

# **Faculty Details Proforma For College Web-site**



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| Educational Qualification |             |  |          |  |            |            |  |  |
| Degree                    |             | Institution  |          |  | Year       |            |  |  |
| Ph.D. (Psychology)        |             | IIT Delhi  |          |  | 2012       |            |  |  |
| M.A. (Psychology)         |             | Department of Psychology North Campus, University of Delhi |          |  | y of Delhi | 2003       |  |  |
| B.A. (Hons)               |             | Daulat Ram College, University of Delhi                    |          |  | 2001       |            |  |  |
| Psychology                |             |  |          |  |            |            |  |  |
| UGC NET                   |             | UGC -NET LECTURERSHIP                                      |          |  | 2003       |            |  |  |
| Career Profile            |             |  |          |  |            |            |  |  |

# Full Time Research Experience

| Designation  | Institute  | Time period | Nature of Appointment                    |
|--|--|-------------|--|
| Library & Writing Fellow   | Center for Contemporary<br>Studies, IISC Bangalore | 2010        | Sir Ratan Tata Trust Fellowship          |
| Junior Project Fellow,<br>Department of Gender<br>studies, NCERT Delhi | N.C.E.R.T Delhi                                    | 2003-04     | ERIC Sponsored Junior Project Fellowship |

## Full time Teaching Experience

| S.No | Designation         | Institution        | Time Period        | Nature of Appointment |  |  |
|------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| 1.   | Assistant Professor | Alliance School of | 2011-2013          | Permanent             |  |  |
|      |                     | Business, Alliance |                    |                       |  |  |
|      |                     | University,        |                    |                       |  |  |
|      |                     | Bangalore          |                    |                       |  |  |
| 2.   | Assistant Professor | IMI Delhi          | 2013-2015          | Contract Based        |  |  |
| 3.   | Assistant Professor | Shyama Prasad      | March -May 2017    | Ad hoc                |  |  |
|      |                     | Mukherjee College, |                    |                       |  |  |
|      |                     | Delhi University   |                    |                       |  |  |
| 4.   | Assistant Professor | Daulat Ram College | 2017-Present (with | Adhoc                 |  |  |
|      |                     |                    | Breaks)            |                       |  |  |

| Administrati           | ve Assignments   |  |                     |                   |
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| Name of Institute      | Designation  | Status   | Time period         | Experience        |
| Daulat Ram<br>College. | Psychology Association In-charge   | Psy Association In charge                        | 2018-19             | 1 yr              |
| Daulat Ram<br>College. | BA Prog Admissions & Committee   | Member   | 2020<br>and<br>2021 | 2 yrs             |
| Daulat Ram<br>College. | ECA Committee  | Member   | 2018-19             | 1 yr              |
| Daulat Ram<br>College. | Tajagna- The Quiz Society  | Member   | 2019-21             | 2 yrs             |
| Daulat Ram<br>College. | Tajagna -The Quiz Society  | Convenor   | 21- 22              | 1 Yr              |
| Daulat Ram<br>College. | Hostel Committee   | Member   | 21-22               | 1 yr.             |
| Daulat Ram<br>College. | Covid -19 College Counselling Team – tele counselling during lockdown 1 (part of volunteer team with senior teachers providing psychological first aid)  | Member   | 2020                | 3 months          |
| Daulat Ram<br>College. | Psychology Association In-charge   | Association Incharge                             | 2022-23             | 1 yr              |
| Daulat Ram<br>College. | Hostel Committee   | Member<br>Committee +<br>Prospectus<br>Committee | 23-24               | Current           |
| Daulat Ram<br>College. | Disciplinary Committee   | Member   | 23-24               | Current           |
| Daulat Ram<br>College  | Pragati, Women's Development Cell  | Member & Co<br>Editor, Shrestha<br>Magazine      | 22-23<br>23-24      | Current,<br>1 Yr, |
| Daulat Ram<br>College  | CYBER CELL   | Member   | 23-24               | Current           |
| University of Delhi    | NEP Syllabus Creation -DSE -Cognitive Neuro science -BA hons & Prog  | Convenor   | 2022-23             | Ongoing           |
| University<br>of Delhi | NEP Syllabus Creation Committees for -DSC & DSE Papers of -<br>Intro to Counselling Psy (BA Prog), Child & Adolescent<br>development (BAProg), I/OPsy, Psychology & Technology,<br>Forensic Psychology B.A. (hons) | Member   | 2022-23             | Ongoing           |

## **Areas of Interest / Specialization**

SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY, HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT, ORGANISATIONAL BEHAVIOR, SOCIAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL COGNITION, SOCIAL IDENTITY, PSYCHOLOGY OF GENDER, ENVIRONMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY. COGNITIVE PSYCHOLOGY.

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#### **Subjects Taught**

#### **BA HONS PSYCHOLOGY & BA PROGRAM:**

Life Span Development, Psychology of Individual Differences, Human Resource Management, Counselling Psychology, Organisational Behaviour, Social Psychology, Cognitive Psychology (NEP), Psychology Of Gender, Psychology At Work -G.E.

#### **Publications Profile**

#### **JOURNAL PAPERS PUBLISHED (2023-2019):**

Kapoor S, Panwar K, Wason K. (2021) Psychosocial Dynamics in Attachment Styles Among Runaway Children. Institutionalized Children Explorations and Beyond.8(2) pp. 170–183 Sage Journal. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1177/2349300320986379">https://doi.org/10.1177/2349300320986379</a> Jan 2021 H5 index =4

Choudhary, A. Kapoor, S. & Wason, K. (2019) 'Mapping Runaways: A qualitative Examination of Psychological Differentials in Attachment', Social Welfare, 65(10), 8-13pp. ISSN No 0037-8038

Kaur, N. & Wason, K. (2019) 'Humor and Forgiveness: To Forgive is to be Happy?' Indian Journal of School Health and Wellbeing, 5(1), pp.15-25 (Jan-April 2019 ISSN:2349-5464)

Karmakar, A. Arora, T. & Wason, K. (2019), Humor and Resilience amongst hostellers and day scholars: A comparative study' Indian Journal of School Health and Wellbeing, 5(1), pp. 60-69. (Jan-April 2019 ISSN:2349-5464)

#### Editorial Positions (Peer Reviewed Journals):

- Research Topic Associate Guest Editor: Frontiers in Pain Research Topic: The Psychosocial Realities of Pain From Human Experiences to the Humaneness' of Being. Frontiers Journal on Pain Research. March 2023- Ongoing. (Frontiers Impact Factor = 5+)
- Editorial Board Member: Journal: Transnational Education Review, TNP London. ISSN: 2753-8656.

### **Conference Organization / Presentation**

27<sup>th</sup> International and 58<sup>th</sup> National Conference of Indian academy of Applied Psychology and Department of Psychology. Paper Presentation -: Easwara, A. & Wason, K. (2023) Cosmic Heroism: A salvific plunge into concepts of self, immortality and perpetual progress in our era as Digizens and dis-embodied Heads. *Best Paper Award*.

National Conference, Pragati, Women Development Cell, Daulat Ram College DigitAll: Innovation and Technology for Gender Equality. 24th March 2023. *Papers*: KAUL, S. CHUGH, U. & WASON.K. No Matter How Much Advanced We Become, The Gender Disparities Always Stay. & MARTOLIA, N., BANSIWAL Y., WASON K. "Not so Lil' Women: A tale of contemporary relevance: Portrayal of distinct female personalities with an essence of Technological Innovations".

The Migration Conference -2023: Jain, M. & Wason, K. (2023) Accepted Paper: "Reverse Migration - An Indian Story of Uncertainty and Identification".

15<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference of the Asian Association of Social Psychology EdUHK AASP 2023: "Asian Social Psychology in the Face of Global Challenges: Achievements and Opportunities." Accepted Paper: **Wason. K** (2023) The Norms of Helping 'For It Is in Giving That We Receive'

15<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference of the Asian Association of Social Psychology: EdUHK AASP 2023 Conference: "Asian Social Psychology in the Face of Global Challenges: Achievements and Opportunities." Accepted Paper: Khanduri, M. & **Wason, K.** (2023) "Raconteur's Tales: Legacies of The Role of Implicit Representations."

15<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference of the Asian Association of Social Psychology EdUHK AASP 2023 Conference: "Asian Social Psychology

in the Face of Global Challenges: Achievements and Opportunities. "Accepted Paper: Talus, V. & Wason, K. (2023) "I Meme, Therefore I am - The Role of Cultural Propagation and Social Identity in Digital Spaces".

International Conference on Applied Psychology, AIPS, Amity University on the theme 'Psychological Trauma and Conflict Resolution in Present Times' 24<sup>th</sup> February 2022, Eswara, A. & Wason, K. *Repertoires of Healing: Art As Performance & Transformation: A Caress Over The Indelible Strokes Of Grief.* 

8th International Conference on Sustainability (SUSCON 2021) held at the Indian Institute of Management Shillong (virtual) IIM Shillong 26-30 July 2021 *Paper Presented* - Eswara, A. & Wason, K. (2021) Against the Walls of latric Piety: Seeking Humanity for Nature

Food, Memory, Machines Workshop organized by the Indian Network for Memory Studies in association with the Centre for Memory Studies and Office of Global Engagement, IIT Madras (Online Mode) IIT Madras 17-20 August 2021. *Paper Presented*: Wason, K. (2021) The Food (R)-evolution: Digital Spaces of Identity Creation".

International Conference on "Perspectives on Peace and Sustainable Development in a World of Conflict Vivekanand College University of Delhi 13-15 Feb 2020 *Paper Presented*: Shah, K., Ghosh, S., Gupta, R. and Wason, K. (2020) Dystopia as a Social Catalyst: Technology and Humanity.

30<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the National Academy of Psychology (India) Virtual Mode, Hosted by IIT Kanpur, India - 21 March 2021 *Paper Presented*: Sirohi, A. Kalra, T. and Wason, K. (2021) Binge Watching Amidst Covid-19 Pandemic: Coping with Uncertainty

5<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Indian Academy of Health Psychology, MG Kashi Vidyapith Varanasi 20-22<sup>nd</sup> October 2019. *Paper Presented*: Singh, N. & Wason, K. (2019) 'The Lone Soldier Syndrome: Psychosocial Challenges and Effects on caregiver Mental Health.'

Third Annual Psychology Conference organized by Department of Mental Health and Behavioral Sciences, Fortis, Gurgaon Fortis Memorial Research Institute. Gurgaon. 13-15 Sept 2019 *Paper Presented* - Khanduri, M., Tandon, C. & Wason, K. (2019) 'Building a Model of Existential Beliefs': Emergence of Meaning and Healing in Chaos.

"Towards a Psychology of Social Change: An Interdisciplinary Dialogue IIT Delhi 13-Jan **Paper Presented** - Wason, K. (2018) Dynamics of collective mobilizations in anti-dam histories. 13th January 2018. "Towards a Psychology of Social Change: An Interdisciplinary Dialogue" IIT Delhi.

National Seminar on Positive Childhood and Parenting in Contemporary Times Amity Institute of Psychology and Allied Sciences, Amity University, Noida. 27<sup>th</sup> Sept 2019. *Paper Presented*: Sharma, S, & Wason, K. (2019) 'Seeing the 'other': A study in digital empathy and moral development in contemporary children.

Winter School on Cognitive Modelling IIT Mandi Himachal Pradesh 4th to 10th February 2019.

#### Research Projects (Major Grants/Research Collaboration)

**Body image, acculturation and migrants in Melbourne,** Australia- Co-Investigator (India) [P.I. = Dr. Fernanda Nava Beunfil] School of Psychology & Public Health, La Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia -Ethics Approval No HEC21104 -Nov. 2021-2026.

#### **Awards and Distinctions**

**Best Paper Award:** Cosmic Heroism: A salvific plunge into concepts of self, immortality and perpetual progress in our era as Digizens and dis-embodied Heads. Eswara, A. & Wason, K. (2023) 27th International and 58th National Conference of Indian Academy of Applied Psychology and Department of Psychology, Delhi University.

**IAAP Early Career Marathon\*:** "Being Partitioned: Reframing Social Identities "Wason, K. Selected For/ Shortlisted November2023\*

## **Association with Professional Bodies**

- National Academy of Psychology (NAOP)
- International Society of Justice Research (ISJR)
- Indian Network for Memory Studies (INMS)
- Asian Association of Social Psychology (AASP)
- National Positive Psychology Association (NPPA)
- International Association of Applied Psychology (IAAP)

#### **Other Activities**

- Panel Discussion- Anti-Cyber Bullying 7th Feb 2023- Invited Panelist for Psychological Aspects of Cyber Bullying. -Amity School Pushp Vihar, NCR.
- Workshop conducted Gender Equity Challenges and Skills for an Equitable Workplace. Christ University, Delhi NCR, 28th April 2022.

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