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## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

The George Washington University

Research Assistant to Dr. Indira Iyer (on Contract), February'22-Present

Project on Public Finance Management of State and Central Governments in India by **Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation**.

National Institute of Public Finance and Policy (under Ministry of Finance, Government of India)

Research Fellow (on Contract), August'21-January'22.

Project on Public Financing of Health in India: The Way Forward by Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation.

Research Fellow (on Contract), June'20-July'21.

Project on Federalism and Gender by **Forum of Federations, Ottawa**; on Gender and Human Rights Assessment during COVID-19 by **UN Women**; on Environmental Fiscal Transfers, State Electricity Infrastructure, Corporate Tax Incidence, and Flypaper Effect.

Research Intern, Dec'19-Jan'20

Project emphasizing on International Fiscal Federalism, Business Cycles in Emerging Markets, Environmental Fiscal Transfers, and Surging Forex.

National Council of Applied Economic Research

Research Intern, May'19-August'19

NCAER's Land Records and Services Index and a micro-study on "Informal Settlements in Delhi" and their effects on the economy.

Trivedi Center for Political Data, Ashoka University

Research Associate, Aug'18-Apr'19.

Project on Female Participation in Politics (Study of Indian Southern States), and Tokenism in Women Politics.

# OTHER POSITIONS

Jugnucraft Entertainment OPC

Senior Advisor (Policy), Oct'18-Sept'19

## **EDUCATION**

M.A. Economics, Ashoka University, 2020.

Bachelor of Commerce, Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce, University of Delhi, 2018.

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Political Economy, Public Finance, Gender Economics, Economic History, Development Economics, Health Economics, Macroeconomics.

#### PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Kaur, A., L. Chakraborty, and D. Rangan (2021) COVID-19 Economic Stimulus and State-level Power Sector Performance: Analyzing the Efficiency Parameters. *Economic and Political Weekly*. Vol. 56, Issue No. 43, October 23.
- 2. **Rangan**, **D.** and L. Chakraborty (2020). COVID-19: Global Diagnosis and Future Policy Perspective. *Prajnan* (*NIBM*, *Pune*) Vol. XLIX(1).
- 3. Prabhakar, P., A. Agarwal, and **D. Rangan** (2019). Urban Policy Failure in Delhi: A Case of Unauthorised Colonies. *Urban India* Vol. 39(II).

#### **ARTICLES**

- 4. **D. Rangan**. and L. Chakraborty (2020). Explained: Why India is attracting FDI at a time when global inflows remain flat. *Financial Express* January 31.
- 5. Kaur, A., L. Chakraborty, and **D. Rangan** (2021). The flypaper effect: It will be important to note efficacy of Budget in integrating climate change commitments. *Financial Express* January 28.

## **WORKING PAPERS**

- Kaur, A., L. Chakraborty, R.K. Mohanty, and D. Rangan (2021) Ecological Fiscal Transfers and State-level Budgetary Spending in India: Analysing the Flypaper Effects in India. *National Institute of Public Finance and Policy*, Working Paper - 332, March 2021.
- 7. Kaur, A., L. Chakraborty, R.K. Mohanty, and **D. Rangan** (2021) Ecological Fiscal Transfers and State-level Budgetary Spending in India. *Levy Economics Institute of Bard College*, Working Paper 990, July 2021. (Submitted for Publication)

### **BOOK**

Chakraborty, L., A. Kaur, **D. Rangan**, and J.F. Jacob (2021) COVID-19 and Economic Stimulus Packages: Evidence from the Asia-Pacific Region. *NIPFP Publications*, April 2021.

#### **REPORTS**

NCAER (2020) The NCAER Land Records and Services Index (N-LRSI 2020). *National Council of Applied Economic Research*, Report No - 20200202, February 2020.

## SEMINAR AND WORKSHOP

August 2021 77th Annual Congress of the International Institute of Public Finance; Reykjavik, Iceland. (Virtual) June 2021 NIPFP-IIPF International Conference on "Papers in Public Finance"; New Delhi, India (Virtual) August 2018 National Council of Applied Economic Research; New Delhi, India

#### **FUNDING AND GRANTS**

2018-2020 Scholarship (25% of Tuition Fees) Ashoka University

2016 Innovation Project Fund (INR. 4,00,000) University of Delhi

2015 CSSS Scholarship Ministry of HRD (Now, Ministry of Education), Government of India

# PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION AND SERVICES

Spokesperson and Cultural President Delhi University Students' Union (2017-2018)

Member International Association for Feminist Economics

Member Forum for Research in Empirical International Trade (F.R.E.I.T)

# TECHNICAL PROFICIENCY

Stata- Intermediate, GIS - Beginner, LaTex - Intermediate, R - Beginner, Python - Beginner

LANGUAGE

English (Fluent), Hindi (Native)

**REFERENCES** 

"Available upon Request"