

PERSONAL PROFILE



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4. PUBLICATIONS:

Total **43 papers** in different National / International Journals/ Edited Books
Total **2 Books** are Authored and published from Germany. [5 papers are accepted and in press].

Latest publications of 2012-2013:

1. Decentralized Development and Rural Governance in India: Challenges and Opportunities, Edited by Rajiv Sen, "Significance of traditional Political organization among the Karbis' (51-67) of Northeast India" 2013. ISBN. 978-81-926963-1-7.
2. Deprivation: An Anthropological Observation (331- 352), in D. Rao (ed), Social, Economic Scheduled Tribes, 2013, Mangalam Publications, Delhi. ISBN: 978-93-81142-85-1.
3. Environmental Dimensions of Culture: A Study on the Karbis' of North East India (135-140), in The Asian Man - An International Journal Vol. 7, Issue 1&2, January - December 2013, Print ISSN : 0974-6366. Online ISSN : 0975-6884. (ICV 4.16)
4. Significance of Number System in Communication Method: The Tribal Perspective (189-197), in Indian Journal of Developmental Research and Social Action, Vol-9, Number1-2, January-December 2013, Serials Publications, New Delhi. ISSN-0973-3116.
5. Violence Against Children: *Emerging Issues, Challenges and The Way Ahead (286-294)*, in A.K.Singh, S.P.Singh and S.K. Biswas (eds.), Gender Violence In India: Perspective, Issues and Way Forward, 2013, Bal Vikas Prakashan Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi. ISBN: 81-7669-016-3.
6. Migration, Resettlement and Health: A Medical Anthropological Perspective (75-90), in The Eastern Anthropologist, Vol-66, No.1, January-March 2013, Serials Publications, New Delhi. ISSN:0012-8686.
7. *Child Pornography: An Anthropological Overview (187-193)*, in A.K.Singh and A.P.Singh (eds.) Care and Protection of Girl Children In India:Status, Emerging Issues, Challenges and Way Forward, 2013, Bal Vikas Prakashan Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi. ISBN: 81-7669-130-5.
8. *Poverty and Women Entrepreneurship: Emerging Issues and Challenges (549-562)*, in A.K.Singh, K. Suguna and R.V.M. Reddy (eds.) *Women Entrepreneurship: Emerging Issues, Challenges and Strategies*, 2013, Serials Publications, New Delhi. ISBN: 978-81-8387-562-2.
9. *Socio-Economic Impact of Natural Disaster: An Anthropological Observation (470-484)*, in A.K.Singh and A. Misra (eds.) *New Dimensions of Disaster Management in India: Perspective, Approaches and Strategies*, 2013, Serials Publications, New Delhi. ISBN: 978-81-8387-564-6.

10. Traditional Economic Organization and the Role of Tribal Women (283-300), 2012, in D. Pulla Rao (ed) Gender Inequality and Women's Empowerment, Global Research Publications, New Delhi. ISBN: 978-81-89630-62-1.
11. Gender Discrimination, Poverty and Developmental Perspectives (45-61), in Indian Journal of Developmental Research and Social Action, Vol-8, Number1-2, January-December 2012, Global Research Publications, New Delhi. ISSN-0973-3116.
12. Microfinance and Empowerment of Women: An Anthropological Analysis (330-348), 2012, in N. Roy and R. Mondal (ed), Segments From Development Discourse In North-East India, Assam University, Silchar, Assam. ISBN- 978-81-908202-1-9.
13. Indigenous Knowledge, Material Culture And Economy: An Anthropological Study On The Handicrafts of Assam (111-119), in International Journal of Rural Development and Management Studies, Vol-6, Number: 1, January-June 2012, International Science Press, New Delhi. ISSN- 0975-0614.
14. Culture, Religion and Totemism: An Anthropological Perspective (91-100), 2011-12, in B. J. Goswami(ed) Janakristi, Annual Research Journal of Folklore Society of Assam, Vol.2, No. 5-6. ISSN:0974-6188.
15. *Women Trafficking: An Emerging Social Problem In India (137-158)*, in A.K.Singh, A.P.Singh and P.A. Khan (eds.) Trafficking in Women and Children in India: Emerging Perspective, Issues and Strategies, 2012, Serials Publications, New Delhi. ISBN: 978-81-8387-465-6.
5. **PARTICIPATION IN NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR/ CONFERENCES:**
Paper presented and Participated in **38** National/Inter National Seminar/ Symposium.

5. ACADEMIC VISITS ABROAD

1. *Participated and Paper in Manchester, U.K from 5th -10th August, 2013 to Participate, Present the Paper and convene a panel in International Union of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences 17th World Congress, on Evolving Humanity, Emerging Worlds.*

6. ONGOING RESEARCH PROJECTS

1. "Folk Culture. Environmental Sustainability And Emerging Challenges: A Study On The Karbis Of Karbi Anglong, Assam" sponsored by University Grants Commission, New Delhi.(Grant-1.5 lakh; Session-2012-2014)
2. "Indigenous Knowledge Of Health Care Practices During Pregnancy, Childbirth And Postnatal Period- A Study On The Karbi Tribal Group Of North East India" sponsored by ICMR, New Delhi (Grant- 6 lakh; Session- Accepted)

7. SEMINAR ORGANISED

1. Academic Co-ordinator of two day national seminar on :Culture, Health and Development: The Situation among the tribes of Northeast India" sponsored by ICSSR-NERC, Shillong during 20th and 21st September, 2012.

8. CHAIRING/INVITED TALK OF SESSIONS AT SEMINAR/WORKSHOP:

1. IUAES 17th World Congress, on **Evolving Humanity, Emerging Worlds**, 5th -10th August, 2013, in Manchester, U.K.

Panel SE16 Human security, disadvantaged people and Development: the emerging human rights challenges in the era of globalization (IUAES Commission on Human Rights).