




RAM LAL ANAND COLLEGE (University of Delhi)
Faculty Details



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Educational Qualifications						
Degree	Institution				Year	
PhD	Department of History, University of Delhi				2012	
MPhil	Department of History, University of DELhi				2003	
MA/MSc	St. Stephen's College, University of DELhi				2000	
B.A. (Hons) History	St. Stephen's College, University of DELhi				1998	
Career Profile						
<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>						
Administrative Assignments						
Ramlal Anand College						
Appointed as Nodal officer for foreign students studying at Ram Lal Anand College.						
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 Ramlal College chapter of Spic Macay

Member of NAAC committee .

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

Member NSS committee.

Curriculum Development

1. Co-conducted a workshop for college teachers on Indian Art and Architecture on 9th 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.

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.A.(Hons)</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>Concurrent / Interdisciplinary Courses</p> <p>Environmental Issues in India. Delhi : Medieval</p> <p>B.A.(Prog)</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"> 1. Paper entitled 'Contours of a cultural text: Re-interpreting the Chidambara Mahatmyam in Bi-Annual Journal of Indian Art, Culture, Heritage and tourism, Oct., 2009-March 2010, ISSN-0975-9352. 2. 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. 3. 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.

4. 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

5. 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.

6. 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>

Conference Organization/ Presentations (in the last three years)

1. Paper presented at 3rd International conference on Literatures and cultures: Literature in history – History in Literature at Jan Kochanowski University in Kielce, Poland, 10th-11th May, 2019 titled **Lives of a text: Identifying elements of assimilation and contestation**
2. Paper presentation at Oxford Symposium on Religious Studies at University Church Oxfordshire, U.K held on 5th-7th December 2018 titled **“Sacred Landscape: Memory and Re-appropriating Historicity through Political discourse.**
3. 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.***
4. Attended a 2 day International seminar entitled **“ Indian Vernacular Literature : Premakhyana”** organized by Atma Ram Sanatan Dharama College, University of Delhi South Campus from 29th to 30th Jan 2019.
5. Completed a two-day Faculty Development Programme entitled **Writing Research Proposals and Addressing IPR Related Issues** held from 29th-30th March, 2019.
6. 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.
7. Attended a day long National Seminar on **“Political Cultures In India, Shifting Profiles “** held at Atma Ram Sanatan Dharma College, New Delhi on 15th February, 2018.
8. Attended a seminar **“Within Empire, Beyond empire: region in Indian History”,** Motilal Nehru College, 22nd March, 2017,
9. Attended the conference on **“Crossing boundaries”** organized by the Department of History, University of Delhi, 27-28th February, 2017.
10. Attended one-day Faculty Development Programme on **Cultural Diversity in India** held on 8th March at PGDAV College (Evening), University of Delhi.
11. 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, 19th August 2013.
12. 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.

13. 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.
14. 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. Organising Secretary of International Seminar on **Urban Transformation and Sustainable future** held on September,23, 2019 at Ram Lal Anand College.
2. 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
3. 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)

NA

Awards and Distinctions

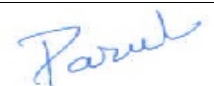
1. Awarded scholarship for pursuing Ph.D from University Grants Commission for 3 years.
2. Awarded travel grant by University Grants Commission to attend international conference in 2018-19
3. Awarded international travel grant by ICSSR to participate in Oxford symposium on religious studies for the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

Association With Professional Bodies

Member- European Association for South Asian Studies

Other Activities

1. Completed 22nd 3 weeks refresher course in History from Jamia Milliam Islamia New Delhi.
2. Completed four week orientation course from Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi..



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