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## **OBJECTIVES:**

- ✦ I want excel in the field philosophy with hard work, perseverance and dedication and want a highly rewarding career where I can use my skills and knowledge for organizational and personal growth.
- ✦ I am a dedicated person who wants to use my skills and education to help students to achieve their goals by using innovative and humanitarian approaches of positive philosophy.

## **PRESENT STATUS: 04**

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- Assistant Professor (Philosophy), Post Graduate Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh.
- Programme Coordinator, Centre for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (CPPIS), Milestone Education Society (Regd.), Pehowa (Kurukshetra) since 2010.
- Chief-Editor, *Lokāyata: Journal of Positive Philosophy and Milestone Education Review* (ISSN: 2249-8389).
- Chief-Editor, *Milestone Education Review* (The Journal of Ideas on Educational & Social Transformation (ISSN: 2278-2168).

## **ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS: 04**

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- M.A. (Philosophy) from Kurukshetra University Kurukshetra in May, 2005.
- B.A. (Psychology & Economics) from Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra in April, 2003.
- Intermediate Examination (10+2) from B.S.E.H. in March, 2000.
- High School (10<sup>th</sup>) from B.S.E.H. in March, 1998.

## **PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS: 05**

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- Ph.D. Research work entitled, "*A Philosophical Study of the Concept of Mind (with special reference to Rene Descartes, David Hume and Gilbert Ryle)*" supervised by Dr. Anamika Girdhar, Reader, Dept. of Philosophy, K.U.K., 2010.
- Certificate Course in Effective Communication from Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra in May 2010.
- P.G. Diploma in Translation (Hindi) from Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra in May 2007.
- Qualified the 'UGC-NET' examination held on Dec. 2004 & Dec. 2005.
- Diploma –in –Reasoning from Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra in Dec.2004.

### Online Courses: 01

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- MOOC: Introduction to Philosophy, The University of Edinburg, Coursera, May 22, 2016.

### DISTINCTIONS AND AWARDS: 03

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- Selected as *Junior Research Fellow* by Indian Council of Philosophical Research, New Delhi for the period of two years from October 01, 2007 to September 30, 2009.
- Awarded *University Research Scholarship* from 15 Feb. 2006 to 30 Sept. 2007 by Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra for Ph.D.
- Awarded *Late (Prof.) Dr. A. K. Sinha Medal* standing first in M.A. Philosophy Examination, 2005 with the Certificate of Merit by Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra.

### TEACHING AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE: 06

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- **2010 to till date:** Teaching complete B.A. (Philosophy) Course in P.G. Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh. Papers: Elements of Philosophy, Logic, Ethics (Indian and Western), Epistemology & Metaphysics (Indian & Western).
- **2010-2011:** Worked as Project Fellow in Centre for Sri Aurobindo Studies, Sohan Lal DAV College of Education (IASE), Ambala City from April 2010 to July 2010.
- **2009-2010:** Taught in Diploma –in- Reasoning and M.A. Philosophy in the Dept. of Philosophy, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra. Papers: The Principles of Logic, Applied Reasoning and Logic (Indian & Western).
- **2008-2009:** Taught in Diploma in Reasoning and M.A. Philosophy (Full Session) in the Dept. of Philosophy, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra. Papers: The Principles of Logic, Applied Reasoning and Logic (Indian & Western).
- **2007-2008:** Taught in Diploma in Reasoning (Full session) and M.A. Philosophy (Partial) in the Dept. of Philosophy, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra. Papers: The Principles of Logic, Applied Reasoning & Western Metaphysics.
- **2006-2007:** Taught in M.A. Philosophy and Diploma in Reasoning (Full session) in the Dept. of Philosophy, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra. Papers: Western Metaphysics & Applied Reasoning.

### MEMBERSHIPS OF LEARNED SOCIETIES: 08

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- Life-Member, Darshan Parishad (Madhya Pradesh & Chattisgarh): 15/10/2016

- Life-Member, All India Philosophy Association (Akhil Bhartiya Darshan Parishad): 03/06/2015.
- Life-Member, Society for Philosophical Praxis, Counseling and Spiritual Healing (SPPCSH), Jaipur: 23/02/2014.
- Life-Member of Council for Teacher Education, Haryana State Chapter since 10/10/2010.
- Life-Member of Society for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (SPPIS), Haryana since 19/01/2009.
- Life-Member of International Congress of Social Philosophy (ICSP) since 22/11/2008.
- Associate Member of Council for Research in Values and Philosophy (CRVP), Washington D.C. since 01/01/2007.
- Life-Member of Milestone Education Society (Regd.) Pehowa (Kurukshetra) since 10/07/2005.

#### MEMBERS IN ACADEMIC COMMITTEES/ EDITORIAL BOARDS:12

- **Member** in Advisory Committee of UGC Sponsored Two-Days National Seminar on Contemporary Ethics: Theoretical, Practical and Methodological Disquiet at Department of Philosophy, Singhbhum College, Chandil, Kolhan University, Jharkhand held on 6-7 February, 2017.
- **Member** in Organizing & Advisory Committee of ICSSR Sponsored Two Days National Seminar cum Workshop on “Applied Indian Paradigms of Human Rights-Possibilities and Challenges (with special reference to Samvedanaa, Sanskar & Adhikar) at S.D.College (Lahore) Ambala Cantt. in collaboration with Department of Sanskrit, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar and Department of Sanskrit, Punjabi University, Patiala held on 13<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> January, 2017.
- **Member** in Publication & Publicity Committee of *28<sup>th</sup> National Conference of Council for Teacher Education on the theme Emerging Perspectives in Indian Teacher Education: Search for Identity and Building Humane Society*” held on December 1-2, 2014.
- **Reviewer** of *International Journal of Educational Studies* (IJES) (ISSN: 2312-458X (Online), Islamabad, Pakistan since 2014.
- **Review and Advisory Board Member** of *International Journal of Multidisciplinary Educational Research* (IJMER) (ISSN: 2277-7881), Andhra University, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh since 1 March 2014.
- **Review Board Member** for *Journal of Pro-Poor Growth (An International Perspective)* Department of Management Sciences, COMSATS Institute of Information Technology, Abbottabad, Pakistan since February 22, 2013 (One Year).

- **Member** of the committee for *Yearlong Celebration of the 150th Birth Anniversary of Swami Vivekananda*, Centre for Swami Vivekananda Studies, Panjab University, Chandigarh (No.1177/CVS/Phil./2013, February 21, 2013).
- **Coordinator**, Philosophical Harmony Chair Existential Harmony Research Projects and World Conference, IASE Deemed University and Gandhi Vidya Mandir, Sardarshahar (Rajasthan) since 2012.
- **Advisor** in Editorial Board of *Intellection* (ISSN:2319-8192) BARAK EDUCATION SOCIETY (Regd. No.RS/CA/243/54 of 1997-98) Silchar since October 8, 2012.
- **Member** in Editorial Board of *Haryana CTE Newsletter*, Council for Teacher Education, Haryana State Chapter since February, 2012.
- **Member** in Editorial Board of *PhilManQuest* (ISSN: 2250-1835) Spiritual Teacher Forum since December 26, 2011.
- **Member** in Editorial Advisory Board of *Chintan: Research Journal* (ISSN:2229-7227) since 2011.

#### RESEARCH PAPARS /BOOKS/CHAPTERS/TRANSLATION: 50

- **Research Journals: 28**
  1. "Hume's Ideas on the Problem of Personal Identity" in *Journal of Bihar Philosophical Research*, 2005 (Combined Edition), pp.189-197.
  2. "Gilbert Ryle on Descartes' Myth" in *K.U. Research Journal of Arts and Humanities*, Vol.XLI, Part-II , Jan.-Dec.2007, pp.81-86.(ISSN 0454-6952)
  3. "Ethical Ideas in Descartes' Philosophy" in *K.U. Research Journal of Arts and Humanities*, Vol.XLII, 2008 , pp.89-97.(ISSN 0454-6952).
  4. "The Official Doctrine and its Relevance Today" in *Parisheelan: A Research Journal*, Vol. IV, No.3, 2009, pp.14-21 (ISSN:0974-7222).
  5. "Concept of Self in David Hume and Buddha" in the issue entitled Human Person: Various Perspectives of *Satya Nilayam Chennai Journal of Interacultural Philosophy*, No.17, Feb.2010, pp. 22-34 (ISSN: 0972-5016).
  6. "Ryle's Dispositional Analysis of Mind and its Relevance" in *Review Journal Philosophy & Social Science*, Vol.XXXV ,April, 2010,pp.103-111 (ISSN 0048-7325).
  7. "Philosophy and Values in School Education of India", *Suvidya: Journal of Philosophy and Religion*, Vol.02,No.02, Dec. 2010, pp.80-87( ISSN: 0974-6110)
  8. "Ambedkar on Humanism :'Action, Reflection, Action", *Frontier Weekly*, Vol. 43, No. 27, January 16-22, 2011 (ISSN: 0016-2094).

9. "Samkalin Bhartiya Samaj Mein Darshan-Shastra ki Upadeyta" (Hindi), *Chintan :Research Journal*, Year 01, No.01, March 2011, pp.37-40 (ISSN:2229-7227).
10. "Dr. Ambedkar ka Shiksha Darshan(Hindi)", Himprastha, Year 57, No.01, April 2011, pp.55-56 (Regn. No.845/1957).
11. "Dr. Ambedkar's Ideas on Education and Social Change" in *Wesleyan Journal of Research*, Vol.4, No.1, June 2011, pp.180-183 (ISSN:0975-1386).
12. "Maharshi Valmiki ka Naitik Darshan" in *Darshan Jyoti*, Year 01, No.01, Sept-August, 2011, pp.35-39 (ISSN: 2249-1198).
13. "Understanding Indian Value System through Sri Aurobindo's Education System" in *The Philosopher : An Online Refereed Journal of Dharma, Darshana & Adhyatma*, Year 9 , Vol.18, July - December 2011 (ISSN: 2277 – 2200) co-authored with Ms Gitanjali Bora.
14. "Methods of Philosophical Inquiry in Upanishads" in *International Journal of Multidisciplinary Educational Research*, Vol.1, Issue 2, June 2012, pp. 57-62 (ISSN: 2277-7881).
15. "Teaching Aids and Modes in Academic Philosophy" in *University News*, Vol.51, No.18, May 06-12, 2013, pp.21-23 (ISSN: 0565-2257).
16. "Mental Health in India: Issues and Policies" in *Milestone Education Review* (The Journal of Ideas on Educational & Social Transformation), Year 04, No.2, October, 2013, pp.35-54 (ISSN: 2278-2168).
17. "Mahatma Jyotiba Phule: A Modern Indian Philosopher" in *Darshan: International Refereed Quarterly Research Journal for Philosophy and Yoga*, Year 1, Issue 3-4, July – Sept. & October-December, 2013, pp.28-36 (ISSN: 2320-8325).
18. "The Development of Morality in Human Life: An Overview" in *Milestone Education Review* (The Journal of Ideas on Educational & Social Transformation), Year 05, No.01, April, 2014, pp. 25-35 (ISSN: 2278-2168).
19. "समाज में मूल्यों एवं मानवाधिकार शिक्षा की उपयोगिता" in *Lokayata: Journal of Positive Philosophy*, Vol.IV, No.02, September, 2014, pp. 41-48 (ISSN: 2249-8389) co-writer Mr. Ishwar Singh.
20. "Laws and Rights for Indian Women" in *Shikshan Anveshika*, , Volume 04, Issue 02, 2014, pp.65-67. (Print ISSN : 2231-1386, Online ISSN : 2348-7534) co-authored with Dr. Dinesh Chahal.
21. "The Philosopher King: An Indian Point of View" in *Sucharitha: A Journal of Philosophy and Religion*, Volume 03, Issue 01, 2015, pp.12-19. (ISSN: 2319-4235).
22. "Positive Philosophy, Innovative Method and Present Education System" in *Intellection: A Bi-annual Interdisciplinary Research Journal*, Vol.III, No.II, July- December 2015, pp.01-13 (ISSN:2319-8192).

23. "Place of Logic in Indian Philosophy" in *Lokāyata: Journal of Positive Philosophy*, Volume V, No. 02 , September, 2015, pp.39-49 (ISSN: 2249-8389).
24. "Philosophy of Sufism and Islam" in *Lokāyata: Journal of Positive Philosophy*, Volume VI, No. 01 , March, 2016, pp.34-38 (ISSN: 2249-8389).
25. "The Role of Religious and Spiritual Values in Shaping Humanity (A Study of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Religious Thoughts)" in *Milestone Education Review (The Journal of Ideas on Educational & Social Transformation)*, Year 07, No.01, April, 2016, pp. 06-18 (ISSN: 2278-2168).
26. "Higher Education and Research in India: An Overview" in *Intellectual Quest (A Peer Reviewed Research Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences)*, Vol.05, June 2016 pp.26-38 (ISSN: 2349-1949).
27. "Positive Philosophy of Swami Brahmananda Saraswati" in *Darshan Jyoti: Refereed Annual Philosophical Research Journal*, Year 05, No.01, September, 2015-August-2016, pp. 124-130 (ISSN: 2249-1196).
28. "Role of Religions in Imparting Social Justice in Indian Socio-Political Context" in *Milestone Education Review (The Journal of Ideas on Educational & Social Transformation)*, Year 07, No.02, October, 2016, pp. 51-58 (ISSN: 2278-2168).

#### Proceedings of Seminars/Conferences:08

- a. "Humans Beings Have No Identical Self" in *Proceedings of the 20<sup>th</sup> Conference of All Orissa Philosophy Association*, Centre of Advanced Study in Philosophy, Utkal University, Bhubneswar, 2008, pp.198-210.
- b. "Re-visiting Philosophy of Social Change in India" in *Satyam, Shivam, Sundram* (Proceedings of 11<sup>th</sup> ICSP and 4<sup>th</sup> ICYS, Dharwad, 28-30, May 2012) pp.155-164 (ISBN: 978-81-924572-0-8).
- c. "Professional Ethics, Media and Good Governance" in *Media and Governance* edited by Ajay Kumar Sharma, Twentyfirst Century Publications, Patiala, 2013, pp. 16-22 (ISBN:978-93-80144-91-7).
- d. "Women Empowerment in Present Times" in *Gender Mainstreaming : Problems and Prospects* edited by R.B.S. Verma, Veena Diwivedi and Sita Gurjar, Rapid Book Service, Lucknow, 2014, pp.110-114 (ISBN:978-93-82462-29-3).
- e. "Philosophy and Values in Public Affairs: An Appraisal" in *Philosophy in Practice: Making Sense of Human Existence* edited by Deepak Srivastava, Society for Philosophical Praxis, Counselling and Spiritual Healing (SPPCSH), Jaipur, 2014, pp. 79-83.

- f. "Public Service Values and Ethics in Public Administration" in *The Religious-Philosophical Dimensions* edited by Merina Islam, CPPIS, Pehowa in 2015, pp. 109-122 (ISBN: 978-81-922377-5-6).
- g. "Crime Against Dalits and Indigenous People as an International Human Rights Issue" in *Proceedings of National Seminar on Human Rights of Marginalised Groups: Understanding and Rethinking Strategies*", compiled by Dr. Manoj Kumar, Twentyfirst Century Publications, Patiala, 2016, pp.214-225 (ISBN:978-93-85447-01-3).
- h. "Religious Practices and Democratic Values in India: A Search for Interreligious Dialogue" in *Proceedings of National Seminar on World Religions: A Step Towards Inter-Religious Dialogue*, Sponsored by ICPR New Delhi at Department of Philosophy, Patkai Christian College (Autonomous), Chumukedima, Nagaland, 24-25 February, 2017, pp.98-102.

- **Print Books (Authored/Edited):04**

- *Proceedings of One-Day Faculty Development Programme on "Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, Indian Constitution and Indian Society*, Compiled by Dr. Desh Raj Sirswal, Department of Philosophy and P.G. Department of Public Administration, PGGCG-11, Chandigarh in 2016 (ISBN: 978-81-922377-9-4).
- *Contemporary Indian Philosophy*, Edited: Dr Desh Raj Sirswal, CPPIS, Pehowa in 2013 (ISBN: 978-81-922377-4-9).
- *Philosophy of Swami Vivekananda* , Dr. Merina Islam & Dr. Desh Raj Sirswal, CPPIS, Pehowa(Kurukshetra) in 2012 (ISBN: 978-81-922377-1-8).
- *Reconsidering Classical Indian Thoughts*, Edited: Dr Desh Raj Sirswal, CPPIS, Pehowa(Kurukshetra) in 2012 (ISBN: 978-81-922377-2-5).

- **Book Papers/Chapters:07**

- ✓ "Dr. Ambedkar's Views on Humanism and Buddhism" in *Relevance of Thoughts of Dr. Ambedkar in the Present Times* , Edited by Dr. B.R. Langayan, Sahitya Sansthan, Gajabad, 2010, pp.151-160 (ISBN-978-81-89495-41-1)
- ✓ "Social Evils Related to Caste Discrimination and Human Rights Concerns" in *Development in Social Sciences*, edited by Atik-ur-rahman & Praveenkumar Kumbargoudar, published by Aadi Publications, Jaipur in 2011, pp.148-155(ISBN 978-93-80902-68-5).
- ✓ "Work and Ideals" in *Integral Management: The school of Management Theory* , edited by Rohit Puri , Spiritual Teacher Forum in 2012, pp.50-59. (ISBN - 978-81-923-275-3-2)



- ✓ “Casteism, Social Security and Violation of Human Rights” in *Human Rights for All* edited by Dr. Manoj Kumar, CPPIS, Pehowa (Kurukshetra) in 2012, pp.128-131. (ISBN: 978-81-922377-3-2).
- ✓ “The Branding of Faith” in *Marketing by Consciousness*, edited by Rohit Puri , Spiritual Teacher Forum in 2013, pp.66-81. (ISBN :978-81-923275-5-6).
- ✓ “Professional Ethics and Morality” in *Facilitation Volume in Honour of Prof. Sohan Raj Tater*, Cooperation Publications, Jaipur in 2013, pp.369-374. (ISBN: 978-93-83147069).
- ✓ “Swami Vivekananda, Indian Youth and Value Education” in *Vivekananda and Contemporary Education in India: Recent Perspectives* edited by Atanu Mohapatra, Surendra Publications, New Delhi, in 2014, pp. 167-180. (ISBN: 978-93-80817-50-7).
- **Translation:01**
  - Co-translated a booklet entitled, *Educational Philosophy of Sri Aurobindo* published from Centre for Sri Aurobindo Studies, Ambala City, 2010.

## PRINT AND E-PUBLICATIONS: 22

- **E-books: 09**
  - ✓ *Philosophy, Education and Indian Value System* published online by Cooperjal Limited and <http://ideaindia.com> , April, 2011.
  - ✓ *Positive Philosophy for Contemporary Indian Society* published online by Cooperjal Limited and <http://ideaindia.com>, May, 2011.
  - ✓ *Understanding Indian-Value System through Sri Aurobindo's Education System* (An online anthology of Sri Aurobindo's Ideas), CPPIS, Pehowa (Kurukshetra), December 06<sup>th</sup> 2011 <http://positivephilosophy.webs.com/> (Co-Authored with Ms. Gitanjalee Bora).
  - ✓ *Philosophy of Swami Vivekananda* by Dr. Merina Islam & Dr. Desh Raj Sirswal, Centre for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (CPPIS), Pehowa (Kurukshetra), First Edition, 2013, <http://positivephilosophy.webs.com/>
  - ✓ *Ideological Crisis in Contemporary Indian Society*, edited by Dr. Desh Raj Sirswal, Centre for Studies in Educational, Social and Cultural Development (CSESCD), Pehowa (Kurukshetra), First Edition, December 06<sup>th</sup> 2013, <http://msesaim.wordpress.com/>
  - ✓ *The Philosophy of Dalit Liberation* [Kindle Edition], Desh Raj Sirswal (Editor) Publisher: Centre for Studies in Educational, Social and Cultural Development (CSESCD), Milestone Education Society (Regd.), Pehowa (Kurukshetra), March 26, 2014, <http://www.amazon.com>

- ✓ *Essays on Positive Philosophy* [Kindle Edition], Desh Raj Sirswal, CPPIS, Pehowa in March 2016 <http://positivephilosophy.webs.com/>
- ✓ Dr. B.R. Ambedkar: The Maker of Modern India, Edited: Dr. Desh Raj Sirswal, CPPIS, Pehowa in April, 2016 (ISBN: 978-81-922377-8-7), <http://positivephilosophy.webs.com/>
- ✓ *Proceedings of One-Day Faculty Development Programme on "Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, Indian Constitution and Indian Society*, Compiled by Dr. Desh Raj Sirswal, Department of Philosophy and P.G. Department of Public Administration, PGGCG-11, Chandigarh in 2016 (ISBN: 978-81-922377-9-4) <http://positivephilosophy.webs.com>

- **E-articles: 13**

- ✓ ज्ञान के प्रतीक डॉ भीमराव अम्बेडकर जी (6 दिसम्बर: महापरिनिर्वाण दिवस पर विशेष), The Philosophy of Liberation (मुक्ति का दर्शन), दिसम्बर 6, 2014, <http://msesaim.wordpress.com>
- ✓ शहीद भगत सिंह का भारतीय युवाओं को सन्देश, The Philosophy of Liberation(मुक्ति का दर्शन), September 28, 2014, <http://msesaim.wordpress.com/>
- ✓ सामाजिक न्याय और धर्म : डॉ. भीम राव जयन्ती विशेष-2014, The Philosophy of Liberation (मुक्ति का दर्शन ), अप्रैल 14, 2014, <http://msesaim.wordpress.com/>
- ✓ Mahatma Jyotiba Phule : A Modern Indian Philosopher, The Philosophy of Liberation, अक्टूबर 14, 2013, <http://msesaim.wordpress.com/>
- ✓ गाँधीवाद की मृत्यु (गाँधी-जयंती विशेष), The Philosophy of Liberation(मुक्ति का दर्शन), 1st October, 2013, <http://msesaim.wordpress.com/>
- ✓ संत कबीर और दलित-विमर्श (संत कबीर दास जयंती पर विशेष ), The Philosophy of Liberation (मुक्ति का दर्शन ), शनिवार, 22 जून 2013, <http://msesaim.wordpress.com/>
- ✓ दर्शनशास्त्र की वर्तमान शिक्षा में उपयोगिता, The Positive Philosophy, Monday, June 3, 2013, <http://niyamakphilosophy.blogspot.in/2013/06/blog-post.html>
- ✓ "Philosophy as a Career in India" in *Tribune 242*, June 1, 2013, <http://www.tribune242.com/weblogs/drsirswal12/2013/jun/01/philosophy-as-a-career-in-india/>
- ✓ "Philosophy of Social Change: Need of an Indian Model" , A Point of View :Philosophy Cosmos- Newsletter 3 - August 2011, <http://philosophycosmosnewsletter.philosophycosmos.co.uk/16.html>
- ✓ Concept of Self in Gautama Buddha, Indian Psychology, Sunday, August 23, 2009, <http://niyamakpsychology.blogspot.com/2009/08/concept-of-self-in-gautama-budhha.html>
- ✓ The Importance of Effective Communication Skills, The Positive Philosophy, Wednesday, August 19, 2009, <http://niyamakphilosophy.blogspot.in/2009/08/importance-of-effective-communication.html>

- ✓ Dr. Ambedkar's Views on Humanism and Buddhism, Interdisciplinary Studies, मंगलवार, 7 जुलाई 2009, <http://niyamakreference.blogspot.com/2009/07/dr-ambedkars-views-on-humanism-and.html>
- ✓ Triguna Theory of Personality with Special Reference to Samkhya System (co-authored with Lakhwinder Singh), Indian Psychology, Thursday, October 2, 2008, <http://niyamakpsychology.blogspot.com/2008/10/triguna-theory-of-personality-with.html>

#### CITATIONS OF MY WORK:

- **Professional Network:07**
- 1. MindPapers: A Bibliography of the Philosophy of Mind and the Science of Consciousness, Compiled by David Chalmers (Editor) & David Bourget (Assistant Editor), Australian National University.
  - a. Sirswal, Desh Raj (2009). The Official Doctrine and its Relevance Today. *PARISHEELAN*. (Google)
  - b. Sirswal, Desh Raj (online). A Class-Room Introduction to Logic. *A Class-Room Introduction to Logic*. (Google)
  - c. Sirswal, Desh Raj (2009). GILBERT RYLE ON DESCARTES' MYTH. *Darshna:Electrical Journal of Indian Philosophy*. (Google)
  - d. Sirswal, Desh Raj (ms). Positive Philosophy: An Approach to Consider Practical Problems. (Google)
  - e. Sirswal, Desh Raj (ms). Ryle's Dispositional Analysis of Mind and its Relevance. (Google)
  - f. Sirswal, Desh Raj (2008). Human Beings Have No Identical Self. *DARSANA-Electric Journal of Indian Philosophy*. (Google)  
Link:<http://consc.net/mindpapers/search?searchStr=desh+raj+sirswal&filterMode=keywods>
- 2. Philpapers: Philosophical Research Online "Works by Desh Raj Sirswal",  
Link: <http://philpapers.org/s/Desh%20Raj%20Sirswal>
- 3. ResearchGate: Link: [http://www.researchgate.net/profile/Desh\\_Raj\\_Sirswal](http://www.researchgate.net/profile/Desh_Raj_Sirswal)
- 4. Documentation of the History of Indian Philosophies and Religions (DHIPR): Desh Raj Sirswal: The Concept of the Self in David Hume and the Buddha. Satya Nilayam 17

- (2010) 23-34. Link:  
[http://www.univie.ac.at/indologie/oracle/search\\_new.cgi?per\\_id=300&active\\_men\\_id=0&cat\\_1=-0-&term\\_1=&case=&results\\_page=10&focus=AUTHOR-0-AUT\\_ID-0-22041&tar\\_id=4](http://www.univie.ac.at/indologie/oracle/search_new.cgi?per_id=300&active_men_id=0&cat_1=-0-&term_1=&case=&results_page=10&focus=AUTHOR-0-AUT_ID-0-22041&tar_id=4)
5. Dr. Desh Raj Sirswal - Google Scholar Citations,  
 Link: <http://scholar.google.co.in/citations?user=fR2E8cYAAAAJ&hl=en>
6. Academia.edu: “Dr. Desh Raj Sirswal”  
 Link: <https://independent.academia.edu/DrDeshRajSirswal>
7. “The Positive Philosopher”, Scribd.com Link:  
<https://www.scribd.com/drsirswal>

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4. Pathan, Swaleha (2012) “Value Education and Psychology” in Researchers World: Journal of Arts, Science & Commerce; July 2012, Vol. 3 Issue 4, p. 33. ,

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forum/DR-AMBEDKAR-8217-S-VIEWS-ON-HUMANISM-AND-BUDDHISM-34309.asp#.VH1AuXJxnIU (Full article).

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15. "Philosophy News in India" included in List of Top Websites on Philosophy with 54.34% relevance. Link: <http://biglistofwebsites.com/list-top-websites-on-philosophy#h246>
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**PROGRAMME ORGANISED: 23**

1. An interactive meeting on "Role of Teachers in 21st Century Education" at Centre for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (CPPIS), MSES (Regd.). Pehowa (Kuruksheetra) on dated 05-09-2010.

2. Group Discussion on "Social Problems and Violation of Human Rights in Haryana", at Centre for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (CPPIS), MSES (Regd.), Pehowa (Kurukshetra) on dated 21-10-2010.
3. "Bhavanjali 2010", P.G. Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on dated 30th October 2010.
4. "World Philosophy Day Celebration" at Depts. of Sanskrit and Philosophy, P.G. Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh on dated 27-11-2010.
5. An interactive meeting on "Jan Lokpal Bill: Issues and Future Perspectives" at Centre for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (CPPIS), MSES (Regd.), Pehowa (Kurukshetra) on dated 14-04-2011.
6. An Online National Level Essay Competition for Students on the theme "Problems in Contemporary Indian Society" at Centre for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (CPPIS), MSES (Regd.), Pehowa (Kurukshetra) held on 05-09-2011 (Teacher's Day).
7. ICPR Sponsored Periodical Lectures at Department of Philosophy, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 10-02- 2012.
8. An E-Seminar on "Philosophy of Shaheed Bhagat Singh" at Centre for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (CPPIS), MSES (Regd.), Pehowa (Kurukshetra) held on 23-03-2012.
9. An interactive meeting on "Social-Thinking of Dr. B.R.Ambedkar" at Centre for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (CPPIS), MSES (Regd.), Pehowa (Kurukshetra) on dated 15-04-2012.
10. *First Session of SPPIS, Haryana* on the theme "Contribution of Contemporary Indian Philosophy to World Philosophy" organised by CPPIS, Pehowa (Kurukshetra) held on 30-06-2012 (online).
11. An Online National Level Essay Competition for Students on the theme "Current Issues in Indian Society" at Centre for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (CPPIS), MSES (Regd.), Pehowa (Kurukshetra) held on 05-09-2012 (Teacher's Day).
12. "World Philosophy Day -2012" at Department of Philosophy, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 22-11-2012.
13. CPPIS Book Release Function at Department of Philosophy, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra held on 10-06-2013.
14. 150<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary Celebration of Swami Vivekananda at Departments of Hindi and Philosophy, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 11-10-2013.
15. "World Philosophy Day-2013" at Departments of Philosophy and French, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh in association with CPPIS, Pehowa (Kurukshetra) held on 21-11-2013.

16. *Second Session of SPPIS, Haryana* on the theme "Development of Philosophy in India" organised by CPPIS, Pehowa (Kurukshetra) held on 30-06-2014 (online).
17. A Lecture on "Ideals of Sarada Ma in Modern Age" organised by Departments of Hindi and Philosophy, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 9th September, 2014.
18. An Interactive Meeting on "Educational Ideas of Guru Rabindranath Tagore and Shaheed Bhagat Singh" at Department of Philosophy, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 27th September, 2014.
19. "World Philosophy Day-2014" at Department of Philosophy, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh in association with CPPIS, Pehowa (Kurukshetra) held on 19-11-2014.
20. ICPR Sponsored Periodical Lectures at Department of Philosophy in academic collaboration with Department of Hindi, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 11-02-2015.
21. "World Philosophy Day-2015" at Departments of Philosophy & Hindi, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 19-11-2015.
22. An Online National Level Essay Competition for Students on the theme "Dr. B.R. Ambedkar: The Maker of Modern India" at Centre for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (CPPIS), MSES (Regd.), Pehowa (Kurukshetra) held on 19-11-2015 (World Philosophy Day).
23. RUSA Sponsored One-Day Faculty Development Programme on "Dr B.R.Ambedkar, Indian Constitution and Indian Society" organised by Department of Philosophy and Department of Public Administration, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2016.
24. Interactive Meeting on "Ambedkarism for All Sections of Society" An interactive meeting organised by the Milestone Education Society (Regd.) Pehowa (Kurukshetra) on 17th April 2016.
25. "Declamation Contest" on "The Role of Youth in National Integration" organized by The Positive Philosophy Society of P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 4th November, 2016.
26. "World Philosophy Day-2016" at Departments of Philosophy & Hindi, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 17-11-2016.
27. An Online National Level Essay Competition for Students on the theme "The Philosophy of Aristotle" at Centre for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (CPPIS), MSES (Regd.), Pehowa (Kurukshetra) held on 17-11-2016 (World Philosophy Day).



28. "World Philosophy Day Celebration with a Lecture on "The Philosophy of Aristotle" by Dr. Sudhir Baweja (USOL, Panjab University, Chandigarh) organised by the Departments of Philosophy and Hindi on 17<sup>th</sup> November, 2016.
29. ICSSR North-Western Regional Centre, Chandigarh Sponsored One-Day National Seminar on "Aristotle and the Good Life" organised by Department of Philosophy and P.G. Department of Public Administration held on 29<sup>th</sup> March 2017.

#### PRESENTATIONS IN NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS: 29

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1. "Human Beings Have No Identical Self" in *20<sup>th</sup> Annual Session of A.O.P.A. Orissa* held on on 20<sup>th</sup> -21<sup>th</sup> January 2008 at P.G. Department of Philosophy, Utkal University, Bhubneswar (Orissa).
2. "The Triguna Theory of Personality with special reference to Samkhya System" in *National Conference on Community Mental Health; Issues and Challenges*, held on 15-16 Feb.2008 at Department of Psychology, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra.
3. Paper presented entitled "Concept of Self in David Hume and Buddha", in *The 44<sup>th</sup> Session of All India Oriental Conference* held on 28-30 July, 2008 at Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra.
4. "Positive Philosophy: An Approach to Consider Practical Problems" in the *7<sup>th</sup> Conference of International Congress of Social Philosophy* held on 22-24 November, 2008 at VISVA-BHARTI, Santiniketan (West Bengal).
5. "Dr.Ambedkar's Views on Humanism and Buddhism" in *Death Anniversary of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar* held on 06 December 2008 at Centre for Dr. B.R.Ambedkar Studies, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra.
6. "Relevance of Indian Philosophy in the Era of Science and Technology" in *Two-Day National Seminar on Relevance of Philosophy in the Era of Science and Technology* held on January 11-12, 2010 at Dept. of Philosophy, Panjab University, Chandigarh.
7. "Philosophy and Values in School Education of India" in *First Asian Philosophy Congress* organised by I.C.P.R., New Delhi, held on March 06-09, 2010 at J.N.U., New Delhi.
8. "Methods of Philosophical Inquiry in Upanishads" in *One-Day National Seminar on Defining Indian & Western Traditions of Inquiry with reference to Questioning Techniques* held on December 03, 2011 at Dept. of Sanskrit, S.D. College (Lahore),Ambala Cantt.

9. "Professional Ethics, Media and Good Governance" in *UGC-Sponsored National Seminar on Media and Governance* held on March 28, 2012 at P.G. Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh.
10. "Social Thinking of Dr. Ambedkar and Human Rights" in *Two-Days National Seminar on Relevance of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Vision and Mission: Present Scenario* held on April 14-15, 2012 at Centre for Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Studies, K.U.Kurukshetra.
11. "Re-visiting Philosophy of Social Change in India" in Joint Conference of 11<sup>th</sup> ICSP and 4<sup>th</sup> ICYS held on 28-30 May, 2012 at Department of Mass Communication & Journalism, Karnataka University, Dharwad(Karnataka).
12. "The Philosopher King: An Indian Point of View" in *UGC Sponsored One Day National Seminar on "Good Governance in Sanskrit Literature-with reference to Policies and Justice* on March 23,2013 held at S.D.College (Lahore) Ambala Cantt.
13. "Social Philosophy of Swami Brhmananda" in *One-Day National Seminar on "Sant Brahmananda ki Vani me Dharma aur Darshan"* on 8<sup>th</sup> October,2013 held at Jagadguru Brahmananda Saraswati Chair, Department of Philosophy, K.U.K.
14. "Mahatma Jyotiba Phule : A Modern Indian Philosopher" in *Two-Days National Seminar on "Mahatma Jyotiba Phule: Life, Works and Vision"* on 14-15 October 2013 held at Department of History and Mahatma Jyotiba Phule Chair, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra.
15. "Dr. B.R.Ambedkar 's Critique of Democracy in India" in *Two-Days National Seminar on "Ambedkarite Quest on Egalitarian Revolution in India"* on 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2013 at Centre for Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Studies, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra.
16. "Philosophy and Values in Public Affairs: An Appraisal" in *National Seminar on Philosophy in Practice: Making Sense of Human Existence* organized by Society for Philosophical Praxis Counselling and Spiritual Healing held on 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb, 2014 at Department of Philosophy, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
17. "Development of Morality in Human Life: An Overview (Poster)" in *Three Day National Conference on Holistic Human Development: Contribution of multidisciplinary Research* held on 24-26 Feb, 2014 at Department of Home Science, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
18. "समाज में मूल्यों एवं मानवाधिकार शिक्षा की उपयोगिता" in *ICSSR Sponsored National Seminar on Education and World Peace: The Best Investment for Future Generation* held on June 7-8, 2014 at Budha College of Education, Ramba, Karnal (Haryana).
19. "Public Service Values and Ethics in Public Administration" in *Second Online Session of Society for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (SPPIS) Haryana* held on June 24, 2014, organized by CPPIS, Pehowa (Kurukshetra).

20. "Higher Education and Research in India: An Overview" in *28<sup>th</sup> National Conference of Council for Teacher Education on the theme "Emerging Perspectives in Indian Teacher Education: Search for Identity and Building Humane Society"* held on November 1-2, 2014 organized by CTE (HSC) at Kurukshetra .
21. "Crime against Dalits and Indigenous Peoples as an International Human Rights Issue" in *One-Day National Seminar on "Human rights for the marginalized groups: Understanding & Rethinking Strategies"* held on February 5, 2015 at P.G. Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh.
22. "Dr. B.R.Ambedkar's Contribution in the Democratic Rights Struggle" in *National Seminar on Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Views on Social Justice, Caste based Discrimination and Dalit Identity* held on March 27-28, 2015 at Dr. Ambedkar Centre of Socio-Economic Studies for the Weaker Sections of Society and CSSEIP, Panjab University, Chandigarh.
23. "Philosophy, Creativity and Human Relations" in *60<sup>th</sup> Annual Session of All India Philosophy Association* held on 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> June 2015 at School of Philosophy & Culture, Shri Mata Vaishno Devi University, Katra, Jammu & Kashmir.
24. "The Role of Religious and Spiritual Values in Shaping Humanity ( A Study of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Religious Philosophy) in *3<sup>rd</sup> International Dharma-Dhamma Conference on Harmony of Religions: Welfare of Humankind*, held on 24-26 October, 2015 at Indore (MP).
25. "Philosophy of Moral Transformation in Sufism" in *National Seminar on Origin of Life and Its Concepts* at Guru Nanak Girls College, Yamuna Nagar (Haryana) held on 31 March 2016.
26. "Empowerment of Marginalized Groups: An Ambedkarite Approach" in *Two Days ICSSR Sponsored Two-Day National Seminar on "Human Rights for the Empowerment of Marginalized Communities in India: Understanding and Rethinking Strategy"* at Department of Philosophy, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-42, Chandigarh held on 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2016.
27. "Relevance of Substance Theory of Charvaka in Present Times" in *One-Day National Seminar –cum-Panel Discussion on Science of Panch-Mahabhootas(Earth, Water, Fire, Air, Ether) & Consciousness* at S.D. College (Lahore) Ambala Cantt. (Haryana) held on 16<sup>th</sup> April, 2016.
28. "Role of Religions in Imparting Social Justice in Indian Socio-Political Context" in *ICSSR Sponsored National Seminar on "Challenges of Social Security, Social Inclusion for Inclusive Growth of India"* at P.G. Department of Economics and P.G. Department of Sociology, PGGCG-11, Chandigarh held on 5<sup>th</sup> August, 2016.

29. "भारतीय समाज में नैतिक मूल्यों की आवश्यकता " in 12<sup>th</sup> Session of Darshan Parishad (MP & Chattisgarh) and National Seminar on Moral Values and Society at Gwalior held on 15-16 October, 2016.
30. "Rights of Depressed Classes: A Constitutional Approach" in ICSSR Sponsored Two Days National Seminar cum Workshop on "Applied Indian Paradigms of Human Rights- Possibilities and Challenges (with special reference of Samvedanaa, Sanskar & Adhikar) at S.D.College (Lahore) Ambala Cantt. in collaboration with Department of Sanskrit, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar and Department of Sanskrit, Punjabi University, Patiala held on 13<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> January, 2017.
31. "Ethical Leadership in India: Present Scenario and Future" in *UGC Sponsored Two-Day National Seminar On Contemporary Ethics: Theoretical, Practical and Methodological Disquiet*, organised by Department of Philosophy., Singhbhum College, Chandil, Kolhan University, Jharkhand held on 6<sup>th</sup>- 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.
32. "Religious Practices and Democratic Values in India: A Search for Interreligious Dialogue" in *ICPR Sponsored National Seminar on World Religions: A Step Towards Inter-Religious Dialogue* organized by Department of Philosophy, Patkai Christian College (Autonomous), Chumukedima, Nagaland, held on 24-25 February, 2017.

#### **PARTICIPATIONS: 16**

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- **Special Meets/Workshops:10**

1. *Three-week Summer School on "Philosophy for the Social Sciences and Humanities"*, held on June 05-23, 2006 at Centre for Philosophy, NIAS, Bangalore.
2. *ICPR Sponsored Two Day Workshop "Philosophy Teachers' Meet"* held on March 21-22, 2013 at Department of Philosophy, Panjab University, Chandigarh.
3. "Women Empowerment in Present Times" in *National Workshop on Gender Mainstreaming; Problems and Prospects* held on 27-28 January, 2014 at Udaipur School of Social Work, J.R.N.Rajasthan Vidyapeeth (Deemed) University, Udaipur (Rajasthan).
4. *RUSA Sponsored Seven Days Training Workshop* on "Research Methodology: Emerging Trends" held on November 28 to 04 December, 2015 at P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-42, Chandigarh.
5. Three-Day Philosophy Teachers' Meet of North-Western Zone sponsored by ICPR, New Delhi, Department of Guru Nanak Studies, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar on 29<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> Dec. 2015.

6. RUSA Sponsored One-Day Faculty Development Programme on “Dr B.R.Ambedkar, Indian Constitution and Indian Society”organised by Department of Philosophy and Department of Public Administration, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2016.
7. RUSA Sponsored One-Day Workshop on “Challenges and Opportunities under CBCS” organised by P.G. Department of Sociology, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2016.
8. RUSA Sponsored One-Day Capacity Building Workshop on “Institutional Leadership” under the agies of Department of Higher Education, Chandigarh at P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2016.
9. RUSA Sponsored One-Day Capacity Building Workshop on “Knowledge Enhancement” under the agies of Department of Higher Education, Chandigarh at P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 29<sup>th</sup> March, 2016.
10. RUSA Sponsored Capacity Building Workshop on “ Sexual Harassment at Workplace : Prevention and Action” sponsored by State Project Directorate (RUSA) ,UT Chandigarh at P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh held on 20<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.

- **National Seminars Participations:07**

1. Participated in *Two-Day National Seminar on “Moral Goodness and Human Nature”* held on March 14-15, 2007 at Dept. of Philosophy, Panjab University, Chandigarh.
2. Participated in *Two-Day National Seminar on “Consciousness, Culture and Creativity: Indian and Western Perspective”* held on December 04-05, 2007 at Dept. of Philosophy, Panjab University, Chandigarh.
3. Participated in *National Seminar on Ideology of Bhishma with reference to Social Conflicts* held on November 25, 2009 at Institute of Sanskrit & Indological Studies , Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra.
4. Participated in *Two-Day National Seminar on “Rural India in A Global Village: Issues and Perspectives”* on October 26-27,2010 at PG Dept of Sociology, PGGCG-11, Chandigarh.
5. Participated in *One-Day National Seminar on Defining Indian Psychology: Issues of Mind, Body and Consciousness* held on October 8, 2011 at Dept. of Sanskrit, S.D. College (Lahore), Ambala Cantt.
6. Participated in *Gandhi Jayanti Celebration* held on October 2, 2012 at Gandhi Vidya Mandir, Sardarsahar (Rajasthan).
7. Participated in *International Women’s Day Celebrations: Seminar on “Combating Discrimination against Women”* held on March 8, 2013, organized by Chandigarh Social Welfare Board at P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh on March 8, 2013.

- **Workshops/Fellows' Meet:05**

- Participated in the *Fellows' Meet* held on May 8-10, 2008, organized by Indian Council of Philosophical Research, New Delhi at J.N. University, New Delhi.
- Participated in the *Fellows' Meet* held on May 22-24, 2009, organized by Indian Council of Philosophical Research, New Delhi at ICPR Academic Centre, Lucknow.
- Participated in *One-Day Interactive Meeting of Core Group on "A Spiritual Approach to Education-An Indian Experience"* held on March 31, 2010 at Sohan Lal DAV College of Education, Ambala City.
- Participated in *One-Day Workshop on Group-Discussion & Interview* held on May 14, 2010, organised by Placement Cell, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra.
- Participated in *Workshop-cum-Training Programme on Counselling Services*, held on 13-14 January 13-14, 2011, organised by Director, Higher Education, Chandigarh Administration at PGGCG-11, Chandigarh.

#### **PARTICIPATIONS ON BEHALF OF CTE (Haryana State Chapter): 05**

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- ✓ Participated in *One-Day National Seminar on Learning Theories: Strategies of Motivation & Learning Styles* held on April 30, 2010 at Aakash College of Education, Kalirawan, Distt-Hisar (Haryana)
- ✓ Participated in *Two-Day National Seminar on Professional Ethics, Moral Values and Character Building* held on May 1-2, 2010 at Triputi College of Education, Ratia (Haryana).
- ✓ Participated in *One-Day National Seminar on Classroom Climate, Strategies of Motivation and Morale Building* held on May 5, 2010 at Geeta Aadrash College of Education, Mehra, Distt. Ladwa (Haryana)
- ✓ Participated in *Two-Day National Seminar on Elementary School Education : Problems and Perspectives* held on May 8-9, 2010 at Defence P.G. College of Education, Tohana (Haryana).
- ✓ Participated in *Two-Day National Seminar on Higher Education: Issues, Problems and Challenges* held on May 22-23, 2010 at M.H.D. College of Education, Odha, Sirsa (Haryana).

#### **PARTICIPATIONS ON BEHALF OF MSES (REGD.) PEHOWA: 10**

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- ✓ Participated in *National Seminar on Relevance of Dr. Ambedkar's Thoughts in the Present Times* held on October 4-5, 2008 at Centre for Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Studies, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra.

- ✓ Participated in *Training Program on Rights and Responsibilities of Human Rights Defenders* held on May 29-30, 2010, organized by people's Watch and Dalit Foundation in collaboration with Action Aid India, Commonwealth Human Rights Initiative, NAWO, MARG and Ekta Parishad at Youth Hostel, Pipli (Kurukshetra).
- ✓ Participated in *One Day State Level Workshop on "An Integrated Initiative to Combat Declining Sex Ratio in Haryana"* held in June, 2010, organised by Haryana Nav Yuvak Kala Sangam at MDU Rohtak.
- ✓ Participated in *One-Day National Seminar on Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's Human Consciousness and Indian Culture* held on January 10, 2011 at Department of Sanskrit, S.D.College (Lahore), Ambala Cantt.
- ✓ Participated in *One-Day National Seminar on Dalit Consciousness in Sanskrit Sahitya* held on February, 2011 at Department of Sanskrit, S.D. College (Lahore), Ambala Cantt.
- ✓ Participated in *Aadarsh Shiksha Seminar* held on December 01, 2012, organised by SAHAARA and IIDEA at Hisar(Haryana).
- ✓ "महात्मा ज्योतिबा फुले और डॉ आंबेडकर का जन्मदिवस", वाल्मीकि आंबेडकर शिक्षा प्रसार समिति, मांडी, अप्रैल 12, 2014.
- ✓ हरियाणा लोक पहल " संघर्ष के आयाम: हमारा समाज और सामाजिक न्याय" (डॉ भीमराव आंबेडकर जी जन्मदिवस कार्यक्रम) कैथल (हरियाणा) अप्रैल 14, 2014.
- ✓ "डॉ. भीमराव अम्बेडकर महापरिनिर्वाण श्रद्धांजली समारोह-2014" भगवान वाल्मीकि छात्रावास, कुरुक्षेत्र, दिसम्बर 06, 2014.
- ✓ "शैक्षिक ज्योति सावित्रीबाई फुले जन्मदिन समारोह" भगवान वाल्मीकि छात्रावास, कुरुक्षेत्र, जनवरी 03, 2015.
- ✓ "महात्मा ज्योतिबा फुले और डॉ आंबेडकर का जन्मदिवस", वाल्मीकि आंबेडकर शिक्षा प्रसार समिति, मांडी April 11, 2015.
- ✓ Teacher's Day Celebration-2016 by Ideal Coaching Centre, Pehowa held on September, 2016.
- ✓ पूना-पैक्ट का आधुनिक सन्दर्भ में चिन्तन और समीक्षा, अम्बेडकर स्टडी सेंटर, कुरुक्षेत्र यूनिवर्सिटी कुरुक्षेत्र , 24 सितम्बर , 2016.

#### RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS:

- ✓ Being a student of philosophy, I am interested in Meta-philosophy (to talk about the nature of philosophy), Positive Philosophy, Indian Psychology, Socio-educational Philosophy, Human Rights, Philosophy of Mind, Logic and Dalit Studies as well. I am running several online pages and organizations for the sake of my research interests. I am also providing academic assistance to other fellow beings those who are working in the field of philosophy and interdisciplinary studies.

- **My profiles:**

- ✚ Webs: <http://www.drsirswal.webs.com>
- ✚ Philpapers: <http://philpapers.org/profile/5282>
- ✚ Scribd: <http://www.scribd.com/dsirswal>
- ✚ ResearchGate: [http://www.researchgate.net/profile/Desh\\_Raj\\_Sirswal](http://www.researchgate.net/profile/Desh_Raj_Sirswal)
- ✚ Academia.edu: <http://puchd.academia.edu/DeshRajSirswal>
- ✚ Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/dr.sirswal>
- ✚ Twitter: <https://twitter.com/drsirswal>
- ✚ Speaking Tree: <http://www.speakingtree.in/public/deshrajsirswal>
- ✚ Causes: <http://www.causes.com/drsirswal/>
- ✚ The Bangalore Practical Philosophy Meetup Group : <http://www.meetup.com/The-bangalore-Practical-Philosophy-Meetup-Group/members/78371192/>
- ✚ Mumbai Socrates Cafe : <http://www.meetup.com/Acropolis/members/78371192/>

- **Interests:**

- ✓ सकारात्मक दर्शन (शब्दनगरी) : <http://shabdanagari.in/Website/Index/drsirswal>
- ✓ The Determiner: A Magazine of Positive Ideas : <http://niyamak.blogspot.in>
- ✓ Instagram: <http://instagram.com/drsirswal/>
- ✓ Keep Smiling Always: <http://niyamakpicture.blogspot.in/>
- ✓ Youtube: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCu3SVWpM7xqApNW223jNZcQ>

### IMPORTANT PHILOSOPHY LINKS:

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- **Society for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (SPPIS) Haryana:**  
<http://sppish.blogspot.in>
  - ✓ Philosophy News in India: <http://newsphilosophy.wordpress.com/>
  - ✓ The Positive Philosophy: <http://niyamakphilosophy.blogspot.com/>
  - ✓ Indian Psychology: <http://niyamakpsychology.blogspot.com/>
  - ✓ Interdisciplinary Studies : <http://niyamakreference.blogspot.com/>
  - ✓ A Class-Room Introduction to Logic: <http://niyamaklogic.wordpress.com/>
  - ✓ Philosophical Mind Studies:: <http://niyamak.wordpress.com/>
  - ✓ Philosophy Library: <http://niyamaklibrary.blogspot.com/>
  - ✓ Index of Philosophers and Scholars in India:  
<http://indexofphilosophersandscholarsofindia.blogspot.com/>
  - ✓ First Session of SPPIS Haryana : <http://sppish1session.wordpress.com/>
  - ✓ Second Session of SPPIS Haryana: <http://sppish2session.wordpress.com/>



- **Milestone Education Society (Regd.)Pehowa (Kurukshetra):** <http://milestone02.webs.com>
  - ✓ Milestone's Inspirations: <http://mseedu.wordpress.com/>
  - ✓ Milestone's Literature: <http://milestone02.wordpress.com/>
  - ✓ The Philosophy of Liberation: <http://mSESaim.wordpress.com/>
  - ✓ Facebook Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/214914558561755/>
  - ✓ Milestone Education Review: <http://milestonereview.webs.com>
  - ✓ Special Issue on Swami Vivekananda:  
<http://mSES150vivekananda.wordpress.com/>
  - ✓ Dr. B.R. Ambedkar: The Maker of Modern India (Celebrating 125<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar): <http://drAmbedkar125.wordpress.com>
  
- **Centre for Positive Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Studies (CPPIS):**  
<http://positivephilosophy.webs.com>
  - ✓ Lokayata: Journal of Positive Philosophy: <http://lokayatajournal.webs.com>
  - ✓ CPPIS Youtube Channel: <https://www.youtube.com/user/cppismedia>
  - ✓ Facebook Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/positivephilosophy/>
  - ✓ Shabdanjali: Our Publications: <http://cppispublications.wordpress.com>
  - ✓ CPPIS Events: <http://cppisevents.webs.com>
  - ✓ Celebrating 2400 Yeas of Aristotle: <https://aristotle2400.wordpress.com>
  
- **Department of Philosophy, P.G.Govt. College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh:**  
<http://philgcg11chd.webs.com/>
  - ✓ Elements of Philosophy: <http://philgcg11chd.wordpress.com/>
  - ✓ Facebook Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/philgcg11/>
  
- **E-Books and Journals Links:**
  - ✓ <http://issuu.com/lokayata>
  - ✓ <http://issuu.com/milestonereview>
  - ✓ [http://www.amazon.in/s?\\_encoding=UTF8&field-author=DESH%20RAJ%20SIRSWAL&search-alias=stripbooks](http://www.amazon.in/s?_encoding=UTF8&field-author=DESH%20RAJ%20SIRSWAL&search-alias=stripbooks)
  - ✓ <https://openlibrary.org/people/cppiskkr>
  - ✓ [http://www.ideaindia.com/search.php?txt\\_search=desh+raj+sirswal&x=0&y=0](http://www.ideaindia.com/search.php?txt_search=desh+raj+sirswal&x=0&y=0)
  - ✓ <https://www.mlbd.com/AuthorDecription.aspx?id=13107>

## SOCIAL RECOGNITIONS/HONOURS: 05

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- Following societies/organizations honoured us due to our continuous social work and academic contributions:
  - NACDOR (Pehowa Branch) honoured in Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Birthday Celebrations held on April 02, 2006.
  - Gautam Buddha Education and Research Foundation (Kurukshetra) honoured in Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Birthday Celebrations held on April 14, 2007.
  - Dr. Ambedkar Educational Empire of Educational Aids (Kurukshetra) honoured in Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's birthday Celebrations held on April 14, 2010.
  - International Congress of Social Philosophy (ICSP) honoured in Joint Conference of ICSP & ICYS held on May 30, 2012.
  - SAHAARA and IIDEA honoured in Aadarsh Shiksha Seminar held on December 01, 2012 at Hisar (Haryana).

## PERSONAL INFORMATION :

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- Name : Dr Desh Raj Sirswal
- Father's Name : Mr. Ram Kumar
- Mother's Name : Mrs. Anguri Devi
- Date of Birth : June 15, 1982
- Sex : Male
- Nationality : Indian
- Marital Status : Single
- Languages known : English, Hindi, Punjabi.
- Interests : Reading & Writing , Surfing Net, Interaction with people.
- Strengths : Self-Confidence, Sincere, Hard-Worker, Co-operative.

## Declaration:

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I hereby declare that the information furnished above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date: 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2017

Place: Chandigarh

(Dr. Desh Raj Sirswal)

