

## CURRICULUM VITAE



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### **Educational Qualifications:**

<b>University</b>	<b>Discipline</b>	<b>Degree</b>	<b>Year</b>
University of Bombay	Social Work	M.S.W	1986
Chetna Inst. of Mgmt, Mumbai	Business Management	PG DBM	1985
University of Bombay	Science	B.Sc.	1984

### **Professional Experience:**

#### **June 2014 to date**

Assistant Professor,  
Dr . Babasaheb Ambedkar  
College of Social Work,  
Dhule

#### **Responsibilities:**

**Teaching** graduate & post graduate students of Social Work. Subjects Taught: English, Tribal Development, Communication, Child Rights, Institutional Management, Health, Fields of Social Work, Research.

**Coordinator:** Dr. Babasaheb Rural Development Project  
**Coordinator:** Indira Gandhi Open University Study Centre

**Coordinator:** YCMOU

**Coordinator:** Career Oriented Courses: P.G. Diploma in Child Rights, P.G. Diploma in Tribal Development, Certificate Course in PRA, Certificate Course in Rural Development, Certificate Course in Communication affiliated to the North Maharashtra University, Jalgaon  
**Coordinator:** Legal Aid Clinic

**January 2010 to 2014**  
Coordinator  
Research Unit,  
College of Social Work

**Responsibilities:**

Coordinating and conducting the studies undertaken by the Research Unit. Leading the research team, liaising with members from the other institutions involved in the study, and seeing the study to its final completion. Was involved in the following studies:

- Multi Sectoral development of areas prone to communal tensions in Maharashtra, Minority Affairs Department, Government of Maharashtra :2009-2011
- Concerns of Women in Kandhamal District, Orissa, National Solidarity Forum: 2010
- Preparing the Directory of Minority Educational Institutions, Minority Affairs Department Government of Maharashtra: 2010-2011
- Dandi village: A survey on maternal and child health, JSW Steel Ltd. : 2011-2012
- Baseline survey of the Demonstration site for the Girls Gaining Ground (GGG) program, Bhavishya Alliance: 2011
- Development Initiatives by Voluntary Organizations Working for the Muslim Community in the State of Maharashtra, College of Social Work: 2011
- Needs Assessment Survey of Srijika Kheda, College of Social Work: 2011
- To Strengthen Child Protection Systems and Addressing Violence Against Children, UNICEF: 2011-2012
- A Rapid Appraisal of Teach for India (TFI) Programme, BPCL: 2012

- Formative Process Evaluation of Computer Assisted Learning (CAL) Project, BPCL: 2012
- End line survey of the demonstration site for the Girls Gaining Ground (GGG) program, Bhavishya Alliance: 2012
- Going Beyond the Known: Understanding Exit Strategies used by Commercial Sex Workers (Csws) in the Kamathipura Area in Mumbai, Navjeevan trust and College of Social Work, Nirmala Niketan :2011-2012
- A Baseline Needs Assessment of Baddi, Navghar and Barutiwala , College of Social Work , 2013
- Economic Opportunities for the Marginalized in India, Rajiv Gandhi Institute For Contemporary Studies(RGICS), Delhi : 2013
- Preparing a Compendium of NGO's in Mumbai,Delhi,Ahmedabad,Chennai,Kolkata,Bengaluru and Hyderabad, Ishanya Foundation – CSR of Deepak Fertilizers, Pune: 2013

**July 2006 to 2014**

Field Work Instructor  
College of Social Work  
Mumbai

**Responsibilities:**

Supervising and guiding BSW and MSW students placed for field work in different organizations. Supervised students placed with Apnalaya, Rangoonwala Foundation, MAVIM, Stree Mukti Sanghatana, Daya Sadan, Chuim Community Center, and Bal Prafullata

**July 2005 – June 2006**

**Lecturer, URCD**  
Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai

**Responsibilities:**

Teaching, Supervision of field work students, Compilation of Case studies for teaching, Documentation, Part of Organizing committee for seminar on “Adequate Housing Options for the Poor in Mumbai”

**September 2004 - July 2005**

**Research Associate**  
College of Social Work

**Responsibilities:**

Developing a curriculum & manual on Peace Education for

Mumbai

Bachelor's Degree Programme in Social Work.

**January 2004 - July 2004**

**Project Coordinator**

BUILD,  
Bandra, Mumbai

**Responsibilities:**

Directing, planning, monitoring and implementing two projects on 74<sup>th</sup> constitutional amendment in slums of H-East ward (Bandra East) and P - North ward (Malad).  
Supervising staff, staff development & training.  
Networking with government and other NGOs.

**November 2002 - June 2003**

**Program Executive:**

Education  
Catholic Relief Services  
Byculla, Mumbai

**Responsibilities:**

In charge of the state of Gujarat: initiating, monitoring, supporting & evaluating projects in the field of education.  
Supervising staff, developing modules and conducting training programmes.

**June 1997 - October 2002**

**Social Welfare Executive,**

Paragon Charitable Trust  
Paragon Textile Mills  
Worli, Mumbai

**Responsibilities:**

Directing & Managing the total functioning of the Trust. Programmes included - Medical aid to deserving patients by networking with BMC hospitals, educational loans for local & foreign studies, educational sponsorship to mentally challenged children through special schools, supporting & promoting innovative, experimental & sustainable developmental projects. Counseling of workers & staff of the mills. Investments, accounts & all matters related to the Charity Commissioner.

**July 1992 - May 1997**

**Visiting Faculty,**

S.N.D.T University  
Mumbai

**Responsibilities:**

Teaching the students of Paraprofessional course in social work, setting of examination papers and evaluating students.

**Subjects Taught:**

Personality Development and Communication Skills.

**Resource Person for NGOs** SOCLEAN, Jagruti Kendra, Asha Ankur, Social Development Centre, Pragati Kendra, Jeevan Nirvaha Niketan, Saksham, Nirmala Niketan Home Science, etc. .

**Also Worked on Short Term Projects & Assignments (Part -Time)**

**July 1992 - May 1993:**

Worked with EKTA & MAJLIS on the issue of Communal Harmony. Also worked for the rehabilitation of riot affected people - conducted a survey of riot affected Rajiv Nagar, Mahim, co-ordinate with Government & NGOs, raised funds for rebuilding of houses & rehabilitation of the affected, helped the riot victims to cope with the aftermath of the riots.

**November 1993 - October 1994:**

Worked with Kherwadi Social Welfare Association. Conducted a survey of Kherwadi slums in order to understand the needs of the people. Initiated various community support services like Vocational Training for youth, Health Centre for community, Balwadis etc.

**July 1991 - June 1992**  
Social Worker  
Children of the World  
Tardeo, Mumbai

**Responsibilities:**

Worked in the slum area of Tulsiwadi, on the Sponsorship Programme. Implementing educational & health sponsorship for children, organizing health awareness programmes for the slum community, Initiating & supervising community support services like Sewing Classes, Balwadi, Day Care Centre & Community Kitchens.

**October 1987 - April 1991**

**Social Worker,**  
Holy Family Hospital  
Bandra Mumbai

**Responsibilities:**

Worked on the community Extension Programme in neighbouring slums. Health Education with special focus on preventive & promotive aspects of health. Supervision of Community Health Volunteers & community support services like study classes, Balwadis & Sewing Class. Worked on different issues with women, youth & children's groups. Administrative tasks.

**June 1986 - November 1986**

**Social Worker,**  
Danda Slum Project

**Responsibilities:**

College of Social Work  
Mumbai

Initiated the Non - Formal Education Project. Worked with children, women and youth groups on issues concerning them.

**Research Experience:**

Problems faced by women working in the unorganized sector in the city of Dhule – study conducted for Maharashtra State Women’s Commission, Mumbai, March 2019.

Impact of communal violence on college youth and communities in Mumbai- research conducted for Centre For Dialogue and Reconciliation, Delhi, January, 2005.

Evaluation of Activities of Action Research Studies in Health Care for the Urban Poor - Research conducted for FRCH, Mumbai with Dr. Ancilla Tragler & N.D. Emmel, 1996.

Study of Urban Trends in Maharashtra, Gujarat & Goa with special reference to Health & Education - Research conducted for All India Institute of Local Self Government, 1995.

Slum Dwellers Expectations vis-à-vis housing - Research conducted for Committee for The Right to Housing, Bombay, 1993.

Role of NGOs in development of Maharashtra- A study conducted for rural communes' With Maveen Soares, 1991.

Study of the Health Status of the residents of Jaffar Baba Colony, Bandra - Research Conducted for Holy Family Hospital in 1990.

A follow- up study of the Post- Graduates of the college of Social Work: 1975-1982: Research Project for Masters Degree in Social Work, 1986.