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Educational Qualification

Degree	Institution	Year
PhD	Jawaharlal Nehru University	2020
MPhil	Jawaharlal Nehru University	2015
MA	Jawaharlal Nehru University	2012
BA	University of Allahabad	2010

Career Profile

Academic Consultant, CRY (Child Rights & You) - 14/02/2023 - 20/03/2023

Assistant Professor, School of Media and Cultural Studies (Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai) - 15/01/2021 - 30/11/2022

Academic cum Teaching Associate, Department of Development Journalism (Indian Institute of Mass Communication); New Delhi, India — 23/09/2019 - 14/01/2021

Administrative Assignments

Coordination with the Joint Secretary's Office at the Ministry of External Affairs on behalf of the Department of Development Journalism at IIMC

Anchored the Internship component for the MA Batches (2020-2022) at TISS by conducting Internship orientations, coordinating with the Agency Supervisors and other related responsibilities.

Areas of Interest / Specialization

Society-Technology Interface Communication Theory Political Philosophy Social Movements

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Subjects Taught

Cyberculture: An Introduction

Image Making

Media and Peace Building

Social Movements

Ideas of India: An Introduction

Communication Theories: Concepts and Process

Research Guidance

'Fake News and the Social Media Industry- A Critical Appraisal of Facebook and WhatsApp' - Nipun Anand (M.A. Dissertation, TISS Mumbai)

'Impact Of Digital Transaction on the Marginalised During Covid-19 (A historical study of Social Welfare Systems)' - Suryakant Patre (M.A. Dissertation, TISS Mumbai)

Publications Profile

Anti-Nuclear Activism in India: Responses and their Character, Journal of the Oriental Institute, October-November, 2022, Vol.71, Issue 04, No. 10

World Social Forum and the Global Justice Movement, Education and Society, January-March 2022, Vol 45, No.1 From continuity to change: Thinking through Social Media led Mobilizations, Research Highlights, January-March, 2018, Vol.5 No. 1

Tracing the emergence of Counterpublics in Iran during and after the Khatami regime (1997-2007), Ayan, July-September, 2017, Vol. 5 No. 3

Conference Organization / Presentation (in the last three years)

- 'Configuring the Child: Privacy and Digital Rights in India', at the International Conference on Children and Media, hosted by Punjabi University, Patiala, 05-06 December 2022
- 'Anti-Caste Techno-Activism: chronicling online reform and resistance narratives in the Indian Cyberspace', at the International Association of Mass Communication Research Conference 2022, hosted by Tsinghua University, Beijing, China, 11-15 July 2022
- 'Social Justice discourses in the Online World', at an International Seminar organised by the Department of Political Science, University of Delhi on Revisiting the Ideas of India, 19-21 May 2022

Discussant at 'Conference on Exploring New Research Frontiers in Social Sciences' conducted by the Society for Social and Economic Research (SSER), New Delhi, 15-16 Jan 2022

Organized a lecture on 'New IT (Intermediary Guidelines and Digital Media Ethics Code) Rules, 2021 and their impact upon the Wider Sphere of Democratic Discourse Online' by Mr. Apar Gupta, Executive Director at the Internet Freedom Foundation (IFF) on April 17, 2021

'Digital Discourses on Caste: Building Caste solidarities online in the Times of Hashtag', at a Workshop organized by the Centre de Sciences Humaines, New Delhi titled 'From Caste Patriotism to Caste Activism: Caste Associations as Political Intermediaries in India' from 3-4 October 2019

Research Projects (Major Grants/Research Collaboration)

Awards and Distinctions

Senior/Junior Research Fellowship - 2012- 2017

Nirman Foundation Fellowship (Lord Bhiku Parekh Trust) - 2010 – 2011

Association with Professional Bodies

Member of International Political Science Association, International Studies Association, International Association for Mass Communication Research among others.

Other Activities

Board of Studies member for Curriculum Development at Political Science Department, HSNC University, Mumbai

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