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## Bio

I am a Sociologist trying to understand the nature of the interaction between emergent technologies and different social institutions.

## Education

Designation/ Degree	Institution	Time period
Teaching Assistant and Research	Indian Institute of Technology-BHU	2021-present
M. A. Sociology	Mumbai University	2017-2019
B. A. History	Delhi University	2014-2017

## Professional Experience

- Extensive experience as a teaching assistant in a prestigious technical institute, involving teaching, research, curriculum design, and administrative duties.
- Proficient in research administration and international-standard research communication.
- Background in Sociology (M.A.) and History (B.A.) equips with the ability to evaluate emerging technologies' impact on social issues.
- Chose professional experience in a technical institute to blend qualitative research methods with natural sciences and engineering communities.
- Trained to excel in competitive research environments modeled on European ethical standards.

## Research Training and Experience

- Proficiency in qualitative research methods acquired through a one-year course with the objective of bridging the gap between natural and social sciences.
- Training includes applying ethnography to scientific issues like surveillance, using ethnography in natural science domains, and applying traditional social science concepts like "reciprocity" in modern science scenarios.
- Skilled in advanced qualitative research methods such as grounded theory, case study research, and software like NVivo and ATLAS.ti.

- Trained in research communication, knowledge transition, and dissemination with a focus on maintaining balance between demand and supply side of research.
- Strong foundation in qualitative research including skills such as evaluating research validity (internal, external, construct) and precise sampling techniques.
- Demonstrated ability to engage in research in foreign nations and fluently communicate with foreign research communities.
- TOEFL proficiency ensures effective communication in foreign research environments.
- Holds publications resulting from participation in international conferences (details available upon request).

## Publications and Blogs

### Book chapters

1. Inspirations from the works of Anuja Agrawal for a Sociology of Marginalised Community's Rights to Psychological Well-being (*Document available upon request*).

### Book-Woman and Resistance

**Publisher:** People's Literature Publication

*OPC Private Limited*

### Conference Papers

1. Securitization of Migration in the Age of Social Credit System (SCS); Implications for Labour Citizenship and Social Rights in China (*Document available upon request*).
2. Recontextualising Issues of Women Empowerment in Artificial Intelligence (A. I) Industry in Delhi (*Document available upon request*).
3. Surveillance Capitalism in Environmental Discourse (*Document available upon request*).
4. Representation and legitimization of power in pornography (*Document available upon request*).
5. Mental Health of Sex Workers- An Investigation into Psychological Burnout (*Document available upon request*).

## Conferences

- 16th Next-Generation Global Workshop, entitled "International Conference on Migration and Quality of Life: Harnessing the Potential for Social Prosperity" conducted by Kyoto University, (29-30<sup>th</sup> September 2023)
- World Women Conference III
- Interdisciplinary Student Conference on Gender, Individual and Society organized by Mumbai University (1<sup>st</sup> Prize in paper presentation)
- Jadavpur University Women's Conclave 2019

## **Areas of Interests**

- Research interests include Sociology of Science and Technology and Science, Technology, and Society (STS). Currently engaged in research on issues related to electric vehicles, clean energy, surveillance, artificial intelligence, and information systems.
- Interested in themes related to Science Technology and Society (STS), and Sociology of Science and Technology.

## **Field Work and Ethnography Experience**

### **Ethnography in foreign countries**

- Conducted field work in selected cities of Japan- 1. Kyoto 2. Osaka 3. Tokyo covering Electric Vehicle sites. *(Report available on request)*

### **Ethnography in India**

- Conducted field work in Varanasi and Allahbad on two wheeler markets.
- Conducted field work in Nasik and Mumbai for M.A dissertations *(Report available on request)*.

## **Ongoing Projects**

- "From Digital Governance to Tourist Delight: Unravelling the Tourism Impact of India's Smart Cities" (Indian Institute of Management-Calcutta)