

National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration

Department Profile (2016-21)

Sl.	Name of the	Department of Educational Planning
No.	Department	
1	Year of	2006
	Establishment	
2	Is the Department	Yes
	part of a School/	(Earlier it was the Unit of the Institute.)
	Faculty of the	
	University	
3	Names of	The faculty members of the Department are involved in Teaching/transacting the
	programmes offered	following courses of the Institute
		1. PGDEPA Course No. 903: Educational Planning
		2. PGDEPA Course No. 907: Advanced Course on Educational Planning
		3. M. Phil/PhD CC1: Perspectives in Education (Economic Perspective)
		4. M. Phil/PhD CC5: Research Methodology
		5. M. Phil/PhD CC6: Educational Planning
		6. M. Phil/PhD OC4: Educational Management Information System.
		7. Phil/PhD OC11: Economics and Financing of Education
		8. M. Phil/PhD Workshop on Use of Software Application in Educational Research
4	Number of teaching	2 Professors, 1 Associate Professor, and 2 Assistant Professor (At Present)
	posts Sanctioned/	-Prof. S.M.I.A Zaidi: Retired in the year 2018.
	Filled	
5	Number of Research	Completed Research Studies (2016-21):
	Projects:	i) 'Evaluation of the Implementation of the Infrastructure Development in Minority
	110jecus.	Institutions (IDMI) Scheme' for MHRD in December 2017 (On request of MHRD)
		_Investigators: Prof. S.M.I.A Zaidi, Dr. N.K Mohanty and Dr. Suman Negi
		ii) Action Research Project on Development of District Secondary Education Plan under
		RMSA in Tamil Nadu and Odisha _ <i>Investigators</i> : Prof. S.M.I.A Zaidi, Prof. K. Biswal and
		Dr. N.K Mohanty
		iii) A Spatial Perspective on the Causes and Consequences of Higher Educational Out-
		Migration: A Case Study of Himachal Pradesh _ <i>Investigator</i> : Dr. Suman Negi
		iv) Evaluation of Central Sector Scheme of Interest Subsidy on Education Loans: An
		Analysis of Socio-Economic Profile of the Beneficiaries _ <i>Investigator</i> : Dr. Geetha
		Rani
		On-going Research Studies:

		i) Public-Private Mix in Secondary Education in India: Size, In-school Facilities and Intake
		Profile (First phase completed second phase ongoing) _ <i>Investigators</i> : Dr. N.K
		Mohanty and Prof. S.M.I.A Zaidi
		ii) An Education Atlas on Gender: A District Level Representation _ <i>Investigator</i> : Dr. Suman Negi
		Suman Negi
	Total grants	Action Research – Rs. 50,28,000 + Pub-Pvt Mix in SE - Rs. 12,64,000.00. Migration
	received:	7,42,000, Atlas- 5,00,000/-
		Total Research Studies: 04
		1. Action Research Project on Development of District Secondary Education Plan
		under RMSA in Tamil Nadu and Odisha _Investigators: Prof. S.M.I.A Zaidi, Prof. K.
		Biswal and Dr. N.K Mohanty.
		2. A Spatial Perspective on the Causes and Consequences of Higher Educational Out-
		Migration: A Case Study of Himachal Pradesh _Investigator: Dr. Suman Negi 3. Public-Private Mix in Secondary Education in India: Size, In-school Facilities and
		Intake Profile _Investigators: Dr. N. K Mohanty and Prof. S.M.I.A Zaidi
		4. An Education Atlas on Gender: A District Level Representation _Investigator: Dr.
		Suman Negi
6	Inter-institutional coll	aborative projects and Associated grants received
	National	UDISE – UNICEF India Collaboration Project – Amount of grant received from
	collaboration	UNICEF in 2017 (January-December 2017) = Rs. 65, 55,200.00, 2019-20 = Rs.
		91,40,000.00 (BE), 2020-21 = Rs. 55,20,000.00 (BE)
	International	4 Capacity Building programmes for Education Officers of Sri Lanka in collaboration
	collaboration	with Department of Education, Ministry of Education, Government of Sri Lanka (Fund
		received –Rs. 1.18 crores)
7	Publications:	
	Number of Papers	Research papers in Journals:- 11
	published	Chapters in books:- 08
	F	Research Report/ Evaluation Report/ Policy Papers/ Surveys/ any other report:- 05
		Occasional Paper:- 01
	Module Developed	ARPIT Modules - 4
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8	Areas of consultancy and income	4 Sri Lanka Programmes – Rs. 1,18,27000.00
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	Areas of consultancy	Prof. S.M.I.A. Zaidi
	and Academic	Important Meetings Attended in 2016-17
	Support to Public	- Attended Executive Committee meeting of SCERT, Delhi conducted at Old
	Bodies	Secretariat, Delhi on September 08, 2016.
		- As a member, attended Mid-term PAC meeting of DIET, R.K. Puram at SCERT,
		Delhi on December 01, 2016.
		- As a member, attended Mid-term PAC meeting of DIET, Daryaganj at SCERT, Delhi on December 02, 2016. As a member, attended Mid-term PAC meeting of DIET,
		Karkardooma at SCERT, Delhi on December 05, 2016.
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- As a member, attended Mid-term PAC meeting of DIET, Keshavpuram at SCERT, Delhi on December 07, 2016.
- As a member, attended Department Advisory Board (DAB) meeting of RMSA Project Cell of NCERT at CIET Building, NCERT on December 27, 2016.
- As a member, attended Expert Committee meeting to discuss and finalise restructuring of SCERT and DIETs of Delhi in accordance with the Centrallysponsored Scheme on Restructuring and Reorganisation of Teacher Education, chaired by Secretary Education, Government of Delhi on January 04, 2017 at Delhi Secretariat, I.P. Estate, New Delhi. As a member, attended Examination Advisory Committee meeting of SCERT, Delhi at SCERT, Defence Colony, New Delhi on February 02, 2017.
- As a member, attended Annual PAC meeting of DIET, Moti Bagh at DIET on February 20, 2017. As a member, attended Annual PAC meeting of DIET, Karkardooma at DIET on February 21, 2017.
- As a member, attended Annual PAC meeting of DIET, Keshavpuram at DIET on March 01, 2017.
- As a member, attended Annual PAC meeting of DIET, Daryaganj at DIET on March 02, 2017.
- As a member, attended Annual PAC meeting of DIET, R.K. Puram at DIET on March 03, 2017.
- As a member, attended Annual PAC meeting of SCERT, Delhi at SCERT, Defence Colony, New Delhi on March 15, 2017
- As a member, attended Faculty Committee meeting of Faculty of Education, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi on March 15, 2017

Prof. P. Geetha Rani

Consultancy and Academic Support to Public Bodies

- -Internal Referee of research papers to Journal of Educational Planning and Administration (2019-20).
- -Served as chairperson on the Technical Session on Development Economics III in the 56th Annual Conference of the Indian Econometric Society (TIES), 8-10 January, 2020, organised by the School of Econometrics, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai. -Served as chairperson on the Panel Discussion on Liberalisation, Privatisation and Globalisation: Three Decades of Experience in India, in the International Conference on Liberalisation, Privatisation and Globalisation: Three Decades of Experience in India; and Technical Session I: LPG and Agriculture Sector, 14-15 February, 2020, organised by Department of Economics, Gandhigram Rural Institute (Deemed to be University), Dindigul, Tamil Nadu.

Membership of Eminent Bodies outside NIEPA

- Empanelled as a Professor Assessor by National Assessment and Accreditation Council, Bengaluru (2018-19)
- Executive Committee Member, The Indian Econometrics Society, 2020 Empanelled as a Professor Assessor by National Assessment and Accreditation Council, Bangalore

Prof. K. Biswal

Important Consultancy and Advisory Services Rendered to the MHRD, UGC, State Governments, International Organisations, and National Institutions

- Member, UGC Expert Committee for Evaluation and Assessment of the Proposals submitted by the college teachers for availing of travel grant assistance to attend international conferences abroad. (2019-20)
- Member, UGC Screening Committee for Appointment of the Consultant for UGC-IoE Secretariat. (2019-20)
- As a Member of the UGC Expert Committee, visited the Arunachal University of Studies, Namsai, Arunachal Pradesh from 25-26 July, 2019 for onsite assessment of compliance to the UGC (ODL) Regulations, 2017.
- As a Member of the UGC Expert Committee, visited the Vinayaka Mission's Research Foundation (VMRF), a Deemed to be University, Sankari Main Road, Ariyanoor, Salem, Tamil Nadu from 29 May- 1 June, 2019 for comprehensive review of its functioning.
- As a Member of the UGC Expert Committee, visited the IIMT University (Private University), "O" Pocket, Ganga Nagar, Mawana Road, Meerut, Uttar Pradesh from 20-21 December, 2019 for comprehensive review of its functioning.
- Member, Steering Committee of Shaala Kosh constituted by the Department of School Education and Literacy, MHRD, GoI. Member, Departmental Advisory Committee of the Educational Survey Division of the NCERT, New Delhi.
- Member, Annual Programme Advisory Committee of the SCERT, Delhi.
- Member, Annual Programme Advisory Committee of the DIET, Karkardooma, Delhi.
- Member, Departmental Advisory Board of the Educational Survey Division of the NCERT, New Delhi. (2020-21)
- Member, Departmental Advisory Board of the PMD of the NCERT, New Delhi. (2020-21)
- Member, Selection Committee for Appointing Database Manager in NAS in February 2021, Educational Survey Division, NCERT, New Delhi. (2020-21)
- Member, Selection Committee for Appointing Senior Consultants in NAS in February 2021, Educational Survey Division, NCERT, New Delhi. Reviewed and submitted comments on UNICEFMoE Rolling Plan 2021-22 to the Department of School Education and Literacy, MoE, GoI.
- Participated in the Online Meeting of the Department of SE&L, MoE, GoI; organised on 16 February, 2021 to discuss UNICEF-MoE Rolling Plan.
- As an Expert, participated in the 'One-day Online Experts Meet for Institutional Planning for Establishing Resource Centres under the UNFPA Sponsored Project on Adolescent Education Programme for Madrasas in Bihar', organised by the Department of Education, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi on 12 March, 2021.

Dr. N. K. Mohanty

Important Consultancy and Advisory Services Rendered to the MHRD, UGC, State Governments, International Organisations, and National Institutions

 Contributed (with Prof. K. Biswal) in the preparation and finalisation of Results Framework and Monitoring Document of RMSA, MHRD, GOI. Provided 2015- 16 data for all the quantitative indicators in the RFD on the basis of analysis of SEMIS

- 2009/10 and UDISE 2015-16 data. Also, provided the targets for each of the quantitative indicators in the RFD based on the analysis of the past trends and the likely future changes due to implementation of the RMSA and other related interventions in the secondary education sub-sector. This enabled the MHRD to negotiate with donors and finalise the RFD for monitoring progress in RMSA. Besides, the RFD of 4 states were developed and provided to 7th JRM.
- Attended various Project Approval Board Meetings of the RMSA held at MHRD, Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi during May 2016 to February 2017. (2016-17)
- Contributed (with Prof. K. Biswal) in the preparation and finalisation of Results Framework and Monitoring Document of RMSA, MHRD, GOI. Provided 2016-17 data for all the quantitative indicators in the RFD on the basis of analysis of SEMIS 2009/10 and UDISE 2016-17 data. Also, provided the targets for each of the quantitative indicators in the RFD based on the analysis of the past trends and the likely future changes due to implementation of the RMSA and other related interventions in the secondary education sub-sector. This enabled the MHRD to negotiate with donors and finalise the RFD for monitoring progress in RMSA. Besides, the RFD of 4 states were developed and provided to 8th JRM. (2017-18)
- Provided technical support to various States and UTs for preparation of State and District Secondary Education Plans (Perspective and AWP & B) under RMSA for facilitating implementation of the RMSA by the MHRD, GOI.(2016-18)
- Attended various Project Approval Board Meetings of the RMSA held at MHRD, Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi during May 2017 to February 2018.
- Member, UGC Expert Committee on Examination Reforms in Higher Education.
- As a Member of the UGC Expert Committee, visited Jain Deemed to be University, 91/2, Dr. A. N. Krishna Rao Road, V. V. Puram, Bengaluru from 20-23 July, 2018 to review its functioning.
- As a Member of the UGC Expert Committee, visited Kazi Nazrul University (State University), Old ADDA Office Building, P.O. Asansol, Distt. Burdwan, West Bengal from 30 January-1 February, 2019 to consider 12B status to the University.
- As a Member of the UGC Expert Committee, visited Sri Satya Sai University of Technology & Medical Sciences, Sehore, Madhya Pradesh from 4-5 February, 2019 to assess its conformity to the UGC notified minimum standards in higher education.
- As a Member of the Consultancy Monitoring Committee (SSA) of the MHRD, GoI, contributed in finalising the Third-Party Evaluation Report of the SSA Programme. (2018-19)
- As a Member, attended the Selection Committee Meeting of the West Bengal University of Teacher Training, Educational Planning and Administration, Kolkata from 17-18 January, 2019.
- Member, DIKSHA Steering Committee constituted by the Department of School Education and Literacy, MHRD, GoI. Chairperson, DIKSHA Sub-Committee constituted by the Department of School Education and Literacy, MHRD, GoI.
- Member, Steering Committee of Shaala Kosh constituted by the Department of School Education and Literacy, MHRD, GoI.
- Member, Departmental Advisory Committee of the Educational Survey Division of the NCERT, New Delhi. Member, Annual Programme Advisory Committee of the SCERT, Delhi.

- Member, Annual Programme Advisory Committee of the DIET, Karkardooma, - Provided technical support to various States and UTs for preparation of State and District Secondary Education Plans (Perspective and AWP & B) under Samagra Shiksha for facilitating implementation of the Samagra Shiksha by the MHRD, GOI. (2019-20)- As a member of the Study Group VIII (Social Infrastructure) of NCR Planning Board, prepared the Report of Study Group on Education, along with Prof. Avinash Singh of NIEPA, New Delhi and submitted to NCR Planning Board for inclusion in the Regional Plan 2041 for NCR. (2019-21) Dr. Suman Negi Consultancy and Academic Support to Public Bodies - Prepared the conference proceedings report for British Council, New Delhi for the two days' conference on 'Learning for a Sustainable Future - Integrating Core Skills in the Curriculum and the Teacher Conference' organised by the British Council on November 30-December 01, 2016 at New Delhi. - Resource person at the One Week Research Methodology Workshop on Quantitative Research Methods in Social Science organised by the Department of Education, University of Delhi under aegis of IASE, MHRD Delhi University, 13 March, 2019. - Resource Person - SPSS Workshop, Centre for Culture, Media & Governance, Jamia Millia Islamia, 1 April, 2019. - Resource Person - National Workshop on Advanced Quantitative Research Methods (AQRM) in Social Sciences, organised by the Department of Education, University of Delhi, 9-15 December, 2019. - Resource Person – Workshop on Research Methodology, conducted by RECP Cell, SCERT Haryana, Grurugram, 28 January, 2020. - Resource Person, 3rd One-month Faculty Induction Programme, at HRDC, Jamia Millia Islamia, 4 January, 2021. Membership of Eminent Bodies outside NIEPA - Member, Programme Advisory Committee (PAC), SCERT, Dehradun, Uttarakhand. - Member, Research Advisory Committee (RAC), SCERT, Dehradun, Uttarakhand. 9 Awards/ Recognitions received at the National and International level by: **Faculty** 2 Research Scholars/ 1 **Doctoral/Post**doctoral fellows How many students **NET - 5** 10 have cleared Civil **Services and Defense**

Services

and other

examinations, NET, SET (SLET), GATE

	competitive examinations			
11	List of doctoral, post-doctoral students and research associates			
	From the host	M.Phil.: -13, Ph.D.:- 09, Ph.D. Part-time:- 01		
	institution/university	M.Phil. Scholars: -Vani Kakkar, Satya rakish Garada, Sonam Arora, Aysha Malik, Harshita Sharma, Tsering Lhamo, Raj Gaurav, Jnyan Ranjan Sahoo, Govinda Kumar Sah, Rajiv Kumar, Diwakar Soni, Shrishti Chamola, Ruchi Payal.		
		Ph.D. Scholars: - Nidhi Rawat, Dipendra Kumar Pathak, Ms. Aysha Malik, Jitsun Lamo, Kavya Chandra, Gowhar Rashid Ganie, Jnyan Ranjan Sahoo, Kaarika Das, Ruchi Payal		
		Ph.D. Part-time Scholars: - Suhail Ahamad Mir (part-time)		
12	Number of Research Scholars/ Post Graduate students getting financial assistance from the University/State/ Central funding agencies	Institutional Fellowship: 19 JRF/ SRF:- 3		
13	Training Programmes/ Seminars/ Workshops/ Conferences/ Summer Schools etc.			
	Faculty	Workshops/ Conferences/ Training Programmes organized:		
		 i. Capacity Building Programme on Strategic Planning, Financing and Quality Development of Education for Education Officers of Sri Lanka (All Expenses borne by Ministry of Education, Govt. of Sri Lanka) _Prof. SMIA Zaidi, Dr. K. Biswal and Dr. N. K. Mohanty ii. Capacity Building Programme on Strategic Planning, Financing and Quality Development of Education for Education Officers of Sri Lanka _Prof. SMIA Zaidi, Dr. K. Biswal and Dr. N. K. Mohanty iii. Workshop on Use of the Results Framework for Planning and Monitoring of Secondary Education for North-Eastern States _Dr. K. Biswal and Dr. N. K. Mohanty iv. Training of State Level Resource Persons for Developing District Secondary Education Plan in Bihar _Prof. SMIA Zaidi, Dr. K. Biswal and Dr. N. K. Mohanty v. Capacity Building Programme on Strategic Planning, Financing and Quality Development of Education for Education Officers of Sri Lanka _Prof. SMIA Zaidi, Dr. K. Biswal and Dr. N. K. Mohanty vi. Capacity Building Programme on Planning for Teacher Education for principals of Teacher Education Institutions of Odisha _Prof. SMIA Zaidi, Dr. K. Biswal and Dr. N. K. Mohanty 		

2017-18

- Capacity Building Programme on Planning for Teacher Education for Heads of Teacher Education Institutes (TEIs) of Odisha _Prof. SMIA Zaidi Dr. K. Biswal and Dr. N. K. Mohanty
- ii. Training Programme on Planning and Monitoring of School Education Programmes (For all the States and UTs other than North-Eastern States) _Dr. N. K. Mohanty and Dr. K. Biswal
- iii. Training Programme on Planning and Monitoring of School Education Programmes in North-Eastern States _Dr. K. Biswal and Dr. N. K. Mohanty
- iv. Orientation Programme on Planning and Designing Research Projects for Faculty of SCERT and DIETs of Sikkim _Dr. Suman Negi.

2018-19

- i. Orientation Programme on Planning for School Education in Meghalaya _Prof. SMIA Zaidi and Dr. Suman Negi
- ii. National Level Sharing Workshop on Lessons Learnt from the Action Research and the Model for Planning for Secondary Education at the District Level, Prof. S.M.I.A. Zaidi _Prof. K. Biswal and Dr. N.K. Mohanty
- iii. Training Programme on Planning and Monitoring School Education Outcomes_Dr. N.K. Mohanty and Prof. K. Biswal
- iv. Training Programme on Planning and Designing Research Projects for faculty of SCERT of all states other than North Eastern States _Dr. Suman Negi
- v. Training Programme on Planning and Designing Research Projects for faculty of SCERT of the North Eastern States _Dr. N.K. Mohanty and Dr. Suman Negi

2019-20

- i. Consultative Meet of the Study on the Roles and Functions of SIEMATs _Prof. K. Biswal, Dr. N. K. Mohanty and Suman Negi
- ii. Training Programme on Analytical Framework and Techniques of School Education Sector Diagnosis (for major states) _Prof. K. Biswal, Dr. N.K. Mohanty and Dr. Suman Negi
- iii. Results Based Planning Methodology in School Education: Implications for Developing District School Education Plan under the Samagra Shiksha in Odisha (Request programme by the OPEPA, Govt. of Odisha) _Dr. N.K. Mohanty and K. Biswal
- iv. Training Programme on Analytical Framework and Techniques of School Education Sector Diagnosis(for North Eastern States) _Dr. N.K. Mohanty, Prof. K. Biswal and Dr. Suman Negi
- v. Research Methodology Course on Large Scale Survey: Data Analysis and Tools _Prof. P. Geetha Rani
- vi. Results Based Planning Methodology in School Education: Implications for Developing District School Education Plan under the SSA in Assam (*Request programme by the SSA, Govt. of Assam*)- Dr. Suman Negi and N.K. Mohanty

Seminar/ Conferences/ Workshops/ Meetings Attended:

2016-17

S.M.I.A. Zaidi

- Attended ANTRIEP Regional Workshop on 'Educational Administration and Management', 'Existing Practices and Innovations' organised by NUEPA at ISID Institutional Area, Vasant Kunj, New Delhi on April 19-21, 2016. Also chaired a session in this Workshop on April 19, 2016.
- Attended National Conference on Innovations in Educational Administration organised by NUEPA at Pravasi Bharatiya Kendra, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi on March 05-07, and chaired a session of presentation by Tamil Nadu delegates on March 05, 2017.

Lectures Delivered Outside

- Delivered two lectures on Educational Planning to International Participants of Certificate Course in Human Resource Planning and Development on July 08, 2016 conducted by National Institute of Labour Economics Research and Development (NILERD) formerly IAMR, Narela, New Delhi
- Delivered lectures on 'Planning for Teacher Education' in Orientation Workshop on Teacher Education 2012 Guidelines and AWP 2017-18 of Centrally-sponsored scheme of Teacher Education' organsied by SCERT, Chhattisgarh at Raipur on November 17-18, 2016.
- Delivered lecture on 'Planning for Elementary Education at School Level' in Training Programme for South Delhi Municipal Corporation School Headmasters conducted by DIET, Daryaganj on January 20, 2017.
- As a resource person, delivered lectures in the 'Capacity Building Programme on Planning for Teacher Education for Heads of Teacher Education Institutions of Odisha' organised jointly by TE & SCERT, Odisha and Department of Educational Planning, NUEPA at SCERT, Odisha, Bhubaneswar on March 27-30, 2017

Suman Negi

- Participation in Seminars/Conferences Participated in the Conference on 'Learning for a Sustainable Future Integrating Core Skills in the Curriculum and The Teacher Conference' organised by the British Council on November 30-December 01, 2016 at New Delhi.
- Presented a Paper 'Understanding Educational Out-Migration: A Case Study of Himachal Pradesh' at the International Conference on Migration and Diasporas: Emerging Diversities and Development Challenges, organised by School of Interdisciplinary and Transdisciplinary Studies, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi on March 22-23, 2017

2017-18

P. Geetha Rani

Faculty Participation in Faculty Development Programmes (UGC-HRDC Courses), Conferences, Seminars, Workshops, etc., with Details

- Served as a panelist in the Panel Discussion titled, Recent Decades of Credit and Development, at the Consultation on People's Parliament for Development,

- organised by AIBOC at Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS), Chembur, Mumbai, 24-25 May, 2017.
- "Pattern of Enrolment in School Education in India: Possible Inferences on Inclusive Quality Education" in the International Conference on "Inclusive Quality Education: Towards Sustainable Development Goal 4", 17-18, June, 2017, organised by the Institute of Social Sciences, New Delhi at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi.
- Invited to participate in the Assessors Orientation Programme to be held during 21-22 March, 2018 at National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), Bangalore.
- "Data Analysis using Large Scale Surveys & Correlation and Regression" in the Workshop on "Research Methodology for Social Sciences", 22-24 January, 2018, organised by Department of Economics, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu.
- Delivered an invited lecture on "Data Analysis using Large Scale Surveys" in the Workshop on "Computing Methods in Social Science Research", 18-20 January, 2018, organised by RD Foundation Centre for Research in Economics and Social Development (RD CRESD) and Department of Economics, Periyar University, Salem, Tamil Nadu.

Papers Presented in Seminars/ Conferences, etc., with Details of Name of the Programme, Organiser, Dates, Level (National/International)

- Invited to deliver a special talk of UGC-assisted Guest Lecture series on "Economic Growth and Development" by the PG & Research Department of Economics, A. V. C. College (Autonomous), Mayiladudurai, on 2 March, 2018.
- Delivered an invited talk on "Data Sharing: Preliminary Reflections" in the Regional Level Conference on "Data Sharing", organised by Department of Economics and Statistics, Government of Tamil Nadu at V.P.N. Mahal, Nagapattinam on 23 February, 2018.
- Presented a joint paper entitled 'Household EXpenditure on Higher Education in India: What do we know and what do recent data have to say?', in the National Seminar on the results relating to subject covered during 70th and 71st rounds of NSSO held at Goa University, Goa during 11-12 September, 2017.
- Presented a paper on "Demonetisation to GST: Path to Growth at Department of Economics, Gandhi Gram Rural Institute, on 18 December, 2017 on a one-day National Seminar on "Demonetisation to GST".
- Presented a paper entitled 'Education Loans and Financing Higher Education in India: The Stylised Facts' in the National Seminar on "Futures of Higher Education" on 7-8 September, 2017, organised in the Centenary Year of the Indian Economic Association by Department of Higher & Professional Education, NIEPA, New Delhi.
- Invited to serve as a Chairperson in the National Conference on "Globalising the Finance", organized by Department of Economics, Pondicherry University, Pondicherry, during 10-11, April, 2017.
- Presented a paper entitled "Course Choices in Higher Education in India:
 Differentials and Determinants" at the Madras School of Economics and Department of Economics, Central University of Tamil Nadu Joint Faculty Seminar, 17-18
 January, 2018, organised by Department of Economics, Central University of Tamil Nadu

N. K. Mohanty

Participation in National and International Seminars and Conferences

 Coordinated the visit of international delegates of National Institute of Labor Economics, Research and Development (NILERD) on 23 February, 2018 at NIEPA, New Delhi.

Suman Negi

Participation in Seminars/Conferences

- Participated in the two-day Workshop on 'Open Data and Knowledge for Transparency, Advocacy and Research', organised by the World Bank Office at Lodi Estate, New Delhi on 18-19 April, 2017.
- Speaker at the Workshop on 'The use of cross- sectional data linkage to inform analysis of the social determinants in health in low and middle-income countries', organised by the Centre for Study of Regional Development, School of Social Sciences, in collaboration with University of Glasgow, UK, at Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi on 12 March, 2018.

2018-19

K. Biswal

Participation in National and International Seminars and Conferences

- Participated in the "South Asia Conference on Learning Generation and Delivery Approach", organised by the UNICEF Regional Office for South Asia from 8-9 May, 2018 at Hotel Annapurna, Kathmandu, Nepal.
- Participated as a Resource Person in the National Level Workshop on Student Database Management Information System (SDMIS), organised by the TSG/MHRD from 23-24 April, 2018 at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi.
- Participated as a Resource Person in the Training of Trainers (TOT) Programme at the National Statistical Systems Training Academy (NSSTA), organised by the UNICEF India Country Office from 5-7 December, 2018 at Hotel Samrat, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi.
- Participated as a Resource Person in the Refresher Course for Teacher Educators, organised by the UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, JNU, and New Delhi from 12 November-7 December, 2018.
- Participated and chaired a session in the "National Conference on Innovations in Educational Administration", organised by NIEPA from 3-5 January, 2019 at Pravasi Bharatiya Kendra, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi.
- Participated as a Resource Person in the "Two-day Consultative Meeting of Directors of State Higher Education Councils", organised by NIEPA from 25-26 February, 2019 at NIEPA, New Delhi.

P. Geetha Rani

Participation in Seminars/Conferences/ Workshops during the year under Report (National/International)

 Presented a paper titled, "Pattern of Enrolment in School Education in India: Possible Inferences on Inclusive Quality Education" in the International Conference on Inclusive Quality Education: Towards Sustainable Development Goal 4, 17-18 June, 2017, organised by the Institute of Social Sciences, New Delhi held at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi.

- Presented a joint paper titled "Determinants of School Dropouts in India in the National Seminar" on the subjects covered during 71st & 72nd Rounds of NSS scheduled during 23-24 August, 2018 at Andhra University, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh.
- Presented a paper titled "Pattern of Enrolment and Dropout in School Education in India: Possible
- Inferences on Inclusive Quality Education" in the Development Convention on 'India at Seventy: New Development Challenges', 24-25 April, 2018 at ISEC, Bengaluru.
- Presented a research paper titled "Provision and Financing of Higher Education: Interstate Disparity" as a keynote speaker on 14 December, 2018 in the National Seminar on Shifting Paradigm in Education Financing Concerns of Quality, Equity and Employability' on 13-14 December, 2018.
- Presented a paper titled. "Course Choices in Higher Education in India: Differentials and Determinants" at the Madras School of Economics and Department of Economics, Central University of Tamil Nadu Joint Faculty Seminar, 17-18 January, 2018, organised by Department of Economics, Central University of Tamil Nadu.

N. K. Mohanty

Participation in National and International Seminars and Conferences.

 Coordinated the visit of international delegates of National Institute of Labor Economics, Research and Development (NILERD) in February, 2019 at NIEPA, New Delhi.

Suman Negi

Participation in Seminars/Conferences during the year under Report (National/International)

- Panelist at the National Programme on School Standards and Evaluation Shaala Siddhi National Consultative Meet: Effective School Evaluation: Managing Processes and Practices, 14-15 February, 2019
- Participated in the national launch of the Global Education Monitoring (GEM) Report, UNESCO, 20 November, 2018, at UNESCO Office, New Delhi.
- Participated in the Three Weeks' Refresher Course on Teachers' Educators at HRDC, Jamia Millia Islamia, 3-22 December, 2018.

2019-20

K. Biswal

Participation in National and International Seminars and Conferences

- Participated in the National Conference on Out-of- School Children, organised by UNICEF from 2-3 December, 2019 at IHC, New Delhi.
- Participated as a panelist in the Economics of Education Research Interest Group of the Annual Conference of Comparative Education Society of India held from 9-11 December, 2019 at JNU, New Delhi.

P. Geetha Rani

Participation in Seminars/Conferences/ Workshops during the year under Report (National/International)

- Served as Panelist on Mobilising and Managing Financing in the Institution of Higher Education in the Workshop on Leadership in Educational Administration for

- Academic Administrators in Universities and Colleges, 24-26 July, 2019, held at NIEPA, New Delhi.
- Presented a joint paper titled "Returns to ICT Skills, Education and Task based Skills in India" in the 14th Annual Conference of the Knowledge Forum, organised at Indian Institute of Technology, Madras, 13-14 October, 2019.
- Presented a paper titled "Educated Mothers and their Access to Child Care Facilities in Kerala" is accepted for its presentation in the 61st Annual ISLE Conference, 7-9 December, 2019, organised by CDEIS Punjabi University, Patiala.
- Presented a joint paper titled "Returns to Skills in India: The Role of Digital Access and Usage" 56th Annual Conference of the Indian Econometric Society (TIES), 8-10 January, 2020, organised by the School of Econometrics, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai.
- Served as chairperson on the Technical Session on Development Economics III in the 56th Annual Conference of the Indian Econometric Society (TIES), 8-10 January, 2020, organised by the School of Econometrics, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai.

N. K. Mohanty

Participation in National and International Seminars and Conferences

- Attended the Inaugural Conclave on "NCR-2041 Planning for Tomorrow's Greatest Capital Region", organised by NCR Planning Board, New Delhi on 11 November, 2019.
- Attended the Workshop on "Education regarding preparation of NCR Regional Plan 2041", organised by NCR Planning Board, New Delhi at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi on 3 January, 2020.
- Coordinated the visit of international delegates of National Institute of Labor Economics, Research and Development (NILERD) in February 2020 at NIEPA, New Delhi.

Suman Negi

Participation in Seminars/Conferences during the year under Report (National/International)

- Presented a paper 'Education and Sustainable Development' at the Multi-disciplinary National Seminar on Emerging Trends in Education for Sustainable Future (ETESF-2019,) organised by Faculty of Education, GLA University, Mathura (UP) which will be held on 12 April, 2019.

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N. K. Mohanty

Participation in National and International Seminars, Webinars and Conferences

- Participated in the Conclave on "Transformational Reforms in Higher Education under the National Education Policy 2020" on 7 August, 2020, organised by MoE.
- Participated in the Webinar on "How Schools are Performing in India: Insights from Shaala Siddhi" on 8August, 2020,organised by Shaala Siddhi Unit, NIEPA, New Delhi
- Participated in the Webinar on "National Education Policy 2020: Prospects, Challenges and Pathways" on 19August, 2020, organised by NIEPA, New Delhi.

- Participated in the Webinar on "Advancing Gender Equity and Women Empowerment through Education' on 14 July, 2020, jointly organised by CPRHE/NIEPA and the University Grants Commission (UGC).
- Participated in the Virtual Workshop on "Managing Energy Transitions in Developing Countries" on 14 July, 2020, jointly organised by the Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations (ICRIER) and KAPSARC.
- Participated in the Webinar on "Higher Education during Covid Pandemic" on 24 July 2020, organised by Department of Higher Education, NIEPA, New Delhi.

Suman Negi

Participation in Seminars/Conferences during the year under Report (National/International)

- Online training programme on "Migration and Development: Issues and Perspectives", from 7-9 October, 2020, organisd by V. V. Giri National Labour Institute, NOIDA
- One-week online workshop on "Research Methodology" from 17-23 December, 2020, organised by the UGC-HRDC, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.

Research Scholar/ Doctoral/ Postdoctoral Fellows

Seminars/ Summer Schools/ Workshops/ Conference/ Summit/ Internship etc.:

2016

Dipendra Kumar Pathak

- Paper presented on 'School Based Management and Community Participation in West Bengal: A Study of Select Secondary Schools in Burdwan and Purulia Districts' in Fourth Northern Regional Social Science Congress 2016
- Paper Presented on 'School Based Management in context of Rastriya Madhyamik Siksha Abhiyan a case study of policy into practices in Haryana' in CESI Annual Conference 2016

2017

Suhail Ahmad Mir

- 'Inequality of Opportunity and Outcome in Education in India: A 50-year retrospective employing NSS Data' in Fifth Northern Regional Social Science Congress, ICSSR; February 2017, Udaipur

Aysha Malik

- Paper Presented on 'Economic and Educational Condition of Muslims in India' in National Seminar on Emerging Socio-economic Inequalities in India; December 4-5, 2017, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow

2018

Aysha Malik

 Paper Presented on 'Educational Status of Muslim Women: Case study of Higher, Middle and Lower income group of loni Ghaziabad' in XI International Geographical Union Commission Seminar on Environment and Sustainable Livelihood; February 8-10, 2018, B Borooah College Guwahati, Assam

Dipendra Kumar Pathak

- Paper presented on 'School Based Management in context of Rastriya Madhyamik Siksha Abhiyan a case study of policy into practices in Haryana' in 4th International Case Conclave – ELIXIR

Dipendra Kumar Pathak

 Paper Presented on 'Politics and violence in era of vigilante justice in India' in 25th European Conference for South Asian Studies 2018

Aysha Malik

- Two weeks Workshop Attended on National Workshop on Qualitative Research Methods in Education; December 17-28, 2018, NIEPA, New Delhi

2019

Prashant Kumar Behera, Jnyan Ranjan Sahoo & Bandana Mohanty

 Paper Presented on 'An Analysis of Trend, Pattern and Impact of Taxation in India' in Two Days National Seminar on Contemporary Issues & Challenges in Finance and Taxation; 29th & 30th January 2019, PG Department of Commerce, Berhampur University, Odisha

Jnyan Ranjan Sahoo

 Attended Workshop on Academic Writing for Prospective Teachers, Organised by School of Education, Hemavati Nandan Bahuguna Garhwal University, Srinagar, Garhwal from August 8th to 10th 2019

Aysha Malik

- Workshop Attended on Research methodology course on Lange Scale Survey: Data Analysis and Tools; March 18-23, 2019, NIEPA, New Delhi
- Paper Presented on 'Equity and Access of children in Schools: A Study of School Merger Policy in Rajasthan' in UGC-CAS Graduate Seminar-2019 on the topic of Educational Landscape in India's changing Socio-political Context; 25-26 March, 2019, Zakir Hussain Centre for Educational Studies, School of Social Science, Jawahar Lal Nehru university, New Delhi.

Kavya Chandra

- Paper presented in the Conference on 'Local Governance, Citizen Participation and the Right to Education: A Study of Community Engagement in the Governance of Public Schools in Delhi' in World Human Rights Cities Forum (WHRCF), Gwangju, South Korea; 30/09/2019- 3/10/2019

Dipendra Kumar Pathak

- Paper Presented on 'School-Based Management and influence of Politics in its implementation: A case of West Bengal' in CESI International Conference in 2019

2020

Aysha Malik

Paper Presented on 'Changing paradigm in Policy and the quality of education: A
 Study of School Merger Policy in Rajasthan' in Two Days National Conference on
 Sustainable Development Goals-2030: Ideas & Innovation for Better Tomorrow; 17 18th January 2020, St. Wilfred's P.G. College, Jaipur, and Grassroot Empowerment
 & Development by Youth (GEDY), Delhi Sponsored by: The Northern Regional
 Centre, ICSSR

Jnyan Ranjan Sahoo

- Paper Presented on 'Financing Higher Education in India: Problems and Prospects' in 4th Annual Economics Conference; 7th March 2020, by Sarala Anil Modi School of Economics NMIMS, Mumbai in collaboration with The Indian Econometric Society Aysha Malik
- Attended Ambedkar Summer School 2020: Higher Education in India: Issue of access, privatization and educational policy; October 18-23, 2020, Indian Institute of Dalit Studies, Lake Resort in Naukuchiatal, Nanital

Kaarika Das

- Paper Presentation on 'The Threat of Internet Balkanization' in Asia Pacific School of Internet Governance; 13th -15th December, Negombo, Sri Lanka

2021

Ruchi Payal

- Paper presented in webinar on 'School leadership: a concept' in National Webinar series on major themes in Teacher Education by Department of Education, University of Delhi; March 3, 2021 (Third Session)

Kaarika Das

- Paper Presented on 'Implication of Online Technological Intervention in Schools' in Online National Seminar on "Holistic, Multidisciplinary, Inclusive and Futuristic Education: NEP 2020 in Praxis" organised by the Army Institute of Education, Greater Noida; 4th March, 2021
- Paper Presented on 'Deconstructing Technological Intervention in school Using Bourdieu's Theory of Practice' in International Conference on "Education beyond face to face mode: opportunities and challenges" organised by The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Vadodara; 25th to 27th March, 2021 (Virtual)