




**RAM LAL ANAND COLLEGE (University of Delhi)**  
**Faculty Details**



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<b>Educational Qualifications</b>						
Degree	Institution				Year	
<b>PhD</b>	<b>Department of History, University of Delhi</b>				<b>2012</b>	
<b>MPhil</b>	<b>Department of History, University of DELhi</b>				<b>2003</b>	
<b>MA/MSc</b>	<b>St. Stephen's College, University of DELhi</b>				<b>2000</b>	
<b>B.A. (Hons) History</b>	<b>St. Stephen's College, University of DELhi</b>				<b>1998</b>	
<b>Career Profile</b>						
<p>Ram Lal Anand College- Assistant Professor as permanent faculty since Jan 7, 2016. PGDAV College ( Morning)- ( Aug 12, 2015 to Jan 7, 2016) Maitreyi College – (July 23, 2012 to Aug 12, 2015)</p> <p>College of Vocational Studies (July 18, 2007 to March, 2008) Janaki Devi Memorial College (July 29, 2006 to August 30, 2006) (Aug., 27 2003 to Sept., 25 2003)</p> <p>Aditi Mahavidyalaya (Nov., 11, 2003 to April 30, 2005) Kamala Nehru College (Jan., 29, 2003 to April 10, 2003)</p>						
<b>Administrative Assignments</b>						
Ram Lal Anand College						
Appointed as Nodal officer for foreign students studying at Ram Lal Anand College till present date						
Convenor -Eco- Club, 2021-22, 2022-23.						
Convenor (SAP) Swachta Action Plan – Implementation and Monitoring. 2021-22, 2022-23.						
Member – B.A.(Prog ) Committee for the year 2020-2021.						
Member- Sports Committee for the year 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23.						

Convener- Women Welfare Advisory Committee, Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi. 2019-20

Convener- Gardening Committee, Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi. 2019-20

Member-Admission Grievance committee, , Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi. 2019-20

Co-Convener ,Eco- Club, Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi. 2018-19.

Member- ECA cum Arts and Culture , Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi. 2018-19.

Member- Gardening Committee, Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi. 2018-19.

Member, Sports committee , Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi. 2018-19.

Co-Convener ,Eco- Club, Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi. 2017-18.

Member, Sports committee , Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi. 2017-18.

Member, Film Club, Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi. 2017-18.

Co- Convener, Equal Opportunity Cell- , Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi. 2016-17.

Member of the Editorial Board of College magazine "SAMDRISHTI" for the Academic year 2016-17

Part of Educational 3 day field trip to Udaipur and Chittorgarh organized by college history society. .

Member, Organizing Committee of Annual Day Function 2016

Part of Ram Lal College chapter of Spic Macay

Member ,NAAC committee .

Staff Representative for Sports Admission for the Academic year 2016-17.

Member, NSS committee.

### **Curriculum Development**

#### **1. UGCF 2022 Syllabus Revision committee under NEP 2022.**

##### **a.) B.A. (Multidisciplinary Studies )**

**Member**, Semester III (GE) , Introduction to Indian Society

b) **Member** , Semester III (GE), Understanding Indian Heritage

c) **Member** , Semester III (DSC), History Of India C. 1200-1700.

d) **Convener** , Semester IV (GE), Sacred Spaces: Temple and temple economy ( North and South Indian Traditions)

e) Board of examiners for papers for Paper Setting and evaluation, Department of History, University of Delhi, for the year 2022-23.

f) Member, Course Preparation Team of BA (Programme) Discipline Course in History, Paper- History of India c. 1200-1550 C.E., School of Open Learning, University of Delhi,2023.

#### **1. Co-conducted a workshop for college teachers on Indian Art and Architecture on 9<sup>th</sup> February**

,2018 held at Department of History , University of Delhi.

2. Member of CBCS Course Revision committee for Skill Enhancement Paper –Indian Art and Architecture in 2019.
3. Member of CBCS Course Revision committee for Skill Enhancement Paper History and Tourism in 2019.
4. Member, Course Preparation Team of BA (Programme) Discipline Course in History, Paper-Cultures in the Indian Subcontinent, School of Open Learning, University of Delhi, 2009.

#### Field Trips

1. Co-ordinated an educational field trip to Mehrauli Archaeological Park, Delhi on 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2023.
2. Co-ordinated an educational field trip to Rakhigarhi, Haryana on 13<sup>th</sup> April , 2023.

Areas of Interest / Specialization
<p>Medieval Indian History: Religious and cultural history.</p> <p>Memory studies, Textual studies.</p>
Subjects Taught
<p>Undergraduate Courses</p> <p><b>B.A.(Hons)</b></p> <p>Rise of Modern West .  Social Formation and Cultural Pattern of the Ancient World.  History of India ( 750-1550).  History of India (1550-1750).</p> <p><b>Concurrent / Interdisciplinary Courses</b></p> <p>Environmental Issues in India.  Delhi : Medieval</p> <p><b>B.A.(Prog)</b></p> <p>History of India ( 8 - 18th c.)  Culture in the Indian Subcontinent.  History of Tourism.</p>
Research Guidance
<p>NA</p>
Publications Profile (Books/Chapters/Research articles, etc.) (Last 10 publications)
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Co-authored paper titled <b>Musical Luminary in the Mughal court: Tansen</b> , in STOM, UGC- care enlisted , A peer- reviewed journal, ISSN 2231-1041.</li> <li>2. Co- authored paper titled <b>Musical Aura of Hazrat Amir Khusrau in Delhi Sultanate as Gleaned from his work</b> in Aksharwarta Journal Vol XVIII, Issue. NO- XI , September, 2022, ISSN- 2349-7521, Impact Factor- 6.375, Indexed in the International Institute of Organized Research.</li> <li>3. Contributed a chapter entitled <b>Society and Economy</b> for B.A. (Prog) History Semester III in School of open learning study material, University of Delhi, 2023</li> <li>4. Contributed a chapter entitled <b>Jagannath cult</b> for B.A. (Prog) History Semester III in School of open learning study material, University of Delhi, 2023</li> <li>5. Chapter entitled, <b>Lives of a text – Re- interpreting Chidamabaramahatmayam in Different Historical Time Frame</b> in Paul Kaptur and Agnieszka Szwach (ed.) Confluences of Literature, History and Cinema , University Jan Kochanowski, Kielce, 2020.</li> <li>6. Paper entitled <b>Sacred Landscape: Memory and Re-appropriating Historicity through</b></li> </ol>

**Political discourse .In *Journal of Academic Perspectives* , Vol No.4, 2018.,ISSN-2328-8264.**

7. **Physical culture as site of power play in Mughal court-** An online article, link: <http://www.progressiveconnexions.net/wp-content/uploads/2018/01/Parul-Lau-Gaur-sportwebpaper.pdf>

6. Paper entitled 'Unveiling a Cultural Product: Understanding Temple beyond its Sacredness with special reference to Medieval Tamil Nadu in University News (A Weekly Journal of Higher Education) Special Issue on Indian cultural heritage, Vol. 50 no.9, February 27-March 04, 2012 ,ISSN-0566-2257.

7. Co-authored paper entitled 'Situating Games, Physical Activity and Sport in Socio-Cultural and Historical Context of Medieval Period in above mentioned issue of University News (A Weekly Journal of Higher Education) Special Issue on Indian cultural heritage, Vol. 50 no.9, February 27-March 04, 2012 ,ISSN-0566-2257.

8. Co – authored paper entitled Protection and Preservation of Folk Games and Folk sports in University News (A Weekly Journal of Higher Education), special issue on indigenous voices – Mapping India’s Folk and Tribal Literature, Vol. 51, No.05, February 04-10, 2013
9. Contributed an article entitled Nataraja cult and social content of Chidambaram Temple for B.A. (Prog)I Year (History) in School of open learning study material, University of Delhi.

Conference Organization/ Presentations (in the last three years)

1. Presented paper entitled **Role of endowments in sustaining temple economy and articulating social relationships** for two- day workshop on Developing Knowledge, Research and competencies on Economic History and Economic Thoughts of India: Ancient Perspectives organized by Centre for Indian Economic History , Shri Ram College of Commerce, University of Delhi from 14<sup>th</sup> July- 15<sup>th</sup> July , 2023 (Online Mode).
2. Paper presented at 3<sup>rd</sup> International conference on Literatures and cultures: Literature in history – History in Literature at Jan Kochanowski University of Kielce , Poland, 10<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 titled **Lives of a text: Identifying elements of assimilation and contestation**
3. Paper presentation at Oxford Symposium on Religious Studies at University Church Oxfordshire, U.K held on 5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> December 2018 titled **“Sacred Landscape: Memory and Re-appropriating Historicity through Political discourse.**
4. Paper presentation at the 1st Global Conference titled **Sport- Probing the Boundaries** held at Vienna ,Austria in December, 2017 entitled ***Power play at the Indian Mughal Court: An Introspection of physical culture.***
5. Attended a 2 day International seminar entitled **“ Indian Vernacular Literature : Premakhyaana”** organized by Atma Ram Sanatan Dharama College, University of Delhi South Campus from 29<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> Jan 2019.
6. Completed a two-day Faculty Development Programme entitled **Writing Research Proposals and Addressing IPR Related Issues** held from 29<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> March ,2019.
7. Participated in One day National Seminar on “Understanding Gandhi” organized by Gandhi Study Circle of Ram Lal Anand College in collaboration with Gandhi Smriti and Darshan Samiti on August 24, 2018.
8. Attended a day long National Seminar on **“Political Cultures In India, Shifting Profiles “** held at Atma Ram Sanatan Dharma College , New Delhi on 15<sup>th</sup> February , 2018.
9. Attended a seminar **“Within Empire, Beyond empire: region in Indian History”,** Motilal Nehru College, 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2017,
10. Attended the conference on **“Crossing boundaries”** organized by the Department of History, University of Delhi, 27-28<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.
11. Attended one-day Faculty Development Programme on **Cultural Diversity in India** held on 8th March at PGDAV College (Evening), University of Delhi.
12. Participated in the special orientation program for the foundation course in Indian history and culture of the FYUP undergraduate program held at University of Delhi South Campus, 19<sup>th</sup> August 2013.
13. Co – authored paper entitled **‘Physical Activity. Games and sports in Socio –**

**cultural and Historical Background of Medieval Period** at UGC National Seminar on Recent Researches in Physical Education Sports Naturopathy. Yoga Event, Sports Law, Ayurveda and Yoga held at Benaras Hindu University, Varanasi, 2-3 November, 2012.

14. Co-authored paper entitled '**Historical Dimensions of a Sporting Event**' at National Seminar on Modern Trends and direction of Physical Education and Sports held at Gurukul Kangri Vishwavidyalaya, Haridwar, January 2011.

15. Paper entitled '**Historical Approaches in Studying Sport, Culture and Society**' at National Seminar on Recent Trends in Physical Education, Health Education and Sports technology, February, 2010.



## ORGANIZATION OF NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR

1. Co-ordinated in the completion of **Certificate Course on Public Policy** held from 26<sup>th</sup> March ,22 -16 th August, 22 organized by the Department of History, Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi.
2. Organizing Secretary of International Seminar on **Urban Transformation and Sustainable future** held on September,23, 2019 at Ram Lal Anand College.
3. Organized a National Seminar on **Indian Cultures :Traditions and Practices (Recent Reflections) sponsored by ICHR** held on March , 16, 2018 at Ram Lal Anand College
4. Co-ordinator of seminar entitled "**Limits of History: Issues and Challenges**" held on 30th Jan , 2016 held by Ram Lal Anand History society Tawarikh.

## Research Projects (Major Grants/Research Collaboration)

1. Project entitled, 'Environment consciousness survey of college campus and other states – CO- PI' completed under College Research Grant Project in 2022.
2. Ongoing Project entitled "Implications of Vedic Wisdom for youth in 21<sup>st</sup> century ' under College Research Grant Project 2023-24 . No. CRG/ RLA/207/2023.

## Awards and Distinctions

1. Awarded scholarship for pursuing Ph.D from University Grants Commission for 3 years.
2. Awarded travel grant by University Grants Commission to attend international conference in 2018-19
3. Awarded international travel grant by ICSSR to participate in Oxford symposium on religious studies for the year 2018-19.

## Association With Professional Bodies

### Member- European Association for South Asian Studies

## Other Activities

1. Completed 22<sup>nd</sup> 3 weeks refresher course in History from Jamia Milliam Islamia New Delhi.
2. Completed four week orientation course from Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi.
3. Completed Online refresher course in Social Sciences conducted from 22-10-2020 to 04-11-2020 by University Grants Commission , (HRDC), Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar.
4. Two week faculty development Programme on Enhancing Psychological skills for teaching and practice from 15<sup>th</sup> -29<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 organized by The Department of Applied Psychology in association with Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College.
5. One week online faculty development Programme 'We too were there : Recapitulating the Role of Women in India's Freedom Struggle ' organized by Ram Lal Anand college with Mahatma Hansraj Faculty Development center (MHRFDC), Hansraj college , 8<sup>th</sup> July- 14<sup>th</sup> July, 2022
6. One week online on Baba Sahab Ambedkar and his Visionary India: From perception to inception 27<sup>th</sup> Feb to 5<sup>th</sup> March 23, TLC Ramanujan in collaboration with Department of Political Science RLA under the aegis of PMMMMNTT.

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**Signature of Faculty**