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Profile Overview

- **Ph.D in Economics** from Gokhale Institute of Politics & Economics, Pune.
- **Masters in Economics** from Gokhale Institute of Politics & Economics, Pune.
- Qualified **UGC NET Examination** for Lecturership.
- More than twelve years of Teaching and Research Experience;
- Five years experience of working with **Planning Commission**, the apex planning body of the country
- Acquired professional training in research methodology, statistical pre-requisite and computer applications.

Academic Qualifications

Degree	Institution/University	Division	Year
PhD (Economics)	Gokhale Institute of Politics & Economics, Pune	-	9 th March, 2015
MA (Economics)	Gokhale Institute of Politics & Economics, Pune	I st	2005
BA (Economics)	B. N. College, Patna University	I st	2002

Employment Scan

Designation	Organisation	Period	Nature of Job	Major Responsibilities
Assistant Professor	Department of Economics, M.D.College, Naubatpur, Magadh University, Bodhgaya	15 th March 2018- Till Date	Teaching	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Teaching Quantitative Economics and Economics at Intermediate and Under Graduate level
Assistant Professor	Department of Economics, H.P.S.College, Nirmali, B.N.Mandal University, Madhepura	5 th July 2017- 14 th March,2018	Teaching	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Teaching Statistics, Quantitative Economics and Economics at Intermediate and Under Graduate level

Guest Faculty	St. Xavier's College, Patna & G. J. College, Bihta (Constituent unit of Magadh University)	October, 2013 –June 2016	Teaching	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teaching Statistics, Quantitative Economics and Economics at Intermediate and Under Graduate level
Consultant	Planning Commission, Government of India	January, 2007 - May, 2012	Research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Worked extensively on finalization of Annual Plans of various states, budgetary projections and allocation of Gross Budgetary Support to Ministries. Review of diverse sectors for Mid-Term Appraisal of Eleventh Five Year Plan, Contributed to preparation of Approach paper to Twelfth Five Year Plan. Provided technical inputs in preparation of Finance Minister's Budget Speech and the President's Address for Budget Sessions of 2011-12 and 2012-13. Contributed to preparation of Economic Survey, and Expenditure Budget of Government of India
Team Leader	Gramin Swasthya Vikash Evam Kalyan Parishad, Patna	July, 2005 to December, 2006	Research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prepared research design and executed various health related projects. Developed policy briefs and working papers on innovative strategies to overcome barriers of access to health care by the rural poor.

Professional Training

- Participated in **76th Orientation Programme** organised by University Grants Commission Human Resource Development Centre (**UGC-HRDC**), **Patna**, held from 02/11/2017 to 29/11/2017 and awarded with **grade 'A'**.
- Six-month Training course on “**Certificate in Research Methodology**” conducted by Indian Institute of Public Health, Gandhinagar and Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI) for the session July-December 2015.
- Ten Days Training Course on “**Research Methods in Social Science and Computer Application**” sponsored by ICSSR, during 19th November to 28th November, 2013 at A. N. Sinha Institute of Social Studies, Patna.
- One-month certificate program titled ‘**Introduction to Education Statistics and Indicators**’ conducted by **World Bank Institute, Washington** during 4th March-3rd April, 2013.
- Three-month program on “**Certificate Course in International Perspective in Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation**” conducted by PRIA Education in association with **University of Victoria, Canada** during Oct-Dec, 2010.
- One Month program on “**Certificate course in Advance Excel**” by APTECH in the year 2005.
- Six-month program on Certificate Course in “**Computer Applications for Economic Analysis**” conducted by Gokhale Institute of Politics & Economics, Pune in the year 2004.

Technical Proficiency

- Proficient in MS OFFICE-Word, Excel and Power Point.
- Working Knowledge of statistical and analytical packages such as SPSS, R and E-Views.
- Working Knowledge of NSS Unit Level Data.

Papers Presented

- “Higher Education in Bihar: Status of Accessibility and Quality” presented in UGC Sponsored two-day national seminar organized by D.B.K.N College, Narhan, Samastipur, Bihar during 18th – 19th September, 2017.
- Gender Equality in the Labour Market: reflections from India. Presented in 55th Annual Conference of the Indian Society of Labour Economics (ISLE) held at Jawahar Lal Nehru University, New Delhi during December 16 – 18, 2013.
- Gender Equality & Labour Market. Presented in 53rd Annual Conference of the Indian Society of Labour Economics (ISLE) held at Mohanlal Sukhadia University, Udaipur, Rajasthan during December 17 – 19, 2011.
- Public Expenditure on Higher Education in Bihar- A Contradiction. Presented in 13th Annual Conference of Economic Association of Bihar held at A.N. Sinha Institute for Social Studies, Patna during 11-13 September, 2010.

Publications

Books

- **Anand, Smitya**, 2017. “*Higher Education in Bihar: From Nalanda to Nowhere*”: Abhijeet Publication, New Delhi.

Articles

- **Anand, Smitya**, 2014. *Inter-State Variations in Public Spending on Higher Education In India*, International Journal of Humanities and Social Science Inventions, Vol. 31, Issue 9, Sept 2014.

- **Anand, Smita**, 2013. *Access to Higher Education in India: Cross State Analysis*, University News, Vol. 51, No. 31, Aug,2013
- **Anand, Smita**, 2010. *Public Expenditure on Higher Education in Bihar- A Contradiction*, Bihar Economic Journal, Sept 2010.
- Kumar, S., **Smita Anand**, 2008. *B-School for Rural Women*, Yojana, Vol. 52, No. 1, Jan 2008.
- Kumar, S., **Smita Anand**, 2007. *Journey of Rural Credit in India over the Past Sixty Years*, Kurukshetra, Vol. 55 No. 12, Oct 2007.
- Kumar, S., **Smita Anand**, 2007. *Contract Farming in India: Prospects and Challenge*, Kurukshetra, Vol. 55 No. 9, Jul 2007.
- Prasad, G., **Smita Anand**, 2007. *Employment: Recent Trends*, Yojana, Vol. 51, No. 5, May 2007.

Government of India Reports

Provided expert advice in bringing out following reports:

- *Bihar's Exposure towards the Banking Sector*, Planning Commission, Government of India, July 2007.
- *Road Map for Development of Power Sector in Bihar*, Planning Commission, Government of India, July 2007
- *Bihar: Road Map for Development of Health Sector*, Planning Commission, Government of India, August 2007
- *Bihar's Agricultural Development - Opportunities & Challenges*, Planning Commission, Government of India, April 2008
- *Road Map for Rural Industrialization in Bihar*, Planning Commission, Government of India, July 2008
- *Resurgent Bihar: A Development Vision*, Planning Commission, Government of India, January 2009
- *Road Map for Water Resources Development in Bihar*, Planning Commission, Government of India, May 2009