelligently presented the history of rural local self governance in India and particularly in the Himachal Pradesh. Mr. Sharma explained the detailed dynamics of Panchayati Raj System pre 73rd CAA and post as well. He also focused on the role of gram sabha and its importance in Rural Development.

Second special lecture was on “Placement Opportunities for RD professionals” by Mr. Prashant Thakur, State HR Head, Jio Reliance he discussed in details the opportunities for the Rural Development Professionals as the expansion of market is increasing day by day up to the village level with the help of ICT and there is great shift of traditional human resource and modern one. He said that many telecommunication companies are haunting for the human resource having highly qualified with rural exposure and the institution like university and other must think of modifying their syllabi accordingly. Prashant led a healthy discussion with the students by interacting on their thinking about the HR specialization and given the tips to enhance the skill in the interested field.



Another lecture on District Rural Development Agency and its role in Rural Development by Sajay Bhagwati PO cum Deputy Director Department of Panchayati Raj, GoHP, this lecture was quite beneficial for the students as Mr. Sanjay Bhagwati structured his talk in very informal mode based on his experience dealing with the differed schemes like Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM), Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act. (MGNREGA) and other schemes. He also explained the implementation process of rural development schemes at grass root level and also elaborated the organization structure and process from the directorate level to the gram Panchayats level.



International Women's Day [March 8, 2019] the international women's' day was celebrated by the department of Interdisciplinary studies in collaboration with the HP State Resource Centre and Himachal Gyan Vigyan Smiti a non-government organization. Prof. R.P. Sharma welcomed all the students, guest, and faculty members and presented the departmental activities with brief introduction of the occasion. Director HPSRC Dr. Om Prakash Bhuretia shared the experience of elected women representatives (EWRs) of Himachal Pradesh as they jointly with Himachal Gyan Vigyan Smiti

have conducted intense survey on the problems and challenges of EWRs in the state. SRC&HGVS have been imparting capacity building training to all the EWRs in phased manner which has been sponsored by the Ministry of Women and Child Welfare, Government of India. Dr. Reena Singh also shared their experience while working with women at the grass root level and reiterated that mere reservation in with the help of 73rd CAA



we achieved the good number of women in the local self-governance now the need is to make them capable to perform their duties by providing them capacity building program at the

administration level and providing them ample space at social fora. Other learned representatives from these two organizations also shared their views they were Dr. Rathaur, Dr. Ahswani, Nirmal Chauhan, Suresh Pundir etc. The students also presented different cultural events such as songs, skits and plays on this occasion. Ashshita Pathnia a student of MBA-Rural Development gave the detailed position of rural women in India. Prof. M.G. Gorla former dean physical science also graced the occasion as special guest. The Director of the department Prof. Sharma extended sincere thanks to Prof. Sikander Kumar the worthy vice-chancellor for all support and Prof. Arvind Kumar Bhat Dean Planning for granting financial support from UGC-RUSA grant.

Girls ICT [April 25, 2019]: International Girls in ICT Day was celebrated on 25th April, 2019 at Himachal Pradesh University by the Department of Interdisciplinary Studies in collaboration with DOERS, a Non-Government Organisation working in the domain of ICT and disaster management. The Director, DIS-IIHS Prof. R.P. Sharma welcomed the Chief Guest, Prof. Sikander Kumar, the Vice-Chancellor and co-partners from DOERS, Mr. Navneet Yadav, Ms. Anuradha, the team members, faculty members and the girl students for whom this workshop was organised. Prof. Sharma explained that DIS is an emerging Department of the



University, which is undertaking four academic programmes. The Department is organising research and extension activities along with the classroom teachings and providing field exposure to its students. The workshop was inaugurated by the Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Sikander Kumar and while addressing the participants, he said that it is the right time to shift from quantity to quality. He also focussed that in order to inculcate the skill of decision making the girls should be empowered through capacity building in diverse fields.

He said that we are celebrating Silver Jubilee (25 years of 73rd & 74th Constitutional Amendment Act), which ensures participation of 50 percent women in the local self-governance, however, the research has shown that the women in local self-governance are not able to enjoy the power due to patriarchal dominance in the society. Prof. Sikander said that this workshop is very important and he congratulated the organisers for their effort for providing opportunity to the girl students to acquire ICT skills. There were total 65 girl participants from MBA (Rural Development), M.Sc. (Environmental Sciences), MFA (Pahari Miniature

Painting) and PGDDDM besides others departments of the University. This ICT based workshop gave the participants a unique opportunity to learn about the use of mapping tools. The others members from DEORS team were Ms. Nidhi Kalta, Mr. Bharat Kalta, Mr. Durga Bahadur, Mr. Nitish Baivale and Mr. Sajain who supported the participant during the short field exposure. The faculty members from the Department, Dr. Rattan Singh Chauhan, Dr. Randhir Singh Ranta, Dr. Sanjeev Kumar, Dr. Pankaj Gupta, Dr. Pawan Attri, Dr. Pushpa Thakur and Dr. Baldev Singh Negi were actively involved in making the programme a grand success.

Statistics Day [June 29, 2019] National Workshop on Sustainable Development Goals was organized by the Department of Interdisciplinary Studies and Mathematics of Himachal Pradesh University in collaboration of economic and statistics, Government of Himachal Pradesh to commemorate the contribution of Prof. P C Mahalanobis on his birth anniversary observed as Statistics Day on 29th June, 2019. The theme of Statistics Day, 2019 is “Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)” and Prof. Arvind Kalia, Dean of Studies graced the occasion as Chief Guest. The theme has been chosen for intensive and focused discussions towards filling the data gaps and improvement of timelines/quality in SDGs. Around in 80 participants from different disciplinary background amongst them were Research Scholars, PG Students and faculty members. In this workshop invited speakers were Pradeep Chauhan former economic advisor to govt of Himachal Pradesh, Prof. Aparna Negi, Chairperson Department of Economics, Prof. Davinder Kumar Garg, Department of Statistics, Punjabi University Patiala and Prof. N.S.Noorie, Department of Mathematics Punjabi University Patiala. This workshop was sponsored by the Economic & Statistics Department of Himachal Pradesh for which director of the organizing department of the university Prof. R.P.Sharma thanked Dr. Vinod Kumar Rana, Economic Advisor and his team Mr. Anshuman and Mr. Bist. Director of DIS said that Dr. Rana is alumni of our university and he always is proactive to work in tandem. He also thanked Prof. Khem Chand and his team for cooperation.



Students Trainings

RUCHI: Two weeks training programme cum field exposure was organized for the students of Third Semester -MBA-Rural Development in collaboration with the RUCHI-a non-government organization in the rural areas of the Solan district.

NITTT&R: Two weeks training programme cum field exposure was organized for the students of the First Semester-MBA-Rural Development in collaboration with the Department of Rural Development, National Institute of Technical Teachers Training & Research, Chandigarh from....

DIS-IIHS approved as Nodal Centre of IIRS-Outreach Programmes

Department of Interdisciplinary Studies-Institute of Integrated Himalayan Studies was approved as nodal centre by Indian Institute of Remote Sensing (IIRS), Dehradun for their outreach programmes through distance mode. The following programmes are being so far coordinated in the department:

- 28th IIRS-Outreach Programme (April 16-27, 2018) on '*Close Range Photogrammetry and Terrestrial Laser Scanning*'.
- 29th IIRS-Outreach Programme (February 19– 13 March, 2018) on '*Hyperspectral Remote Sensing and Its Applications*'
- 30th IIRS-Outreach Programme (April 02-06, 2018): This course was on '*Geoinformatics for Forest Fire Management*'.
- 31st IIRS Outreach Programme (April 16-27, 2018): This course was on '*Remote Sensing and GIS Applications in Water Resource Management*'.
- 32nd IIRS Outreach Programme (May 01–07, 2018): '*Geospatial Modeling for Watershed Management*'
- One Day Workshop (May 15, 2018): This one day workshop was on '*Remote Sensing and Geographical Information System (GIS) in Hydro metrological Disaster*'
- One Day Workshop (March 28, 2019) "*Microwave Remote Sensing in Agriculture.*"
- One Day Workshop (June 26, 2019) on "*Satellite Data access from Online Repositories and ISRO Bhuvan Geoportal.*"
- 46th IIRS Outreach Programme (July 8-12, 2019) on "*Advances in Remote Sensing and Geospatial Technologies for Disaster early warning, monitoring and mitigation.*"



PROF. R.P. SHARMA (Director-DIS-IIHS)**Ph.D. Supervised:**

- Meenakshi, Partial Actions of Groups on Sets and Semialgebras (awarded, 2018)
- Richa Sharma, A Study of Radicals, Q-Ideals and Primary & Secondary Decomposition of Ideals & Semimodules in Semirings (submitted 2019)

Paper Publication:

- Ram Parkash Sharma and Meenakshi, and Natakshi, Disjoint Union Metric and Topological spaces, South East Asian Bulletin of Mathematics (accepted)
- Ram Parkash Sharma, Madhu and Richa Sharma, On Radicals of Semirings Asian European Journal of Mathematics (accepted)
- R. P. Sharma and Rajni Parmar, Subgroups of Symmetric Groups Determined Using Signed Brauer Diagrams, Journal of Algebra and its Applications (Accepted).
- Ram Parkash Sharma, Richa Sharma, S. Kar and Madhu, On the Primary Decomposition of k -Ideals in Semirings, Fuzzy Information and Engineering (Taylor and Frances) (submitted).
- R. P. Sharma and Nirmal Singh, Quasi Partial Actions on Algebras, Southeast Asian Bull. Math., Vol. 42, (2018) 117-129.
- Ram Parkash Sharma and Meenakshi, Construction of Global Actions for Partial Actions, De Gruyter Proceedings in Mathematics -2016 (Algebra and Its Applications) ISBN 978-3-11-054092-5, Library of Congress Control Number: 2018934558, PP 243-252 (Published in 2018)

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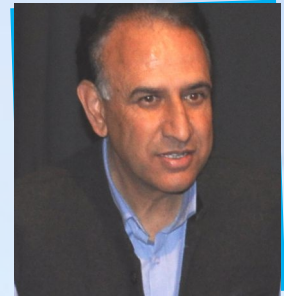
Invited Talks:

- Invited Talk at NIT Suratkal, Nov. 27-December 4, 2018
- Delivered an Invited talk National Conference on Recent Trends & Innovations in Pure & Applied Mathematics at DAV Jalandhar in 2018.
- Deliver two lectures in 61st Refresher Course in Mathematical Science Courses for the College and University teachers of diverse disciplines (22-06-2017 to 12-07-2017).

Coordinated Seminar and Conferences

- National Seminar on Algebra and Allied Fields, held at H. P. University, Shimla, w.e.f. 24-25 March, 2017. 9.
- International Conference on Algebra and Continuum Mechanics, to be held at H. P. University, Shimla, w.e.f. 23-25 November, 2018.

DR. VIRENER KUMAR SANTVAN



Paper Published

- Pawan K. Attri & Diksha Thakur , V.K. Santvan Impact of climate change on phenology of some plants of western Himalaya International journal for research in applied sciences 2018, 2455-6114

Participation in academic activities:

- Two days Curriculum Development in Rural Management and Rural Engagement, Organized by NCRI Hyderabad at IIHS Shimla 22-23 march 2018
- Seven Days Faculty Development Programme for Rural Management Professionals (Interdisciplinary Programme), Organized by NCRI Hyderabad at IIHS Shimla 24-30 march 2018

DR. RATTAN SINGH CHAUHAN



Paper Published

- Negi, B.S. & Chauhan, R.S. (2016) National Rural Livelihood Mission in Himachal Pradesh: A Study of Development Block Sadar Mandi, Himachal Pradesh University Journal, Vol. 4 Issue 1-2 July-December, 2016, ISSN No. 2277-1425, pp. 116-123.

Participation in academic activities:

- Acted as Coordinator (s) in the Workshop on Curriculum Development Framework (22-23rd March, 2018)
- Participated in one-week Faculty Development Programme organized by National Council of Rural Institute (NCRI) in collaboration with DIS-IIHS, H.P. University, Shimla-171005
- Participated in Workshop on Curriculum Development Framework (22-23rd March, 2018)
- Attended Course on “Hydro metrological Disaster Management-one day online Workshop” conducted by Indian Institute of Remote Sensing Off-Campus Outreach Certificate Programme and Department of Interdisciplinary Studies (IIHS), H.P. University, Summer hill on May 15, 2018

DR. RANDHIR SINGH RANTA



Paper Published:

- Ranta, R.S. (2017). Cultural Notion of Mental Health and Role of Local Deities: A case Study of North-western Himalaya. International Science Index, International Journal of Psychological and Behavioral Sciences, Vol. 3(2).
- Ranta, R.S. (2017). Role of SHGs in Women's Empowerment: A Socio-economic and Psychological Analysis. Himachal Pradesh University Journal Vol. 5, Issue 1-2 July-December, 2017, pp. 116-131.

Books Published:

- Beholding Life beyond Retrieval. Whitefield Press, ISBN: 978-932418-0-6.
- Parental Imprisonment: A curse on Children. Satyam Publishing House, New Delhi, ISBN: 978-93-89043-12-9.

PDF Supervision:

- Acting as a mentor for post doctoral (PDF) student: The PDF is being given by ICSSR. Name of the PSF scholars Dr. Preeti Kanwar working on the topic entitled "Potential of Jungle Tourism as a catalyst in women empowerment and emancipation of Himachal Pradesh: A case study of District Shimla and Sirmour"

Participation in academic activities:

- Acted as Coordinator (s) in one week the Faculty Development Programme.
- Participated in one week Faculty Development Programme organized by National Council of Rural Institute (NCRI) in collaboration with DIS-IIHS, H.P. University, Shimla-171005
- Participated in Workshop on Curriculum Development Framework (22-23rd March, 2018)
- One day workshop "Sustainable Development Goals" on the occasion of Statistics Day organized at DIS-IIHS by Department of Mathematics & Statistics HPU and Economic and Statistics Department, GoHP, June 29, 2019

DR. SANJEEV KUMAR

Paper published:

- Paper Published: "Dynamics of Panchayati Elections and provision of Reservations in Himachal Pradesh: A Review of Electoral Journey of PRIs in the Post-73rd Constitutional Amendment Act period" published in international journal of humanities and Sociasial Sciences invention (IJHSSI), A peer Review Referred, UGC Approval Serial No. 4593 & UGC Journal No. 47449, Volume 8, issue 06, Ser. III//June, 2019?? PP-17-22, ISSN-2319-7722 (Print): 2319-7714.



Paper Presentation:

- Presented Research Paper (Jointly) on "Status of Rural Infrastructure After the Implementation of Sansad Adarsh gram Yojna in Himachal Pradesh: A Cse Study of Gram panchayat Thadi" in the

International Conference on “Opportunities and Challenges of 21st Century, (7th to 9th December, 2017) organized by RGGD College, Shimla-4 in collaboration with Science and Management Society, Himachal Pradesh at Rajiv Gandhi Degree College, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh.

Participation in academic activities:

- Participated in the Unnat Bharat Ahiyan One day orientation workshop at NCTE, New Dehli on 25th Aril, 2018.
- Acted as Coordinator (s) in the Workshop on Curriculum Development Framework (22-23rd March, 2018)
- Participated in DST sponsored Two Weeks Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on ‘Climate Smart Governance’ by Indian Institute of Public Administration, New Delhi from 4-15 December, 2017.
- One Day ‘Activities Planning Workshop for Unnat Bharat Abhiyan for Village Clusters’ conducted by Department of Rural Development, NITTT&R in collaboration with IIT, Delhi on 01.08.2018.
- One day Orientation programme on UBA-2.0 at AICTE, NEW DELHI, Ministry of HRD and IIT, Delhi, April 25, 2018
- One day workshop “Sustainable Development Goals” on the occasion of Statistics Day organized at DIS-IIHS by Department of Mathematics & Statistics HPU and Economic and Statistics Department, GoHP, June 29, 2019

Membership:

- Joined as Life Member of Global Research & Development Services, Organization of professional conference organizers, <https://grdsconference.wordpress.com/category/global-research-development-services/>
- Became Government and non-Profit member (membership No. 57293770) of International Society for Sustainability Professionals (ISSP), the World’s leading professional association of sustainability practitioners on 25th August, 2018.
- Life Membership, Association of Indian Political Economic Association, New Dehli (No. 2277/09-12-2017)

DR. PANKAJ GUPTA



Paper published:

- Gupta, P. (2018) Impact of Varying Climate Conditions on Apple A Case Study of Shimla District, Himachal Pradesh. International Journal of Applied and Pure Science and Agriculture; Vol. 4 (2) 6.
- Gupta, P. (2018) Implementation of Environmental Management Plan (EMP): A Case Study of Sawra-Kuddu Hydroelectric Project, Himachal Pradesh. International Research Journal of Multidisciplinary Studies; Vol. 4(4):1-21 7. (2018).
- (2018) Enumerating the Medicinal Plants of Churdhar Wildlife Sanctuary, Himachal Pradesh. Life sciences leaflets; Vol. 98: 30-38. 8

DR. PAWAN KUMAR ATTRI**Paper published**

- Pawan K. Attri, Assessment of Biodiversity conservation & restoration of Khajjiar Wetland, Chamba International Journal of Agriculture and Environment Research Oct, 2017, 2208-2158
- Pawan K. Attri & Shuflica kalia Study of Environmental Health status in Vicinity of ACC Cement Plant Barmana Bilaspur District (H.P.), International Journal of Agriculture and Environment Research Oct, 2017 2208-2158
- Pawan K. Attri Native Plant resources and traditional foods of Chamba district, Himachal Pradesh for sustainable food security and livelihood, International Journal of Agriculture and Environment Research Oct, 2017, 2208-2158
- Pawan K. Attri & Diksha Thakur , V.K. Santvan Impact of climate change on phenology of some plants of western Himalaya International journal for research in applied sciences 2018, 2455-6114
- Pawan K. Attri, Arundati & Anchal Sood Morphometric analysis of Bhiral Khad sub watershed of Palampur area of Himachal Pradesh by using Remote sensing and GIS techniques, International Journal of recent scientific research, 2018 0972-3031
- Pawan K. Attri & Diksha Kumari Forest Fire In Himachal Pradesh: An Impact Analysis, New York Science Journal 2019;12(4) ISSN 1554-0200 (print); ISSN 2375-723X (online)
- Pawan K. Attri & Aman Kumar Extreme Weather Events in Himachal Pradesh with Special Reference to Cloudburst and Flashflood in Last Three Decade, International Journal of Agriculture and Environmental Research 2019 2455-6939

Sponsored project

- Impact of hydropower projects on Tribal Area, Tribal Development Department H.P., 6 months, 2019, ongoing, 3,00,000/-

Paper presented in Conference, Seminar, Workshop, Symposia

- Pawan K. Attri & Diksha Thakur Impact of Climate Change on Phenology of Some Plants of Kulu District. 2nd Himachal Pradesh Science Congress Nov. 2017, HIMCOSTE, Shimla
- Pawan K. Attri & Anchal Sood Morphometric analysis of Bhiral Khad Sub Watershed of Palampur and its surrounding area by of remote sensing and GIS Techniques, 2nd Himachal Pradesh Science Congress, Nov. 2017, HIMCOSTE, Shimla
- Pawan K. Attri & Aman Kumar Extreme weather events in Himachal Pradesh with special reference to cloud burst and flash flood in last three decade , 3rd H.P. Science Congress 22-23 Oct. 2018, HIMCOSTE & IIT Mandi
- Pawan K. Attri & Diksha Kumari Forest Fire in Himachal Pradesh : An Impact analysis
- 3rd H.P. Science Congress 22-23 Oct. 2018, HIMCOSTE & IIT Mandi
- Pawan K. Attri & Akran Jamwal Water footprint of Purtiala, Jawalamukhi Kangra(H.P.)
- 3rd H.P. Science Congress 22-23 Oct. 2018, HIMCOSTE & IIT Mandi
- Pawan K. Attri & Vivak Dhiman Study of Environmental Health status in four lane road construction area of Bilaspur District(H.P) An Economic Perspective, 3rd H.P. Science Congress

22-23 Oct. 2018, HIMCOSTE & IIT Mandi

- Pawan K. Attri & Indu Bala Traditional knowledge of medicinal plant among the rural people of Panchyat Maily Jaged District Shimla, 3rd H.P. Science Congress 22-23 Oct. 2018, HIMCOSTE & IIT Mandi

Participation in academic activities:

- DST one week Sponsored Programme on Financial management in Scientific Organizations for Scientists & technologists, IIPA New Delhi 19-23 Feb 2018
- Two days Curriculum Development in Rural Management and Rural Engagement, Organized by NCRI Hyderabad at IIHS Shimla 22-23 march 2018
- Seven Days Faculty Development Programme for Rural Management Professionals (Interdisciplinary Programme), Organized by NCRI Hyderabad at IIHS Shimla 24-30 march 2018
- One day workshop “Sustainable Development Goals” on the occasion of Statistics Day organized at DIS-IIHS by Department of Mathematics & Statistics HPU and Economic and Statistics Department, GoHP, June 29, 2019

DR. PUSHPA THAKUR



Paper Published

- Paper presented in International Conference on “Opportunities and Challenges of 21st Century” entitled as “Butterfly Diversity and Distribution in Poters Hill Region of District Shimla, Himachal Pradesh” December 7-9, 2017 organized by Rajiv Gandhi Degree College Shimla.
- Published paper entitled as “Trout Culture in Himachal Pradesh: Problems and Prospects” (Thakur, P., Gupta, P. and Sharma, V.K.) in International Journal of Life Sciences, International Peer Reviewed Open Access Referred Journal, ISSN: 2320-7817(p)/ 2320-964X(o), 2018

Book Published

- “Status and Perspectives of Fisheries in Himachal Pradesh” Satyam Publication, New Delhi, 2019

Participation in academic activities:

- Acted as Coordinator (s) in event organizing Jaivik Kisan Mandi on 23rd March, 2018.
- Participated in one week Faculty Development Programme organized by National Council of Rural Institute (NCRI) in collaboration with DIS-IIHS, H.P. University, Shimla-171005
- Participated in Workshop on Curriculum Development Framework (22-23rd March, 2018)
- Participated in Four Weeks Orientation Programme at HRDC, H.P. University Shimla 21-05-2018 to 16-06-2018.
- One day workshop “Sustainable Development Goals” on the occasion of Statistics Day organized at DIS-IIHS by Department of Mathematics & Statistics HPU and Economic and Statistics Department, GoHP, June 29, 2019

KULDEEP SINGH



Paper communicated for Publication:

- Paper entitled “Village Deity Tradition in the Himalayas: Case Study of Shimla Hills of Himachal Pradesh, is sent to IJAS (International Journal of Art and Science), USA for publication, hence communicated.

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- Attended Course on “Advanced Image Analysis” conducted by Indian Institute of Remote Sensing off-Campus Outreach Certificate Programme and Department of Interdisciplinary Studies (IIHS), H.P. University, summer hill from June 04, 2018 to June 18, 2018.
- Attended Course on “Hydro metrological Disaster Management-one day online Workshop” conducted by Indian Institute of Remote Sensing Off-Campus Outreach Certificate Programme and Department of Interdisciplinary Studies (IIHS), H.P. University, Summer hill on May 15, 2018.
- Attended Course on “Geoinformatics for forest fire management” conducted by Indian Institute of Remote Sensing Off-Campus Outreach Certificate Programme and Department of Interdisciplinary Studies (IIHS), H.P. University, Summer hill from April 02, 2018 to April 07, 2018.
- Attended Course on “RS &GIS Application in Water Resources” conducted by Indian Institute of Remote Sensing Off-Campus Outreach Certificate Programme and Department of Interdisciplinary Studies (IIHS), H.P. University, Summer hill from April 16, 2018 to April 27, 2018.
- Attended Course on “Geospatial Modelling for Watershed Management” conducted by Indian Institute of Remote Sensing Off-Campus Outreach Certificate Programme and Department of Interdisciplinary Studies (IIHS), H.P. University, Summer hill from May 1, 2018 to May 7, 2018.
- Attended Course on “Geospatial Technologies and Sendai framework for Disaster Risk Reduction-One day Online Workshop” conducted by Indian Institute of Remote Sensing Off-Campus Outreach Certificate Programme and Department of Interdisciplinary Studies (IIHS), H.P. University, Summer hill on July 10, 2018.
- Attended Course on “Hyper-spectral Remote Sensing and its Application” conducted by Indian Institute of Remote Sensing Off-Campus Outreach Certificate Programme and Department of Interdisciplinary Studies (IIHS), H.P. University, Summer hill from Feb 02, 2018 to March 13, 2018

DR. BALDEV SINGH NEGI



Paper Published

- Negi, B.S. & Kumar, Sandeep (2017) Rural Development an Emerging Discipline in India: Indian Context, Himachal Pradesh University Journal, Vol. 5 Issue 1-2 July-December, 2017, ISSN No. 2277-1425, pp.187-197.
- Negi, B.S. & Chauhan, R.S. (2017) National Rural Livelihood Mission in Himachal Pradesh: A Study of Development Block Sadar Mandi, Himachal Pradesh University Journal, Vol. 4 Issue 1-2, July-December, 2016, ISSN No. 2277-1425, pp. 116-123.

Paper Presented in Seminar and conferences:

- Paper presented “Elected Women Representatives in Himachal Pradesh: A Study” in the National Conference on “Accelerating Rural Growth: New Technology, Innovations and Entrepreneurship (NCARG 2019)” organized by H.P. State Institute of Rural Development and Himachal Pradesh Institute of Public Administration, Shimla (June 15, 2019).

Invited Resource Persons:

- Invited as resource person for the capacity building programme for elected women representatives (EWRs) of Himachal Pradesh. He delivered lecture on ‘Rural Developmental Schemes and Role of Elected Women Representatives’, ‘Taking Responsibility of an Ideal Gram Panchayat’ and ‘Linkages of Gram Panchayat with Block and Districts Level Department and other organization’. He delivered this lecture at Shimla (22-02-2018), Una (23-02-2018), Kullu (24-02-2018), Bilaspur (26-02-2018), Mandi (27-02-2018), Sirmour at Nahan (28-02-2018) and Solan (15-03-2018) and interacted with 300 EWRs. This programme was sponsored by Ministry of Women and Child Welfare, Government of India and organized by State Resource Centre, Himachal Pradesh.

Participation in Training Programmes etc.

- NRDMS-DST Summer School on Geospatial Technologies (Level-1) conducted by Department of Geography, Himachal Pradesh University supported by natural resources data management System, Department of Science and technology Government of India, June 18-July 08, 2019.
- One week training programme on Social Accountability Tools for Good Governance organized by NIRD&PR at SIRD-HIPA, Shimla on June 10-14, 2019.
- Two days Indian Institute of Remote Sensing Academia Meet (IAM-2019) at IIRS Campus Dehradun on March 14-15, 2019.
- Three Days Training of trainers programme on ‘Biodiversity Governance’ organized by National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRD&PR) in collaboration with NBA Chennai at HIPA, Shimla on March 11-13, 2019.
- One Day ‘Activities Planning Workshop for Unnat Bharat Abhiyan for Village Clusters’ conducted by Department of Rural Development, NITTT&R in collaboration with IIT, Delhi on 01.08.2018.
- One day National Workshop on Developed Villages-Developed Nation: Role of Technical Institutions in Sansad Adarsh Gram Yojana (SAGY) jointly organised by AICTE, North West

Region, Chandigarh & NITTT&R Chandigarh on 26th June, 2018.

- One day Orientation programme on UBA-2.0 at AICTE, NEW DELHI, Ministry of HRD and IIT, Delhi, April 25, 2018
- Four Weeks Orientation Programme at HRDC, H.P. University, Shimla, May 21-June 16, 2018
- One Week Faculty Development Programme for at DIS-IIHS & National Council for Rural Institutes (NCRI), Hyderabad at H.P. University, Shimla ‘Rural Development Professional Management’ March 24-30, 2018
- Two Days Curriculum Development workshop on ‘Rural Management and Rural Engagement’ at DIS-IIHS & National Council for Rural Institutes (NCRI), Hyderabad at H.P. University, Shimla, March 22-23, 2018.
- Two Weeks Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on ‘Climate Smart Governance’ at Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA) New Delhi, December 4-15, 2017

Participation in Training Programmes etc.(online)

- Completed 6 weeks MOOC on ‘Cartography’ on My 19, 2019 recognized by esri (Environmental System Research Institute), the science of where, esri.com/training
- Introduction to Human Rights and the Environment by United Nations Institute for Training and Research, InforMEA.
- ‘Exploring Sustainability in the Indian Context’, by Azim Premji University, Bangalore, April-June, 2018

Life membership

- Life Membership, Indian Society of Remote Sensing, Dehradun, UK, India (L-5312)
- Life Membership, Association of Indian Political Economic Association, New Delhi (No. 2278/09-12-2017)

Award:

- Awarded appreciation letter for coordinating IIRS-Outreach programme for the year 2018 in IIRS Academia Meet-2018 March 14-15, 2019 at Indian Institute of Dehradun

DR. LALIT KUMAR SHARMA



Paper Published:

- Sharma, L. K. (2018). Emergence of Political Parties in Himachal Pradesh from 1951 to 2017, International Journal of Humanities and Social Science Invention (IJHSSI). Vol. 07 (6). Pp.73-80
- Sharma, L.K. (2018). Achieving Women Empowerment through Self-Help Groups and Microfinance: A Case Study of Himachal Pradesh. Confluence of Knowledge, A Multidisciplinary International Peer Reviewed Journal; 6(1): pp.65-74.
- Sharma, L.K. (2018). Role of DRDA in Rural Development: A Case Study of Selected Districts of Himachal Pradesh. Hill Quest: A Multidisciplinary, National Peer Reviewed Journal; 5(2): pp.81-86.

- Sharma, L. K. (2018). Emergence of Political Parties in Himachal Pradesh from 1951 to 2017, International Journal of Humanities and Social Science Invention (IJHSSI). Vol. 07 (6). Pp.73-80.

Participation in academic activities:

- Attended Orientation Programmes at HRDC, H.P. University Shimla OP-132, 22.04.2019 to 11.05.2019
- Attended Workshop/Short Term Course on Research Methodology (one week) 03.06.2019 to 08.06.2019 at HRDC Shimla
- Participated in one-week Faculty Development Programme organized by National Council of Rural Institute (NCRI) in collaboration with DIS-IIHS, H.P. University, Shimla-171005

DR. VIJAY KUMAR SHARMA



Paper Published:

- Thakur, P., Gupta, P. & Sharma, V. K. (2018). Trout culture in Himachal Pradesh: Problems and Prospects. International Journal of Life Sciences; 6(2): 343-352.
- Gupta, P. & Sharma, V. K. & Bhattacharya, B. (2018). Farmer's Perceptions on Climate Change and Its Impact on Apple Cultivation in Shimla District, Himachal Pradesh. International Journal of Creative Research Thought; Vol. 6 (1): pp.171-183
- Kiran, Gupta, P. and Sharma, V.K. (2017). Land and Water Resource Management in Vedic and Classical Sanskrit Literature, Imperial Journal of Interdisciplinary Research. 3 (1).1470-1474

Book Published:

- समाज शास्त्र का परिचय, New Delhi: Satyam Publishing House.
Project Completed/Consultancy
- Socio-economic and Baseline Survey of Integrated Kashang Stage II & III, HPPCL
- Status of Fisheries in Himachal Pradesh with special reference to Trout and Carp, IIHS, HPU, Shimla

Participation in academic activities:

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Paper Published:

- Thakur, K., Navdeep, Anchal, Jaswal, S. & Bhatt, A.K. (2018). Evaluations of antimicrobial potential of root extract of *Asparagus racemosus* Willd. and bark extract of *Juglans regia* L. against pathogenic bacterial isolates. *Annals of Phytomedicine*, Vol. 7(2): 64-69.

Participation in academic activities:

- Acted as Coordinator (s) in event organizing Jaivik Kisan Mandi on 23rd March, 2018.
- Participated in one-week Faculty Development Programme organized by National Council of Rural Institute (NCRI) in collaboration with DIS-IIHS, H.P. University, Shimla-171005

STUDENTS PLACEMENT RECORD

Sr. No.	Name	Placed	Batch
1.	Deepa Negi	Social Protection Officer, Help Age -a CSR project of SJVNL	2015-17
2.	Manoj Kumar	PO UCO Bank	2015-17
3.	Kiran Verma	Coordinator, DDU-GKY	2015-17
4.	Preeti Verma	Centre Manager, DDUGKY	2015-17
5.	Amit	Assit. Manager, DDU-GKY, Karnal	2015-17
6.	Ramna Pathania	Soft Skill Trainer DDU-GKY	2015-17
7.	Priya	District Program Manager, NRLM	2015-17
8.	Prashant Thakur	Block Level Coordinator, Horticulture Society	2015-17
9.	Manisha	Chandigarh	2015-17
10.	Moh. Rafi	Block Coordinator, WCD	2015-17
11.	Santosh	District Coordinator, MDM	2015-17
12.	Nisha Sharma	Trainer, Vint age Academy	2015-17
13.	Yogesh Thakur	Youth Resource Facilitator, UNDP	2015-17
14.	Amandeep	Range Officer, Forest Department, HP	2016-18
15.	Saurav Jhingta	Range Officer, Forest Department, HP	2016-18
16.	Ankita Thakur	HR Executive, CS Soft Solutions, Mohali	2016-18
17.	Roohi Gupta	HR Executive, Indus Ind. Sect. 8 Chandigarh	2016-18
18.	Kamal Mehta	District Program Manager, HPSRLM	2016-18
19.	Prag Jaswal	TATA Trust	2015-17

Participation and achievements of the Students

- Pragya Thakur and Ishita of MBA-RD 4th Semester participated in the seven days course on research methodology at National Institute of Technology, Hamirpur
- Aparna Mandhotra of MBA-RD 4th Semester participated in one week workshop on 'Pahad Aur Hum' organized by Palampur based organization called 'Sambhavna Institute'. She also participated in one week workshop on 'Human Rights' at Indian Social Institute, New Delhi from 16-23 March, 2018.
- Students of MBA-Rural Development participated HCL CSR workshop organized at Himachal Pradesh University.

M.Sc. Environmental Sciences

- Three Students (Diksha, Deepak and Akran) got selected in Green skill Development programme on Parataxonomy including PBR under MOEFCC at HIMCOSTE, Shimla
- 15 Days training programmes for MSC (EVS) 4th semester students arranged at HIMCOSTE Shimla, SPCB, IMD, Shimla.
- Exposure visit to Kullu Manali 2018, M.Sc Environmental Science 4th Semester visit to GB Pant Institute of Himalayan Ecology & Environment Mohal Kullu, also visit to Greater Himalayan national Park.

2018	
Dhritiman Lal, UGC-NET JRF	Harsh Sharma- UGC-NET
Aman Kumar- UGC-NET	

2019	
Vivak Dhiman – UGC-NET- JRF	Sachin Kumar- UGC-NET
Shivangi Thakur - UGC-NET	Aman Kumar - UGC-NET
Pusap Raj- UGC-NET	Harsh Sharma- UGC-NET
Rahul Shandil -UGC-NET	

POSITION	M.SC ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES		MBA -RURAL DEVELOPMENT	
	2017- 2018	2 ND SEMESTER	2017- 2018	2 ND SEMESTER
FIRST	DIKSHA KUMAR	KANIKA CHAUHAN	SHRUTI	VINAY KUMAR
SECOND	AYUSHI GUPTA	AMIT CHHAJTA	AKANKSHA KASHYAP	ABHISHEKH MINHAS
THIRD	DHRITIMAN LAL	AKANKSHA THAPA	SIDHHANT DESHTA	MEGHA BHARDWAJ

POSITION	MFA-PAHARI MINIATURE PAI NTING		PGDDDM
	2017- 2018	2 ND SEMESTER	2017- 2018
FIRST	MAUNALAL LABITHA	SIMRON	YOGESH CHANDEL
SECOND	VIKRAM SINGH	TANZIN ANGMO	UMESH DUTT SHARMA
THIRD	ANKITA	GEETANJALI	AKSHITA SHARMA

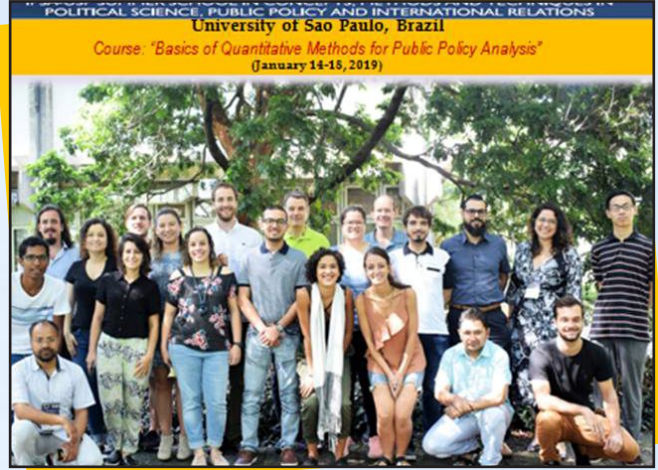
JAIVIK KISAN MANDI

at HP
University Campus



PARTICIPATION IN INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMMES

Name of the Faculty	Country	Purpose
Dr. Randhir S. Ranta	Portugal	The Lisbon International Learning Program on Mental Health Policy and Services. The goal of this program was to develop public health skills in mental health policy and services, with a special emphasis on low- and middle-income countries. The programme was organized by Lisbon Institute of Global Mental Health, NOVA Medical School Lisbon, Portugal, SSPH (Swiss School of Public Health) and With Technical support of the Department of Mental Health & Substance Abuse, World Health Organization.
Dr. Sanjeev Kumar	Brazil	Three Weeks Summer School at University of Sao Paulo, Brazil organized by IPSA-USP from January 14-February 1, 2019 at participated in three programmes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basics of Quantitative Methods for Public policy Analysis • Advanced Research Design in Political Science: From modeling to manuscript • Advanced issues in Multi-Method Research: integrated Case Studies and Contemporary methods for Casual interferences.
Dr. Pawan K. Attri	UK	One week training programme on Climate Change: Vulnerability, Impact and Adaptation, Newcastle University (U.K) 14-18 May 2018
Dr. Baldev S. Negi	Brazil Russia	Three Weeks Summer School at University of Sao Paulo, Brazil organized by IPSA-USP from January 14-February 1, 2019 at participated in three programmes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basics of Quantitative Methods for Public Policy Analysis • Advanced issues in Quantitative Methods for Public Policy Analysis • An Introduction to Survey Experiments Two Weeks <i>19th World Festival of Youth and Students</i> by World Federation of Youth & Students and Russian Government at Moscow & Sochi, October 14-22, 2017
Kuldeep Singh	Harvard and MIT, Boston, Massachusetts, USA	Presented Paper entitled "Village Deity Tradition in the Himalayas: Case Study of Shimla Hills of Himachal Pradesh, INDIA, in an international conference organized by IJAS (International Journal of Art and Science) at Harvard and MIT, Boston, Massachusetts, USA from 28th May 2019 to 1st June 2019.
Sunil K. Jaswal	UK	One week training programme on Climate Change: Vulnerability, Impact and Adaptation, Newcastle University (U.K) 14-18 May 2018



Faculty Participation in Different Academic Activities



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6th Training Programme on Financial Management in Scientific Organizations
(February 19-23, 2018)

Sitting Row	Ajay Kumar, Dr. Anjan Kumar Jha, Dr. Pawan Tanuja (Programme Coordinator), Dr. T. Chatterjee (Director, IIPA), Dr. Vipul Bhatt, Dr. Narendra Shanker Pandey, Dr. Ekta Kohli
Standing Row	Pawan K. Mittal, J. Senthil Kengarajan, Dr. Onkar Nath Maurya, V.D. Mishra, Dr. Himmat Singh, Dr. Prahlad Ram, Kamal Gupta, Antra Hazra, Sunil Jaswal



FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (FDP) FOR RURAL MANAGEMENT PROFESSIONAL (INTER-DISCIPLINARY PROGRAMME)
Organized by National Council of Rural Institutes, Hyderabad & Department of Inter-Disciplinary Studies (IIHS)
HP University, Summerhill, Shimla-171005 (HP) 24th to 30th March, 2018

R1) Mr. Kartavya, Dr. Meenakshi Datta, Dr. Poonam Khista, Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Sharma, Prof. Arvind Kumar Bhatt, Dr. W.G. Prasanna Kumar, Prof. Rajinder Singh Chauhan, Dr. Kishana Mehta, Dr. Bharat Singh, V.S. Jagat Singh, Jagat Singh, Dr. Randeep Singh Bamba,
R2) Dr. Vaid Prakash, Dr. M.V. Anjali, Prof. U.N. Roy, Dr. Lalit Sharma, Dr. Sunil Jaswal, Dr. Anirudh Mehta, Dr. Umesh Narita, Dr. Chander Bangla, Dr. Pawan K. Mittal,
R3) Smt. Nazoon, Dr. Pooja Thakur, Dr. Babli Jashi, Dr. Nikita Chadda, Dr. Ajay Kaithi, Ms. Apoorva, Mr. Dev, Dr. Narinder Paul, Mr. Deep Singh, Mr. Sarwan Kumar, Dr. V.K. Santiva, Dr. Kuldip Singh



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INDRAPRASTHA ESTATE, RING ROAD, NEW DELHI-110002 (INDIA)

Two Weeks Faculty Development Programme "Climate Smart Governance" December 4 - 15, 2017


Sitting Row	Dr. Ritu Malik, Dr. Anamika Srivastava, Sanjay Vashisht, Dr. Shyam Singh (Programme Coordinator), Dr. T. Chatterjee (Director IIPA), Prof. V.K. Sharma (Programme Coordinator), Dr. Anshu Sharma, Dr. Pratikha Gupta, Dr. Nisha Saxena
Standing 3 rd Row	Dr. Sanjeev Kumar, Dr. Koushik Singh Roy, Dr. Sanjay Pathi, Dr. Poojara Kulkarni, Dr. Alok Sagar, Dr. Fatima Sultan, Dr. Geetha S. Menon, Piyali Bandyopadhyay, Manoj Kumar Das, Dr. Baldev S. Negi, Sameer Arora
Standing 2 nd Row	Shiv K. Mishra, T. Neelavandhan, Gopi Palanisamy, Dr. J.K. Pathak, Keshav Kumar Upadhyay, Dr. Vipul Bhatt, Dr. Arun Kumar, Dr. Mukesh Kumar, Ishupinder Kaur, Mudit Tashi



Orientation Programme-132
22.04.2019 to 11.05.2019



Short Term course on Research Methodology
03.06.2019 to 08.06.2019

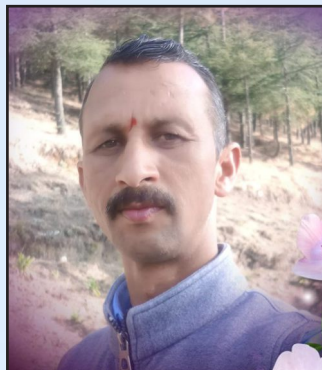


NRDMS-DST Sponsored Summer School
on Geo Spatial technology at HPU
from 18.06.2019 to 08.07.2019

DIS-IIHS NON-TEACHING STAFF



MOHAN SHARMA
Supdt. Ex. Cadre



RAMAN VERMA
Semi Professional (Lib.)



ANIL CHAUHAN
Office Assistant



OM PRAKASH
Safai Karamchari



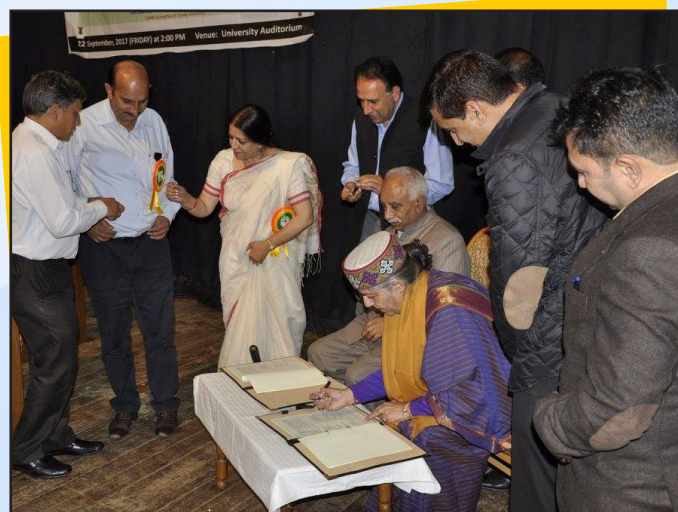
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