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Areas of Interest: Health Economics, Economics of Education, Applied Development Economics

Education

Aug. 1997 – Nov. 2003 Ph.D. in Economics, CESP, Jawaharlal Nehru University, India
Dissertation Title: Issues on Efficiency in Production of Health and Provision of Health Care, Advisor: Prof. D. N. Rao

Aug. 1995 - July 1997 M.Phil in Economics, CESP, Jawaharlal Nehru University, India
CGPA 7.16 on a scale of 9 (Grade: A Minus)
Concentration: Health Economics, Environmental Economics, Advanced Economic Theory, and Methods for Applications in Economics
Dissertation Title: Methodology for the Appraisal of Benefits from Health Care Program - a Critical Review, Advisor: Prof. D. N. Rao

Feb. 1992 - July 1994 M.Sc. in Economics, University of Calcutta, 61 percent
Concentration: Advanced Economic Theory, Urban Economics

Employment

July 2008 – Present Associate Professor, Madras School of Economics, Chennai

Nov. 2003 – Mar. 2008 Assistant Professor, Centre for Development Studies, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai

Sept. 1998 – Mar. 1999 Lecturer, Dayal Singh College (Evening), University of Delhi

Aug. 1997 – Aug. 1998 Project Associate, National Institute of Public Finance and Policy, Member of the survey team conducting a survey on morbidity pattern in New Delhi under the supervision of Prof. A. L. Nagar

Papers Published/Accepted for Publication in Edited Books /Journals

“Privatising Social Opportunity: Trends and Implications for Higher Education in India”, *Democracy, Development and Decentralisation* edited by C. Sengupta and S. Corbridge, Routledge, India, *forthcoming*

"Determinants of Participation in Higher Education and Choice of Disciplines: Evidence from Urban and Rural Indian Youth", *South Asia Economic Journal*, Vol.10(2), *forthcoming*

“Antenatal and Maternal Health Care Utilization: Evidence from North-eastern States of India” (co-author K. Chaudhuri), *Applied Economics*, Vol. 39(6), 2007, 683-695

“Efficiency in Production of Health: A Stochastic Frontier Analysis for Indian States” (co-author D.N. Rao), *Global Economics: New Research* edited by A. Tavidze, 105-128, Nova Science Publications, New York, 2007

“Determinants of Expenditure on Education: an Empirical Analysis Using State Level Data From India” (co-author R. Joglekar), *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol XLI , 1465-1472, April 15-21, 2006

“Disparity in Educational Attainment of Indian Youth, Determinants of Household Expenditure on Higher Education and Implication of Privatisation”, *Endeavour: a Journal of Youth Development*, Vol. 1, No.1, 61-80, July – December 2005

“Maternal Health Care Utilisation: An Empirical Analysis Based on Rural India”, *Studies in Macroeconomics and Welfare* edited by B.B. Bhattacharya and A. Mitra, 321-349, Academic Foundations, New Delhi, 2005

“Variation in Health Expenditures: is it Just Income or Other Factors; Empirical Investigation Using a Panel of Indian States”(co-author D.N. Rao), *Journal of Quantitative Economics*, New Series, Vol. 3, No. 2, 158 – 179, 2005

“Measuring the Impact of Policy Variables on the Burden of Disease,” (co-author D. N. Rao), *Social Sciences Research Journal*, Vol. 10, No.1, 2002

Other Publications

“Impact of Liberalisation and Globalisation: Emerging Issues for the Indian Youth” published in *One India One People*, Volume 7, Number 8, Pg. 18 to 20, 2005-06-11

“Location of Extrema: The Single Variable Case”, course material for ‘Undergraduate Mathematical Methods in Economics’, Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), New Delhi

“Unconstrained Optimisation with More than One Choice Variables”, course material for ‘Undergraduate Mathematical Methods in Economics’, Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), New Delhi

Working Papers

“Attitude and Practices towards Food Safety in Domestic Consumption: a case study from India” - abstract indexed in Social Science research Network Working Paper Series, abstract_id= 1576968 (WPS)

“Determinants of Child Morbidity and Factors Governing Utilisation of Child Health Care: Evidence from Rural India” – abstract indexed in Social Science research Network Working Paper Series, abstract_id=474881

Papers Accepted / Presented at Conference

“Privatising Social Opportunity: Trends and Implications for Higher Education in India” presented in a workshop (entitled: Growth, Justice and Freedom - Paths and Problems of India’s Development) at Development Studies Institute (DESTIN), London School of Economics, 26-27 June, 2007

“Determinants of Child Morbidity and Factors Governing Utilisation of Child Health Care: Evidence from Rural India” presented in the 41st Annual Conference of the Indian Econometric Society, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, 20 – 22 January, 2005.

“Factors Governing Maternal Health Care Utilisation: Evidence from Rural India” presented in the 40th annual Conference of the Indian Econometric Society, Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bangalore, 13 – 15 February, 2004

“Efficiency in Production of Health: A Stochastic Frontier Analysis for Indian States” accepted for presentation at the Far Eastern meetings of the Econometric Society, Kobe, Japan, 2001

“Measuring the Impact of Policy Variables on the Burden of Disease” (co-author D. N. Rao) at the APHEN meetings, Centre for Health Economics, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand, 1998

Projects Undertaken

“Gender Differences in Fertility Choice in Rural India: a Multilevel Analysis”, Project funded by British Academy, U.K., Ongoing.

“Household Survey on Food Safety and Quality Control of Drugs in Western India.” Project sponsored by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (GOI) and World Bank, 2006, Report Submitted

“Livelihoods, Employment, and Sustainable Development: an Initiative towards Improving Skills and Employability of People”, Project sponsored by Confederation of Indian Industries, 2005, Report Submitted

“Expenditure on Higher Education in India: Role Played by the Government and Household.” Project sponsored by Board of Research Studies, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, 2004-05, Report Submitted

“Socio-Economic Benefits of Establishing Petroleum Refinery at Bina (M.P.).” Project sponsored by Bharat Oman Refinery Limited, 2004, Report Submitted

Teaching Assignment

- Microeconomics Theory
- Health Economics
- Foundation Course in Economics

Lecture / Talk Delivered

Delivered Lecture on *Microeconomics: The Laws of Returns and Production*, Refresher Course in Economics organised by Atomic Energy Education Society, BARC, 21st July, 2005

Delivered lecture on *Introduction to cost-effective analysis: Estimation of Quality Adjusted Life Years and Disability Adjusted Life Years* to students pursuing Masters in Hospital Administration, K. C. College, Mumbai on 9th May, 2005

Delivered lecture on *Principles of Efficiency and Equity Theories in Health Care Sector* to students pursuing Masters in Hospital Administration, K. C. College, Mumbai on 11th May, 2005

Thesis Guidance

Imposition of Product Patent: Implication on Drug Prices for HIV / AIDS, Dr. Shekhar V. Phulpagar, Diploma in Hospital Administration

Community Based Health Insurance: a Study of Models, Scope and Constraints, Dr. Parag Patel, Masters in Hospital Administration

Explaining the Use of Health Insurance in India, Anand Shankar, Masters in Financial Economics

Award

Jawaharlal Nehru Scholarships for Doctoral Studies in India (for health care), Jawaharlal Nehru Memorial Fund, Teen Murti House, New Delhi 110 011.