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Dr Sandhya has received her PhD in Development Studies from Institute for Social and Economic Change (ISEC), Bangalore. She has been awarded NWO-WOTRO Postdoctoral Fellowship from the University of Groningen, Netherland. She holds M.A & M.Phil degree in Economics from Berhampur University, Odisha and Masters in Population Studies from International Institute for Population Sciences(IIPS), Mumbai. Her areas of research are mainly related to development economics, population & development issues with a focus on migration, health, gender & employment. She has published several scholarly papers, including books with both national and international acclaim. She has received research grants and undertaken collaborative research studies with various national and international organizations.

RESEARCH/TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Assistant Professor, Economics, A. N. Sinha Institute of Social studies, Patna, July 2015 onwards
- Senior Project Officer, International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai, February 2014- June 2015
- Guest Faculty, International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai, Sep- Oct 2014
- Post-Doctoral research Fellow, The university of Groningen, the Netherlands with Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bangalore, January- December 2013
- Research Assistant, PRC, Institute for Social and Economic Change, February 2012- December 2012
- Research Fellow, PRC, Institute for Social and Economic Change, February 2011- January 2012
- Lecturer, Economics (Contr), Konkorada Science College, Orissa, 2004-06

Publication Profile

Books (Authored/edited)

1. 'Health and Nutrition of Women and Children in Empowered Action Group States: Status & Progress', 2023 (Co-editor: Prof. U.S. Mishra & Shubh Swain), Routledge Publ. India ISBN: 9781032374871 (edited)
2. 'Towards Newborn Survival: Challenges & Priorities', (2022), Palgrave-MacMillian(imprint), Springer Publication, Singapore, ISBN: 978-981-19-3417-9 (authored)
3. 'COVID-19 & Socioeconomic Challenges in India: Through the lens of Migration, Gender & Health' (2022), Bookwell Publication, New Delhi, ISBN: 978-81-958340-0-6 (edited)
4. Life Insurance Corporation for Social Sector Development (2007), Sonali Publication, ISBN: 81-8411-082-0(authored)

Journal Articles

1. Ahmed, S and Mahapatro, S R (2023). Examining the Financial Protection Schemes in reducing health inequalities, International Journal of Social Determinants of Health and Health care Services, Sage Publication (Accepted)
2. Ahmed, S and Mahapatro, S (2023). Inequality in Health care Access at the intersection of Caste and Gender, *Contemporary Voice of Dalits*, Sage Publication
3. Mahapatro, S.R., Choudhary, R. (2022). Intergenerational educational and occupational mobility among scheduled castes in rural Bihar. *Journal of Social and Economic. Development*. Springer Publication

4. Mahapatro, S.R; James, K.S.; Mishra, U.S (2021): Intersection of Class, Caste & Gender and Unmet healthcare needs in India: Implications for Health Policy, *Health Policy Open*, Vol(2), Elsevier Publication
5. Choudhary, R & Mahapatro, S.R (2021): Paradigm of Intergenerational mobility among Scheduled Caste in Bihar, *IASSI Quarterly, Contribution to Indian Social Science*, vol.40 (1)
6. Pathak, P; Singh, Y, Mahapatro, S.R; Tripathi, N & Jee, J(2020): Assessing Socioeconomic Vulnerabilities related to COVID-19 Risk in India: A State Level Analysis, *Disaster Medicine and Public Health Preparedness*, Cambridge Core.
7. Mahapatro, S.R (2020): Socioeconomic inequalities in healthcare utilization in India: Is insurance a way out, *Journal of Population and Social Studies*, vol.28(1), ThaiJo publ.
8. Mahapatro, S.R. (2020): Issues & Challenges of Public Health Delivery System in Bihar: Towards Universal Healthcare Access, *Man and Development*, vol(XLII), issue(2).
9. Mahapatro, S.R (2019): Female Employment in India: Determinants of Choice of Sector of Activity, *Journal of Economic Studies*, vol.46(3). Emerald Publication
10. Mahapatro, S.R (2018): Impact of Labour Migration on Socioeconomic Position of Left behind women in Bihar, *Indian Journal of Labour Economics*, vol.61, pp. 701-718, Springer publ.
11. Mahapatro,S.R (2018): International Migration, Remittances and Household Development in India: A comparative perspective of Northern and Southern Region, *Social Science Spectrum*, Vol. 4(2),pp, 94-105.
12. Bharati,K & Mahapatro, S.R(2018): Health care and Ageing: A study of old widows in rural Haryana, *Jharkhand Journal of Development and Management Studies*, vol.16(3), pp.7829-44
13. Mahapatro, S.R, Sing,P; Singh,Y (2018): How Effective Health Insurance Schemes are in tackling Economic Burden of Healthcare in India, *Clinical Epidemiology & Global Health*, Vol. 6(2). Elsevier publication.
14. Mahapatro, S.R (2017)‘ Why do they remit: Exploring Remitting Motivation of Migrants in India’, *Journal of Development Policy and Practice*, vol.2(2), Sage Publication
15. Mahapatro, S.R, Bailey,A. James, K.S & I. Hutter (2017) ‘Remittances and Household Expenditure Pattern in India & Selected States’, *Migration and Development*, Vol.6(1), Routledge publication.
16. Mahapatro, S.R; Acharya, A; Singh, P (2017) ‘The Health of India’s Older Population: Do Living Arrangements Matter?’ *Working with Older People*, Vol.21(2) Emerald Publication.
17. Mohanty, S.K .;Mahapatro, S.R; Kastor,A. Singh,A.; Mahapatro, B (2016).‘Does employment related Migration reduces poverty in India’, *International Migration & Integration*, Vol.17(3), Springer publ.
18. Mahapatro, S.R & Singh Y(2016). ‘Response of health outcomes to health infrastructure: Evidence from Bihar and Tamil Nadu’, *Artha Vijnana*, LVIII (4), Gokhle Institute of Politics and Economics, Pune
19. Mahapatro, S.R (2015) ‘Gender and Intra-household Migration in India: An Empirical Analysis, *Review of Social Studies*, Vol.2 (2), London Centre for Social Policy, London.
20. Mahapatro, S.R (2013). Changing Trends in Female Labour Force Participation in India: An Age-Period-Cohort analysis, *Indian Journal of Human Development*, Vol. 7(1). Sage Publication
21. Mahapatro, S.R(2013). ‘Changing Gender relations and its Influence on Female Migration Decision in India’, *Pakistan Development Review*, Vol, 52(1), Pakistan Institute of Development Economics.
22. Mahapatro, S.R(2013). Female Migration in India: Does Economic Factors Matters, *IASSI Quarterly Contributions to Indian Social Science*, Vol. 32(3). Indian Association of Social Science Institutions

23. Mahapatro, S.R (2013) 'Changing pattern of Internal Migration in India, 1999/00-2007/08: Issues and challenges, *Indian Economic Journal*. Vol 61(1), Sage publ.
24. Mahapatro, S.R (2012). Utilization of Maternal and Child Health Care services in India: Does Women's Autonomy Matter? , *The Journal of Family Welfare*, Vol.58 (1), Family Planning Association of India, Publ
25. Mahapatro, S.R (2011). Socio-Economic Determinants of Female Migration in India: A District Level Analysis, *Demography India*, Vol. 40(2), Indian Association for Study of Population publ.

Chapters in Edited Book

26. Singh,P & Mahapatro,S.R.(2023): Place of Hospitalization, Residence and its Effect of Caesarean Section Out-of-pocket expenditure in India", in Mahapatro, S.R et al (eds) *Health and Nutrition of Women and Children in Empowered Action Group States: Status & Progress*.
27. Mahapatro, S.R(2019): Internal Migration: Emerging Pattern, in Rajan,I & Summetha,S (eds) *Handbook of Internal Migration in India*, Sage Publ.
28. Mahapatro, S.R (2019): Dynamics of Female Migration in India: Issues and Concerns in Mishra,R(eds) *Migration, Trafficking and Gender Construction: Women in Transition*, Sage Publ.
29. Mahapatro, S.R and James, K.S(2015). Understanding Female Migration Pattern in India: Exploring the Driving Forces. In S. Irudaya Rajan (Ed.) *Gender & Migration: India Migration Report*, Routledge publ.
30. Inequalities in Maternal and Child Health Care in selected States of India: Whether Social Structure or Economic Differentiation Matters? in *Population, Environment and Development*, (ed) by Sekhar,T.V.et.al, 2013, Academic Foundation, New Delhi,. ISBN 9788171889464
31. Is Women's Autonomy Influences Maternal and Child Health Services in India: Evidence from NFHS-3 in Service sector in India: A Sectoral Analysis (ed) by Jayasheela et.al. 2012, Global Research Publication, New Delhi, , ISBN 978-81-89630-53-9.
32. Socioeconomic inequalities in health care and nutritional status across the newly formed states of India: Uttarakhand, Jharkhand and Chattisgarh in *Population Health and Development* (eds) by Panigrahi, R.K. & A.K. Patra, Discovery publication, New Delhi,2010. ISBN 9788183565844

Proceedings/Monograph

33. Towards Refurbishing Healthcare System in Bihar(edited), Proceedings of Development Dialogue sponsored by UNICEF,2019, A.N. Sinha Institute of Social Studies, Patna.
34. Seminar Proceedings on "COVID-19 in India and Sustainable Development Goals: Challenges Responses and Way forward", 2022
35. Seminar Proceedings on "Maternal and Child health in EAG states: SDG Perspective", 2019

Chapters in Proceedings/ Working Papers/Other

36. On the Road to Universal Healthcare in Bihar: Health System Issues and Challenges, in Mahapatro, S,R (eds) *Towards Refurbishing health care system in Bihar*, 2019; A.N, Sinha Institute of Social Studies;(Chapter in seminar proceedings)
37. Female employment in India: What determines the choice of the sector of activity, working paper (3), 2017, A. N. Sinha Institute of Social Studies.
38. Gender Differences in Migration Pattern in India: A Household Level Analysis, in Safri,S & Kavak,S (eds) *Gender and Migration, Critical Issues and Policy Implication*,pp.197-210. London Centre for Social Studies, 2014; ISBN: 978-0-9570887-1-9; (Chapter in conference proceedings)
39. Patterns and Determinants of Female Migration in India: Insights from Census, *ISEC Working Paper, No.(246)*, 2010, Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bangalore,2010.

40. Declining Trends in Female Labour Force Participation in India: Evidence from NSSO, 2013, https://mpra.ub.uni-muenchen.de/44373/1/MPRA_paper_44373.pdf
41. The Changing pattern of Internal migration in India; Issues & Challenges, 2012, <https://www.semanticscholar.org>

Research Projects (Ongoing/Completed)

1. An assessment of Access to Family Planning among Adolescents and Young Adults in Bihar: Breaking the Barriers, Project Funding: United Nations Population Fund, 2023, (Principal Investigator), (ongoing since, Feb 2023)
2. Dalit Development Index: Why is Growth and Status Across Indian States Uneven (Co-PI), with Centre for Multi-Disciplinary Development Research, Dharwad, funded by Government of Karnataka, (ongoing since, Feb 2023)
3. Food Insecurity and Dietary Diversity among low-income migrant workers affected by COVID-19 in India (Co-PI), with the University of Aberdeen, funded by GCRF Networking Grant, U.K, 2020-21. (Completed)
4. Overcoming Challenges of NewBorn care in Bihar: Exploring Barriers to Quality of Care , (Principal Investigator), funded by UNICEF, Bihar, 2018-20. (Completed)
5. A Situational Analysis of Family Planning in Bihar, (Principal Investigator), funded by Population Foundation of India, New Delhi, 2018-19. (Completed)
6. Intergenerational Mobility among Scheduled Caste in Rural Bihar (Co-PI) funded by ICSSR, New Delhi, 2017-18(Completed)
7. Mid-Term Evaluation of Agro-forestry Schemes under Hariyali Mission- Poplar & Other Species (Co-PI) funded by Ministry of Environment and Forest, Govt. of Bihar, 2015-16 (completed)

Social Impact Assessment Studies

8. Social Impact Assessment of Construction of Budha Samyak Darshan Sangrahalaya and Smirti Stup of Mauja Harpur Basant, Vaishali Block, Vaishali District, (Co-PI) funded by Govt. of Bihar, 2018-19
9. Social Impact Assessment of Construction of High-Level RCC Bridge over River Muhane between Silaunja-Bataspur village in Bodhgaya block of Gaya District (PI) funded by Govt. of Bihar, 2017-18
10. Social Impact Assessment: Construction of RCC Bridge with approach road across Nasi Tola in Dhamdhar Panchayat Purnea (PI) funded by Govt. of Bihar, 2016-17
11. Social Impact Assessment: Construction of RCC Bridge with approach road across Bakharikol in Majara Panchayat Purnea (Co-PI) funded by Govt. of Bihar, 2016-17
12. Social Impact Assessment: Construction of RCC Bridge with approach road across Sahara in K.Nagar Panchayat Purnea (Co-PI) funded by Govt. of Bihar, 2016-17

Seminar/workshops/Training Programmes organized

1. Summer Course on “Gender & Development” in Collaboration with Centre for Catalyzing Change- Sakshamma, 20-25 June 2022
2. Workshop on NSSO data using SPSS & STATA supported by ANSISS, 23- 28 April 2022
3. National Seminar on “COVID-19 & Sustainable Development Goals in India: Challenges, Responses & Way forward” in Collaboration with ICSSR, New Delhi & Centre for Catalyzing Change- Sakshamma, 14th-15th March 2022
4. Workshop on “Quantitative Data Analysis on SPSS/STATA/R”, 6-8th January 2022.
5. Seminar(hybrid) on “The impact of Covid-19 on livelihood, food security and dietary diversity among low-income migrant workers in Bihar: The way forward” with University of Aberdeen, Uk., 15th December 2021.

6. Webinar on “COVID-19, Livelihoods and Food Security among Informal Migrants: A way forward” in collaboration with University of Aberdeen, UK; Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi and G.B.Pant Institute of Social Sciences, UP, 28th July 2021.
7. Dissemination workshop (Virtual) on findings of Project “ Overcoming Challenges of Newborn Care in Bihar: Exploring Barriers to Quality of Care”, 28th November 2020.
8. International Seminar on “Maternal and Child Health in Empowered Action Group States: Sustainable Development Goals Perspective” in Collaboration with UNICEF, Bihar and Tata-Cornell Institute, Cornell University, USA, 5-6 April 2019
9. Development Dialogue on “Towards Refurbishing Healthcare System in Bihar”, at A. N. Sinha Institute of Social Studies in collaboration with UNICEF, Bihar, 8th April, 2018.

Invited Lecture/Resource Person

1. Invited as a Panel member in the conference “Economic Empowerment of Women in East India and the Role of Women’s Collectives” organised at XISS, Ranchi to speak on the topic “ Economic Empowerment of Women in East India and the Role of Women’s Collectives”, March 17-18, 2023
2. Invited as a Resource Person to deliver a Lecture on “Gender & Employment: Paradoxes & Challenges”, Patna Women’s College, 3rd September, 2022
3. Invited as a Resource Person to deliver a Lecture on “Migration & Social Deviance” in Short Term Course on Transnational Migration and Social Development organized by Lovely Professional University Human Resource Development Centre, 1st July 2022
4. Invited speaker on “Migration and Gender” at the Summer course organized at ANSISS on Gender & Development, 20-25 June 2022
5. Invitation as a Resource Person to deliver a Lecture on “Gender, work and migration” in 5th Short Term Course in Gender Sensitization & Social Justice through online mode organized by HRDC-JNU: 11.11.2021, UG-HRDC organized by JNU, New Delhi.
6. Invited speaker in Workshop on Application of SPSS for Data Analysis in Research organized by CM college Darbhanga in collaboration with The Indian Econometric Society, 24th-26th September 2019
7. Invited to present paper on “Internal migration in Gujrat: Issues and Challenges” in State Level Seminar on Migration and Welfare of Children and Women, 30-31 January 2019, MGLI, Ahmedabad sponsored by UNICEF.
8. Invited to present a paper on the Impact of male migration on left behind families in Bihar in Brain storming meeting on women empowerment and Nutrition organised at PUSA, 7th-8th May 2017 sponsored by UNICEF.
9. Invited lecture in the Workshop on Research Methods & SPSS, 20th-21st April 2017, VBU, Hazaribagh
10. Invited as a Resource Person for delivering a lecture on Gender and Employment in Research Methodology training Programme organised at ANSISS, 2018

Conference/Seminars/workshops participated

International seminar/conference

1. "Female Employment in India: What Determines the Choice of Sector of Activity; Paper Presented at International Sociological Association (ISA) Conference on Changing Demography and Changing families, National University of Singapore, 17-19 May 2018
2. “International Migration, remittances and Household development: Evidence from Uttar Pradesh, Bihar and Kerala” , International Conference on Migration and Diaspora: Emerging Diversities and Development Challenges, Ignou, Delhi, 22-23 March, 2017

3. "Household Living Arrangement and its influence on Health status among Elderly in India", presented a paper in the seminar on "Ageing and Wellbeing: Cross-Cultural Perspectives on Health and Social and Care", at the Institute for Social and Economic Change(ISEC) organized by ISEC with University of Southampton, U.K, TISS Mumbai, CDS, Kerala & University of Groningen, Netherland, 17th-19th December 2015.
4. "Migrant suitcase: Onward and reverse social remittances among Highly Skilled Indian Migrants in the Netherlands on NWO-WOTRO Workshop on "Migration, Development and Citizenship: examining the nexus between the arrangement of migrant lives and (Global/National) political and economic regimes" at VU University, Amsterdam, 25th-27th June, 2015.
5. Attended NWO-WOTRO conference on "Migration, Development and Conflict" at Witwatersrand University, Johannesburg, 22nd-25th March,2015.
6. "Does Employment related Migration Reduces Poverty in India", (with Mohanty, S.K et.al) paper presented in International Seminar on Migration, Care Economy and Development, Centre for Development Studies, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, 17th-19th September 2014
7. "Contemporary patterns and Issues of Internal migration in India: Evidence from NSSO", paper presented in KNOMAD International Conference on Internal migration and Urbanization, Dhaka, Bangladesh, 30th April-1st May, 2014
8. Attended and presented findings of Project "The Migrant Suitcase: examining the flow of norms, practices, identities and social capital between India and the Netherlands" (With A. Bailey) in the Midterm meeting of Migration, Development and Conflict organized by NWO- WOTRO Science for Global Development in Collaboration with the University of Hyderabad, 27th-29th January 2014.
9. "International Remittances and its impact on Household Expenditure pattern in India", (with A, Bailey, KS.James, I.Hutter), International Conference on Population Geographies(ICPG), University of Groningen, The Netherlands, 25th-28th June 2013
10. "Gender differences in migration pattern in India: A household level analysis", paper presented at International conference on Gender and Migration: Critical Issues and Policy Implications, organized by London Centre for Social Studies (LCSS) ,the Gender Institute at the London School of Economics (LSE), the Centre for Migration Policy Research at Swansea University and the Department of Sociology, Marmara University, Turkey, 11th -13th May, 2013
11. "The Changing Trends in Female Labour Force Participation in India: An Age, Period, Cohort Analysis", Paper Presented at 2nd Asian Population Association Conference, Bangkok, Thailand, 26-29th August, 2012.
12. "The Changing Pattern of Internal Migration in India: Issues and Challenges", Paper presented at European Population Conference, Stockholm, Sweden 13th-16th June, 2012.
13. "Gender and Intra-household Migration in India: An Empirical Analysis", Paper presented in Norface Migration conference on " Migration, Economic change and Social Challenge", London, UK,2011

National Conference/Seminar

1. Intergenerational Mobility among SC's in Bihar, Paper presented at IASSI conference, 27th-29th February, 2020 organised at ISEC, Bangalore
2. Unmet need for Healthcare in India, Paper presented at IHEPA conference, 23th-24th January, 2020, NISER, Odisha
3. Female Employment in India: Anatomy of Choice, Paper presented at ISLE conference,19th-21st December 2018, IGIDR, Mumbai
4. Determinants of Female Employment in India, Paper Presented International Conference on "Dynamics of Economic Growth and Development in Asia with Special Reference to India " 25th-27th October at Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow
5. "Socioeconomic inequalities in Health and Health care utilisation in India", Paper Presented at 15th Annual conference of IASSH on "Health, Gender and Rural Development: Research, Practice and Policy" held at NIRD, Hyderabad, 16th-18th November 2017 .

6. “Does Migration Empowers Women in Left Behind households in Bihar, paper presented at IASP Conference on Population, Health and Development” held at the Andhra University, Visakhapatnam, 20-22nd December 2017
7. “Decomposing Determinants of Inequities in Health Care Utilization & role of financial protection measures in addressing inequities”, paper presented at IIPS International seminar on Population, Health, and Development: Global and National Policy Perspectives” 15 – 17 February 2018 in New Delhi.
8. “ Why do they Remit: Exploring Remitting motivation of migrants in India”, paper presented at IIPS National Seminar on population and Health in the context of sustainable development goals at NCDS, Bhubaneswar, 11-13th January 2017.
9. “Effectiveness of Health Insurance in Reducing Out of Pocket Expenditure in India” (with Singh,P) paper presented at Indian Association for Population Conference at IEG, Delhi, December 2016.
10. “Responsiveness of Health Outcomes to Health infrastructure in India: Evidence from Bihar and Tamil Nadu”, Paper Presented at 14th Annual conference of IASSH on “Health, Gender and Development: Emerging Issues and Challenges” held at the Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics,Pune,Maharashtra,23rd-25th Sep,2016 .
11. Participated in a national seminar on “Climate change and Agricultural Productivity”, Berhampur University, 20-21st October, 2015
12. “ Female Employment in Informal Sector: The role of Education”, presented paper in National seminar “ Women in Informal Sector”, held at Institute for Social and Economic Change(ISEC), 5th-6th October, 2015.
13. “Female Mobility in India: Emerging Issues and Challenges”, Presented a paper at conference on “Migration& Development” in collaboration with Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum, & ISEC, Bangalore, December 2, 2013.
14. “Dynamics of Emigration from Karnataka: A regional analysis” paper presented at the seminar on International Labour Migration from India: State level perspectives”, (With James.K.S.) held at Centre for Development Studies, Thiruvananthapuram, during March 28-29, 2011.
15. “Maternal health and child well-being in India: Does Women’s Autonomy Matters”, paper presented at the Population and Public Health conference held at Utkal University, Bhubaneswar organized by the Indian Association for the Study of Population, 2010.
16. “Patterns and Determinants of Female Migration in India”, paper presented at the seminar on “Demographic Convergence, Demographic Dividend, Population Ageing and Implications for Health and Socio-Economic Transformations: Special focus on the South Indian States held at Chennai organized by IIPS, Mumbai,2010.
17. “Trends and Patterns of Female Migration in India”, paper presented at Population, Gender and Health conference held in Institute for Social and Economic Change(ISEC) organized by Indian Association for the Study of Population, 2008.
18. “Socio economic inequalities in health care and nutritional status across the newly formed states of India: Uttarakhand, Jharkhand and Chattisgarh” Paper presented at the seminar on “Population, Environment and Development in Uttarakhand” held on Derahadun organized by IIPS in 17-19th March 2008
19. “Socio-economic dimensions of caste structure: an empirical study using NFHS-2 ”, a paper presented at the national seminar on “Contemporary issues in population and health” held in Bhopal 2008.

Workshops/Training Programs

1. Participated in UGC sponsored Refresher course “Interdisciplinary Refresher course in Research Methodology in Social Sciences”, 19th September-02 October, 2021
2. Participated in State Level Training Programme on Gender Budgeting, 6th-8th March 2019, Gender Resource Centre, Govt of Bihar, Sponsored by Ministry of Women and Child Development, Govt of India.
3. Participated in 79th Orientation Programme of Human Resource Development Centre, Patna, 17/07/18-13/08/18.
4. Participate in Training Programme on *Labour market Analysis held at V.V. Giri Labour Institute, 4th-8th July,2016.*

5. Participate in Research Training Workshop on *Qualitative Data Analysis* held at Institute for Social and Economic Change(ISEC) organized by University of Groningen, Netherlands and ISEC, Bangalore, 16th to 20th August , 2011.
6. Participate in Research Training Workshop on *Qualitative Data Analysis* held at Institute for Social and Economic Change(ISEC) organized by University of Groningen, Netherlands and ISEC, Bangalore, 16th to 20th August , 2011.
7. Participate Research Training Workshop on “Health Inequalities: Measures and Models” held at Institute for Social and Economic Change(ISEC) jointly organized by University of Southampton, Uk and ISEC, Bangalore, Jan 8-10, 2011.
8. Participate short-term training on “*Methods and Approaches in Research on Migration Issues*” held at Center for Development Studies, Thiruvananthapuram, in December 1-5,2008.

Phd Supervision

- Deepali Kumar: Street Vending and Local Economic Development: Survivalist or Micro Entrepreneurs?, (*Submitted for award, March, 2023*)
- Shakeel Ahmad: Socioeconomic inequality in Access to Health Care Services in Bihar: An Intersectional Approach, (*Submitted for award, April, 2023*)
- Reena Singh: Impact of Labour Migration on Economic Empowerment of Stay behind Women in Bihar, (*Ongoing since 2021*)
- Sneh Srivastva: Choice of Health care services among Older Adults in India, (*Ongoing since 2022*)

Expert committee member

- Member, Tracking Implementation of Bihar Empowerment policy supported by UNFPA & WCDC, Patna
- Member, Drafting Committee, Bihar Slum Policy supported by UNFPA & BMC, Patna
- Member, Drafting Committee, Development of Bihar Population Policy supported by PFI and Health dept, GoB

Professional Affiliation/engagements

- Member in IIPS Alumni Association, IIPSAA
- Global Research Forum on Gender and Migration (GRFGM), London Centre for Social Studies
- Gender, Youth and Migration (GYM), UN solution Exchange, UNESCO
- Indian Association for the Study of Population (IASP)
- Indian Association for Social Science and Health (IASSH)
- Research guidance to Officer Trainees at LABASNAA
- Reviewer in various professional journals
- Teaching and member of various committees at ANSISS

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