

CURRICULUM VITAE

Dr. Ruma Kumari

Area of Specialization: Microeconomics, Econometrics, Development Economics

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Educational Qualifications

- Ph.D. Economics (2023): School of Economics, University of Hyderabad
- M.Phil. Economics (2017): School of Economics, University of Hyderabad
- M.Sc. Economics (2014): Madras School of Economics, Chennai

Ph.D.

- Thesis Topic: Dynamics of Livelihood Diversification of Rural Farm Households in India

M.Phil.

- Dissertation Topic: “Occupational Diversifications and Rural Non-Farm Sector: A study of Bihar”.

Work Experience

Teaching Experience

- Assistant Professor in the Department of Economics at Shaheed Bhagat Singh (Evening) College, University of Delhi since 21st August 2023.
- Assistant Professor (ad hoc) in the Department of Economics at Shaheed Bhagat Singh (Evening) College, University of Delhi From 5th January 2021 to 20th August 2023.

Publications

- Ruma Kumari and R. V. Ramana Murthy (2022): “Determinants of Livelihood Diversification of Farm Households in Rural India: Evidence From National Sample Survey”, Journal of Asian and African Studies, Sage Journal, DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1177/00219096221130343>

Book Chapters

- Ruma Kumari (2019): “Climate Change and Sustainability of Indian Agriculture: District Wise Panel Data Analysis”, Land and Food: One Grain Saved is One Grain Produced edited by Trinadh Nookathoti, Paramount Publishing House, Hyderabad, ISBN-9789385101069.

Research Project

- University of Delhi research Project entitled “Impact of the Covid-19 Pandemic on Economic Condition of Farmers: A Study of Delhi NCR, 31st October 2021 to 31st October 2022.

Foreign Visit

- University of Bergen, Norway from 11th to 21st June 2018. Attended ten days of fully funded Summer Research School.

Best Paper Award

- Got a best paper award for a research paper presentation titled “Livelihood Diversification and Wellbeing of the Farm households in Rural India: A Decomposition Analysis” at the International G20 Conference on “Resilient Approaches for New World Order & Viksit Bharat”, 25th September 2023, Shaheed Bhagat Singh College, University of Delhi.

Conference

- Presented research paper titled “Impact of Rainfall Variations on Agricultural Per capita GDP at Current Prices: At District Level Panel Data Analysis Across India” at Indian Business School Hyderabad during 20-21 April 2017.
- Presented a research paper titled “Agrarian Transition and the Emergence of Rural Non-Farm Sector Activities in Bihar” in the 21st Annual Conference of on Indian Political Economy Association on “Inclusive and Sustainable Development” at Indian Institute of Technology Delhi during 8-8 December 2017.
- Presented a research paper in 54th Annual Conference of the India Econometric Society (TIES), organized by held at Shri Mata Vishnodevi University, Katra, Jammu from 7th to 9th March, 2018. The title of paper is “Climate Change and Sustainability of Indian Agriculture: District Wise Panel Data Analysis”.
- Presented a research paper titled “Gender Inequality and Food Insecurity of Women in India: A Study of Bihar” in the Bergen Summer Research School at University of Bergen, Norway during 11th to 21st June, 2018.
- Presented a research paper titled “Occupational Diversifications and Rural Non-Farm Sector Employment: A Study of Bihar (Analysis from 68th round NSSO Unit Level Data), at The Indian Society of Labour Economics (ISLE) conference organized by the Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research (IGIDR), Mumba during 19-21 December, 2018.

- Presented a research paper titled “Livelihood Diversification and Wellbeing of the Farm households in Rural India: A Decomposition Analysis” at the International G20 Conference on “Resilient Approaches for New World Order & Viksit Bharat”, 25th September 2023, Shaheed Bhagat Singh College, University of Delhi.

Workshops and Seminars

- Participated in Research Methodology Workshop on “Using Large-scale Survey Data” for Ph.D Scholars and Faculty in Social Sciences from, December 16th to 23rd, 2016 at Society for Social and Economic Research (SSER), New Delhi-110017.
- Attended a National Seminar on “Dr. B.R. Ambedkar’s Vision of Economic Development of India”, organized by School of Economics, University of Hyderabad on August 29th - 30th, 2016.
- Participated in National Conference on “Dr. B.R. Ambedkar’s Perspective on State, Society and Economy: Revisiting his Vision and Mission” organized by Dr. B.R. Ambedkar’s Birth Anniversary Celebration Committee, University of Hyderabad from 22 to 23 March 2017.
- Participated in Bergen Summer Research School (BSRS) at University of Bergen, Norway, held from 11th to 21st June, 2018.
- Participated in a Course on Research Methods in Labour Studies, held during 8th to 19th April, 2019 at V.V. Giri National Labour Institute, Noida.

Computer Skills

- MS Office, Excel and STATA

Place: New Delhi

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