

CURRICULUM VITAE (CV) of CONVENER

Academic Profile

The Convener of the Collaborative Conference of the proposed topic entitled ‘Public Policy and Governance in India: Innovations and Experiences’ is presently working as the Professor and Head, Department of Public Administration, M. D. University, Rohtak. He was graduated in Medical stream from the then Pt. Neki Ram University College, Rohtak which is currently known as Pt. Neki Ram Government College since 1987. He completed his Post Graduation in Public Administration from the Department of Political Science, M.D. University Rohtak in 1990. He passed his M. Phil Degree from the same Department in the year 1991 and qualified the National Eligibility Test (NET) in Public Administration in the year 1993. He completed his Ph. D. degree from the Department of Public Administration in the year 1998. He joined the Department of Public Administration as a Faculty in the year 1995. He was promoted to the post of Associate Professor and Professor in the same Department in 2007 and 2010 respectively. Since then he has been engaged in the process of research as well as teaching along with the other positions assigned by the university from time to time. He has already worked as the Head of the Department from 2015-2018.

Research Contribution

He has written two books in co-authorship with Dr. Ravindra Singh. The titles of the Books are – An Introduction to Public Policy (2002) published by Sanjay Prakasan, New Delhi and Comparative Public Administration (2012) published by Sterling Publication, New Delhi. He has about two dozens of Research Articles to his credit in Journals of national and international repute like Indian Journal of Public Administration, Indian Police Journal, Dynamics of Public Administration etc. He has participated in a large number of National and International Seminars and conferences and contributed research papers. He has completed two Research Projects – one minor and one major sponsored by University Grants Commission on Police Administration. The Minor Research Project was on “People Friendly Police: An Interaction with Commercial Vehicle Drivers whereas the Major Research Project was on Police Personnel in Haryana: Service and Working Conditions “. He has also contributed in the development of Study material for EPG Pathshala.

Outside Association

He is a life member of Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA), New Delhi. He has been working as the member of Executive Council of Indian Public Administration Association (IPAA) since December, 2014. He has worked as the member of UG/PG Board of Studies of several universities. Currently he has been appointed as Member of UG and PG Board of Studies by the Department of Public Administration, Punjabi University Patiala (Punjab). He has

worked as the member of the Research Degree Committee (RDC) in the discipline of Public Administration for Ph.D. in H.P. University Shimla for 2 years from 2018-2020. Currently, he has been appointed as an Outside Expert in the Faculty of Social Sciences of Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra wide 122th Academic Council meeting held on 03.03.2021. He remained associated with the Distance Education Program of the parent University since the very beginning particularly in writing DDE Material and in holding of distance classes. At present also he is working as the Course Coordinator of Distance Education Programme in Public Administration. He has also remained associated as a counselor with the IGNOU Centre of Distance Learning at C.R. College of Education, Rohtak.

Other Assignments

Since May 2015, he has been working as the In-Charge of RTI Cell of M. D. University, Rohtak. He has also worked as Dean College Development Council (DCDC) and heads the college branch of the university from July 2015 to April, 2017. He was appointed as the Director of the Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Centre of Excellence for Rural Development wide EC Resolution No. 29(vii) dated 26.11.2016 and since then he has been working as its Director. He is recently nominated as the Member of University Court by the VC of M.D. University, Rohtak.. In February 2022, he has also been assigned the charge of Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhaya Research Chair as Director.

Outreach Contribution

In addition to this, he was appointed as the Course Coordinator of the Three Months Certificate Course on Panchayati Raj and Rural Development by the Vice Chancellor on 1.05.2017 wide Endst. No ET-2/2017/M-85/3222-32 started from 1st May, 2017 to 31st July 2017 to educate the representatives of Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs) about the various governmental programs and schemes launched by the government for the various segments of people at grass roots level along with the theoretical knowledge relating to the powers and functions of the local representatives. He was a member of Syllabus Framing Committee for this Certificate Course and was a part of the MOU signed by the University with the Haryana Government. For this purpose, a separate centre in the name of Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Centre of Excellence for Rural Development was created under the directorship of the Convener of the Conference.