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Council for Social Development, Southern Regional Centre, Hyderabad has published significant work and organized several academic events in the year 2017-2018. The Telangana Social Development Report 2017 was launched this year in May 2017 by the Hon'ble Finance Minister, Sri Eatala Rajender in MCRHRDIT. The year began with a cascade of reviews in the Telugu press on the highlights of the report, generating a public debate on social development indicators at the state level. The production and dissemination of this report is a major achievement of the institute.

The Telangana Social Development Report 2018: Gender Access and Well-Being, published in March 2018 is perhaps the first comprehensive Gender Report for Telangana state.

Not content with this, however, the faculty and research scholars have published in leading journals; there is a second pathbreaking collection of essays on feminist methodology edited by Kalpana Kannabiran and Padmini Swaminathan, *Re-Presenting Feminist Methodologies: Interdisciplinary Explorations* (Routledge 2017), which was launched in Bangalore University by Professor Maithreyi Krishna Raj.

Apart from the annual workshops on research methodologies, this year also featured a workshop on advanced writing, a dire need of young research scholars that CSD-SRC hopes to address on an ongoing basis. Finally, two of the five PhD candidates registered in CSD through TISS Mumbai and TISS Hyderabad – both ICSSR doctoral scholars -- were awarded their degrees at convocations held in May 2017.

The support of ICSSR, the Government of Telangana and the Reserve Bank of India deserves special mention. We look forward to their renewed support in the years ahead. CSD Southern Regional Centre thanks all its donor partners, scholars and public persons who have delivered public lectures, participants in our seminars and workshops and well-wishers who have enriched the quality of debate in social sciences and constantly encouraged us to do more.

30 November 2018

Professor Shantha Sinha
Chairperson, CSD-SRC



It gives me great pleasure to present the CSD-SRC Annual Report 2017-2018 and share glimpses of the work we have done this past year.

The preparation and publication of the Telangana Social Development Report 2018: Gender, Access and Well-being has been our singular achievement this past year. TSDR 2018 provides baseline information from official data sources on a wide range of themes of social relevance, for example education, employment, female labour force participation, health, nutrition and violence against women with a focus on gender. The report aims at enabling the government of Telangana to arrive at evidence-based policies to address the several issues raised under each of the themes. This will also be a useful resource for research scholars engaged in studies in the Telangana region. We are in the process of designing research methods workshops that will build on and disseminate our learnings from preparing two state reports, in the hope that this will generate interest and trigger initiatives among young scholars across the social sciences.

This is also a year that has seen heightened activity on the publication front. Apart from TSDR, our team was involved in publishing a collection of essays on feminist research methodologies in honour of Dr. Maithreyi Krishna Raj, who released the book and spoke at the book launch in Bangalore University in June 2017.

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Notably, our first two ICSSR doctoral fellows received their degrees at the convocation in TISS Mumbai and Hyderabad this year.

Our academic engagements for the year 2017-2018 have included research methodology workshops and international seminars, as well as public lectures by eminent speakers from across the country and abroad and book discussions on faculty publications. An international conference on the fate of egalitarian programmes drew participation from across the country as well as senior scholars from Germany and Brazil in an event co-organised by ICAS-MP and CSD, Hyderabad.

Our research has been supported by ICSSR, Government of Telangana and Reserve Bank of India. We are grateful for their interest in and commitment to our work and look forward to renewed and enhanced support in the years to come.

We thank you for your support and interest in our work and look forward to your continued involvement in the life of our institute.

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Kalpana Kannabiran
Professor & Regional Director

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TELANGANA SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT REPORT 2018

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TSDR 2018 builds on the exercise already undertaken in TSDR 2017 with a sharp focus on gender; the aim in TSDR 2018 is to draw out as much as is statistically possible, the differential impacts that social (including economic) development has had on men and women across district, location and social group. Further, wherever possible, the exercise is also maps the interlinkages between different variables, such as, between social group/location and educational level; between education level, sector of employment and type of employment within the sector; between location and access to health services; between location and access to higher levels of education; and between social/economic development and rising violence against women, among others.

Chapters:

- i. Gender Differences in Levels of Education
- ii. Literacy among Worker Population: Does Gender Matter?
- iii. The Working Poor in Telangana: A Gender Lens
- iv. Female Labour Force Participation and Conditions of Work in Telangana
- v. Health Situation in Telangana: A Gender Perspective
- vi. Gender Analysis of Nutrition in Telangana
- vii. Violence against Women in Telangana: Incidence & Institutional Mechanisms

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RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

A. Completed Projects

1. Study and documentation of deaths in sewage & septic tanks
2. Dalit drum beaters in Odisha: changes and continuity since early 20th century
3. Cultural disparities among the tribes in India: exploring through oral literature
4. Land markets, rising agricultural land prices and implications for agricultural and allied productive activities: a comparative study of Andhra Pradesh and Maharashtra
5. Socio-economic profile of fishing communities in the state of Telangana
5. Strengthening of schooling for Chenchu children: A study of ashram schools in Nagarkurnool district of Telangana state
6. Challenges and prospects of multi lingual education: An ethnographic study of students from the urdu speech community in the city of Hyderabad
7. Deep sea fishing and small-scale fishers: Focus on economics of tuna fishing crafts in Andhra Pradesh

B. Ongoing Projects

1. Performance of Pradhan Manthri Jan Dhan Yojana in Telangana
2. Geographical Indication protected agricultural products from select states of India: An inquiry into the economic, livelihood and institutional aspects (in collaboration with Gujarat Institute of Development Research, Ahmedabad)
3. Electoral politics and elected presidents of Dalits and Adivasis: A study of gram panchayats in Telangana
4. A study of quality and effective utilisation of digital lessons in Telangana

C. Ph.D. Awards of ICSSR Doctoral Fellows at CSD

D. Workshops / Training Programmes

A. Completed Projects

1. Study and Documentation of Deaths in Sewage & Septic Tanks

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In growing Indian urbanization, the deaths of persons entering sewage and septic tanks is a stark reminder of the distance we need to travel yet. This study highlights the violations of Prohibition of Employment as Manual Scavengers and their Rehabilitation Act 2013 and details the vulnerabilities of women and children who suffered the loss of immediate family members.

The study documents a sample of sewer and septic tank deaths in 3 states namely Telangana, Tamil Nadu and Delhi-Haryana; records socio-economic educational situation of survivors; documents structural defaults in the system which resulted deaths in sewer lines; traces the implementation of the judgment of the Supreme Court; points to hurdles in receiving compensation; documents official version of deaths and delay in delivery of compensation; explores the reach of other rehabilitation schemes to dependents; and attempts an understanding of the situation and hardship of single women in this context.

The research involved visiting the families of the deceased; collecting all the information about the accident by interaction with family members; interactions with community around deceased family, relatives etc.; collecting all the documents related with the death like photographs, death certificate, post mortem

report, identity card, voter ID, proof of employment and tenure (temporary, contract or permanent); list of dependents, information on indebtedness, details of property and assets; status of compensation and response of authorities after the accident.

The following broad recommendations are based on the findings of the study, which pointed to gross negligence on the part of appropriate authorities and a non-compliance to the directives of the Supreme Court:

1. No person should be allowed to enter inside sewer and septic lines.
2. Cases of criminal negligence should be filed against the responsible officers in the event of persons being allowed to enter sewers and septic lines putting their lives in danger.
3. Work contracts should be scrutinized and comply with the norms of decent work and wages. Strict implementation of Supreme Court Judgment should be ensured.
4. Compensation, in the event of death, must be enhanced and expedited without increasing the suffering of families. Political pressure and civil society momentum should be built to stop these deaths.

2. Dalit Drum Beaters in Odisha: Changes and Continuity since Early 20th Century

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The Dalit drum beaters' community has historically earning their livelihood by performing on social occasions. There have been some discernible shifts after the introduction of technology in music, which has effects on livelihoods of performers. 'Ganda baja' is a major source of livelihood in major part of western Odisha providing sustenance for at least six months annually to families involved in this cultural form.

This study attempted to write a history of the dalit drum beaters since 20th century mapping changes and continuities, and mapping changes in livelihood pattern of Dalit drum beaters over time – what have been the specific changes in performance livelihoods rooted in the caste structure; it also investigated the role of regulatory mechanisms at the community level to safeguard performance based livelihoods to ensure sustainability and survival.

The study was carried out in 10 districts of Odisha – Sundargarh, Jharsuguda, Sambalpur, Deogarh, Boudh, Subarnapur, Bolangir, Kalahandi, Nuapada and Bargarh -- where it is the 'Ganda'/'Pan Community' who earn their livelihoods by working as drum beaters. After a listing of all the villages where this community resides, the entire population of the community in such villages was included in the sample for purposes of a detailed survey. Long interviews were conducted with fifty groups of Ganda baja parties. Apart from this the five main actors namely (i) Muhuria; (ii) Dhulia; (iii) Tasia; (iv)

Nisnia; and (v) Jhumkia were also interviewed individually. The communities responsible for allied tasks like preparing the skin cover of the Dhol, the carpenters who construct the wood structure of the instrument, the Ganda people involved in Danda dance, among others were consulted for the data collection. The study adopted a multi-pronged approach for collection of information: (a) oral history from different actors; (b) information from old films and documentary films; (c) novels; (d) in-depth research into secondary sources (published and unpublished); and (e) primary field survey with different levels of actors including importantly practising drum beaters.

Despite their skill, proficiency and recognition from other states, the institutional mechanisms to ensure the well-being of these communities is poor in the state of Odisha despite a stronger law and policy framework in the post-independence era. Further rapid technological change and changes in the tastes for performance have posed serious challenges to the survival with dignity of these communities. There is need to revisit state policy, skill sets, socio-religious constraints and most importantly, how may the vulnerabilities of this community be mapped onto the vulnerabilities of Dalit livelihoods generally? What are the continuities and discontinuities between these and other similarly placed communities? How do Dalit Drum Beaters reproduce and/or rupture caste lines?

3. Cultural Disparities among the Tribes in India: Exploring through Oral Literature

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Tribal oral literatures in India area repository of culture, collective memory and indigenous knowledge systems transmitted in ways that strengthen social cohesion and bonding. This study attempted to sketch a portrait of tribal literary cultures and its relation to tribal societies. The primary questions that emanated from the study pertained to the relation of the songs with community identity and production; understanding the society through songs; the relative status and disparities among various

forms of tribal orality; the relationship between material well-being and tribal oral traditions; the demographic profile of tribes with strong oral traditions; and institutional/state mechanisms for the preservation and dissemination of oral traditions. The study, essentially an archival exercise of documenting traditions and practitioners' experiences involved the extensive collection of songs, recording, transliterating and translating the songs into Hindi.

4. Land Markets, Rising Agricultural Land Prices and Implications for Agricultural and Allied Productive Activities: A Comparative Study of Andhra Pradesh and Maharashtra

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This study attempts a contemporary understanding during late reforms period (since 2001) on the nature of market for the agricultural land sales, higher prices and their factors and implications in two different markets for agricultural land in India – the free market in Andhra Pradesh and the restricted market in Maharashtra. The study is based on both secondary and primary data collected from a field survey in six selected villages from three districts at different levels of agricultural development in each state.

Significant proportion of agricultural land is being transacted in the sale market in both Andhra Pradesh and Maharashtra. The land is increasingly sold by the small size cultivators and it is being increasingly bought by the rich non-cultivators for non-productive purposes like store of value for surplus money, speculative

motive and tax benefits. Within cultivators, only medium and large farmers are able to buy the land. The purchased land is developed less and either it is leased out or kept fallow.

The continuation of the above trends in the agricultural land sale market will have adverse impact on the equity and efficiency in the agricultural sector where the ownership of agricultural land is being slowly taken away from the hands of the cultivators and will increase the tenancy which has many other problems especially when it is informal. The solution lies not in framing just one stringent law and implementing it forcefully, but ameliorating the distressed conditions in agricultural sector by ensuring decent income and livelihoods to the small size cultivators so that at least they will not be distressed or tempted to sell off agricultural land.

5. Socio-economic Profile of Fishing Communities in the State of Telangana

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Telangana State is endowed with vast resources in terms of rivers, canals, reservoirs, lakes, ponds, tanks and other water bodies having immense scope for development of inland fisheries to improve food security, provide employment opportunities to improve the socio-economic status of fishers and other people engaged in the sector. Fishery is one of the fast growing sectors contributing to GSDP of the Telangana State as well as generating income and employment. Fisheries sector contributes 3.47 percent of GSDP from agriculture and 0.6 percent to the GSDP during 2014-15 at current prices. The state of Telangana ranks third in availability of water resources but in case of fish production it stood 8th. The State has a rich water spread resource base includes 80 reservoirs spreading about 1.86 lakh hectares, and 28,822 tanks with Water Spread Area (WSA) of 4.02 lakh hectares and 474 ponds having water spread area of 781 ha and also 1808 kms of rivers and canals flowing in the state.

This study strongly weighted towards quantitative and qualitative inquiry aims at a comprehensive understanding of this sector in the state of Telangana. The present study was taken up by the Council for Social Development, Hyderabad with the following objectives: (1) To study the present status and prospects of inland fisheries in Telangana state; mapping of communities engaged in fishing at various points in the chain (a) as sole livelihood, (b) as main livelihood, (c) as subsidiary livelihood, (d) as traditional regular occupation (even if supplement), (e) as a casual involvement; and (2) to know the comparative socio economic conditions of fishers of different water resources.

Through a multistage sampling method a total of 12 villages were selected for detailed study, which commenced with a house-listing to identify fisher households. Out of total households enumerated (4181), 779 households reported that their main livelihood is fishing and fishery related activities. A total of 316 fishing households were selected purposively evenly spread across the districts.

Among the tank fishing households 93 percent belong to OBC. The problems faced had largely to do with inadequate water resources to meet their fishing needs, a paucity which they attributed to (i) encroachment of tanks by the villagers; (ii) common pool resources and competition in use of water; (iii) low availability of water levels in summer; (iv) drought. Over half the sample households knew of Mission Kakatiya. Forty six percent of fishers in the sample households are landless and for most of them fishing is their main occupation. Among those who own land, most of them own below a hectare of land. Irrespective of fishing category, 48 percent of total fishers are illiterate and among the literate, most of them studied up to upper primary only.

While the fishery sector needs to be strengthened in the state, the strengthening of fishing communities through cooperatives, creation of equitable marketing networks, transportation facilities, promotion of education and creation of individual and communal assets and innovative policy will go a long way in the rapid development and equitable growth of this sector.

B. Ongoing Projects

1. Performance of Pradhan Manthri Jan Dhan Yojana in Telangana

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Financial Inclusion is a multi-dimensional concept. One cannot dream of inclusive growth in a monetised economy with imperfections in product market, labour market and financial and credit market. Both Government of India and Reserve Bank of India are taking various measures to promote financial inclusion in the country. For instance, in 2009 Government of India made it mandatory for the payment of wages to the wage-seekers under MGNREGS through either bank or post office. In promotion of financial inclusion, Government of India launched 'Pradhan Manthri Jan Dhan Yojana (PMJDY)' a national-level scheme in 2014. The Scheme envisages universal access to banking facilities with at least one basic banking account for every household. The present project makes an attempt to study the impact of PMJDY on Financial Inclusion in Telangana State.

The objectives of the study are to explore the causes for financial exclusion of rural households; study the impact of PMJDY Accounts on rural households; and find out the



problems encountered in operating the account.

It is proposed to use multi-stage sampling design. At first stage two districts one better performing and another moderately performing, will be selected for the study in the Telangana State. At second stage Two Mandals from each district will be purposively selected where the Jan Dhan Accounts have been opened, making a total of four Mandals. Further one village from each Mandal, thus a making a sample of four villages, will be selected for canvassing of the structured questionnaire, both households including exclusively holding Jan Dhan Accounts and households holding Saving and Jan Dhan Accounts.

It is expected to complete the primary data collection by the end of July 2018.



2. Geographical Indication Protected Agricultural Products from Select States of India: An Inquiry into the Economic, Livelihood and Institutional Aspects

(In collaboration with Gujarat Institute of Development Research, Ahmedabad)

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Geographical Indication (GI) is one of the intellectual property rights (IPR) tools. GIs are defined as products that are associated with a region. These products have special quality or characteristics or reputation based upon the climatic, physical or production characteristics unique to the region.

With respect to agricultural registered GIs in India, this study seeks to examine the following: (1) the strategies adopted by the registered proprietors of GI to realize economic returns from the registered product, (2) the role and functioning of the FPOs, (3) to measure the attributable impact of GI protection on the producers and (4) to understand the socio, cultural, economic, and institutional spillover outcomes of GI protection on variety of stakeholders. The study is being undertaken in the states of Maharashtra, Kerala, Gujarat and Andhra Pradesh.

The reason for selecting the four states are as follows: Maharashtra has a variety of products filed by the farmer producer organisations.

This gives us an opportunity to understand the effective functioning of the FPOs and the impact of use of GIs on the reference products. Kerala is chosen because of the fact the different GIs are owned by FPOs and Kerala agricultural universities. Gujarat and Andhra Pradesh have so far filed only 3 agricultural GIs, though there are a number of potential candidates. Hence, the learning from the case of Maharashtra and Kerala would be helpful for Gujarat and Andhra Pradesh.

The review of literature and instrument tools for data collection has been finalized. The Advisory Committee of the study was conducted in March 2018 and the field work is in progress in Gujarat (Bhalia Wheat and Gir Kesar Mango), while in Kerala and Maharashtra it will commence in May-June. In Andhra Pradesh, it was found that the variety of GI which was filed for registration of Guntur Sannam Chilli is no longer cultivated and the derivatives from the variety is now widely cultivated and sold.

3. Electoral Politics and Elected Presidents of Dalits and Adivasis: A Study of Gram Panchayats in Telangana

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In the context of 73rd Amendment Act, this study attempts to understand the political dynamics of elected presidents belonging to Scheduled Castes (Dalits) Scheduled Tribes (Adivasis), their electoral politics, institutional decision-making and their place in the rural political system. What factors influenced them to contest for election as President of Gram Panchayat? How are they exercising their power in specific political contexts in which they are located? The objective of this research is to explore the performance, challenges and issues of elected local leaders in the functioning of gram panchayats and grassroots politics in exercising the institutional power and the development of village.

The study focuses on the (old) districts of Adilabad and Nizamabad of Telangana State; and West Godavari and Prakasam of Andhra Pradesh. The pilot study has been completed and main phase of field work is scheduled to commence in July 2018.

4. A Study of Quality and Effective Utilisation of Digital Lessons in Telangana

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The Government of Telangana, with the aim of improving educational quality through the use of ICT, has provided digital equipment for all the high schools to use either online or offline or both depending on the availability of digital infrastructure.

The Government has prescribed a time table for on-line digital classes for the high schools in the state. Accordingly, online digital lessons have been relayed for all the students of V to IX class through Mana TV from the academic year 2016-2017. Apart from this, soft copies of the digital lessons were also provided for offline usage by the schools depending on the available of digital infrastructure in schools.

The present study attempts to assess whether teaching with digital aids is accessible to students according to the time-table given by the state at school level; whether the digital equipment (online and offline) is adequate for the use of students in the schools; whether the teachers are capable of operating digital lessons to the students.

The study is mainly based on primary data collected from the schools – the participants in the study are students, teachers, Mandal and district level officials implementing the scheme of digital classes. The study has been taken up in 10 sample districts out of 31 districts in a manner that represents each of the old ten districts of the state. From each district, two mandals were

selected – one district headquarters and the second an interior mandal. From each mandal 4 to 5 schools were selected purposively where the student strength is relatively high and low giving representation to Telugu and English medium. In each district, representation was also given to 1 Model school, 1 Residential school and 1 KGBV school in the sample. In all, the primary data was collected from 92 schools.

The preliminary findings of the study indicate that the online programme of Mana TV lessons were not viewed by students in majority of the schools from October 2017. The main reason for non-usage of digital lessons was ROT problem in most of the schools where the ROTs have been disturbed due to attacks on them by monkeys. The other reason cited is that the teachers are busy with 3 R's programme of the government which is a priority. The average number of digital classes viewed for each subject by the students was less than 10

for the entire year and it is nil or very limited in some of the sample schools. The students of English medium expressed that they have not viewed any digital lessons for lack of either digital equipment or separate room for offline digital classes.

The common feature as observed in schools was that the online and offline digital equipment was kept in one single room in most of the schools, which means the students have to forego one facility. Hence, English and Telugu medium students have viewed on Telugu lessons. There were other problems like floor seating, multipurpose deployment of digital classroom, and inadequacy of trained and computer literate teachers, to name a few. The study found that the students in all the schools expressed the desire for digital classes especially in science and geography.

5. Strengthening of Schooling for Chenchu Children: A Study of Ashram Schools in Nagarkurnool District of Telangana State

Kalpana Kannabiran
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This study aims at understanding the barriers to formal schooling faced by Chenchu children in Nallamalla, through detailed interviews, participant observation and ethnographic field work in select schools and in the villages the children come from. Give the high dropout and non-enrollment of Chenchu children as also the very low capacity of schools to retain them in school, the study attempts a deep understanding of the place of schooling in the Chenchu community.

The field work is scheduled across two academic years – 2017-18 and 2018-19, and research participants include students, former students, and teacher, supporting staff of hostel, school principals and others identified with the school and in the Chenchu community during the two academic years. It is proposed to conduct around 50 long interviews over multiple sittings with children enrolled in schools as well as children who have dropped out recently.

6. Challenges and Prospects of Multi Lingual Education: An Ethnographic Study of Students from the Urdu Speech Community in the City of Hyderabad

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Multilingual education or MLE, in the simplest of definitions, refers to the use of two or more languages as the medium of instructions in schools where these languages are used to teach content matter of subjects rather than the languages as such. MLE is also seen by many as the panacea for the ills of the linguistic imperialism of English and other dominant languages over the indigenous and tribal minority (ITM) languages. The goal of MLE is to address these significantly crucial issues of language loss, shift, subtractive bilingualism, and cultural loss. MLE refers to the learning of both Urdu/L1/MT and English/L2/Official language so that individuals are equipped enough to function in domain appropriate language(s).

The present study, against this background, attempts to understand the various issues and challenges faced by the students studying in monolingual (Urdu and English medium schools) of the Urdu speech community in Hyderabad. Concomitantly, it tries to find out the extent to which Mother Tongue based MLE (here, Urdu) could help improve students' overall academic performance.

The study also tries to examine how the unique politico-social history of Urdu language vis a vis other Modern Indian Languages impacts the students' bi/multilingual skills in L1/Urdu and in L2/English. It further tries to understand the extent to which these students associate themselves with Urdu as a significant marker of their identity in the face of globalization (where English is the dominant language of communication).

It is only through an ethnographic study that we may understand the complexities of language situation - linguistic issues and education - among Urdu speakers. Long interviews, observations, and content analysis are being employed in this study; a questionnaire was also used to cull descriptive data only on students' socio-linguistic profiles. Auto-ethnography, in this study, is being used as a tool to anchor personal accounts in the larger socio-cultural contexts.

7. Deep Sea Fishing and Small-Scale Fishers: Focus on Economics of Tuna Fishing Crafts in Andhra Pradesh

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Under the Blue Revolution programme of the government of India aimed at increasing fish production and protecting the interests of small fishers, deep sea fishing in marine sector is one scheme that is aimed at increasing fish production by reducing the pressure on near shore fishing and harnessing unexploited and underexploited fishery resources by targeting the tuna and tuna like fishes, from deep waters that have remained out of reach of traditional fishers.

The sub-component aims to introduce intermediate size of modern deep sea fishing vessels (DSFVs) to the traditional fishermen for operating in the Indian Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ), beyond territorial waters. The government of India has formulated schemes to supply certain accessories to small scale fishers like mechanized and motorized boats and promoting target specific gear like long line fishing to tap un-tapped potential fishery resources like Tuna, through deep sea fishing.

Against this background, the present study aims to study this initiative in Andhra Pradesh.

The objectives of the study are (1) to evaluate the problems of small scale fishers in getting the crafts under deep sea fishing scheme for converting and construction of new crafts for catching the Tuna fishes; (2) to study the techno-economic and operational characteristics of different categories of tuna fishing crafts and gears and find out the investment sources to acquire the craft and gears; (3) to work out the investment, operational expenditure, variety wise quantity, value of Tuna catch and net profit that has accrued to different varieties of crafts; (4) to know how far the fishing communities have used remote sensing techniques to locate the Tuna and problems facing in their fishery operations; and (5) to examine the comparative socio-economic conditions of different craft owners who operate and catching tuna;

Different types of Tuna fishing craft owner households in marine villages of Andhra Pradesh are the universe of the study. The proposed study will be taken up in three coastal districts of Andhra Pradesh. Multi stage stratified sampling procedure will be adopted for this study.

C. Ph.D. Awards of ICSSR Doctoral Fellows at CSD

Bhanumathi Kalluri was awarded Ph.D. for thesis on “Metaphors of Gender in Social Organisation of the Khonds in Andhra Pradesh,” under supervision of Prof. Kalpana Kannabiran, Women’s Studies Programme, CSD and TISS Hyderabad in May 2017.

Rimi Tadu was awarded Ph.D. for thesis on “Writing Local History of Apatanis: Contesting for the Native’s Voices,” under supervision of Prof. Kalpana Kannabiran, Social Sciences Programme, CSD and TISS Mumbai in May 2017.



D. Workshops / Training Programmes

1. Two-Week Capacity Building Programme for Social Science Faculty

Coordinated by

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Indian Council of Social Science Research

10-23 May 2017

The programme drew twenty-four participants from different states and focused on research methods; proposal writing; planning and carrying through research projects; data collection methods, interpretive techniques and analysis; introduction to SPSS; advanced writing skills and preparing applications for research grants.



2. One-day Brainstorming Session on ‘Financial Inclusion through PMJDY’

Coordinated by

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RBI Chair Professor

RBI Corpus Fund

23rd August 2017

The brainstorming session was inaugurated by Sri. R. Subramanian, Regional Director, RBI and officials from various banks participated in the discussion. The main objective of the discussion was to provide a common platform for policy regulators, policy implementers, researchers and scholars to have a better understanding on the various issues concerning the subject. The findings of a pilot study of two villages on the Performance of PMJDY were shared among the participants and felt that the outcome of the discussion would provide useful inputs to the ongoing project on PMJDY in Telangana at Council for Social Development, Hyderabad.

The Regional Director, Reserve Bank of India, Hyderabad identified few questions which would be of interest to be taken up in a detailed study:

- What is the impact of Demonetisation on Account-holders of PMJDY?
- What is the progress with respect to distribution of Rupay Debit Card to the Account-holder? Has it increased the number of cashless transactions? Is it being used only for withdrawing cash? What is the extent of the awareness among the entrepreneurs?
- What is the number of operations made by the Account-holders during the Demonetisation period and other periods?
- What is the experience of the customers with respect to compensation received due to unfortunate incidence like death and accidents?
- How far did migrant labour benefit from PMJDY? Is it reaching the migrant workers? Is migrant worker making use of the scheme for remitting the amount to the family at his native village?
- What is the impact of cut in interest rate?
- What is the message sent to the Account-holders by the Bank? Are the Banks interested in inviting the customers or want to drive them informal sector? Is it not a regressive step to pay higher interest rate for large depositors?
- What is the cost borne Bank in maintaining Zero Balance Accounts? Who should bear the burden of incentive amount? Who should bear the cost incurred due to high attrition rate among BCs?
- What is the overall impact of whole linkage of PMJDY, Aadhar, Mobile Banking and DBT?
- What are the new products tailored made to farmers of Telangana and catered to the local issues?
- What is the impact of PMJDY on the business of Money-lender Chit fund-agents?

3. Ten-Day Capacity Building Workshop on Quantitative Techniques in Research

Coordinated by
Prof. S. Indrakant
RBI Chair Professor

RBI Corpus Fund
04 – 14 December 2017

To improve the quality of research in Social Sciences a Ten-Day Workshop on Quantitative Techniques in Research was organised by Council for Social Development, Hyderabad during December 04 - 14, 2017 for Faculty Members and Research Scholars in Social Sciences. At the time of selection of candidates, priority was given to scholars who had recently registered for PhD. In all, twenty-six Faculty Members and PhD Scholars from different Universities and Colleges within the State like Osmania University, Hyderabad; University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad; and outside the State like Karnataka University, Dharwad, Karnataka; Kuvempu University, Shimoga; VSKU, Bellary; Central University of Tamil Nadu, Thiruvarur; Sacred Heart College, Cochin; St. Philomena College, Puttur and Madras School of Economics, Chennai; etc. participated in the workshop. The participants were largely from Economics, Commerce and Management.

4. Five-Day Orientation Programme on Research Proposal Preparation and Writing Skills

Coordinated by
L. Reddeppa
Associate Professor

Council for Social Development, Hyderabad (under OH 31 Grant for SC scholars)
20 - 24 December 2017

Five day orientation programme on proposal preparation and advanced writing skills for research was organized for research scholars and faculty of Social Sciences during 20 -24 December, 2017. The orientation included lectures, group discussions, and guidance for publication of research. The programme was inaugurated by Prof. M. Gopinath Reddy, CESS, Hyderabad. There were 22 participants from all the disciplines of social sciences from all over the country. The orientation programme ended with presentation of research papers/ proposal of their Ph.D. work by the participants.



5. Workshop on Qualitative Research Methods and Advanced Writing for Doctoral Scholars in Social Sciences and Humanities

Coordinated by

Kalpana Kannabiran

Professor & Regional Director

Council for Social Development, Hyderabad (under OH 31 Grant for SC scholars)
22 - 31 March 2018

The Workshop on Advanced Writing was an intensive 10 day programme that drew in 17 scholars from different states: Tamil Nadu, Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, Punjab, Uttar Pradesh, New Delhi and Maharashtra from state and central universities. There were 3 women scholars in the group. In terms of discipline, participants were from Media Studies, International Relations, Women's Studies, Sociology, Development Studies, Economics, Political Science, Business Management and English. Beginning with a documentary film by noted film maker Deepa Dhanraj on the students' movement that spread across universities after the death of Rohith Vemula, the workshop discussed the different uses of research and the different ways in which research findings could be presented – film being one powerful medium. The themes emerging from the film had a direct bearing on social science research: untouchability, vulnerability, barriers to education, caste discrimination, affirmative action and reservations, and the archives of the social sciences – notably the writings of anti-caste philosophers and constitution makers like Dr. BR Ambedkar. The first day focused on a detailed discussion of these themes and related readings. The workshop was built around the

work that individual scholars were engaged in – with discussions focused around the research notes they submitted that explored their current work. The library and archival holdings of CSD were opened out for workshop participants to research their areas of interest in some depth and present the note for comments and discussion. Review of literature, the delineation of a conceptual field, building a theoretical framework and presenting supporting materials from the field, ethics in social science research were some of the issues directly relevant to the participants' experience in research. This was part of the larger discussion on writing research papers that drew on fieldwork. In approaching the field, the importance of qualitative methods with a special focus on long interviews was underscored. The workshop included detailed practical sessions on writing research proposals and an introduction to writing book reviews.

The workshop on qualitative methods and advanced writing followed a flexible and discussion-based format that required scholars to complete short writing and reading assignments for discussion and review in the duration of the programme.



An international conference on the fate of egalitarian programmes drew participation from across the country as well as senior scholars from Germany and Brazil in an event co-organised by ICAS-MP and CSD, Hyderabad. While we also had several book discussions, the volume of essays on feminist research methodologies was launched by Dr. Maithreyi Krishna Raj, a pioneer in women's studies at Bangalore University, followed by a felicitation of Dr. Krishna Raj.

ACADEMIC EVENTS

E. International Seminar

'The Political Fate of Egalitarian Programmes: A Comparison Between India And Brazil'

F. Memorial Lectures

16th C.D. Deshmukh Memorial Lecture

G. Book Discussions

Telangana Social Development Report – 2017

E. International Seminar

‘The Political Fate of Egalitarian Programmes: A Comparison Between India And Brazil’

In collaboration with International Centre of Advanced Studies: Metamorphoses of the Political (ICAS:MP) and Council for Social Development, Hyderabad

Organising Committee:

Kalpana Kannabiran (CSD, Hyderabad)

Florian Hoffmann (Pontificia Universidade Catolica do Rio de Janeiro)

Andreas Pettenkofer (Max Weber Centre, Erfurt)

19-20 March 2018

Egalitarian political programmes have taken rather similar trajectories in India and in Brazil: They became politically influential during protests against a social structure that is based on systems of fine-grained hierarchical categorizations. These protests resulted in formal and informal political programmes aimed at eliminating these categories or at mitigating their effects; at the beginning, these programmes were supported by a relevant part of what is often (misleadingly) called the middle class. The success of these programmes, while real, has been rather limited; even those egalitarian norms that have been formally institutionalized (e.g. through laws) have only a tenuous influence on the operations of public bureaucracies and even less influence on informal everyday practice. Moreover, there are counter-mobilizations by middle class and upper-middle class groups that demand recognition for their (allegedly) higher status and develop new, modernized justifications for existing inequalities (e.g. during mobilizations against caste quotas). And there seem to be social structures of perception that make it difficult for the privileged to even see some of the social facts that, from an egalitarian point of view, would appear to be problematic. In general, for many middle-class and upper-class citizens of these nations, egalitarian norms seem to have lost the plausibility they had in the aftermath of the anti-colonial protest.



The workshop discussed the similarities and differences between these trajectories, in order to better understand the political fates of egalitarian programmes. The following papers were presented at the conference:

- Surinder S. Jodhka (Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi): Being in the ‘Middle’, Being from the Margin: Revisiting Dalit Mobilities in Neo-liberal Times
- Martin Fuchs (Max Weber Centre, Erfurt): Segmentation and Separation, or To Whom Do Egalitarian Programmes Speak? – Some preconditions and presuppositions of the quest for equality
- Abdul Shaban (Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai): Developmental Interventions for Minorities in Post-Sachar Era
- Gurram Srinivas (Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi): Dalit ‘Middle Class’ Trajectories: On the Biographical Consequences of Egalitarian Political Programmes
- Andreas Pettenkofer (Max Weber Centre, Erfurt): Structures of Indifference: ‘Middle Class’ Practices of Dealing with Inequality
- Amita Dhanda (NALSAR University of Law, Hyderabad): The Mirage of Equality before the Law
- Kancha Ilaiah Shepherd (Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad): Policy towards Equality and Egalitarianism: New Modes of Thinking in Indian context
- Beatrice Renzi (Max Weber Centre, Erfurt): Suum cuique? Perspectives on Gender and Equality in Madhya Pradesh
- S. Anandhi (Madras Institute of Development Studies, Chennai): Retrieving Women as Modern Political Subject: A Critical Reading of the Narratives of Egalitarianism in the Feminist Politics of Colonial South India
- Praveena Kodoth (Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum): Gender, Class and the Disempowering Politics of Protection: The Case of India’s Migration Policy
- Shantha Sinha (Council for Social Development, Hyderabad): Child Inequality
- D. Narasimha Reddy (University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad): Growth and Equity: The Recent Experience of India and Brazil
- Florian Hoffmann (Pontifícia Universidade Católica do Rio de Janeiro): The Walking Dead....are Back: ‘Lulist’ Reformism, (In)Equality, and the Neoliberal Counterrevolution
- Paulo Esteves (Pontifícia Universidade Católica do Rio de Janeiro): Between ‘Assistencialismo’ and Structural Reform: the 2003-16 policy cycle and its legacy in Brazil (via Skype)
- Kalpana Kannabiran (Council for Social Development, Hyderabad): Crimes against Women, Protections under Law and Political Representation of Women: The Case of Telangana



F. Memorial Lectures

16th C.D. Deshmukh Memorial Lecture

“Occupy College Street: Notes from the Sixties”

Professor Ranabir Samaddar

Distinguished Chair in Migration and Forced Migration Studies
Calcutta Research Group

14 July 2017



G. Book Launches / Discussions

Telangana Social Development Report – 2017

Edited by

Kalpana Kannabiran, Padmini Swaminathan, J. Jeyaranjan

BOOK LAUNCH

12 May 2017

Sri Eatata Rajender

Honourable Finance Minister, Government of Telangana

CD of TSDR 2017

Released by

Prof. Muchkund Dubey

President, CSD



Sri B.P. Acharya IAS
Special Chief Secretary
Department of Planning, Government of
Telangana addressed the gathering

Marri Channa Reddy Human Resource
Development Institute of Telangana

TSDR 2017 PANEL DISCUSSION
13 May 2017

Opening remarks were given by Professor
Muchkund Dubey, President, CSD.

A panel consisting of Professor D. Narasimha

Reddy, Retired Professor of Economics,
University of Hyderabad; Professor Ghanta
Chakrapani, Chairman, Telangana State Public
Service Commission; and Professor Padmini
Swaminathan, Professor of Economics,
Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Hyderabad
discussed the report.

Professor G. Haragopal, Visiting Professor,
National Law School of India University,
Bengaluru was the Chief Guest.

CD Deshmukh Auditorium, Council for Social
Development, Hyderabad

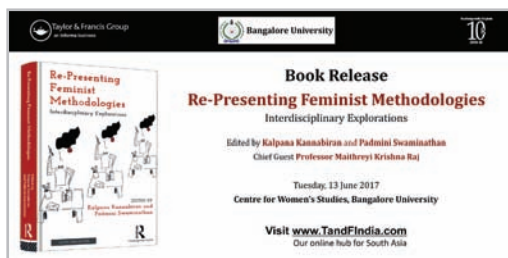


Re-Presenting Feminist Methodologies: Interdisciplinary Explorations

Edited by
Kalpana Kannabiran and Padmini Swaminathan
Routledge Taylor & Francis Group

At Centre for Women's Studies, Bangalore University
13 June 2017

On this occasion, Dr. Maithreyi Krishna Raj was felicitated. A panel discussion with Professor Gita Sen, Distinguished Professor & Director, Ramalingaswami Centre on Equity & Social Determinants of Health, Public Health Foundation of India, Bengaluru; Professor R.S. Deshpande, ICSSR National Fellow and Former Director, ISEC, Bengaluru; Dr. S. Anandhi, Associate Professor, Madras Institute of Development Studies, Chennai; Dr. Sudeshna Mukherjee, Assistant Professor, Centre for Women's Studies, Bangalore University; and Professor G. Haragopal, Visiting Professor, National Law School of India University, Bengaluru was held moderated by Professor Kalpana Kannabiran.



Hegel's India: A Reinterpretation with Texts

Edited by

Aakash Singh Rathore and Rimina Mohapatra

CSD in collaboration with Goethe-Zentrum, Hyderabad and Oxford University Press at Goethe Zentrum.

13 July 2017

Speakers:

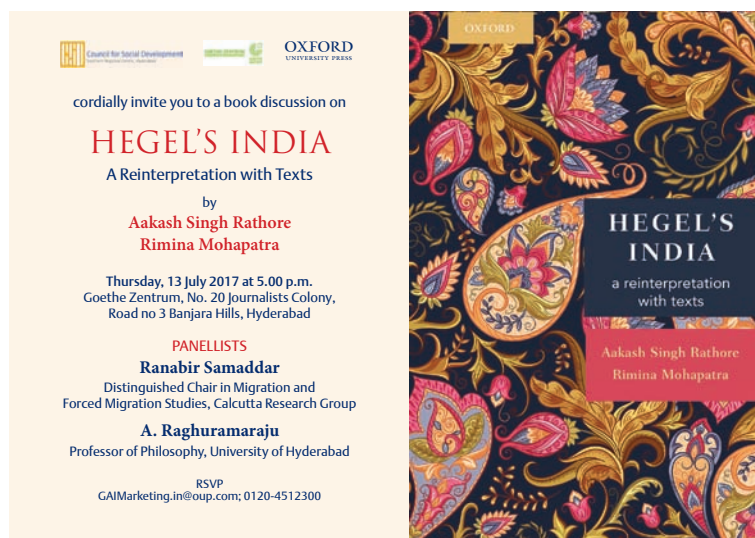
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Professor A. Raghuramaraju

Department of Philosophy, University of Hyderabad

Moderated by Professor Kalpana Kannabiran



The poster is divided into two main sections. The left section is a light yellow background with text. It features logos for 'Council for Social Development' and 'OXFORD UNIVERSITY PRESS'. The text reads: 'cordially invite you to a book discussion on HEGEL'S INDIA A Reinterpretation with Texts by Aakash Singh Rathore and Rimina Mohapatra'. It provides the date and time: 'Thursday, 13 July 2017 at 5.00 p.m. Goethe Zentrum, No. 20 Journalists Colony, Road no 3 Banjara Hills, Hyderabad'. It lists the panelists: 'Ranabir Samaddar, Distinguished Chair in Migration and Forced Migration Studies, Calcutta Research Group' and 'A. Raghuramaraju, Professor of Philosophy, University of Hyderabad'. It includes an RSVP contact: 'RSVP GAIMarketing.in@oup.com; 0120-4512300'. The right section shows the book cover, which has a dark blue background with intricate, colorful floral and paisley patterns. The title 'HEGEL'S INDIA' is in white, and the subtitle 'a reinterpretation with texts' is in a smaller font. The authors' names are at the bottom.



Marginalization, Development and Resistance: Essays in Tribute to S.R. Sankaran

Edited by
Prof. K.B. Saxena
Prof. G. Haragopal

19 January 2018

Professor D. Narasimha Reddy, Sri Kaki Madhava Rao, Smt. Sujatha Rao spoke on the occasion



CITY HAS 30% OF TS' URBAN POPULATION

DC CORRESPONDENT HYDERABAD, MAY 8

Around 30 per cent of the total urban population in Telangana state resides in the capital city of Hyderabad.

TS to bring out Social Development Report

Data for social sector makes it easy for government to formulate suitable policies

M.L. MELLY MATHEW

Hyderabad: The Social Development Report 2017 on the lines of the Social Development Report 2017 will be brought out by the government in the next few days.

DEVELOPMENT PARAMETERS

Social Development Report takes an analytical view about the quality of life of people.

THE HINDU SUNDAY, MAY 7, 2017

ONLY 46% MEN ARE MARRIED

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Around 30 per cent of the total urban population in TS resides in the capital Hyderabad. People in the state reside predominantly in rural areas (61 per cent).

Business

loneylenders cater to 50% credit needs in Telangana'

BUREAU

Hyderabad

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'One-fifth of youth neither work nor study'

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SD report bats for boosting digital skills

Development Report released by Finance Minister throws light on the spatial difference in courses pursued by students

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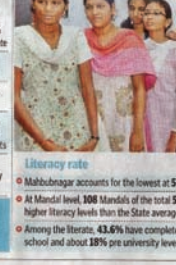
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Statistical profile

- Median district accounts for 47% of humanities students in the State
- Nearly one-fourth of IT students hail from Adilabad
- 85% of agriculture students are from Karimnagar
- Karimnagar also accounts for 58% of CA students and one-fourth of management students
- 49% of SC students prefer Humanities stream followed by OBCs at 34%
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Literacy rate

The literacy rate varies across the state. While Hyderabad tops the literacy rate of 83.25 per cent, Mahabubnagar district accounts for the lowest at 56%.

At Mandal level, 108 Mandals of the total 584 have higher literacy levels than the State average of 65%.

Among the literate, 43.6% have completed middle school and about 18% per university level.

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Telangana fares well drinking water supply

DC CORRESPONDENT HYDERABAD, MAY 13

Hyderabad

What would modern families do without bottled water? Eighteen per cent of households in Telangana state rely on bottled water for drinking. Compared to urban areas, the number of rural households is higher when it comes to dependence on bottled water.

SOURCE (IN PER CENT)	RUR.	URB.
Bottled water	19.4	8.8
Piped water to dwelling	8.8	30
Piped water to yard/plot	30	22.3
Public tap	22.3	12.9
Tube well	12.9	3
Protected well	3	1.4
Unprotected well	1.4	1.8
OTHERS	1.8	

ACCESS OF HOUSEHOLDS TO IMPROVE SOURCE OF WATER (PER CENT)

Indicator	Telangana	Southern
Residence, Rural	95.8	81.9
Urban	99.8	91.2
Social group, ST	98.3	91.9
SC	94.8	88.1
OBC	98.5	85.8
Others	98.8	81.4
Religious, Hindu	97.7	88.0
Muslim	99.6	73.8
Christian	99.1	69.7
OTHERS	100	84.4

However, the situation of drinking water in Telangana is much better compared to the national average. Once Mission Bhagiratha is completed, the project will ensure availability of piped water to each household in the state.

The Telangana Social Development report states that 36.7 per cent of total households are getting piped water while 17.7 per cent depend on public taps. Dependence on bottled water for drinking is more in rural areas than in urban areas and this indicates a rural household's willingness to pay for drinking water. This shows the limited access to clean water or insufficient supply.

The report said, "It warrants deeper analysis to understand public behavior and OBCs remain below rural areas, 33.4 and in urban areas, 1.4 per cent households drinking water within their premises in rural areas and in urban areas, 1.8 per cent."

The report, which will be launched by Finance Minister E. Raja Reddy on May 12, reveals that ration cards meant for the poorest of poor households are appropriated by the rich households in rural Telangana. Four-fifths of households have ration cards. The monthly entitlements from PDS for a household vary depending on the type of

ration card. For the state as a whole, BPL cards account for 84.2 per cent of total cards. About 2.7 per cent of cards in TS are Antyodaya cards. Rural areas of Telangana have more Antyodaya and BPL cards than urban areas. PDS is the source for about one-fourth of the total quantum of rice consumed by households in Telangana. PDS rice meant for the poor is enjoyed by those who are better off. Around 32% of it is consumed by rural households. THE DEPENDENCE ON non-PDS sources is lower in rural Telangana compared to urban areas. ONE-FIFTH of SC households do not have access to subsidised food grains. THE CONSUMPTION of jowar is the highest with ST households consuming more than other social groups.

Social development report shows child marriage more common in urban TS

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Social Development Report highlights rural-urban divide

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పెరిగిన విదేశీ డిమాండ్, గ్రామీణ ప్రాంతాల్లో ఉపాధి అవకాశాలు తగ్గించి, పట్టణ ప్రాంతాల్లో ఉపాధి అవకాశాలు పెంచే ప్రయత్నం చేస్తున్నారు. పట్టణ ప్రాంతాల్లో ఉపాధి అవకాశాలు పెంచే ప్రయత్నం చేస్తున్నారు. పట్టణ ప్రాంతాల్లో ఉపాధి అవకాశాలు పెంచే ప్రయత్నం చేస్తున్నారు.

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పట్టణ ప్రాంతాల్లో ఉపాధి అవకాశాలు పెంచే ప్రయత్నం చేస్తున్నారు. పట్టణ ప్రాంతాల్లో ఉపాధి అవకాశాలు పెంచే ప్రయత్నం చేస్తున్నారు. పట్టణ ప్రాంతాల్లో ఉపాధి అవకాశాలు పెంచే ప్రయత్నం చేస్తున్నారు.

పట్నం పిలుస్తోంది

38 శాతం పేదరిక వట్టణ జనాభా
అక్షయలు పిలిచారు... చిన్నాదులు తగ్గారు
దివ్యాంగుల జనాభాలోనూ పెరుగుదల

తెలంగాణ సామాజిక అభివృద్ధి నివేదిక-2017 వెల్లడి

30% వట్టణ జనాభా ప్రాదర్భావాత్లోనే

తెలంగాణ జనాభాలో 61 శాతం జనజాతి పట్టణ ప్రాంతాల్లో నివసిస్తున్నారు. అయితే దానిలో పట్టణ ప్రాంతాల్లో నివసించే వారిలో 38 శాతం పేదరికం ఉంది. పేదరిక వట్టణ జనాభా 38 శాతం పేదరికం ఉంది. పేదరిక వట్టణ జనాభా 38 శాతం పేదరికం ఉంది.

పట్టణ జనాభాలో 30 శాతం అక్షయలు ఉన్నారు. పట్టణ జనాభాలో 30 శాతం అక్షయలు ఉన్నారు. పట్టణ జనాభాలో 30 శాతం అక్షయలు ఉన్నారు.

దివ్యాంగుల జనాభాలోనూ పెరుగుదల ఉంది. దివ్యాంగుల జనాభాలోనూ పెరుగుదల ఉంది. దివ్యాంగుల జనాభాలోనూ పెరుగుదల ఉంది.

ఈనాడు శనివారం మే 13

అంతరాల తొలిగింపే అంతిమధ్యేయం కావాలి

బడుగుల సంక్షేమమే లక్ష్యం: ఈటల
తెలంగాణ ప్రభుత్వం సంక్షేమం కోసం బడుగుల సంక్షేమంపై దృష్టి పెట్టాలని ఆంధ్రప్రదేశ్ ప్రభుత్వం కోరంది. బడుగుల సంక్షేమంపై దృష్టి పెట్టాలని ఆంధ్రప్రదేశ్ ప్రభుత్వం కోరంది.

తెలంగాణ ప్రభుత్వం సంక్షేమం కోసం బడుగుల సంక్షేమంపై దృష్టి పెట్టాలని ఆంధ్రప్రదేశ్ ప్రభుత్వం కోరంది. బడుగుల సంక్షేమంపై దృష్టి పెట్టాలని ఆంధ్రప్రదేశ్ ప్రభుత్వం కోరంది.

అంతరాల తొలిగింపే అంతిమధ్యేయం కావాలి

అంతరాల తొలిగింపే అంతిమధ్యేయం కావాలి

గూడు లేని దళితులు...

రాష్ట్రంలో పక్కా ఇండ్లు లేని ఎన్నో కుటుంబాలు 79.6 శాతం

- 20 శాతం మంది దళితులకు లేని ఇండ్లు
- చింతలపల్లి పట్టణంలో 38 శాతం మంది దళితులకు లేని ఇండ్లు
- నాగార్జున సాగు ప్రాంతంలో 36 శాతం మంది దళితులకు లేని ఇండ్లు
- ప్రతి వెయ్యి మంది మగ దళితులకు 933 మంది అదే ఇండ్లు ఉన్నాయి
- గ్రామీణ ప్రాంతాల్లో 79.6 శాతం మంది దళితులకు లేని ఇండ్లు ఉన్నాయి
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90% రైతులు అప్పల్లోనే..

ముందటి పేజీ తరువాయి

- ఎక్కువ మంది ప్రైవేటు, వడ్డీ వ్యాపారుల పైనే ఆధారపడుతున్నారు. దాదాపు 50.6% కుటుంబాలు వడ్డీ వ్యాపారులను ఆశ్రయిస్తున్నారు. వాణిజ్య బ్యాంకులు 16%, సహకార బ్యాంకులు 9.3% రుణాలు అందిస్తున్నాయి.
- గ్రామీణ ప్రాంతాల్లో సగటున ఒక్కో వైద్యానికి జాతీయ సగటు ప్రకారం గ్రామీణ ప్రాంతాల్లో ఒక్కో కుటుంబం సగటున రూ.16,596 ఖర్చు చేస్తుంది.. రాష్ట్రంలో అంతకు మించి ఖర్చవుతోంది.
- రాష్ట్రంలో 18% కుటుంబాలు ఇప్పటికే తాగునీటికి మినరల్ వాటర్ కాన్సంపైనే ఆధారపడుతున్నాయి.
- రాష్ట్రంలో 38.7% ఇళ్లలో ఇప్పటికే మరుగుదొడ్లు లేవు. గ్రామీణ ప్రాంతాల్లో సగటున ఇళ్లలో మరుగుదొడ్లు లేవు.

90% మంది రైతులు అప్పల్లోనే..



అన్నదాత అప్పల సాగు • తెలంగాణ సామాజిక అభివృద్ధి నివేదిక వెల్లడి

చెరువులలోని అప్పల సాగు	చెరువులలోని అప్పల సాగు
70%	65%

అన్నదాత అప్పల సాగు • తెలంగాణ సామాజిక అభివృద్ధి నివేదిక వెల్లడి

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Dr. Pushpa Mittra Bhargava, Chairman of CSD, Hyderabad passed away on 1 August 2017. In his passing, we lost a rare public intellectual, who was committed to building knowledge, institutions, movements, arts and aesthetics, the scientific temper, science, the humanities, democratic governance and resistance strategies. What set him apart was the depth with which he engaged with each of these fields, the connections he was able to make between them, and his sustained, unwavering involvement over decades with issues and concerns that tested the determination and strength of thought and action. Several intellectuals and activists from the city came together to pay their tributes to this wonderful person and to celebrate his life and work.

OTHER EVENTS

Remembering Dr. P.M. Bhargava

A memorial meeting “Remembering Dr. P.M. Bhargava” was organised by CSD, Hyderabad at Administrative Staff College of India, Hyderabad.

Professor Muchkund Dubey, President, CSD chaired the meeting.

14 September 2017

Speakers:

Dr. G.N. Rao, Chairman, L.V. Prasad Eye Institute

Dr. Suman Sahai, Founder, Gene Campaign

Dr. D.P. Kasbekar, Director, CDFD

Dr. Rakesh Mishra, Director, CCMB

Ms. Chandana Chakrabarti, PM Bhargava Foundation

Dr. A. Gopalkishen, Medically Aware and Responsible Citizens of Hyderabad



This year has seen CSD-Hyderabad faculty publishing new research, and presenting their research findings in conferences and seminars. The achievements of Professor S. Indrakant, RBI Chair Professor, are particularly noteworthy.

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS

Kalpna Kannabiran,

Professor & Regional Director
Publications, Journal Articles
Book Chapters, Book Reviews
National Press, Lectures
National/ International Seminars/
Conferences:
Other Academic Activities

S. Indrakant,

RBI Chair Professor
Publications, Journal Articles
Book Chapters, National Press
National/ International Seminars/
Conferences
Lectures

L. Reddeppa,

Associate Professor
Seminars/ Conferences
Lectures

Sujit Kumar Mishra,

Associate Professor
Publications, Books, Journal Articles
Book Chapters, Regional Press
Seminars / Conferences
Lectures

S. Surapa Raju,

Assistant Professor
Publications, Book
Journal Articles
Seminars/ Conferences

Soumya Vinayan,

Assistant Professor
Publications, Journal Articles
Book Chapters, Seminars /
Conferences/ Workshops, Lectures
Other Academic Activities

Satyam Sunkari,

Assistant Professor
Publications
Journal Articles
Book Chapters
Seminars & Conferences
Lectures

Ch. Shankar Rao,

Assistant Professor
Publications
Journal Articles
Regional Press
Seminars / Conferences
Lectures

Rafia Kazim,

ICSSR Post-Doctoral Fellow
Publications
Journal Articles

Sivakumar Danyasi,

Post Doctoral Fellow
Publications
Journals

G. Venkateswarlu,

Post Doctoral Fellow
Publications
Journals

Keyoor,

Post Doctoral Fellow
Publications
Book Review

R. Balaji,

Research Associate
Seminars/ Conferences
Article

Faculty Achievements

KALPANA KANNABIRAN, Professor & Regional Director

Publications

Books

- Re-Presenting Feminist Methodologies: Interdisciplinary Explorations. New Delhi: Routledge (Editors: Kalpana Kannabiran and Padmini Swaminathan)
- Telangana Social Development Report 2018: Gender, Access and Well-Being, Council for Social Development, Hyderabad, March 2018 (Editors: Kalpana Kannabiran, Padmini Swaminathan, J. Jeyaranjan)

Journal Articles

- “Investigating the Causes for Low Female Age at Marriage,” Economic and Political Weekly, Vol. 52, Issue No. 18, 6 May 2017 (Co-authors: Sujit Kumar Mishra and Surapa Raju)
- “Vulnerable Communities – Strengthening government schools is a concrete step that ought to be taken,” Comment, Economic and Political Weekly, Vol. LII, Nos. 42-43, 28 October 2017
- “Crusader for the Scientific Temper,” (Remembering Dr. P.M. Bhargava), Social Change, 47(4), December 2017.

Book Chapters

- “Disability Rights in Higher Education: A Preliminary Investigation of Exclusion and Barriers in Indian Universities” in N V Varghese, Nidhi Sabharwal, Malish C M (eds.) India Higher Education Report 2016, New Delhi: Sage Publications (Co-author: Soumya Vinayan), 2018.
- “Violence against Women in Telangana: Incidence & Institutional Mechanisms,” in Telangana Social Development Report 2018: Gender, Access and Well-Being, Hyderabad: Council for Social Development, 2018.

Book Reviews

- “Marriage and its Discontents: Women, Islam and the Law in India” by Sylvia Vatuk, New Delhi: Women Unlimited, 2017. Samyukta: A Journal of Gender and Culture, Vol. XVII, No. 1, January 2017.
- Combined Book Review “It Was Not Rape- It Was War”, The Book Review, 40th Anniversary Issue, July-August 2017. Review of three books: *“The Spectral Wound: Sexual Violence, Public Memories and the Bangladesh War of 1971” by Nayanika Mookherjee with a foreword by Veena Das, Zubaan, New Delhi, 2016; *“Do You Remember Kunan Poshpora?” by Essar Batool, Ifrah Butt, Samreena Mushtaq, Munaza Rashid, Natasha Rather, Zubaan, New Delhi, 2016; *“Undoing Impunity: Speech After Sexual Violence” by V. Geetha, Zubaan, New Delhi, 2016.

National Press

- “By Inciting Violence, Paresh Rawal, MP, Must Surely Forfeit His Seat,” The Wire, 26 May 2017
- “Hard Words Break no Bones: Sedition, Free Speech, Academic Freedoms and Sovereignty in India” Discover Society (Online Journal), 05 July 2017.
- “A Champion of Reason,” The Indian Express, 5 August 2017.
- “It’s time to scrap the Eunuchs Act,” The Hindu, 28 September 2017.
- “Taking aim at the messenger,” The Hindu, 5 October 2017.
- “For lives lived in labour” – 60 Minutes with Kancha Ilaiah, The Hindu, 29 October 2017.

- “Right to privacy as right to life,” *The Hindu*, 9 November 2017.
- “Privacy, Sequestered Courts and the Place of Dissent,” *The Wire*, 16 January 2018.
- “SC/ST Act: A Hostile Environment and an ‘Atrocious’ Interpretation,” *The Wire*, 27 March 2018.

Lectures

- Prof. G. Krishna Reddy Memorial Lecture on “Hard Words Break no Bones: Sedition, Free Speech, Academic Freedoms and Sovereignty in India” 28 June 2017, Seminar Hall, Department of Political Science, Osmania University, Hyderabad
- “Law and Women”, 25 July 2017, Research Methodology Course for Ph.D. Students, ICSSR Southern Regional Centre, Hyderabad.
- “Mourning the Loss of Gauri Lankesh – And the Loss of our Speech and Voice”, Symposium on “Voice against Silencing Dissent” organised by Lawyer’s Community, Bangalore, 22 September 2017
- “The Power of Dissent Discussion on Dissent, Media and Contemporary India” at Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Hyderabad, 26 September 2017.
- “Employment and Judicial Interpretation”, Labouring Women and Violence India Workshop, organised by IDRC/CRDI, Canada, 24 October 2017
- “Resistance, ‘Constitutional Renaissance’ and the Right to Privacy: Re-mapping democratic futures?”, International Centre for Advanced Studies “Metamorphoses of the Political” (ICAS-MP) Inaugural Conference in Berlin, 9-10 October 2017.
- “Signposting Violence in Academic Discourse in India: Questions, possibilities, fields”, Keynote Address at International Conference on Violence and Terror in South Asia, Department of English, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong, 16 November 2017.
- “The Contexts of Adivasi Dispossession: Explorations in Rights Advocacy in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana”, Public Conference on Adivasis and Dalits in India, Department of Anthropology, London School of Economics and Political Science and the Department of Development Studies, SOAS University of London, 8-10 December 2017.
- “Resistance, ‘Constitutional Renaissance’ and the Right to Privacy: Re-mapping Democratic Futures?”, Chairperson’s Address for Thematic Panel on Democracy and Human Rights, 41st Indian Social Science Congress, December 18-22, 2017, Periyar University, Salem.
- “Hard Words Break No Bones’: Sedition, Free Speech, Academic Freedoms and Sovereignty in India”, Plenary Address, 41st Indian Social Science Congress, December 18-22, 2017, Periyar University, Salem.
- “Resistance, ‘Constitutional Renaissance’ and the Right to Privacy: Re-mapping democratic futures?” Asmita Resource Centre for Women, Secunderabad, 11 January 2018.
- “Anticipating Dispossession: Looking at Displacement Differently”, Inaugural Address at the National Seminar on Emerging Trends in Public Policy and Implications for Development organised by Department of Economics, Jyoti Nivas College, Bangalore in collaboration with Indian Institute of Public Administration Karnataka Regional Branch, 23 January 2018.
- “The Public Voice of Women”, Plenary speaker in Hyderabad Literary Festival, 27 January 2018.



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- “The Idea of Justice for a Democratic Future: Human Rights in India through a Disabilities Lens”, Inaugural Address at National Seminar on The State, Society and Disability Law in India: Challenges for Rights-Based Approach, Department of Sociology, University of Hyderabad, 31 January 2018.
- “The Idea of Justice for a Democratic Future: Cascades of the Right to Privacy in India”, Justice Lecture Series, Centre for Development Practice and Research, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Patna, 10 February 2018.
- “The Idea of Justice for a Democratic Future: Learning Gender Politics in Contemporary India from Dr. Ambedkar”, at ICSSR Workshop on Doing Ambedkarism Today: Issues of Caste, Gender and Community, Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Kolkota, 19 February 2018.
- “Causes for Low Female Age at Marriage: A Study of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh”, Dissemination Workshop on Love, Law and Labour: Child Marriage in West Bengal, School of Women’s Studies, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, 27-28 February 2018 (Co-author: Sujit Kumar Mishra).
- “Feminist Activism, Violence in the Family, and Law Reform in India: A Three Decadal History”, Mukta Salve Lecture Series titled Building Feminist Solidarities: Unpacking Sexual Violence, Caste and Gender’ in honour of Sharmila Rege. Krantijyoti Savitribai Phule Women’s Studies Centre, University of Pune, 1 March 2018.

National/ International Seminars/ Conferences

- 41st Indian Social Science Congress, Periyar University, Salem on December 18-22, 2017 (Kalpana Kannabiran in organizational capacity as Vice President and Member of Programme Committee).
- “From ‘Lava Jato’ to ‘Notebandi’: Discourses on Corruption – Interdisciplinary and Intercultural Perspectives.” ICAS-MP Conference. Organisers: Florian Hoffmann (Rio de Janeiro, Brasil), Kalpana Kannabiran (CSD-Hyderabad, India), Bettina Hollstein (Erfurt, Germany), University of Erfurt, 12-13 October 2017.
- “Crimes against Women, Protections under Law and Political Representation of Women: The Case of Telangana.” International Seminar on The Political Fate of Egalitarian Programmes: A Comparison between India and Brazil organised by ICAS-MP in collaboration with CSD, Hyderabad on 19-20 March 2018.
- organised on 13-14 July, 2017 by Planning Department & MCR Human Resource Development, Government of Telangana, 14 July 2017.
- Chaired a Key Note Session at Dr. B.R. Ambedkar International Conference on “Reclaiming Social Justice: Revisiting Ambedkar” organised by the Government of Karnataka from 21st to 23rd July 2017.
- Sixth Critical Studies Conference on Refugees, Migrant, Violence and the Transformation of Cites organised by Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group (CRG), Kolkata on 23-25 August 2017 -- Discussant for a session on “Gender, Movements and the City”.
- Consultation on Supreme Court Judgment on 498A organised by Vimochana, Forum for Women’s Rights, Bangalore, 23 September 2017.
- Meeting on the Thematic Module “Normative Conflicts and Transformations” in the Centre for Advanced Studies “Metamorphoses of the Political” (ICAS-MP) funded by the German Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF) at Berlin and Erfurt University, 9-13 October 2017.
- Chaired Session on Labouring Women and Violence India Workshop, organised by IDRC/CRDI, New Delhi, 23 October 2017.

Other Academic Activities

- Executive Committee meeting of International Sociological Association at St. Petersburg, Russia, 2-7 April 2017.
- Consultation on the issue of Child Marriage at Centre for Law and Policy Research, Bangalore, 19 May 2017.
- Panel Speaker on “Challenges of Legal Research in Contemporary India”, Research Methodology Workshop for Doctoral Students, NALSAR University of Law, Hyderabad, 27 June 2017.
- Moderator for Panel Discussion on “Urban Development – Smart Cities & Urban Centric Sanitation” at Workshop on “Bangaru Telangana & Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)” for Special Chief Secretaries, Principal Secretaries, Secretaries and State Level Heads of Departments of State of Telangana,

S. INDRAKANT, RBI Chair Professor

Publications

Books

- Mahatma Gandhi Jaateeya Grameena Upadhi Haami Pathakam: Baduguvargala Jeevithalalo Oka Asha Kiranam (in Telugu), Paramount Publishing House, Hyderabad, 2017, ISBN: 978-81-931105-3-9.
- Food Security: A Step Towards Bangaru Telangana, Paramount Publishing House, Hyderabad, 2017, ISBN: 978-93-85101-94-6.

Journal Articles

- “Does MGNREGS Promote Inclusive Growth? What do Evidence Indicate?”, Asian Journal of Agriculture and Development, Vol. 14, No. 1, June 2017, pp. 51-72 (Co-author: A. Mahendran).

Book Chapters

- “Performance of PMJDY in Telangana”, Efficacy of Financial Inclusion Policies and Way Ahead, (Eds.) S.S. Sangwan et. Al., CRRID, Chandigarh, May 2017, pp. 171-192.
- “Dynamics of Food Grains Production in Telangana” in Bandi Kamaiah et. al (Eds) “Current Issues in Economics and Finance”, Springer Publishers, Singapore, 2018, pp. 213-223.

National Press

- “Can Policies Work Without Structural Transformation?” The New Leam, July 6, 2017 (Co-author: A. Mahendran).
- “Why Universal Basic Income Is Not a Perfect Substitute for Existing Subsidy Schemes” The Wire, October 23, 2017 (Co-author: A. Mahendran).
- “The Future of Ration Shops: Bright or Bleak?” The New Leam, November 7, 2017.

National/ International Seminars/ Conferences

- “Role of PDS in Food Security in Telangana’ at First Annual Conference of Telangana Economic Association organised by Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad during 8-9, April 2017 (Co-author: Dr. V. Subramanyam).
- Chaired a Technical Session on 8th April 2017 at First Annual Conference of Telangana Economic Association (TEA) organised by Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad during 8-9 April 2017.
- “Food Security: Where Telangana Stands?” Presidential Address delivered at the Second Annual Conference of the Telangana Economic Association (TEA) on 10, February 2018 held at University PG Centre, Khammam, Telangana during February 10-11, 2018.
- “Efficacy of MGNREGS in Ensuring Sustainable Development” on 22nd March 2018 at National Seminar on Sustainable Development organised Centre for Economic Studies and Planning, JNU, New Delhi during 22-23 March 2018.
- “Is e-NAM Pro-Farmer?: A study of Agriculture Market of Warangal in Telangana State” to the National Seminar on ‘Policy and Technological Options for doubling of Farmers’ Income’ organised by SBI Chair, Centre for Rural Research in Industrial Development, (CRRID), Chandigarh during 22-23 March 2018 (In absentia).
- Valedictory Address to the participants of the Workshop on ‘The Asymmetric Shock - 2018: The First Model World Economic Forum’ on March 4th 2018 organised by the Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad during 3-4 March 2018.
- Inaugural Address at the two-day National Seminar on ‘Foreign Direct Investment

- (FDI) An IQAC Initiative' on 16th March 2018 organised by Department of Commerce, Siddharth Arts and Commerce Degree College, Bidar, Karnataka during 16 -17 March 2018.
- Guest of Honour at the Inaugural Function of Two- Day National Seminar on 'Rejuvenation of Telangana Economy: Opportunities and Challenges' organised by Department of Applied Economics, Telangana University, Dichpally, Nizamabad during 12-13 April 2017.
 - Chaired Two Technical Session at 10th Doctoral Thesis Conference organised by ICFAI Business School (IBS) Hyderabad during 20-21 April 2017.
 - Chaired a Technical Session on 29th April 2017 at Two-Day National Seminar on 'Changing Perspective of Rural Finance and Financial Inclusion of Rural Poor' organised by S R Sankaran Chair (Rural Labour) NIRD & PR, Rajendranagar during 28-29 April 2017.
 - Guest of Honour at the inaugural session of Two-Day National Seminar on 'Impact of Empowerment Programmes on Rural Development in India' on November 17, 2017 organised by Department of Economics, Government Degree & P G College, Gajwel, Siddipet, Telangana.
 - Co-chairman for a Technical Session on Health on December 5, 2017, at the 18th IASSI Annual Conference 2017, held during December 3-5, 2017, at Guntur, jointly organised by Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur and Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad.
 - Panellist in the Plenary Session 6 i.e. Symposium on Human Development in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana: Challenges and Way Forward on December 5, 2017, at the 18th IASSI Annual Conference 2017, held during December 3-5, 2017 at Guntur, jointly organised by Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur and Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad.
 - Chaired Technical Session on 'Sustainable Development' on 23rd February 2018 at Two Day National Seminar on 'Globalisation and Sustainable Development: Indian Experience' organised by Department of Economics, Osmania University, Hyderabad during 23 -24 February 2018.
 - Panel Member in the one-day National Workshop on 'Dimensions of Agrarian Distress' on 7th March 2018 organised by Department of Economics, CKM Arts and Science College, Warangal.
 - Guest of Honour at the Inaugural Session of two-day National Seminar on 'Development of Telangana State: Issues and Challenges' on March 28, 2018 organised by Department of Economics, Satavahana University, Karimnagar during 28-29 March 2018.
 - Chaired Technical Session on 'FDI in India: Recent Trends' at National Seminar on 'India's Foreign Trade: Dimensions & Implications' organised by Badruka College of Commerce and Arts, Kachiguda, Hyderabad on 31st March 2018.
- Lectures**
- "Econometrics" to the participants of 'One-day Workshop on Econometrics' organised by Department of Economics, PG College, Secunderabad on 17th April 2017.
 - "Basic Statistics-Importance of Statistics for Research, Central Tendency and Dispersion", "Two-Week Capacity Building Programme for Social Science Faculty' ICSSR – CSD, Hyderabad, 13 May 2017.
 - "What and Why Research", 85th Orientation Programme organized by the UGC– HRDC (Academic Staff College), Osmania University, Hyderabad, 26th June 2017.

- “Measures of Central Tendency and Dispersion”, Two-Day Workshop on Quantitative Methods organised by the Department of Economics, Mahatma Gandhi University, Nalgonda, 27 July 2017.
- “Rural Poverty and Unemployment” and “Rural Industries and NGOs” to the participants of Vocational Junior Lecturers Training Programme held at Commissioner of Intermediate Education, Nampally, Hyderabad on 6th October 2017
- “Introduction to Research,” “Sampling,” “Testing of Hypothesis,” and “Estimation,” to Ph.D Scholars of Department of Economics, Kuvempu University, Shimoga, 8-13 November 2017.
- “Theory of Demand,” and “Theory of Employment,” to Post Graduation Students of Department of Economics, Kuvempu University, Shimoga, 8 – 13 November 2017.
- “Introduction to Research,” “Review of Literature,” “Sampling,” to Ph D Scholars of Department of Economics, Karnataka University, Dharwad, Karnataka, 14 November 2017.
- “General Brief about the Telangana State” and “Economic Growth of State” to the participants of Orientation Course of 5 Weeks Practical Training for 69th RR (2016) Batch IPS Probationers held at RBVRR, Telangana State Police Academy, Hyderabad, 11 December 2017.
- “Properties of Estimation – I,” and “Properties of Estimation – II”, Capacity Building Workshop on Quantitative Techniques in Research for Faculty and Research Scholars CSD, Hyderabad, December 12, 2017.
- “Application of Correlation,” “Application of Regression,” and “Welfare Schemes and Elections”, Capacity Building Workshop on Quantitative Techniques in Research for

Faculty Members and Research Scholars, CSD, Hyderabad, December 13, 2017

- “Food Security: Where Telangana Stands?” Presidential Address delivered at the Second Annual Conference of the Telangana Economic Association (TEA) held at University PG Centre, Khammam, Telangana, February 2018

L. REDDEPPA, Associate Professor

Seminars/ Conferences

- “Efficacy of Economic Support Schemes in Livelihood Security: A Case Study of Scheduled Tribes in Telangana State”, National Seminar on Efficacy of Government Programmes on Socio-Economic and Political Inclusion of SC/ST/OBC and Economically Backward Sections organized by M.P. Institute of Social Science Research, Ujjain, 26-27 October 2017.

Lectures

- “Research Proposal” Two Week Capacity Building Programme for Faculty Members in Social Sciences, ICSSR-CSD, Hyderabad, 18 May 2017.

SUJIT KUMAR MISHRA,

Associate Professor

Publications

Books

“Displacement, Impoverishment and Exclusion; Political Economy of Development in India” (Eds.) Sujit Kumar Mishra and R. Siva Prasad, September 2017, Aakar Books, New Delhi

Journal Articles

- “Investigating the Causes for Low Female Age at Marriage”, Economic and Political Weekly, Vol. 52, Issue No. 18, (Co-authors: Kalpana Kannabiran and S. Surapa Raju) 6 May 2017.

- “Issues in Minority Development: A Study of Muslims in the newly formed Telangana State in India”, *Social Change* (a Sage journal), Vol.48, No.01, pp. 36-58, March 2018.

Book Chapters

- “Assessing Institutionalised Capacities for Reducing the Impact of Development induced Displacement in India”, in *Displacement, Impoverishment and Exclusion: Political Economy of Development in India* (eds.) Sujit Kumar Mishra and R Siva Prasad, New Delhi: Aakar Book, 2018, pp. 180-205.
- “Literacy among Worker Population: Does Gender Matter?” in *Telangana Social Development Report 2018: Gender, Access and Well-Being*, Hyderabad: Council for Social Development, 2018. (Co-Authors: Soumya Vinayan and Padmini Swaminathan).

Regional Press

- “Education will lead to empowerment”, *OdishaPOST*, February 23, 2018

Seminars / Conferences

- Co-Chair of Thematic Panel on “Population, Poverty and Migration,” 41st Indian Social Science Congress, Periyar University, Salem, Tamil Nadu, December 18-22, 2017.
- “Mining with Community: Closure and the Issue of Livelihood, 4th International Conference on South Asian Economic Development by South Asian Economic Development Faculty of Economics, South Asian University, New Delhi on February 22-23, 2018.
- “Mapping the Socio-Economic Status of Muslims in the Urban Slums of Hyderabad,” National Conference on Contemporary Issues in Economic Policy by Department of Economics, Maulana Azad National Urdu University,

Hyderabad on March 22-23, 2018.

- “Drum Beaters in Odisha: Changes and Continuity Since Early 20th Century,” National Conference on Transforming Odisha: Policies, Institutions and Innovations by Centre for Study of Contemporary Society (CSCS), Bhubaneswar on March 3-4, 2018.
- “Causes for Low Female Age at Marriage: Telangana and Andhra Pradesh,” National Workshop on Love, Law and Labour: Child Marriage in West Bengal, School of Women’s Studies, Jadavpur University, February 27-28, 2018 (with Prof Kalpana Kannabiran).
- “Perspective of Development – State vs Communities Experiences from the Mineral Sector of India,” National Conference on Modernization and Sustainable Social Policy Challenges, Prospects and Strategies, Department of Social Work, Central University of Tamil Nadu, February 14-15, 2018.

Lectures

- “Significance of Secondary and Primary Data”, Centre for Regional Studies (CRS) School of Social Sciences, University of Hyderabad, 16 March 2018.

S. SURAPA RAJU,

Assistant Professor

Publications

Books

“Climate Variations and Fishers”, Siya Publishing House, New Delhi 2018.

Journal Articles

“Investigating the Causes for Low Female Age at Marriage”, *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol. 52, Issue No. 18, (Co-authors: Kalpana Kannabiran and Sujit Kumar Mishra) 6 May 2017.

Seminars/ Conferences

Impact of Climate Variations on Livelihoods of Fishers: A Study in Coastal Andhra, Inclusive Development: Perspectives and Policies; 18th IASSI ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2017, 3-5 December 2017, Guntur (Andhra Pradesh), Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur.

SOUMYA VINAYAN, Assistant Professor

Publications

Journal Articles

- “Geographical indications in India: Issues and challenges - An overview”, *Journal of World Intellectual Property*, 20 (3-4): 119-132, 2017.

Book Chapters

- “Disability Rights in Higher Education: A Preliminary Investigation of Exclusion and Barriers in Indian Universities” in N V Varghese, Nidhi Sabharwal, Malish C M (eds.) *India Higher Education Report 2016*, New Delhi: Sage Publications (Co-author: Kalpana Kannabiran), 2018.
- “Literacy among Worker Population: Does Gender Matter?” in *Telangana Social Development Report 2018: Gender, Access and Well-Being*, Hyderabad: Council for Social Development, 2018. (Co-Authors: Sujit Kumar Mishra and Padmini Swaminathan).

Seminars / Conferences / Workshops

- MGG Alumni & Partner Conference 2017 on Global Justice and Social Cohesion: Key challenges of the 2030 Agenda, organised by German Development Institute, at Bonn from November 20-22, 2017.
- “Mapping Disability in India: The Gender Dimensions,” National Conference on

Understanding Equal Opportunity – Concepts and Practice: Gender, Disability, Inclusion, Equal Opportunity Cell and CSE Residential Academy in collaboration with Department of Women Education, Al-Beruni Centre for the Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy and Department of Social Work, Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad, 16 January 2018.

Lectures

- “Inclusivity in Higher Education – (Thematic Session –VII)”, Two Week Capacity Building Programme for Faculty Members in Social Sciences sponsored by the ICSSR, New Delhi and organised by Council for Social Development, Hyderabad during 10-23 May 2017, 18 May 2017.
- “Status of education in Telangana state”, District Educational Officers (DEOs) in Telangana, organised by Dr. MCR Human Resource Development Institute, Hyderabad, 26 May 2017.
- “Diversity and Inclusion: Persons with Disabilities” to the employees at E I DuPont Services Center India Pvt. Ltd., on the occasion of International Day of Persons with Disabilities, 1 December 2017.

Other academic activities

- Coordinated thematic sessions on Disability in the Two Week Capacity Building Programme for Faculty Members in Social Sciences during 10-23 May 2017, sponsored by the ICSSR, New Delhi and organised by Council for Social Development, Hyderabad.

SATYAM SUNKARI, Assistant Professor

Publications

Journal Articles

- “Policy Issues of Women in Panchayats of Andhra Pradesh and Telangana”, *Journal of Politics & Governance* (ISSN: 2278-473X), Vol.6 (1), pp.25-34, 2017.
- “Drinking Water in Tribal Areas: A Policy Analysis”, *Journal of Rural and Industrial Development*.

Book Chapters

- Grassroots Welfare Administration and Good Governance: A Study of Two Villages in Telangana, in Gyanmudra and M. Sarumathy (Eds.): *The New Rural Paradigm – Policies and Governance*, Hyderabad: National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj, pp-184-207 (April 2017).
- Tribal Education in Telangana - A Policy Perspective, in, Balaramulu, D, Ravindranath K. Murthy, G. Balaji and Sreenivasa Dasu P., eds., *Education for Future: Issues and Challenges*, Ontario: Canadian Academic Publishing (September 2017, ISBN: 978-1-926488-49-3), Pp-61-63.
- Governance of Mission Kakatiya at Grassroots: A Study from Two Villages of Telangana State, in Srinivas, T, S.Sahiti and K. Subhash., eds., *Mission Kakatiya and Sustainable Rural Development*, Hyderabad: Citadel Publishers (November 2017, ISBN: 978-93-84845-28-5), Pp-60-72.
- Dalit Women in Power Politics: A Study of Gram Panchayats in Telangana, in, Sisodia, Y. S. and Tapas K Dalapati, (eds). *Two Decades of Panchayat Raj in India: Experiences, Issues, Challenges and Opportunities*, Jaipur: Rawat Publication (November 2017).

Seminars & Conferences

- “Politics of Welfare policies: Understanding from Rural Poverty Programmes,” National Seminar on Development Models and impact on Marginalised Communities in India, Department of Sociology, Satavahana University, Karimnagar, Telangana, 22-23 March, 2018 (in absentia).
- “Mapping Contours of Urban-Scavengization and a Caste Question,” National Seminar on Social and Occupational Mobility of Manual Scavengers in India: A Policy Analysis from Social Exclusion Perspective, Centre for the Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, School of Social Sciences, University of Hyderabad, 27-29 March 2018.

Lectures

- “Case study Methods in Research”, Two Week Capacity Building Programme for Faculty Members in Social Sciences sponsored by the ICSSR, New Delhi and organised by Council for Social Development, Hyderabad, 15 May 2017.

CH. SHANKAR RAO, Assistant Professor

Publications

Journal Articles

- “Agricultural Insurance in India: Status and Challenges of Implementation”, *Agricultural Situation in India*, Vol LXXIII, No: 12, pp. 18-27, ISSN: 0002-1679, March 2017.
- “Shrinking Crop Labour Absorption in Andhra Pradesh”, *Indian Journal of Labour Economics*, Vol: 59, No: 2, pp. 275-290, ISSN: 0971-7927, April-June 2016.
- “Caste Discrimination and Agricultural Performance in India”, *Economic and Political Weekly*. Vol: 52 No: 25&26, pp. 32-38, ISSN: 0012-9976, June 24, 2017.

- “Decentralisation and Participatory Planning by PRIs in Telangana: A Study of Grama Jyothi Program,” *Journal of Rural Development*, Vol: 36, No: 4, Oct – Dec 2017, pp. 569-594 (Co-author – Sivakumar Danyasi)
- “Class and Caste Differences in Access to Agricultural Credit in India”, *Commentary Article in Economic and Political Weekly*. Vol: 53, No: 1, January 6, 2018, pp.15-17 ISSNNO: 0012-9976. UGC No: 12473.

Regional Press

- “Saagar Raitu Gundeku Beetalu- Jala Kala Koravadi Kashtanashtaalu” (Problems of Nagarjuna Sagar Irrigation Project and Farmers under its Ayacut), *Eenadu Telugu Daily*, 10 October 2017.
- Aasalu Dudipinjalela? Patti Raituku Ikanaina Maddatu” (Problems of Cotton Marketing - Need for Government Support), *Eenadu Telugu Daily*, 21 October 2017.
- Palleseeamaku Pattabhishakam – Nidhulu Adhikaaratone Grama Swarajyam” (Issues of Gram Panchayats – Need for devolution of all powers and adequate funds and functionaries), *Eenadu Telugu Daily*, 4-11-2017.
- Javagaaraina Sahakaaram (Declining Cooperative Movement in India), *Eenadu Telugu Daily*, 19-11-2017.
- Kouludaarilo Kadagandla Sedyam (Problems of Tenant Farmers), *Eenadu Telugu Daily*, 05-12-2017.
- Samatula Pragatiki Kattali Pattam (Inequalities and Need for Equal Development), *Eenadu Telugu Daily*, 11-01-2018.
- Niddhula kota Samsyala mota: Vidya Aarogyaalaku aadi pradhaanyam (Downfall of Health and Education in Union Budget 2018-19), *Eenadu Telugu Daily*, 23-02-2018.

Seminars / Conferences

- Re-reforming the Agricultural Tenancy Laws in India: Missing the Wood for the Trees?, paper presented in “International Seminar on Law and Institutions for Economic Development: Theory and Practice from India”, by Inter University Centre for Alternative Economics, Department of Economics, University of Kerala, Trivandrum (9-11 August 2017).
- Land Price Bubble: Dynamics of Agricultural Land Sale Markets in Andhra Pradesh, India in National Seminar on “Land Market and the Rural Poor” by S.R. Sankaran Chair, NIRD&PR, Hyderabad (18-19 January, 2018).
- Land Bubble: Operation of Agricultural Land Sale Markets and Implications on Development in Maharashtra” paper presented in International Conference on “Development, Agrarian Change and Gender in India: Exploring Interdisciplinary Approaches”, by Gujarat Institute of Development Research, Ahmadabad (6-7 February 2018).
- “Dynamics in Agricultural Sale Markets, Price an Implications: A Comparative Study between Andhra Pradesh and Maharashtra” in National Conference on “Agrarian Change and Transformation in Post-Reforms India: Pathways and Perspectives, School of Economics, University of Hyderabad, 29-30 March 2018.

Lectures

- “Survey and Sampling Methods in Research”, Two Week Capacity Building Programme for Faculty Members in Social Sciences sponsored by the ICSSR, New Delhi and organised by Council for Social Development, Hyderabad during 10-23 May 2017, 11 May 2017.
- “Measures of Central Tendency and Dispersion” in Ten-Day Capacity Building

Workshop on Quantitative Techniques in Research for Faculty Members and Research Scholars” organised by CSD, Hyderabad on 4th December 2017.

RAFIA KAZIM, ICSSR Post Doctoral Fellow

Publications

Journal Articles

- “Why do Children love to sing ‘Do Dooni Chaar...’? Reflecting Critically on the Pedagogical Practices in a Government Primary School in Hyderabad’, Conference Proceedings, NCERT, New Delhi, 2017.
- “The issue of multi-linguality and challenges faced by working class students studying in English medium schools,” International Journal of Academic Research and Development. Volume 2, Issue 6, PP 294-300, 2017.
- “English Hegemony and the Predicaments of Students of Urdu Medium Schools in Hyderabad” In Sanjay Pandagale (Ed). Education of Minorities in India: Issues and Concerns. New Delhi: NCERT (forthcoming April 2018).

SIVAKUMAR DANYASI,
Post Doctoral Fellow

Publications

Journal

- “Decentralisation and Participatory Planning by PRIs in Telangana: A Study of Grama Jyothi Program,” Journal of Rural Development, Vol: 36, No: 4, Oct–Dec 2017, pp. 569-594 (Co-author: Ch. Shankar Rao).

G. VENKATESWARLU,
Post Doctoral Fellow

Publications

Journal

“Climate Change Vulnerability and Agrarian Communities in Temporal and Spatial Context: District-wise Analysis of Undivided Andhra Pradesh”, Man & Development, March 2018, pp. 29-46 (Co-authors: G. Sridevi, Amalendu Jyotishi, G. Jagadeesh).

KEYOOR, Post Doctoral Fellow

Publications

Book Review

- “Development paradigm for Urban Housing in BRICS Countries,” 2016: Piyush Tiwary, Jyoti Rao and Jennifer Day, Palgrave Macmillan, ISBN 978-1-137-44609-1, 2016 (ebook), pp. 259.

R. BALAJI, Research Associate

Seminars/Conferences

- Participated in a Two day National Seminar on “Politics of Inclusion: Empowering Minorities in India” organised by Department of Political Science, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad, 5-6 September 2017.

Article

“Translating from global to glocal: Vernacular turn on the internet”, in Pammi Pavan Kumar, ed. Language Development Strategies in the Era of Globalization (Co-authors: Arnav Keyur Anjaria and Aditya Sudhesh Raghuvamsi). Proceedings of a National Seminar.

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