




Faculty Details proforma for DU Web-site

(PLEASE FILL THIS IN AND Email it to websiteDU@du.ac.in and
cc: director@ducc.du.ac.in)

Title	Prof./Dr./Mr./Ms./Mrs.	SHASHI	MOTILAL	Photograph
Designation		Associate Professor		
Address		37 VIKRAMSHILA APARTMENTS IIT/DELHI HAUZ KHAS NEW DELHI 110016		
Phone No				
Office				
Residence		2659 -1566		
Mobile				
Email		shashimotilal@gmail.com		
Web-Page				
Educational Qualifications				
Degree		Institution		Year
Ph.D.		SUNY at Buffalo, New York, USA.		1982 – 1986
M.Phil. / M.Tech.		Jadavpur University, Kolkata, India.		1980
PG		Jadavpur University, Kolkata, India		1978
UG		Calcutta University, Kolkata, India		1975 -1978
Any other qualification				
Career Profile				
<p>Assoc. Prof. 2004 - Present. Dept. of Philosophy, University of Delhi. Teaching Advance level courses to M.A. and M.Phil students and supervising M.Phil. and Ph.D. theses.</p> <p>Visiting Faculty</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Department of Philosophy, University of Akron, Akron, USA (Summer 2007, Summer 2008) ➤ Department of Philosophy, Carleton University, Ottawa, ON, Canada (Summer, 2010 and Summer 2011) <p>Reader 2000 – 2004 Lady Shri Ram College for Women, University of Delhi, New Delhi, India. Taught Undergraduate Courses in Philosophy</p> <p>Senior Lecturer 1993 – 2000, Lady Shri Ram College for Women Delhi University, New Delhi, India</p> <p>General Fellow 1992 –1993, Indian Council of Philosophical Research, New Delhi</p> <p>Lecturer Apr. 1988 - July, 1988 and Apr. 1989 – July, 1989. School of Nursing, Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh, USA. Period. Taught course on Medical Ethics</p>				

<p>Lecturer Aug. 1986 –Dec.1986 and May 1987 – July 1987. Carlow College, Pittsburgh, USA.</p> <p>Teaching Assistant 1982 – 1986, State University. of New York at Buffalo, USA</p> <p>Lecturer 1980 – 1982, Vivekanand College for Women, Calcutta, India</p>								
<p>Administrative Assignments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Have been HOD of Department of Philosophy at Lady Shri Ram College, Delhi University. Also, was Staff Council Secretary and member of Governing Body for two years at Lady Shri ram College for Women, New Delhi. ❖ Have been Convenor of Library Committee and Convenor of Internal Assessment Committee in the department of Philosophy, Delhi University. Have also been the Ph.D. Co-ordinator. 								
<p>Areas of Interest / Specialization</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Ethics, Metaethics, Philosophy of Human Rights, Applied Ethics including environmental ethics, Philosophy of Language and Analytic Philosophy 								
<p>Subjects Taught</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Ethics, Metaethics, Philosophy of Human Rights. Logic, Philosophy of Language and World religions Ethics 								
<p>Research Guidance</p> <p><i>List against each head (If applicable)</i></p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 80%;">1. <i>Supervision of awarded Doctoral Thesis</i></td> <td style="text-align: right;">None as yet</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2. <i>Supervision of Doctoral Thesis, under progress</i></td> <td style="text-align: right;">Five (5)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3. <i>Supervision of awarded M.Phil dissertations</i></td> <td style="text-align: right;">Five (5)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4. <i>Supervision of M.Phil dissertations, under progress</i></td> <td style="text-align: right;">Three (3)</td> </tr> </table>	1. <i>Supervision of awarded Doctoral Thesis</i>	None as yet	2. <i>Supervision of Doctoral Thesis, under progress</i>	Five (5)	3. <i>Supervision of awarded M.Phil dissertations</i>	Five (5)	4. <i>Supervision of M.Phil dissertations, under progress</i>	Three (3)
1. <i>Supervision of awarded Doctoral Thesis</i>	None as yet							
2. <i>Supervision of Doctoral Thesis, under progress</i>	Five (5)							
3. <i>Supervision of awarded M.Phil dissertations</i>	Five (5)							
4. <i>Supervision of M.Phil dissertations, under progress</i>	Three (3)							
<p>Publications Profile</p> <p><i>List against each head(If applicable) (as Illustrated with examples)</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Books/Monographs (Authored/Edited)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shashi Motilal and Bijayalaxmi Nanda <i>Human Rights, Gender and Environment</i> . New Delhi: Allied Publishers. 2006 • Shashi Motilal and Bijayalaxmi Nanda (eds.) <i>Social Inequality: Concerns of Human Rights, Gender and Environment</i>, New Delhi: Macmillan Publishing Co, (2010) • Shashi Motilal (ed.) <i>Applied Ethics and Human Rights: Conceptual Analysis and Contextual Applications</i>. London: Anthem Press. (2010) 								

2. *Research papers published in Refereed/Peer Reviewed Journals*

- “Foundationalism and Coherentism: The Debate About Justification of Knowledge” *History of Science and Philosophy of Science* edited by Pradip Sengupta Vol. XIII Part 7. (Published under the auspices of Project of the History of Indian Science, Philosophy and Culture, Pearson Education, 2012)
- “Moral Identity, Moral Agency and the Principle of Universalizability”, *JICPR* Vol. XXVIII No. 2 April – June 2011
- “Self-Knowledge, Self Agency and the Problem of Alienation”, *Journal of the Indian Council of Philosophical Research*, Vol. XXV, No.3, July-Sept.2008.
- “Evolution of Human Rights: A Philosophical Perspective” in *MERI Journal of Education*, Vol. II No. I, April, 2007
- “Science, Values and Objectivity”, in D.P.Chattopadhyaya (ed.) *Self, Society and Science: Theoretical and Historical Perspectives*, Volume XI. Part 2, 2005 (A Publication of Project of History of Indian Science, Philosophy and Culture.)
- “Speaking About Meaning” *Rabindra Bharati Journal of Philosophy*, Vol. v, 1999.
- “The Intentionality of Mental Reference” in *Journal of Indian Council of Philosophical Research*. Vol. XIII, No. 3, May – Aug., 1996.

3.

a) *Research papers published in Academic Journals other than Refereed/Peer Reviewed Journals*

- Introductory Chapter in ***Social Inequality: Concerns of Human Rights, Gender and the Environment***, New Delhi. Macmillan Publishing Co, (2010) (co-authored with Bijayalaxmi Nanda)
- Introductory Chapter in Shashi Motilal (ed.) ***Applied Ethics and Human Rights: Conceptual Analysis and Contextual Applications*** New Delhi Anthem Press. (2010)
- “Moral Relativism and Human Rights”, in *Understanding Social Inequality: Concerns of Human Rights, Gender and Environment* , edited by Shashi Motilal and Bijayalaxmi Nanda, New Delhi: Macmillan Publishing Co., (2010)
- “Philosophical Foundations of Human Rights and the Aim of Education” in *Perspectives in Education* Golden Jubilee Commemoration Volume of JSS Mahavidyapeetha edited by Prof. Chandrashekharaih, 2009

- “Some Moral Issues Concerning Experimentation on Animals” Appendix 1 of Report of The Consultative Group On Review Of The Norms And Practices For Regulation Of Animal Experimentation, Ministry of Environment and Forests (Animal Welfare Division),Sept.2004
- “‘Sense’ and ‘Reference’ of Predicate Expressions” in D.P.Chattopadhyaya (ed.) *Realism: Responses and Reactions, Essays in Honour of Pranab Kumar Sen*, ICPR, 2000. Indexed in THE PHILOSOPHERS INDEX.
 - b) *Research papers published in Refereed/Peer Reviewed Conferences*
 - c) *Research papers Published in Conferences/Seminar other than Refereed/Peer Reviewed Conferences*
- 4. *Other publications (Edited works, Book reviews, Festschrift volumes, etc.)*

Conference Organization/ Presentations (in the last three years)

List against each head(If applicable)

1. *Organization of a Conference: Organized and Convened Refresher Course under auspices of CPDHE on Human rights, Gender and Environment*
2. *Participation as Paper/Poster Presenter*

Research Projects (Major Grants/Research Collaboration)

- Book Project on **World Religions Ethics** funded by University of Delhi under its scheme to strengthen R&D and Doctoral Research Programme, University of Delhi. (Project awarded in 2011)
- Project: “**The Ethics of Climate Change and Implications for Environmental Policies**” funded by University of Delhi under its scheme to strengthen R&D and Doctoral Research Programme, University of Delhi (Project awarded in 2010)
- ‘Book Project, a sub-project of AEII (Applied Ethics Institute of India), a project of DIVA-INDIA (Development of Integrated Value Applications) funded by Ford Foundation, USA. Duration of project: 2 years. The outcome of the project is a volume edited by me entitled ***Applied Ethics and Human Rights: Conceptual Analysis and Contextual Applications***, Anthem Publishers London UK 2010

Awards and Distinctions

- Nominated by Department of Philosophy, State University of New York at Buffalo, USA, for Excellence in Teaching Award
- Awarded Special Merit Assistantship by SUNY at Buffalo in recognition of outstanding work including teaching
- Selected for the award of UGC Research Associate, 1993.
- Obtained 8th position in Non-Science group at the All India Higher Secondary Examination of the CBSE held in 1972
- Received Puspa Roy Gold Medal for securing the highest marks in the First Class among girl students at the M.A. Exam, 1977.
- Received University Medal for standing First in order of merit in Philosophy at the M.A. Exam, 1977

Association With Professional Bodies

1. *Editing*
2. *Reviewing*
3. *Advisory*
4. **Committees and Boards: Member of Committee for the Purpose of Control and Supervision of experimentation on Animals, Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India**
5. **Memberships: Life Member of JICPR**
6. *Office Bearer*

Other Activities

- **Delivered Invited Keynote Lecture on “Human Rights and Human Moral Obligations: Some perspectives on the Ancient and Modern interpretations of the concept of ‘Dharma’”** at Conference on Asian Religious Values and Social Justice organized by the Department of Politics, Philosophy and Religion, Lancaster University, UK (26-28 September, 2011)
- Delivered Lecture on “Human Rights, Human Moral Obligations and Moral Cosmopolitanism” at Institute of Philosophy, Freie University, Berlin, Germany. (12th July, 2013)
- Delivered lecture on “Human Rights: A Need for a Re-think” in a course on the Philosophy of Human Rights at Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada. (12th June, 2013)
- Guest Lecturer at TERI University, New Delhi. Taught course on ‘Normative Theory and Public Policy’ in the M.A. in Public Policy and Sustainable Development (2012 -2013).

- Delivered Guest Lectures in the course “Language and Communication” at Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada (June, 2012)
- Delivered Guest Lectures in the course “Philosophy of Human Rights” at Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada (June, 2009)

Lectures as Resource Person in Refresher Courses

- Presented a paper on “**The Philosophical Foundations of Human Rights**” at Refresher Course on Human Rights organized by the Academic Staff college of Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi. Sept. 24, 2005
- Presented a paper on “**Deconstruction of Binaries: The Feminist Stand and its Outcomes**” at the 7th Refresher Course on Women’s Studies organized by WSDC, University of Delhi, in collaboration with CPDHE (Centre for Professional Development in Higher Education), Feb., 17th 2004.
- Presented a paper on “**Multiculturalism and its Implications for Morality**” at a workshop on Culture and Education for senior academicians and administrators organized by the UGC Academic Staff College of Lucknow University, Lucknow, October, 2002.

Signature of Faculty Member

- You are also requested to also give your complete resume as a DOC or PDF file to be attached as a link on your faculty page.