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Academic Details:

Sr. No.	Course/Degree	Board/University	Class	Year of Passing
1	MBA (HR and Finance)	Punjab Technical University	First Class	2014
2	NET (Social Work)	University Grant Commission	--	2012

3	M.S.W. (Urban and Rural Community Development)	Solapur University Solapur	First Class with Distinction	2007
4	B.Sc. (Geology)	Shivaji University Kolhapur	First Class	2005
5	H.S.C	Pune Board	First Class	2002
6	SSC	Pune Board.	First Class	2000

3. Teaching Experience:

Sr. No.	UG/PG	Name of Institution	Experience in Months
1.	PG: MSW Course	Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development, Shivaji University, Kolhapur	7 Years

5. Areas of interest/Specialization: Rural Community Development, Rural Livelihood, Poverty and Microfinance, SHG and livelihood Promotion, Women Empowerment.

6. Subject Teaching: Social Work: History and Ideology, Work with Group, NGO and Programme Management, Rural Issues and Development, Work with Individual and Families, Panchayati Raj and Rural Development.

7. Research:

7.1 PhD: Perusing PhD from University of Mumbai on “Poverty Eradication and Private Microfinance Institutions: A Study of Pandharpur taluka of Solapur district”

7.2 Research Projects:

Sr. No.	Title of the Project		Funding Agency	Cost	Status
1.	Role of Self Help Group and Private Microfinance Institutions in poverty eradication in urban	Principal Investigator	Shivaji University, Kolhapur	1,20,000/-	On going

	slums of Kolhapur city : A comparative Study				
2.	Impact Analysis of SHGs on Livelihood Promotion of Women with reference to the MAVIM, Kolhapur.	Principal Investigator	Maharashtra State Commission for Women	2,95000/-	Applied

8. Research Publication:

8.1 Book Published:

1. **Edited Book:** *Samnyayi Pani Vatap Ani Samajik Nyay*, Co-author, ISBN- 978-81-910455-3-6, December 2015.
2. **Book:** Nutrition among the Tribal Children in Melghat of Maharashtra, LAMBERT Academic Publication, ISBN- 978-3-659-86647-0, 2018.

8.2 Research Paper Published:

Sr. No.	Book/Journal where articles are published	Title of the paper	Month and Year of publication	ISSN/ASBN No.
1	Seminar Proceeding	Residential Field Work in Rural Community: A New Initiative in Social Work Practicum.	September 2013	ISBN: 978-81-910455-2-9
2	Seminar Proceeding	Effective use of PRA for the Intervention of Equitable Water Distribution: A Study of three Villages in Chikotra Basin.	September 2013	ISBN: 978-81-910455-2-9
3	Seminar Proceeding	Summer Placement Training in Social Work: An Innovative Experiment.	September 2013	ISBN: 978-81-910455-2-9
4.	Manavlok Research Bulletin Second Year Issue -VIII	Understanding Microfinance as a tool for Livelihood Promotion of Rural Community.	December 2014	ISSN-2349-3984
5.	International Research Journal of Social Sciences Vol. No. 4 (6)	Socio-economic Status and Health Challenges of Female Sex Workers of Miraj Town	June 2015	ISSN 2319-3565

6.	International Research Journal of Social Sciences, Vol. No. 5 (5)	Women Representatives and political empowerment: Study of women representatives in Panchayati Raj Institutions	May 2016	ISSN 2319-3565
7.	Printing Area, International Research Journal	Microfinance and Women Empowerment: Issues and Opportunities	2016	ISSN-23945303
8.	Vidyawarta, International Research Journal	Nutrition Among Tribal Children: Study of Amaravati District of Maharashtra	2017	ISSN-23199318
9.	Conference Proceeding	Rural Livelihood Promotion through Microfinance: A Study of Karveer Taluka of Kolhapur District.	2017	ISBN-978-81-8486-575-2
10.	Review of Research	Poverty and its impact on Health: Study of BPL families	July 2018	ISSN-2249-894X
11.	Review of Research	Parental involvement in children education: an experience from Sawarde village in Shahuwadi taluka of Kolhapur district	Dec. 2018	ISSN-2249-894X
12.	Scientific Journey	Parashar Agritourism an Experiment of Sustainable Rural Development	March 2019	ISSN: 2348-7143
13.	Review of Research	Microfinance: A tool for Rural Livelihood Promotion	May 2019	ISSN-2249-894X

8.3 Paper Presented in Conferences:

Sr. No.	Title of Paper Presented	Name of Seminar	Whether international /National/State /Regional/College or University level	Organized By
1.	Understanding microfinance as a Tool of Poverty Eradication.	UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Poverty alleviation	National	Dept. of Sociology, Shivaji University, Kolhapur

2.	Effective use of PRA for the Intervention of Equitable Water Distribution: A Study of three Villages in Chikotra Basin.	UGC Sponsored National Conference on Innovations in Social Work Practices in India	National	Dept. of Social Work, Walchand College of Arts and Science, Solapur
3.	Socio-economic Status of SHG member in Manpadale Village: A Study	Seminar on Women in India: Issues, Problems and Prospects	National	Sadguru Gadge Maharaj College, Karad.
4.	Socio-economic Life and Social Exclusion A Study of Ramoshi Community Minche Village (Co-Author)	National Conference	National	Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune
5.	Role of SHG's in Socio-economic Development of Rural Women: A Study of Kini Village	"Contemporary Social Problems Contribution of Social Science Research in India	National	Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Contemporary Studies, University of Mumbai.
6.	Livelihood Challenges Among Marginal Communities	Marginal Communities in India: Problems and Solution	National	The New College, Kolhapur
7.	Microfinance and Gender Equality: Problems and Prospects	Gender Issues in India: Problems and Prospects	National	Department of Sociology, Shivaji University, Kolhapur
8.	Poverty and Health: Study of BPL Families from Shirgaon village of Walwa taluka of Sangli District	"Issues in Poverty and Social Inequalities in India"	National	Dept. of Sociology, Shivaji University, Kolhapur
9.	" Role and Importance of Gramsabha in making Ideal Village"	"Emerging Trends in Ideal Villages in 21 st Century"	National	Yashwantrao Chavan Chair, YCSR & Department of Political Science, Shivaji University, Kolhapur.

9. Faculty Development Programme:

- Participated in faculty Development Programme on “Transacting Rural Community Engagement Curriculum” from 14th March to 20th March 2018 organized by Department of Social Work, Central University of Karnataka, Gulbarga.
- Participated in training program on "Question uploading in Online System" on 20th April, 2018.
- Faculty Development Programme organized by Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development (YCSRSD) on 16/10/2017 and 17/10/2017.
- Participated in Faculty Orientation for “Preparing Research Project Proposal” on 21st May 2018 organized by Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development, Shivaji University, Kolhapur.
- Organized Faculty Orientation Programme for Research Innovation on 22nd May 2018 at Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development, Shivaji University, Kolhapur.

10. Guest Lectures/Resource Person/Extension Activities:

- Panel member in National Lokadlat Co-operative Court No.1 at Sangli on 13th December 2014.
- Delivered session on “Marginal Communities: NGO’s and Their Role” as a resource person in National Conference on “Marginal Communities in India: Problems and Solutions” organised by The New College, Kolhapur.
- Lecture to members of ‘*Bhim Jyot Kala, Krida Sanskrutik Mandal*’ Hebbal Jaldhyal, Tal- Gadhinglaj Dist- Kolhapur on Social Problems: Economic, Health, Education, Politics, Youth and Women Empowerment on 01/01/2017.
- Organized Blood Donation Camp at Sawarde (Bk.) village Tal- Shahuwadi, Dist- Kolhapur on 13/01/2017.
- Guest lecture at Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune, Sangli Campus for MSW Students on “Communication and observation skills” on 21st August 2016.
- Organized Health Checkup Camp at Kaljawade Tal- Panhala, Dist. Kolhapur in collaboration with Swarajya Ayufit Centre, Kolhapur on 2nd February 2018.
- Delivered lecture to trainees of SEED Financial Services Private Limited on History of Microfinance, Risk Management and its Mitigation on 09/02/2018.

11. Workshops/Seminar Organized:

- Co-convener of University level seminar on “The Maharashtra Prevention and Eradication of Human Sacrifice and other Inhuman, Evil and *Aghori* Practices and Black Magic Act, 2013”.
- Co-convener of International conference on “Yashwantrao Chavan: Model of Agro Industrial Society” 17th and 18th February 2016.
- Convener of Seminar on “Yashwantrao Chavan and Rural Leadership on 16th February 2017.
- Worked as Convener of one day Workshop on “Successful Models of Social Harmony through Women Representative in Western Maharashtra” on 01/03/2018
- Organized One Day Seminar on “*Yashwantrao Chavan: Vyakti, Karya Ani Vichar*” on 13th October 2017 at Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development, Shivaji University, Kolhapur.

12. Participation in Workshop/Seminar:

- 'One Day Workshop on ‘Outcome based modular system’ Organized by IQAC Shivaji University, Kolhapur on 6th August 2014.
- National Workshop on "14th Loksabha Election and Politics of Economically backward Class" on 8th July 2014.
- One day Seminar on "Yashwantrao Chavan and Social Justice" organized by Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development on 4th December 2014.
- State Level Seminar on "Equitable Water Distribution and Social Justice" on 6th February 2015.
- Two day National Workshop on “ Academic Writing, Combating Plagiarism, Citation Management and Publishing Research paper in High Impact Factor Journals” on 8th and 9th January 2015.
- ICSSR five days’ workshop 'Research Methodology in Social Sciences' from 3rd November 2014 to 7th November 2014.
- National Symposium on “Way Forward for Urban Co-operative Bank” organized by Dept. of Economics, Shivaji University Kolhapur and Bank of India Chair in rural Banking on 16th September 2015.

- One day seminar on “१९६५ चे युद्ध व आजची संरक्षण सिद्धता” jointly organised by Dept. of Political Science, Dept. of History and Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development on 29th September 2015.
- National Seminar on “Skill Development in Rural and Co-operative Sector” organized by Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development and Vaikunth Mehtha Institute of Co-operative Management, Pune on 9th March, 2016.
- National Seminar on “Contemporary Successful Models of Rural Development” organized by Yashwantrao Chavan Chair, Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development, Shivaji University, Kolhapur on 11th and 12th March, 2016.
- “Mahila Sarpanch Parishad” organized by Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Contemporary Studies, University of Mumbai on 30th and 31st March 2016.
- One day Workshop on “Secured Remote Paper Delivery (SRPD)” organized by Shivaji University at Ashokrao Mane College of Engineering, Pethvadgaon on 12th March 2016.
- One day Workshop on "Yashwantrao Chavan and Formation of Modern Maharashtra" organized by Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development (YCSR), Shivaji University. Kolhapur on 27th January, 2017.
- Two day's national Conference on “Rural Livelihood Models for Sustainable Development” on 14th and 15th September 2017 organized by Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development, Shivaji University, Kolhapur.
- One day Seminar on “Vasantdada Patil Yanche Maharashtra Gramvikasatil Yogadan ” on 13th November 2017 organized by Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development, Shivaji University, Kolhapur.
- One day Workshop on “Nivadnukantil Arthik Balancha Durupyog Talane” on 22/02/2018 organized by Department of Political Science, Shivaji University, Kolhapur.

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