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Educational Qualifications						
Degree		Institution			Year	
BA		Kurukshetra University			1992	
MA		University of Delhi			1994	
M.PHIL		University of Delhi			1996	
PH.D		University of Delhi			2000	
LLB		University of Delhi			2016	
Any other qualification						
Other Distinctions						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic Administration and Management, Organized by Institute of Life Long Learning (ILLL), University of Delhi, 21-23rd January • 2010. ICT Workshop for Capacity Building of Senior Officials, Organized by ILLL and Microsoft Corporation, 13-14 November 2009. Six Months Arabic Certificate Course, Ministry of Information, Asmara, Eritrea from September 2007 to February 2008. Participated in Professional Development Programme entitled "Designing and Publishing Online Research Journals" Conducted by CILL, Govt. of India in 2005. 						
Career Profile						
Organisation / Institution		Designation		Duration		Role
Department of African Studies, DU		Professor		25th September 2012 to till date		Teaching and supervising M.Phil and Ph.D students
Department of African Studies, DU		Associate Professor		25th September 2009-2012		Teaching and supervising M.Phil and

			Ph.D students
Institute of Technology and Science Education, Mai Nefhi, Eritrea, NorthEast Africa	Associate Professor on Deputation	12th April 2006, to 17th Feb. 2008	Teaching MA and prepared BA & MA Curriculum
Department of African Studies, DU	Lecturer	10th August 1998	Teaching M.Phil Students
Rajdhani College, DU	Lecturer	25th September 1997 to 10th August 1998	Teaching BA (Hons) POI. Science Students
Administrative Assignments			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Head, Department of African Studies, University of Delhi, India from 16th February 2016-23 March 2019. 2. Head, Department of African Studies, University of Delhi, India from 6th February 2009-Feb 2012. 3. Coordinator, Center of African Studies, University of Delhi, India from 6th February 2009-Feb 2012. 4. Nominated Academic Council Member, University of Delhi from February 2009-Feb 2012. 5. Nominated University Court Member, University of Delhi from February 2009-Feb 2012. 6. Assisted the provisional oversee responsibilities related to SC/ST Under- Graduate admissions of Dean Student's Welfare, University of Delhi Since 16th June 2005-April 2006. 7. Officiated the provisional oversee responsibilities related to SC/ST Under- Graduate admissions of Joint Dean Student's Welfare, University of Delhi from 7th July 2004 to 20th July 2004. 8. Member, Selection Committee {Appointment of Lecturer (teaching) & Non-Teaching (SC/ST)}, 2000- continue, University of Delhi. (Attended 60 Selection Committees) 9. Member, Board of Research Studies for the Humanities, University of Delhi, July 2004-2006. 10. Worked as a Resident Tutor, Jubilee Hall, University of Delhi, Delhi-7, Oct. 2000-March 2003. 11. Member, Vice-Chancellor Standing Committee (Monitoring) for the Implementation of Reservation, 2001- continue, University of Delhi. 12. Member, Visiting team of Delhi University Student's Union Election for the year 2001-02, 2002-03, 2003-04, 2004-05 and 2005-06 			
Areas of Interest / Specialization			
Federal Politics/ Africa Political Economy/Agriculture, Education, ICT, Energy, SME Sectors in Africa and Role of India.			
Subjects Taught			
Research Methodology, Politics of Africa and Economics of Africa			
Research Guidance			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Supervision of awarded Doctoral Thesis – 11 2. Supervision of Doctoral Thesis, under progress - 03 3. Supervision of awarded M.Phil dissertations – 29 4. Supervision of M.Phil dissertations, under progress - 			

Publications Profile

Books/Monographs (Authored/Edited)

1. Halilu Babaji and Suresh Kumar, 2017. Small Arms Proliferation and Conflict in West Africa. Lambert International Publications. USA.
2. Faisal Ahmed and Suresh Kumar, 2016. India and WANA: Economic and Geopolitical Engagements. New Century Publications. Delhi. ISBN No. 978-81-7708-406-1.

Research papers published in Refereed/Peer Reviewed Journals

YEAR 2019

Morocco: Fast Tracking Progress. Afroasian Business Chronicle. Vol. 9, Issue 1, 15-31 January 2019. RNI: DELENG /2011/ 35611. Delhi.

India and South Africa: Friends on Toes and Friendship Remains, Diplomatist, Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, Special Report, April 2019.

YEAR 2018

Cultural Diversity in India and Africa: A Strength Not A Problem, Indian Journal of African Studies, Vol. XXIII. April & October 2018. Peer-Reviewed UGC Approved Journal No. 43274. ISSN:0971-5320

India and Africa Trade Relations. Diplomacy & Beyond Plus. December 2018. UPENG/2017/73622.

YEAR 2017

India Opinion on Morocco-Cuba-Reactions, MAPE [0007] 24/04/2017 16h25: MAP 241525.

YEAR 2016

India Opinion on Morocco National Elections, MAPE [0056] 09/10/2016 18:41 :MAP 091741.

Conference Organization/ Presentations (in the last three years)

INVITED ACADEMIC LECTURES

A. INTERNATIONAL

1. International Conference on Social Justice, Sustainable Development and Quality of Life, 31 March-04 April 2019, Organised by National Institute for Humanities and Social Sciences (NIHSS) & South Africa BRICS Think Tank (SABTT), Parktonina Hotel, Johannesburg, South Africa. Topic: **Social Justice, Sustainable Development & Quality of Life of SCs & STs in India**
2. International Moussem de Tan Tan, 14th edition Cultural Festival and Green Investment Conference, 6-9 July 2018, Organised by UNESCO and de la Fondation Almouggar, Morocco. Topic: **Environment and energy challenges in Morocco.**
3. International Conference of Indian Society for Indic Studies (InSIS) on Applied Ancient Wisdom for Transformational Leadership, 20-22 February 2018, Organised by DRPSECT, Vadodara, COL& SOL, University of Delhi. Topic: Self-Responsibility, **Social Responsibility for Building a Creative Society through Yoga.**
4. International Seminar on **Sharing Developmental Experience in Africa and Eurasia**, 19 - 20 February 2018 organized by Centre for Central Eurasian Studies and Centre for African Studies. Topic: **Development of Democratic Nationalism, Democratic Rights and Nation Building in Eritrea.**
5. International Conference on CFP: Conference on South-South Cooperation: India-Africa partnerships for food security and capacity building, 23-24 January 2018 organized by

Centre for African Studies, University of Mumbai & Gandhi-Mandela Centre for African Studies, Observer Research Foundation (ORF), Mumbai. Topic: **Ethiopia Model of Agricultural Development and Role of Indian Public-Private Sectors.**

6. International Conference on Migration and Diasporas: Emerging Diversities and Development Challenges, 22-23 March 2017, Organised by School of Interdisciplinary and Trans-disciplinary Studies, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi. Topic: **Religion, Yoga and Education among Indian Migrant Labour in South Africa.**
7. International Conference on Indigenous Knowledge Systems in Economic Development, Formalizing Indigenous Knowledge into drivers of our Economy, 30-02 December 2016, Southern Sun Hotel O.R. Tambo International, Johannesburg, South Africa. Key Note Address. Topic: **Case Study: Innovation for African Indigenous Knowledge Systems for Economic Development.**
8. Global Governance, 20-22 November 2016, Organized by World Policy Conference, French Institute of International Relations, Doha, Qatar. Topic: International Terrorism and Africa.
9. International Conference on BRICS Civil Forum: Towards Exploring Inclusive Partnerships and Collective Solutions, 3-4 October 2016, India Habitat Centre, Delhi, Organised by MEA, FIEO and RIS. Topic: **Communiqué on Indigenous Knowledge Systems for Sustainable Food Security and Environmental Governance for Climate Change Adaptation.**
10. International Conference on BRICS countries International Conference on Indigenous Knowledge Systems for Sustainable Food Security and Environmental Governance for Climate Change Adaptation, 13-14 September 2016, Moses Mabhida Stadium, Durban, South Africa. Panelist. Topic: **ICTs and Institutionalization of IKS and Gender for Food Security, Environmental Governance and Climate Change Adaptation in BRICS.**
11. International Conference on BRICS countries International Conference on Indigenous Knowledge Systems for Sustainable Food Security and Environmental Governance for Climate Change Adaptation, 13-14 September 2016, Moses Mabhida Stadium, Durban, South Africa. Panelist. Topic: **Role of New Development Bank and Food Security in the BRICS.**

B. NATIONAL

1. Invited lecture in National Conference on **Political Parties and Election in India**, Kalindi College, University of Delhi 14 March 2019.
2. Invited Lecture in Faculty Development Program on **Ethics and Research in Social Sciences**, Sri Guru Nanak Dev Khalsa College, University of Delhi, 1st May 2018.
3. Invited lecture in National Conference on Vision of Dr. B R Ambedkar, Zakir Hussain Delhi College (Evening) University of Delhi on **Current Relevance of Ambedkar's Constitution**, March 2018.
4. Invited Lecture on Raising Youth for Sustainable African Democracy, Jindal School of International Affairs, O P Jindal Global University, Sonapat, 25th February 2017.
5. Invited Lecture on Is There any Post-Westphalian Effect on Africa Regionalism? National Seminar on Regionalism in International Relations: Contours and Trends, 14-15 March 2017, Organised by Centre of Advanced Study, Department of International Affairs, Jadavpur University, Kolkata.
6. Invited Lecture on Post III IAFS Summit and our PM Visit to Africa organised by IndiaAfrica Parliamentary Friendship Group (IAPFG) and ASSOCHAM, 2 nd June 2016, India Habitat Centre, Delhi.

D. OTHER CONVENTION AND CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES

1. **Director (Academic)**, International Conference on **Legacies of Gandhi and Mandela**, on occasion of 150th and 100th Birth Anniversary, Conference Centre, University of Delhi 18 July 2019 (extended session on 27th July 2019).
2. **Organizer**, International Conference on Transforming Africa: Potentials & Challenges. Department of African Studies, University of Delhi & ICSSR. Satyakam Bhawan. 06-08 February 2019.
3. **Organiser**, Lecture of Professor Patricia Teixeira Santos, Department of History, Universidade Federal de São Paulo (UNIFESP), Brazil, 30 March 2017 on **History of Africans in Brazil**.
4. **Chairperson**, Session 5: Culture, Cinema and Diaspora, National Seminar on Migration and Diaspora: Theory, Cultures and Literatures, March 24-25, 2017, Organized by Global Research Forum and Transnationalism (GRFDT) in collaboration with Department of English (Delhi University), Bharati College (University of Delhi).
5. **Guest of Honour**, National Conference on Dr B R Ambedkar's Vision of India, 21-22 March 2017, organised by Zakir Hussain Delhi College (Eve), Delhi.
6. **Organiser**, Lecture of Prof. Adam Habib, Vice Chancellor, WITS University, Johannesburg, South Africa 18 April 2016 on **State of the Nation**, organised by Department of African Studies & Department of African Studies in collaboration with ICCR.
7. **Organiser, Interactive Program of Sudanese Delegation**, 13 April 2016, International Guest House, University of Delhi.
8. **Organiser**, International Exhibition on **Africans in India: From Slaves to Generals and Rulers**, 21-31 March 2016. United Nations Information Centre, Department of African Studies & South Asian University.
9. **Organiser**, National Conference on **African Studies in India: Prospects and Challenges**, 18 March 2016. Department of African Studies. University of Delhi.
10. **Organiser**, Special Lecture of Prof. Kenneth King, University of Oxford on **India and China in Africa, 9 March** 2016. Department of African Studies. University of Delhi.
11. **Organiser**, National Conference on **Africa since 2000: Transition and Change**, 18-19 February 2016. Department of African Studies. University of Delhi.

Conferences Attended

A. International Conference

1. Delegate, International Conference on 14 CII India-Africa Project Partnership, 17-19 March, 2019, Taj Palace, Delhi.
2. Delegate, International Conference on 13 CII India-Africa Project Partnership, 25-27 March, 201, Taj Palace, Delhi.
3. Delegate, International Conference on 12 CII India-Africa Project Partnership, 24-26 March, 2017, Taj Palace, Delhi.
4. Delegate, International Conference on 11 CII India-Africa Project Partnership, 14-15 March, 2016, Taj Palace, Delhi.

Awards and Distinctions

1. Travel Grant to Johannesburg, South Africa, Lecture in Indigenous Knowledge System and BRICS. 2019.
2. Travel Grant to Tan Tan, Morocco, Lecture on Cultural affinities, 2018.
3. Travel Grant to Johannesburg, South Africa, Lecture in Indigenous Knowledge System and BRICS. 2016.
4. Travel Grant to Doha, Qatar, lecture in World Policy Conference.
5. 3. Travel Grant to Durban, South Africa, Lecture in Indigenous Knowledge System and BRICS. 2016.

Association With Professional Bodies

Editing

Chief Editor, Indian Journal of African Studies, University of Delhi
 Editor, www.indiaafrica.org: online publications.

Advisory

- Diplomatist
- The Times of Africa
- African Review

Memberships

- Life Member, Indian Association for American Studies, Mumbai, India.
- Life Member, Indian Political Science Association, Lucknow, India.
- Life Member, Indian Institute of Labour Economics, Delhi, India. <http://www.isleijle.org/>
- Life Member, Indian Association of Social Science, Allahabad, India. <http://www.issaindia.org/>
- Life Member, Institute of Advanced Canadian Studies, Delhi, India.
- Life Member, Peoples Council of Education, Allahabad, India. <http://www.peoplecouncilofindia.info/>
- Honorary Member, Indo-African Society, Noida, Delhi. <http://www.indo-african-society.org/>
- Member, Forum of Free Enterprises, Bombay, since 1993.
- Member, Indian Science Congress Association, Calcutta, 1996.
- Office Bearer Hony. Executive Director, Vision India Research Foundation, Delhi.
- Joint Secretary, Indian Academy of Social Sciences, Allahabad.

Other Activities

International Research Project

1. Chief Collaborator of the Indian Council of Social Science Research-National Institute for the Humanities and Social Sciences (ICSSR-NIHSS) International Joint Research Project on Religion, Yoga and Education in India and South Africa (2016-2019).
2. UNESCO Research Group on African and Brazilian knowledge, practices, education and histories in a Southern Perspective, Porto University, Brazil, 2012-Continue.

FOREIGN EXPERIENCE

Sr.	YEAR	COUNTRIES	PURPOSE
1.	2019	Johannesburg, South Africa	Lecture in BRICS-IKS
2.	2018	Tan Tan, Morocco	14 th Tan Tan Festival and meeting Saharawi People
3.	2017	Luanda, Angola	Lecture in International Conference
4.	2016	Johannesburg, South Africa	Lecture in Indigenous Knowledge System, AMC International
5.	2016	Doha, Qatar	Lecture in World Policy Conference
6.	2016	Durban, South Africa	Lecture in Indigenous Knowledge System and BRICS
7.	2015	Luanda, Angola	Lecture in International Conference
8.	2015	Cape Town, South Africa	Lecture in International workshop of UNESCO
9.	2014	Seoul, South Korea	Lecture in World Policy Conference
10.	2012	New York, USA	Lecture in IV Commission of the UNO
11.	2012	Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	Lecture in Malaysian Chamber of Commerce
12.	2011	Dakar, Senegal	Lecture in International Conference
13.	2011	Stockholm, Sweden	Lecture in International Conference
14.	2010	Eritrea	Project Work & Lecture in International Conference
15.	2010	Bali, Indonesia	Lecture in International Conference
16.	2010	Bangkok, Thailand	Lecture in International Conference
17.	2009	Sao Paulo & el Salvador, Brazil	Lecture in International Conference
18.	2009	Rabat & Casablanca, Morocco	Lecture in International Conference
19.	2009	Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	Lecture in International Conference
20.	2009	Riyadh, Saudi Arab	Lecture in International Conference
21.	2009	Dar es Salaam, Tanzania	Lecture in International Conference
22.	2009	Eritrea	Lecture in International Conference
23.	2009	Turkey	Lecture in International Conference
24.	2008	Tunisia	Lecture in International Conference
25.	2008	Ethiopia	Lecture in International Conference
26.	2008	Eritrea	Teaching Assignment
27.	2007	Eritrea	Teaching Assignment
28.	2006	Eritrea	Teaching Assignment
29.	2004	Glasgow, Scotland	Lecture in International Conference
30.	2004	London, United Kingdom	Lecture in International Conference
31.	2003	Dhaka, Bangladesh	Lecture in International Conference
32.	2000	Swaziland	Research Work
33.	2000	Lesotho	Research Work
34.	2000	United Arab Emirates	Research Work
35.	2000	South Africa	Research Work , Interviews of eminent Academicians

Suresh Kumar

25.07.2019

Signature of Faculty Member

Head of the Department

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