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Education	PH.D					
Subject	Institution	Year	Details			
SOCIOLOGY (PH.D)	JNU, NEW DELHI	2010	AWARDED INTERNATIONAL SYLFF DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP BY TOKYO FOUNDATION AND NIPPON FOUNDATION, JAPAN (2004-2007)			
SOCIOLOGY (M.PHIL)	DELHI UNIVERSITY	2002-04	I DIV.			
SOCIOLOGY (M.A)	JNU, NEW DELHI	1999-2001	B+			
B.A. (ECO, POL/SCIENCE, SOCIOLOGY)	ST.JOSEPH'S COLLEGE, BANGALORE	1996-1999	TOPPER			
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Career Profile						
Organisation / Institution	Designation	Duration	Role			
1. DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY, DELHI SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS, UNIVERSITY OF DELHI, DELHI.	SENIOR ASSISTANT PROFESSOR	1 ST OCTOBER 2011 TILL DATE	TAUGHT M.A. AND M.PHIL COURSES			
2. DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY, DELHI SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS, UNIVERSITY OF DELHI, DELHI.	ASSISTANT PROFESSOR	1 ST OCTOBER 2009 TILL 30 TH SEPTEMBER 2011	TAUGHT M.A. AND M.PHIL COURSES			

2. DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY, JAMIA MILLIA ISLAMIA NEW DELHI	ASSISTANT PROFESSOR	1 st OCTOBER 2007 TO 30 th SEPTEMBER 2009	TAUGHT B.A.(HONS), B.A.(PASS), B.A.(SUBSIDIARY) and M.A. COURSES
Research Interests / Specialization			
Sociology of Ethnicity, Social Movements And Conflicts, Political Sociology, Sociology of North East India, Sociology of Tribes, Sociology of Culture Studies And Identity.			
Teaching Experience (Subjects/Courses Taught)			
Social Discrimination and Subalternity: Historical and Comparative Perspectives (M.PHIL) Transnational Migration, Gender And Identities (M.PHIL) Sociological Theories (M.A) Political Sociology (M.A) Classical Theories (M.A) Sociological Theories - 1 (M.A) Sociology Of India -1 (M.A) General Sociology (B.A) Introduction to Sociology (B.A) Social Change and Social Problems in India (B.A)			
Honors & Awards			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Awarded “Asian Most Critical Contributor” at the Asian Conference “Building a Better Asia: Future Leaders Dialogue”, held at Peking University, China from October 26th 2008 to 2nd November 2008. 2. Awarded International Fellowship ‘SYLFF (Ryoichi Sasakawa Young Leaders Fellowship Fund): Jawaharlal Nehru Young Leaders Fellowship Programme’, a Doctoral Fellowship funded by the Nippon Foundation & Tokyo Foundation, Japan for 2004 to 2007 i.e. for 3 years. 3. Awarded Best Outgoing Student in 1998-99 (A.N. Sridharan Memorial Prize), St. Joseph’s College Bangalore. 4. Topper of St. Joseph’s College, Bangalore (1996-1999). 5. Awarded ‘Best Football Player’, St. Joseph’s College Bangalore, 1999. 6. Meritorious Class X Award 1994. 			
Publications (LAST FIVE YEARS)			
Books / Monographs			
<u>Year of Publication</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Publisher</u>	<u>Co-Author</u>
2012	SITUATING CONFLICT AND POVERTY IN MANIPUR ISBN NO. 81-86641-49-1	CPRC – IIPA NEW DELHI	ANAND KUMAR, BIJOYKUMAR SINGH AND HOMEN THANGJAM

In Indexed/ Peer Reviewed Journals

<u>Year of Publication</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Journal</u>	<u>Co-Author</u>
2007	SITUATING CONFLICT AND POVERTY IN MANIPUR ISSN NO. 0025-2921	MARGIN	ANAND KUMAR, BIJOYKUMAR SINGH AND HOMEN THANGJAM

Articles:

1. Aphun, K and Jay Prakash Sharma. Primitive Accumulations at the Margins: Commodification of Land and Labour in Chhattisgarh. Economic and Political Weekly, Vol. 52, Issue No. 28, 15 July, 2017.
2. Aphun, K and Jay Prakash Sharma. Accumulation of Capital and Post-Colonial Discourse: Locating the Margins. International Journal of Indigenous and Marginal Affairs. Vol. 2. Number 1&2, Jan-June-Dec. 2016. Pp 21-33.
3. "Politics of Women Reservation in Nagaland: Between Customary Law and Constitutional Provision", 31st January 2017 (Also appeared in Morung Express, Sangai Express and Imphal Free Press).
4. "Economic Blockade in Manipur: Symptom or Disease", The Shillong Times, 11th January 2017 (Also appeared in Nagaland Post, Morung Express, Sangai Express, Arunachal Times and Imphal Free Press)
5. "Understanding Manipur University Fiasco: Tracing the Root Cause", The Morung Express 17th October 2016 ((also appeared in Imphal Free Press on 18th October 2016).
6. Edited a Book (2016), "Indomitable Spirit: Rani Gaidinliu (1905-1993), New Delhi: ZWAD.
7. Wrote a paper, "Mapping Identity and Ethnic Assertion in North East India: The Case of the Zeliangrong Nagas", in Aphun, Kamei (Edited 2016) "Indomitable Spirit: Rani Gaidinliu (1905-1993), New Delhi: ZWAD.
8. Book Review: Udayon Misra. 2014. India's North East: Identity Movements, State and Civil Society, Contributions to Indian Sociology, February 2016, 50 (i).
9. Published National Workshop Proceedings on "North East India Today: Some Reflections", held on 12th March 2015 at the Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, Delhi 110007 (ISBN: 978-81-920546-0-7).
10. Wrote an article "The Ethno-Genesis of the Ruangmei Nagas: A Study of Identity", Hundred Years With Christ (1914-2014), RNBACC Centenary Publications, Imphal, 11-14 December 2014 (ISBN: 978-81-904612-3-8).
11. Book Review: Subir Bhaumik. 2009. *Troubled Periphery: Crisis of India's North East*, Contributions to Indian Sociology, June 2014 48: 293-295.

12. Published International Seminar Proceedings on “Challenges of Development in North East India: Issues and Concerns”, held on 3rd – 4th November 2011 at DSE Lecture Theatre, organized by Department of Sociology, Delhi University, Delhi (ISBN: 978-81-920546-9-8).
13. Monograph on “Situating Conflict and Poverty in Manipur”, with Prof. Anand Kumar, Homen Thangjam and Bijoykumar Singh, CPRC-IIPA, New Delhi, 2011.(ISBN NO. 81-86641-49-1).
14. Wrote an article ‘Situating Conflict and Poverty in Manipur’, with Prof. Anand Kumar and two other writers in ‘Margin 2006’, published by National Council of Applied Economic Research’, New Delhi, Golden Jubilee Publication 1956-2006. (ISSN: 0025-2921).
15. Wrote an article, ‘Sustainable Development: The Solution to Ethnic Conflict in Manipur’, in ‘The SYLFF Newsletter’, No.14, January 2006, published by the Scholarship Division, ‘The Tokyo Foundation’ (with the support of The Nippon Foundation), Japan.
16. “India’s North East: Looking Less India or Looking More India”, Sahara Samay, 12th February 2014. (Also appeared at the Sangai Express, Manipur English Newspaper on 11th February 2014; Morung Express, Nagalang English Newspaper on 12th February 2014).
17. “Northeasterners Face a Lingering Sense of Fear and Insecurity”, Hindustan Times, 10th February 2014.
18. ‘Migrants to Blame or Not: The Jury is Out’, New Indian Express, 21st April 2013.
19. ‘Imposition of Compulsory Hindi/MIL in Delhi University: Making Sense of the Politics Behind’, in ‘The Sangai Express’ a Manipuri English daily newspaper on 16th April, 2013.
20. ‘Right To Protest and Thus Need a Common Site in Manipur’, in ‘The Sangai Express’ a Manipuri English daily newspaper on 5th April, 2013.
21. ‘AFSPA- It is representation, not repression that is needed’ (An Interview published by Nidhi Gupta) ‘Sunday Guardian on, on 23rd March 2013.
22. Exploring China And Malaysia: Learning Cultures, Imphal Free Press, 21st June 2007
23. ‘Sustainable Development: Challenges and Perspectives’, in ‘The Sangai Express’ a Manipuri English daily newspaper on 17th June, 2005.

Conference Presentations :

1. Panelist, “The Controversial Three Bills of Manipur”, Organized by Manipur Tribals Forum Delhi (MTFD), 13th May 2016, New Delhi: 5 Balwant Rai Mehta Lane.
2. Special Lecture delivered on “India and the North East Today: Question of Integration and Accommodation”, Conference Hall, KMC Annual Festival, Delhi University, 16th April 2016.
3. Plenary Discussion on, “In the Centre of Peripheries: The Case of the Manipur Tribals”, at the National Seminar on “Tribals and Constitutional Safeguards: The Question of Land-Rights in India”, on 31st March 2016, CSSS/SSS, JNU, New Delhi.
4. Co-Convener on the National Seminar ““Tribals and Constitutional Safeguards: The Question of Land-Rights in India”, on 31st March 2016, CSSS/SSS, JNU, New Delhi.
5. Chaired a session on “Tribal Movement for Constitutional Safeguards: The Case of Manipur”, on 31st March 2016, CSSS/SSS, JNU, New Delhi.
6. Presented a paper “Of Little Known Fighter: Identity Movement and Politics of Ethnic Assertion in North East India”, on 4th February 2016 at the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, New Delhi.
7. Delivered Valedictory Address on, “State, Ethnicity and Nationalism: Rising Interfaces” at the National Seminar on “State, Society and Nationalism: Rani Gaidinliu in the Contemporary Society, at SDMC Hall, RK Puram Sector -3, on 23rd January 2016, New Delhi.
8. Convener on the National Workshop “North East India Today: Some Reflections”, held on 12th March 2015, organized by the Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, Delhi.
9. Panelist on the National Seminar on “Northeast Region in the Context of Indian Nationhood”, Arts Faculty Conference Room 22, University of Delhi, Delhi, 5th-6th December 2014, Organized by TSA, Delhi.

10. Delivered "Key Note Address" on "Emerging Indian Sociology: Which Direction It is Heading To?", at the First Foundation Day of the Manipur Sociological Society (MSS), The International Guest House, University of Delhi, Delhi on 9th March 2014.
11. Screened Documentary Film "A Measure of Impunity", a film by Prof. Sanjoy Hazarika on Armed Conflicts in North East India, Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, Delhi, on 27th February 2014.
12. Delivered a lecture on "Questions of Identity in Delhi and Racism", Organized by ZSUD on 27th January 2014.
13. Gave Interview on "Khap Panchayat" at Spanish National Newspaper EI MUNDO (second largest paper in Spain) on 24th January 2014.
14. Delivered a Lecture on "Issues and Challenges of Modern Day Manipur State", on "A Campaign for a Resurgent Manipur", CSSS/SSS, JNU, New Delhi, 18th October 2013.
15. Delivered a Lecture on "Challenges of Conducting Research in North East India", Department of Sociology, Sikkim University, 8th October, 2013.
16. Presented a paper "British Imperialism and Tribal Identity: Challenging the Mighty Raj by Jadonang and Rani Gaidinli" at National Seminar on Little Known Fighters against the Raj: Manipur's Warriors" held on 12 March 2012, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.
17. Convenor on International Seminar on "Challenges of Development in North East India: Issues and Concerns" held on 3rd – 4th November 2011 at DSE Lecture Theatre, organized by Department of Sociology, Delhi University, Delhi.
18. Presented a paper on 'Globalization and Changing Tribal Identity: The Case of the Zeliangrong Nagas in North East India', Conference Centre, University of Delhi, Delhi, 16th May 2011
19. Represented India at the International Conference on 'Building a Better Asia: Future Leaders' Dialogue', Osaka, Japan from 16th April to 22nd April 2011.
20. Presented 'Mapping Ethnic Crises in India: The Cases of the India's North East', at the International Conference on 'Building a Better Asia: Future Leaders' Dialogue', Osaka, Japan from 16th April to 22nd April 2011.
21. Chaired-Discussant a session on 'Peace and Cultural Dialogue' at the international conference on 'Building a Better Asia: Future Leaders Dialogue' at Osaka, Japan, 21st April 2011.
22. Chaired a special lecture on 'State and Society under Socialism' by Dr. Dilip Simeon, Department of Sociology Seminar Room, Delhi University, 23th March 2011.
23. Chaired the session 'Reflection on Naxalism by Dr. Shashi Bushan Singh, Dr. Sreejith K. and Dr. Cybiil K.V., Department Seminar Room, 3rd March 2011
24. Chaired a special lecture on 'State and National Building in Japan' by Dr. Satoshi Ota, SOAS, London, Department Seminar Room, 1st March 2011.
25. Screened two documentaries on "Violence of Manipur" based on the Mao Gate Incident of 6th May 2010 at the M.N.Srinivas Seminar Room, Department of Sociology, Delhi University on 15th September 2010.
26. Presented a paper entitles "Questions of Identity and Ethnic Assertion: The Case of the Zeliangrong Nagas in North East India", M.N.Srinivas Seminar Room, Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi on 21st January 2011.
27. Represented India at the International Conference 'Building a Better Asia: Future Leaders' Dialogue', Mahidol University, Bangkok, Thailand from 30th January to 6th February 2010.
28. Presented 'Ethnic Problems in India: Politics of Contestations and Conflicts in North East India at the International Conference 'Building a Better Asia: Future Leaders' Dialogue', Mahidol University, Bangkok, Thailand on the 1st February 2010.
29. Chaired a session on '*Building a Better Asia*' by Vicky Honda, Program Coordinator, Nippon Foundation, Japan, Mahidol University, Bangkok (Thailand) on 31st January 2010.
30. Chaired a session on '*Building a Common Good in Asia*' by M. Rajaretnam, President, Asian Dialogue Society at, Mahidol University, Bangkok (Thailand) on 31st January, 2010.

31. Chaired –Discussant a special lecture on “Contemporary Crises of the Capitalist State: Structures of Politics in the Post-Unification Germany”, by Hans Joachim Kiederlin (a Former Diplomat of Germany) on 15th March 2010 at M.N. Srinivas Seminar Room, Department of Sociology, Delhi University.
32. Delivered a Lecture on “Education: A Social Concern” at the Tyrannus Hall, Dr. Mukherjee Nagar, Near University of Delhi on 20th November 2008.
33. Represented India at the Asian Conference “Building a Better Asia: Future Leaders Dialogue”, held at Peking University, China from October 26th 2008 to 2nd November 2008, Organized by Asian Dialogue Society, Singapore with collaboration with Nippon Foundation, Japan and Peking University, China.
34. Presented ‘State, Ethnicity and Nation Building’, at the Asian Conference “Building a Better Asia: Future Leaders Dialogue”, held at Peking University, China on 28th October 2008, Organized by Asian Dialogue Society, Singapore with collaboration with Nippon Foundation, Japan and Peking University, China.
35. Participated at the International Seminar on “Alleviating Chronic Poverty: Policies and Challenges”, Organized by CSSS/SSS, JNU; IIPA New Delhi and Planning Commission, Government of India, on 1st October 2008.
36. Presented a paper ‘Towards Re-Defining Identity and Religion: A Study of the Zeliangrong Movement’, at the National Seminar on ‘Towards a New understanding of North East India, Organized by NEISP, SSS, JNU, New Delhi with collaboration with IGNCA, Sponsored by ICSSR, UPOAE (JNU) and CAS-CSSS (JNU) from 23rd January to 25th January 2008 at SSS-I Auditorium, JNU.
37. Organized International Seminar on ‘Questions of Development and Empowerment in the Age of Globalization’, on 19th and 20th January 2008 at JNU, New Delhi, organized by AJSF funded by Tokyo Foundation, Japan.
38. Presented ‘Politics of Identity and Development in North East India’, at the International Seminar on ‘Questions of Development and Empowerment in the Age of Globalization’, on 19th and 20th January 2008 at JNU, New Delhi, organized by AJSF funded by Tokyo Foundation, Japan
39. ‘Visiting Fellow’, Peking University, Beijing, China from 2nd April to 24th April 2007. Worked with Prof. Ma Rong, Dean of Sociology Department, Peking University, China.
40. Delivered a Lecture on ‘Issues on the Book Review’ at Seminar Hall, Department of Sociology, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi on 6th December 2007.
41. Participated at the National Seminar on ‘Dynamics of Indian Society: Stratification and Change’, Felicitation seminar honoring Prof. K.L. Sharma from 19th -20th November 2004 which was held at the Centre for the Study of Social Systems, JNU, New Delhi.
42. Presented a paper titled, ‘Problematization of Manipur: A Conflict Analysis’, at the Workshop organized and sponsored by IIPA (Indian Institute of Public Administration), New Delhi and CPRC (Chronic Poverty Research Centre), Manchester, U.K. on 20th September 2004 at the Dean’s Committee Hall, CSSS/SSS, JNU, New Delhi.

Organized Conferences:

1. Co-Convener on the National Seminar “Tribals and Constitutional Safeguards: The Question of Land-Rights in India”, on 31st March 2016, CSSS/SSS, JNU, New Delhi.
2. Convener on the National Workshop “North East India Today: Some Reflections”, held on 12th March 2015, organized by the Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, Delhi.
3. Organized International Seminar on “Challenges of Development in North East India: Issues and Concerns”, Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, Delhi on 3rd-4th November 2011 as Convenor.

Total Publication Profile **optional**

1. **Books:** “Situating Conflict and Poverty in Manipur”, with Prof. Anand Kumar, Homen Thangjam and Bijoykumar Singh, CPRC-IIPA, New Delhi, 2011.(ISBN NO. 81-86641-49-1).
2. Edited a Book (2016), “Indomitable Spirit: Rani Gaidinliu (1905-1993), New Delhi: ZWAD.

Public Service / University Service / Consulting Activity

1. Elected General Secretary, “Maurice Nagar Residential Welfare Association of Delhi University, 2016-2019.
2. Officiating HOD from 17th March 2015 to 20th March 2015, Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, Delhi.
3. Convener, North East India Studies Programme, Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, Delhi.
4. North East Nodal Officer, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi 2014-2015.
5. Jury Member, Selection Committee for AFSPA Sharmila Scholarship, University of Delhi, Delhi, 2013-14.
6. Founder member of the Manipur Sociological Society (MSS), Delhi, 2013.
7. Member, University Board of Research Studies (BRS), Delhi University 2012-13, 2013-14.
8. Member, Faculty of Social Sciences, Delhi University 2012-13.
9. Member, Sexual Harassment Committee, Delhi University 2012-13.
10. Secretary of Literary and Culture, Naga Forum Delhi (Apex Body) 2011-13.
11. Member, Committee of Courses & Studies for the B.A. (Hons), Post-graduate and Research Studies in Sociology 2010-2011.
12. Superintendent of Department Exams in 2009-2010, 2010-2011 and 2013-14.
13. Committee member, Syllabus Revision on B.A. Syllabus, Delhi University, 2010.
14. Appointed as ‘Subject Expert’ by Government of Delhi, Directorate of Education in 2010.
15. Exams Observer, School of Open Learning, Delhi University (2009-2010).
16. Exams Observer for Colleges Undergraduate Semester Exams, Delhi University (2009-2010)
17. Founding member of Jamia Millia Islamia University SC/ST Teachers’ Forum, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 2009.
18. Committee member, Syllabus Revision on B.A. and M.A. Syllabus, Jamia Millia Islamia 2009.
19. Convener of Extension Lectures, Department of Sociology, Jamia Millia Islamia Central University, New Delhi, India for the academic session 2008-2009.
20. Finance Co-Organizer ‘Association of JNU SYLFF Fellows’ (AJSF), JNU, New Delhi (India) 2005-2007.
21. General Secretary ‘Zelianrong Students’ Delhi’ (ZSD) in 2000-01.
22. Founding President ‘Zelianrong Students’ Union Bangalore’ (ZSUB) from 1997-1999.
23. General Secretary ‘Naga Students’ Union Bangalore’ (NSUB) in 1996-97
24. Joint Secretary ‘Bangalore Christian Students’ Association’ (BACSA) in 1996-97.

Projects (Major Grants / Collaborations)

1. ICSSR Sponsored Project (Major) State, Ethnicity and Development: A Study of Ethnic Assertions, Conflicts and Movements in North East India. 2013-2015
2. R &D GRANT, DELHI UNIVERSITY 2010-2011

Other Details

1. FOREIGN VISITS:
 - (a) Peking University, China: Visiting Fellow
 - (b) University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
 - (c) Mahidol University, Bangkok, Thailand
 - (d) Nara City and Osaka, Japan