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ACADEMIC CREDENTIALS

DEGREE	BOARD/UNIVERSITY	Year
Ph.D in Tourism	University of Jammu, J&K Thesis Topic: “Community Based Tourism and Sustainable Development: An Empirical Study on Potential Destinations of Jammu and Kashmir”	May, 2011 - Present
UGC - NET	NET - MANAGEMENT University Grant Commission	December 2009
MTM	SHTM, University of Jammu (J&K)	2007-09
10+2+3	GDC Boys Udhampur (University of Jammu)	2003-06
10+2	CBSE (J&K)	2003

PROFESSIONAL SYNOPSIS

- ❖ Pursuing Ph.D from SHTM- JU - J&K, under the Supervision of Dr. Anil Gupta.
- ❖ Research Interests - Community Based Tourism, Rural Events.
- ❖ Hands on experience in Research Methodology and Statistical software: SPSS, Mini Tab.
- ❖ Detail oriented and efficient with strong interpersonal skills and the ability to relate to people at all levels.

NET-JRF Ph.D Research Scholar SHTM- Jammu University (180006)

Key Exposure

- ✓ Worked as Volunteer in Great Indian Travel Bazar (GITB) in 2008 and Organizer in 2011.
- ✓ Attended Summer School Research Methodology workshop in IIM-Ahmedabad.
- ✓ Studying Barriers to Community Participation in Tourism.
- ✓ Developed a Framework of Community Participation
- ✓ Exposure to International Conferences organized by Leading Universities and IIT, Delhi.

Summer Internship (Industrial Training)

Jawahar Institute of Mountaineering and Winter Sports (JIM&WS), Pahalgam, J&K.

PUBLICATION/CONFERENCE

- Dogra, R. and Arora, N. (2012). Community Driven Cultural Festivals: A Tool of Sustainable Destination Development. In Sarma, Sarkar and Goswami, SUSTAINABLE TOURISM - Issues and Challenges (261-272). New Delhi, India: McMillan.
- Dogra, R. and Gupta, A. (2012). Barriers to community participation in tourism development: Empirical evidence from a rural destination. International. *Journal of Hospitality & Tourism*.

Conference Presentation/Working Papers

- Presented paper in 6th International conference on contemporary business 2012, IIT-Delhi.
- Community's role in brand building & development of destination. In University of Kashmir, Srinagar.
- "Understanding local residents Awareness towards Sustainable Tourism Development". In International conference on Global Warming. "the biggest Challenge Of 21st century. In Udhampur Degree College, Jammu & Kashmir.
- Understanding Community Participation in rural Tourism Destination by Applying MOA model: A case study of Jhiri, (J&K). In International conference on Sustainable practices in Trans Himalayan Destinations, University Of Jammu.
- Community driven Cultural Festivals; a tool of sustainable destination Development. In 9th ITC, Tezpur University.
- An Empirical Identification of the Barriers to community participation towards tourism development in a rural destination. In National Seminar on tourism & Hospitality Industry: Omissions, Innovations and challenges.
- Understanding rural resident perception towards sustainable tourism development: A qualitative study at Mansar & Surinsar, J&K.
- Measuring cultural values at individual level: validating CVSCALE in Indian context. In 3rd International conference on cross cultural management: Practice and Research.

Research Methodology Workshops

- Shortlisted candidate from North India (including 2 more) for attending IIM - A Summer School 2012 - "Multivariate and Panel Data Analysis - for Doctoral Students and Researchers", at Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad, India, from 4th-9th June, 2012.
- Attended a One Month Research Methodology Workshop on "Statistical Package for Social Sciences (SPSS)" - organized by Department of Lifelong Learning, University of Jammu, J&K, from August - September, 2011.
- Attended one day workshop organized by PHD Chamber of Commerce regarding International Business Practices.

ACHIEVEMENTS/ACTIVITIES

- ✓ Worked as Departmental Representative (DR) in School of Hospitality & Tourism Management, University of Jammu.
- ✓ Best Research paper Award in 5th ICMBBS conference in Haridwar.
- ✓ Active Volunteer of NGO 'Moments of Joy' and working altruistically for bringing smile on the faces of orphanage and Aged people.

Personal Details

Permanent Address	:	R/O village Kashirah, Air Force Road Udhampur, J&K
Date of Birth	:	18 th April, 1985
Languages Known	:	English, Hindi, & Dogri
Community Activity	:	Active Volunteer for NGO "Moments of Joy" and Blood donation camps.