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Educational Qualifications						
Degree		Institution			Year	
Ph.D.		Department of Anthropology, University of Delhi, Delhi			1994	
PG		Department of Anthropology, University of Delhi, Delhi			1987	
1yr.Sp.Course		Department of Anthropology, University of Delhi, Delhi			1985	
UG		University of Kolkata			1984	
Career Profile						
Organization / Institution		Designation	Duration		Role	
Department of Anthropology University of Delhi, Delhi-7		Field assistant	6 months, Oct,94- March,95		To conduct fieldwork	
Nutrition foundation of India, Delhi		Research Assistant	46-days 19th June,95 to 4th Aug.,95		To conduct fieldwork	

Areas of Interest / Specialization

Human Genetics: Human variations with genomic studies (Molecular Anthropology)
Human nutrition, growth & development, Forensic Anthropology.

Subjects Taught

18-years & 6-months:
Primatology, Human origins & variations, Palaeoanthropology, Molecular Anthropology, Dermatoglyphics, Human Cytogenetics etc.

Research Guidance

List against each head (If applicable)

1. *Supervision of awarded Doctoral Thesis : 1*
2. *Supervision of Doctoral Thesis, under progress: 6*
3. *Supervision of awarded M.Phil dissertations : 1*
4. *Supervision of M.Phil dissertations, under progress: 6*

Publications Profile

In Indexed/ Peer Reviewed Journals Year of Publication	Title	Journal	Co-Author
2010	A genomic insight into the peopling of Manipur, India.	Genetic Testing and Molecular Biomarkers (NY, USA). 14(6):765-773.	K.S.Meitei, S.Y.Meitei Md.Asghar, N.Achoubi, B.Murry, M.P.Sachdeva K.N.Saraswathy
2010	Frequency distribution dynamics of Haptoglobin Polymorphism, sickle cell haemoglobin and Glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase deficiency among three population groups of Western India.	Asian Man (Lucknow), 4(1):49-51.	R.Samtani Md.Asghar, N.Achoubi S.Dasgupta M.P.Sachdeva K.N.Saraswathy
2010	Childhood and adolescent obesity in South Delhi.	Medical Anthropology Eds. A.K.Danda and I.Talwar. Published by Indian National Confederation and Academy of Anthropologists (INCCA), Jhargram, West Midnapur (West Bengal) and Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi. Pp. 260-264.	S.Walia, and M.M .A.Faridi

2010	Childhood and adolescent obesity in West Delhi.	Medical Anthropology Eds. A.K.Danda and I.Talwar. Published by Indian National Confederation and Academy of Anthropologists (INCCA), Jhargram, West Midnapur (West Bengal) and Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi. Pp. 265-270.	S.Walia, and M.M.A.Faridi
2011	Prevalence of thinness among rural Muslim school children from eastern India. In Undernutrition, ed. Jason E.Lee.	Nova Scientific Publication, (New York), pp.99-110.	S.Biswas and K. Bose
2011	Haptoglobin polymorphisms among fourteen populations of India.	Anthropologischer Anzeiger (Germany), 69(1):97-106.	Huidrom Suraj Singh, Deepti Saksena, Benrithung Murry, Mohinder Pal Sachdeva, Pradeep Kumar Ghosh, Kallur Nava Saraswathy
2011	The genomic similarities with linguistic difference: A study among Oraons and Mundas of Ranchi District, Jharkhand, India.	Genetic Testing and Molecular Biomarkers (NY, USA). 15(6):1-8.	D.Saksena M.P.Sachdeva K.S.Meitei, R.Samtani K.N.Saraswathy
2011	Genetic sketch of six population groups of Rajasthan: A study based on 12 autosomal loci.	Anthropological Science (Japan), 119(3): 259-264.	R.Dada, K.N.Saraswathy, K.S.Meitei, H.K aur, K.Kucheria, S.Bhardwaj, G.I dris
2011	Prevalence of thinness among the adolescent girls (age group 13 yrs.-18 yrs.) of Garkhal village of Himachal Pradesh, India.	Int.J. of Human Sciences (Turkey), 8(2):289-294.	P.R.Garg
2012	Gender discrimination in undernutrition with mediating factors among Bengalee School children from Eastern India.	Homo (Adelaide), 63:126-135.	S.Biswas and K. Bose
2012	Spectrum of MTHFR gene SNPs C677T and A1298C: A case study among 23 population groups of India.	MolecularBiologyReports (USA), 39:5025-5031	K.N.Saraswathy, Md.Asghar, R.Samtani
2012	Dopamine D2 Receptor and Ankyrin repeat kinase domain containing 1 genes among the two linguistically distinct tribal populations of Ranchi district, Jharkhand, India.	Anthropologischer Anzeiger (Germany). 70(1):15-26.	M.P.Sachdeva D.Saksena E.Sinha, B.Murry, K.N.Saraswathy
			K.Y.Meitei, K.S.Meitei

2012	Common genetic heritage and admixture among Indian population groups as revealed by mtDNA markers.	Anthropological Science (Japan), 120(3):227-234.	B.Murry, K.N.Saraswathy, P.K.Ghosh,M.P.Sachdeva
2013	Anthropometric characteristics and age at menarche of rural Bengalee adolescents of Nadia district, West Bengal, India.	Journal of North Bengal University, Siliguri. 1:29-36.	S.Biswas and K. Bose
2013	An anthropological study on current prevalence, nature and etiology of childhood and adolescent obesity in South Delhi, India	In Exploring in Medical Anthropology, Eds. H.K.Bhat, P.C.Joshi, and B.R.Vijayendra, Concept Publishing Company, New Delhi, pp.282-288.	S.Walia, and M.M.A.Faridi
2013	Dopaminergic D4 receptor polymorphism among 24 population of India.	Anthropological Science(Japan), 121(2):131-136.	K.N.Saraswathy, S.Y.Meitei,H.S.Singh, A.T.Joseph, B.Murry, P.K.Ghosh,M.P.Sachdeva
2014	A forensic study of lateral palm prints (Hypothenar area) with a view to fix the authorship	The Asian Man (Lucknow), 7(1&2): 175-186.	Pooja Kataria
2014	An anthropological study of growth and nutritional status among adolescent girls belonging to Dhanak caste of Jhajjar district, Haryana.	The Asian Man (Lucknow) 8(2): 188-191.	Bharti Indora
2014	Examination of pen-printing/block capital letters with a view to identify the individual.	The Asian man (Lucknow). (In Press).	Pooja Kataria, Neeru Tyagi
2014	A study of growth and nutritional status among rural adolescents of Purba (East) Medinipur, West Bengal. In Health and nutritional status: Biocultural perspectives Ed. M. R. Gangadhar	C.B.H. Publisher (Bengaluru) (In Press).	S.Bisai, P. Singha and R. Maity
2014	Comparison of childhood and adolescent obesity using waist/hip ratio in South Delhi and west Delhi. In Health and nutritional status: Biocultural perspectives. Ed. M. R. Gangadhar	C.B.H. Publisher (Bengaluru) (In Press).	Sonali Walia ¹ , M.M.A. Faridi

2015	Beneficial role of D allele among Brahmins of North Indi,	Journal of Genetics(Bengaluru)	Shobha,,Nidhi,Sunil,KN Saraswathy (communicated)
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Conference Organization/ Presentations (in the last three years)

- 2008, National seminar on paradigms in New Anthropology, Delhi, 22nd -24th December.
- 2011, 98th Indian National Science Congress, S.R.M. University, Kattankulathur, Chennai, 3rd -7th January.
- 2011, International Conference on Mega-Urbanization and Human Rights: Emerging Challenges and Opportunities, Barasat State University, Barasat, Kolkata, 14th – 16th February.
- 2011, International Conference on Ethnic Identity and Ethnology, University of Western Australia, Perth, 5th - 8th July.
- 2011, International Symposium on “Locating alternative voices in Anthropology”. Organized by Indian Anthropological Society, Kolkata, during 20th - 21st November.
- 2012, 99th Indian National Science Congress, KIIT University, Patia, Odisha, during 3rd - 7th January.
- 2012, National seminar on “Ethical issues in Anthropological research”. Organized by Department of Anthropology, West Bengal State University, Barasat, Kolkata, during 19th - 20th January.
- 2012, National seminar on “The human mystique: Contemporary discourse”. Organized by Department of Anthropology, University of Delhi, Delhi, during 9th -10th February.
- 2012, International Conference on “Reproductive health with emphasis on strategies for family planning” at All India Institute of Medical Sciences, organized by ICMR New Delhi, during 19th - 21st February.
- 2012, National seminar on “Demographic transition and inclusive development”. Organized by International Institute for Population Sciences and Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata, during 15th - 17th March.
- 2012, International Conference on “Issues of legitimacy”. Organized By IUAES At Naples, Italy during 10th -14th September.
- 2013, International Conference on “Evolving humanity, Emerging worlds” at University of Manchester, Manchester, UK, during 5th - 10th August.

Research Projects (Major Grants/Research Collaboration)

Ongoing Research Projects:

National:

Name of the Funding agencies: Indian Council of Medical Research.

Project title: An Anthropological study on current prevalence, nature and correlates of childhood and adolescent obesity in public schools of Delhi.

Grants received project-wise:12 lakh(approx)

Name of the Funding agencies: University Grants Commission.

Project title: A genomic study of Oraon and Munda of Ranchi district, Jharkhand.

Name of the Funding agencies: University Grants Commission

Project title: An anthropo- genetic study of cardiovascular diseases among the Brahmins of North India.

Awards and Distinctions

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Association With Professional Bodies

- 1) **Life member of Indian Anthropological Association, Delhi.**
- 2) **Life member of Asian Institute of Human Science and Development, Lucknow.**
- 3) **Life member of Alumni Society of Bangabasi College, Kolkata.**
- 4) **Life member of Indian Science Congress Association, Kolkata.**
- 5) **Member of Commission of Urban Anthropology, University of Kent, Kent, UK.**
- 6) **Member of Australian Anthropological Society, Canberra, Australia (Applied).**
- 7) **Life member of Indian Anthropological Society, Kolkata.**
- 8) **Indian Society for the study of reproduction and fertility, Jaipur.**

Other Activities

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