

Profile

1. Personal Details:

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Profile Summary: I have been working as a faculty in Education at KKHSOU since 2007 with great dedication which I believe is the only key towards success. My major responsibility as a faculty of an Open University has been the promotion of Higher Education and ODL in the state of Assam as well as in the North Eastern part of India. Besides regularly publishing both nationally and internationally on different aspects of Education and pedagogy in the context of the 21st century, I have been teaching at the undergraduate and post graduate levels along with supervising MPhil and PhD scholars. Some of my research interests include—Education for Women and the oppressed sections of the society, Use of OER in Higher Education, Social Security and Techno Pedagogy. I strongly believe that doing interdisciplinary/multidisciplinary researches in collaboration with national and international colleagues and institutions/organisations will provide due exposure to my University and that, as a teacher, I should always take cognizance of the latest developments and researches in my own research areas so that I can work relentlessly for the future of my university.

Field of Specialisation: Higher Education, Economics of Education

Scholarly Interests: Issues on social sciences, specifically social security, political economy and gender studies

Title of Doctoral Thesis: *'Empowerment and Social Security of Rural Women in terms of Education, Health and Employment with Special Reference to Sonitpur District of Assam from Gauhati University, 2014.*

Other Research Experience: Junior Research Fellow at OKD Institute of Social Change and Development (OKDISCD) Guwahati, Assam (A premier Social Science Research Institute of North East India, sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science and Research & Government of Assam), under the One Year Junior Research Fellowship Programme for the session of 2007. The area of the research project was *Efficacy of the Functioning of Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, an Ethnography Study. 2007-08*

Language Proficiency: Assamese, English, Hindi

Award/Accolades:

Received the **prestigious 2019 Emerald Literati Award** for the paper “Transforming and empowering higher education through Open and Distance Learning in India” published in *Asian Association of Open Universities Journal* has been selected by the selection panel as Highly Commended.

Received the **prestigious 2022 Emerald Literati Award** for the paper “Perception towards online/blended learning at the time of Covid-19 pandemic: an academic analytics in the Indian context” published in *Asian Association of Open Universities Journal* has been selected by the selection panel as Outstanding paper award.

Star Scholar, selected by USA Star Scholars 2023

Selected for TedXCraver Road Countdown 2021, USA

2. Educational Qualifications: (Completed Year wise)

- PhD from Gauhati University in 2014
- Qualified National Eligibility Test (NET) for Lectureship in 2006, conducted by UGC
- M.A. (Education) from Gauhati University in 2004
- B.A.(With Major) in Education from Gauhati University in 2002
- BEd. From Gauhati University, 2005

3. Teaching Experience: 17 Years

4. Experience in Supervising Dissertation/Thesis:

PhD

- Nirupoma Barik. *Women Empowerment through Open and Distance Learning with Special reference to Assam* (Awarded)
- Karabi Kalita. *Life skills and in-service Teacher Trainees of Assam.* ((Awarded))
- Apurba Thakuriya. *Impact of Covid 19 on mental wellbeing of students.* (Submitted)
- Juri Das, *Skill abilities in the programmes of UG and PG level, KKHSOU.* (Pursuing)
- Bituraj Gohain, *IKS and the Role of Open Universities* (Pursuing)

MPhil

- Tarangini Das. *Emotional, Educational and Moral Problems of the Adolescents at Lower Secondary Schools: A Study in Guwahati City.* (MPhil), 2019 (Awarded)
- Charusmita Goswami. *Counselling sessions for students: the role of counsellors.* (MPhil), 2023 (Awarded)

5. International Exposure:

1. Visited to **University of Melbourne**, Australia, in December 2014 for presenting a paper on the topic entitled ***Gender Inequalities in Education: A Reflection on Indian Education System.***
2. Presented a joint paper in PCF8 Pan Commonwealth Forum, entitled ***Sustainable development through ODL: The Experiences of KKHSOU*** from 27th to 30th November, 2016.
3. Presented a paper entitled ***ODL for Human Resource Development: The Role of KKHSOU in Assam, India*** in AAOU2018 from 24-26 October 2018 in **Hanoi, Vietnam**. Also received the prestigious **COL fellowship to attend AAOU2018** as one of the 10 participants from five countries—Bangladesh, India, Maldives, Pakistan and Sri Lanka.
4. Visited **Korean National Open University (KNOU)** as **Visiting Scholar** under International Staff Exchange Programme of AAOU from 14th to 26th April 2019.
5. Selected as Visiting Scholar to **Sukhothai Thammathirat Open University, Thailand** under International Staff Exchange Programme of AAOU from 1st to 15th May 2019.
6. Selected for **AAOU Conference Fellowship Grant for the 33rd AAOU Conference in Lahore**, Pakistan on 14-16 October 2019.
7. Received the International AAOU **Conference Fellowship Grant for 34th AAOU conference in Sri Lanka**, 1st to 3rd June 2021
8. Received the **fellowship from UNESCO** for attending the Bridges conference, in Slovenia, Europe from 14th to 18th September 2022
9. Received **COL Full Fellowship 2022** for attending PCF 10, Canada Commonwealth of Learning, 14th to 16th September 2022
10. Received fellowship for the virtual conference organised by the World Forum Foundation, May 16-19, 2022
11. Received fellowship for the virtual conference organised by the World Forum Foundation, May 2-5, 2023
12. Received the **AAOU Fellowship** for 35th AAOU conference 2022, South Korea, 2-4 November, 2022
13. Received the **AAOU Fellowship** for 36th AAOU conference 2023, for 36th AAOU conference, Istanbul, Turkey

6. Journal Publications:

National

1. Published a research paper in a national journal entitled as “University News, A weekly Journal of Higher Education” on the theme of ***Challenges Concerning Higher Education in India***, published by Association of Indian Universities, Vol 51, No 46, November 18-24, 2013.
2. Published a research paper in a national journal entitled as “Arthshastra: Indian Journal of Economics & Research” on the theme of ***Food Security for Hunger Alleviation: Programme Formulations and its Implementations, especially in Assam***, Vol.3, No.1, January-February 2014. (UGC CARE)

3. Published a research paper in "Arthshastra: Indian Journal of Economics & Research" on the theme of ***Gender Inequalities: A Reflection on Indian Education System***, Vol.5, No.6, November-December 2015.(UGC CARE)
4. Published a research paper in "The University News" on the theme of ***Open Pedagogy and Lifelong Learning: Curriculum Contexts and Prospects***, Vol 61, No 03, 2023
5. Published a research paper in "Education and Society" entitled ***A study on the impact of B.Ed. programme in enhancing teacher effectiveness with reference to some selected variables of in-service secondary school teacher trainees***, Vol 46, No 3, July-September 2023 .(UGC CARE)
6. Published a research paper in "Bharatiya Shiksha Shodh Patrika, NCERT", entitled ***Empowering Educators: Exploring Life Skills in B.Ed. trainees***, Vol43, No 1 (January-June) 2024.(UGC CARE)
7. Published a research paper in "The University News" on the theme of ***Role of Education for Mobilising People's Participation in Disaster Management with special reference to India***, Vol 62, No 06, February 5-11, 2024
8. Published a research paper in "International Journal for Multidisciplinary Research" entitled ***Effect of Covid 19 Pandemic on school preparedness of Pre-school Children in Kamrup District of Assam***, , 2024 March-April, Vol 6, No 2
9. Published a research paper in Indian Journal of Adult Education (IJAE) entitled ***Digital Skills for Women Empowerment: Study of Select ODL Institutions in Assam***, 2024, July-December, Vol 85, Issue no 2 .(UGC CARE)
10. Published a research paper in Indian Journal of Adult Education (IJAE) entitled ***Repositioning Higher Education through Online Learning: Experiences of both Teachers and Learners in Assam***, 2025, January-June Vol 86, Issue no 1.(UGC CARE)

International

1. Published a research paper in an International Journal of Humanities & Social Science entitled as "The Marginal Voice" on the theme of ***Economic Empowerment of Women in Rural Areas through the Entrepreneurship Development***, published by Northeast Network for Academic Discourse. ISSN: 0976-853X.
2. Published a research paper in an International Journal entitled as "Journal of Education and Practice" on the theme of ***Challenges in Elementary Education in India: Various Approaches***, published by International Institute for Science, Technology & Education, covering ISSN 2222-1735, Vol 2, No 7, 2011.
3. Published a research paper in an International Journal entitled as "Research on Humanities and Social Sciences" on the theme of ***Women Empowerment, A Myth or Reality? A Reflection on Gender Empowerment Measure, especially in Assam***, covering ISSN 2224-5766, Vol.2, No.1, 2012.
4. Published a research paper in an International Journal entitled as "Information and Knowledge Management" on the theme of ***Effectiveness of Open and Distance Education and the relevance of ICT: A North-East Indian Perspective***, covering ISSN 2224-5758, Vol 2, No. 1, 2012.
5. Published a research paper in International Journal of Economics and Sustainable Development entitled as ***Accessibility and Equity: A Challenge for Higher Education in India***, ISSN 2222-1700, Vol.3, No 4, May 2012.
6. Published a paper in Asian Journal of Distance Education entitled as ***Gender Equity for Human and Educational Development in Asia***, published by The Asian Society of Open and Distance Education, Japan, ISSN 1347-9008, Vol. 12.2. 2017.
7. Published a research paper in international journal of Asian Association of Open Universities Journal (AAOUJ) on the theme of ***Transforming Higher Education through ODL in India***, published by Emerald Insight in 2018. (SCOPUS)
8. Published a research paper entitled ***Life Long Learning Opportunities through MOOCs in India*** in Asian Association of Open Universities Journal (AAOUJ), Vol. 15, Issue 1, 2020. (SCOPUS)
9. Published a research paper in international journal of Asian Journal of Distance Education on the theme of ***Socio-Economic Profile of Women Learners of the ODL System with Special Reference to KKHSOU in Assam***, published by The Asian Society of Open and Distance Education, Japan, June 2020.
10. Published a research paper in international journal of The Online Journal of Distance Education and E-Learning entitled ***A Learning analytics on Digital Learning Support Services in Pre and During COVID 19 Lockdown: An Institutional Study***, Vol 10, Issue 1, 2022 (UGC CARE)
11. Published a research paper entitled ***Perception towards online/blended learning at the time of Covid-19 pandemic: an academic analytics in the Indian*** in Asian Association of Open Universities Journal (AAOUJ), Vol. 16, Issue 1, 2021. (SCOPUS)
12. Published a research paper entitled ***Augmented reality for inclusive growth in education: the challenges*** in Asian Association of Open Universities Journal (AAOUJ), Vol. 19, Issue 1, 2024. (SCOPUS)

7. Chapters/Research Papers in Books/Proceedings/Working Paper: (Preferably in the last 10 years)

1. Published a unit on *Development of Education in Assam* for the course of MA in Education Paper V, MED 05, Vikas Publishing House, ISBN 978-93-259-5995-B, 2012.
2. Published a unit on *Distance Education: Growth and Significance in India* for the course of MA in Education, Paper X, MED 10, Vikas Publishing House, New Delhi, ISBN 978-93-259-6569-0, 2013.
3. Published a paper on *Training for Teachers and its applications with special reference to D.El.Ed. Programme in Assam* in a Multilingual Multidisciplinary Annual Journal 'Aithun' Vol.1, December 2013, covering the ISSN 2348-6430.
4. Published a paper on *India's Higher Education Policies Since Independence* in a book entitled 'Challenges of Higher Education in Assam, A Report on the Current Status, An Agenda for Action', Published by Rasmi Prakas, July, 2014.
5. Published a paper on *Training for Teachers and its Applications in the context of Assam* in a book entitled 'Issues and Challenges of Teacher Education', published by EBH publishers, India, 2015.
6. Published a chapter entitled *Skill Development through OERs in ODL system with special reference to KKHSOU* in a book i.e. "Open and Distance Learning System Recent Developments, published by Netaji Subhas Open University on January 2016.
7. Published a paper on *Open and Distance Learning in India*, in a book *Insight*, Purbayon publications, November 2016, with the ISBN No.978-81-92955-45-2.
8. Published the paper entitled *Sustainable development through ODL: The Experiences of KKHSOU* in the conference proceeding published by Commonwealth of Learning (COL) and Open University Malaysia (OUM) in November 2016.
9. Published a paper on *Teachers' Training: A Reflection on B.Ed. through ODL in NCTE Regulations 2014* in a book "Issues in Social Sciences", published by Assam Publishing Company with the ISBN No.978-81-86385-91-3 in February 2018.
10. Published a Working Paper on *Human Development and Gender Inequality Index, with Special Reference to Assam*, WP/2017/03, Published by KKHSOU, January 2017.
11. Published the paper entitled *Transforming Higher Education through ODL with Special Reference to KKHSOU in Assam* in the international conference on Developmental Interventions and Open Learning for Empowering and Transforming Society, in the conference proceedings published by KKHSOU, December 2017, ISBN978-81-934669-0-2.
12. Published a paper entitled *ODL for Human Resource Development: The Role of KKHSOU in Assam, India* by back Khoa Publishing House, Hanoi on behalf of Hanoi Open University in October 2018. ISBN-978-604-95-635-2.
13. Published a Working Paper on *Voting and Political Rights of Women: Myth and Reality? (With Special Reference to North East India)*, WP/2019/10, Published by KKHSOU, January 2019.
14. Published a paper on *Accessibility and Equity in Education through the ODL Mode: The Indian Experience* in a book "Perspective on Education: Current Dimensions", Published by KKHSOU, August 2019.
15. Published a paper entitled *Gender Inequalities and Human Development, with Special Reference to Assam*, in an edited Volume entitled "Development and Deprivation in the Indian Subcontinent", Levant Books Publisher, Kolkata, India 2019.
16. Published a Working Paper on *Experiential Learning Pedagogy* WP/2020, Published by KKHSOU, January 2020.
17. Published a chapter entitled *The Paradox of Elementary Education in India: A Critical Analysis* in a book "Elementary Education: Global Perspectives, Challenges and Issues of the 21st Century", published by Nova Science Publishers, Inc.415 Oser Avenue, Suite N Hauppauge, NY, 11788 USA, January 2020. (SCOPUS INDEX)
18. Published a research paper in the volume of e-Conference proceeding entitled *Perception towards Online/Blended Learning at the Time of the Pandemic: An Academic Analytics in the Indian Context* covering the ISBN: 978-988-8439-67-6, published by Hong Kong Open University, July 2020.
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8. Other Publications:

Self Learning Materials

More than 80 Units for various courses of BA and MA Education Programmes at KKHSOU.

As Book Editor

1. Sub-editor of the book entitled 'Insight', published by Purbayon publication, November 2016

2. Editorial associate of the conference volume of selected paper on Developmental Interventions and Open Learning for Empowering and Transforming Society, published by KKHSOU, December 2017.
3. Reviewer of the selected papers published in a book "Issues in Social Sciences", published by Assam Publishing Company with the ISBN No.978-81-86385-91-3 in February 2018
4. Editor of a book entitled "Perspective on Education: Current Dimensions", Published by KKHSOU, August 2019
5. Editor of the Book on Open Higher Education in the 21st Century, published by NOVA, USA, 2021 (SCOPUS INDEXED)

Articles in Newspapers *The Assam Tribune*

1. Relevance of Action Research, dated on 18th February 2011
2. Training for Teachers and its Applications, dated on 10th May 2011
3. Relevance of Open and Distance Learning, dated on 25th May 2011
4. Challenges in elementary education, dated on 21st July 2011
5. Political Nature of Education, dated on 3rd January 2012
6. Distance Learning for Empowering Women, dated on 31st August, 2012
7. Challenges Concerning Higher Education, dated on 23rd November 2012
8. Food Security for Human Development, dated on 20th April 2013
9. Applying ICT in Open and Distance Education, dated on 21st June 2013
10. Gender Concern in Education, dated on 17th December 2013
11. Distance Education for Rural Development, dated on 9th June 2014
12. Open Educational Resources and their use, dated on 30th August, 2014
13. Manifold Contributions of Omeo Kumar Das Institute, dated on 15th September 2014
14. Gender Inequality and Human Development in India, dated on 7th April 2015
15. Teacher Training, dated on 14th June 2015
16. Krishna Kanta Handiqui: the Scholar Extraordinaire, dated on 20th July 2015
17. Pedagogy of the oppressed through OERs, dated on 10th November 2015
18. Open Universities, dated on 5th February 2017
19. Skill-based Education, dated on 30th July 2017
20. Sustainable Education, on 22nd July 2018.
21. Techno-pedagogy, on 26th January 2020

Article in Assamese Newspapers

1. Jibanor Uddessay Jar Asil Inanor Onneson, (About KK Handiqui) Assamiya Pratidin, on 20th July 2016.
2. Krishna Kanta Handiqui aru Visyavidyalayar Dharana (Krishna Kanta Handiqui and the idea of a University), Niyamiya Barta, on 20th July 2017.
3. Amar Drishit Asom 2030, Niyamiya Barta, on 11th June 2018.
4. Krishna Kanta Handiqui, Asomiya Pratidin on 20th July 2018.
5. Mahila Votadhikar aru Rajnaitik Khamata (Voting and Political Rights of Women), Niyamiya Barta on 29.03.2019.

9. Seminars/Conferences attended:

1. Research Paper entitled "**Women Empowerment and Education and its Effect on Awareness and Social Development**" presented in the National Seminar organized by North-East Council for Social Science Research, June, 5-6, 2006, which was also published by Om Publication, New Delhi, covering ISBN No 81-86867-85-6
2. Research Paper entitled "**Problem of Girl Child Workers in Unorganized sector in Assam, A Study of Girl Child Workers in Gohpur Town**", presented in the State level Seminar, organized by Assam Mahila Samata Society, Guwahati, Dec.12 and 13, 2006.
3. Research paper entitled "**Present Trend of Education in Rural Development of Assam in context of Global Economy**" presented in the National Seminar organized by Department of Geography, T.H.B. College, Jamugurihat, Assam
4. Presented a Seminar paper in IDEA International Annual Conference, 2008 on **Accessibility and Equity in Distance Education** organized by UNSECO, Common Wealth of Learning, Distance Education Council and KKHSOU IDOL, 14th November, 2008.
5. Presented a Seminar paper in a U.G.C. sponsored national seminar on **Economic Empowerment of women in Rural Areas through the Entrepreneurship Development, specifically in Assam**, organized by T.H.B. College, Jamugurihat, dept. of Economics, from 18th to 19th September, 2009.
6. Presented a seminar paper in an International Conference organized by AIAER at Lucknow University on **Challenges of Quality Education at Higher Stage of Education in India, specifically in North-East** (which is under the publication) from 22-24th December 2009.

7. Participated in the Sixth Pan–Commonwealth Forum on Open Learning, *Access and Success in Learning* from 24th-28th November 2010, at Kochi, India
8. Presented a paper in a national conference organized by KKHSOU at Guwahati on Capacity Building of *Women through Gender Empowerment Measure, especially in Assam: A Myth or Reality?* from 13th -15th December 2010, (which is under the publication)
9. Presented a paper in an International Conference of XII International Seminar at new Delhi on *Accessibility and Equity in Higher Education* on January 4-5, 2011.
10. Presented a paper as Resource Person in a national conference organized by North Guwahati College on *Social Exclusion: A Challenge for Women in Assam* from 10th -11th of June 2011(which is under the publication)
11. Presented a paper in a national conference on *Relevance of Information and Communication Technology in Open and Distance Learning* organized by NEHU, Shillong from 13th to 15th September 2011, which is published in 2013, covering ISBN No 978 93 80261 911
12. Presented a paper in 9th Annual National Conference on *Women in Community Development: Programme Formulations and Implementations, especially in Assam* organized by IGNOU, New Delhi and Social Work Department of Visva-Bharati University at Visva-Bharati University of West Bengal, from 27th -29th January 2012.
13. Presented a paper in a UGC sponsored national seminar on the theme of *Training for Teachers and its Applications in the context of Assam*, organized by Doomsdooma College, Tinsukia, Assam from 3rd to 4th August 2012.
14. Presented a paper in an international seminar on *Food security for Hunger Alleviation: Program Formulations and Implementation especially in Assam* organized by Economics Deptt. of St. Bede's College Shimla in collaboration with Indian economic Association (IEA) from 5th to 6th October 2012.
15. Presented a paper on the topic entitled *Gender Inequalities in Education: A Reflection on Indian Education System* in Gender and Education Association Biennial Interim Conference, University of Melbourne, Australia, from 9th to 11th December 2014.
16. Presented a paper on the topic entitled *B.Ed through ODL and NCTE Regulations 2014: A Critical Analysis* in a national conference cum 22nd Annual Conference of North East India Education Society (NEIES) on 'Quality and Excellence in Teacher Education in India: Issues and Challenges' on 29th and 30th April 2015 organised by Dibrugarh University.
17. Participated in a one day seminar on Peace, Security and Development in Assam on 6th July 2015 organised by Red Horns Division of the Army at Rangiya, Assam.
18. Presented a paper on the topic entitled *Gender Inequalities and Human Development, with Special Reference to Assam* in a national seminar on Poverty, Inequality and Health in India with special reference to North East India organized by North-Eastern Hill University in collaboration with Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata and NABARD during 8-10 October 2015
19. Participated in a national conference on *Social Sector Development and Governance Issues in the North East* on 28th and 29th November 2015 at DBI, Kharghuli organized by Krishna Kanta Handiqui State Open University with financial assistance from ICSSR, NERC.
20. Presented a paper as Co-Author, in PCF8 Pan Commonwealth Forum, entitled *Sustainable development through ODL: The Experiences of KKHSOU* from 27th to 30th November 2016, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
21. Presented a paper on the topic entitled *Policies and Programmes for Reducing Gender Inequalities with Special Reference to Assam* in the XXII Conference of North East India Political Science Association held in the Department of Political Science, Gauhati University from 2^{4th} -2^{5th} February 2017.
22. Presented a paper on the topic entitled *Transforming Higher Education through ODL with Special Reference to KKHSOU in Assam* in the international conference on Developmental Interventions and Open Learning for Empowering and Transforming Society, organised by KKHSOU from 16th to 17th December 2017.
23. Presented a research paper entitled *ODL for Human Resource Development: The Role of KKHSOU in Assam, India* in 32nd Annual Conference of Association of Open Universities (AAOU) organized by Hanoi Open University at Melia Hanoi Hotel, Hanoi, Vietnam from 24th -26th October 2018.
24. Participated in the two day national conference on Experiential Learning-Nai Talim from 27th to 28th February 2019 at Dr.MCR HRD Institute, organised by MGNRCE.
25. Presented a paper in a national conference entitled *Experiential Learning Pedagogies through Open and Distance Learning in India* at IDOL, Gauhati University on 19th March 2019.
26. Presented a paper entitled *Gender Equality and Political Participation in Post-Independence Assam* in a National conference organized by KKHSOU, sponsored by National Commission for Women on 5th and 6th March 2020.
27. Presented a paper entitle *Digital Learning Services in Pre and During COVID 19: Learning Analytics of KKHSOU* in an international webinar organised by KKHSOU in collaboration with CEMCA on 21st and 22nd April 2020.

28. Participated a one day National Webinar **on Gender and Cyber Crimes During COVID 19 Pandemic** organised by Women Development Cell (WDC) and Internal Compliant Committee (ICC) of SM Shetty College of Science, Commerce & Management Studies, Powai, Mumbai on 27th May 2020.
29. Participated an international webinar on **E-Education: Challenges & Solutions** organised by Medi Caps University, Alma British Company, London, United Kingdom and APBS Avicenne business School, Tunisia on 31st May 2020.
30. Participated a national webinar on **Soft Skills** organised by Government Degree College, Ichapuram, Srikakulam district, Andhra Pradesh on 7th June 2020.
31. Participated in a two days National Virtual Conference on, **COVID -19 Pandemic: Voice of Youth- An Urgent Need of Psycho-Social Support**, organized by M.B.G.P.G. College (Haldwani) in association with Uttarakhand Open University (Haldwani) and Directorate Higher Education (Uttarakhand) held on 21 & 22 June, 2020.
32. Presented a research paper in a conference proceeding entitled **Perception towards Online/ Blended Learning at the Time of the Pandemic: An Academic Analytics in the Indian Context** in the 3 day International Conference on Open and Innovative Education (ICOIE, 2020), organized by Open University of Hong Kong from 2-4th July 2020.
33. Participated in a two day National Webinar entitled "**Innovation, Technology and Quality in Distance Education**" to be held **online on July 4 and 5, 2020**, organised by the School of Education, Uttarakhand Open University, Haldwani.

10. Workshops/Training Programmes attended:

1. A course on **Research Methodology in Development Studies**, organized by OKDISCD, Guwahati, March, 17-26, 2007.
2. A course on **Development of Self Learning Materials**, organized by Krishna Kanta Handique State Open University in collaboration with Distance Education Council, New Delhi from 15th to 17th December, 2007.
3. A Course on **Gender Budget Analysis**, held during 3rd July to 6th July, 2007 organized by Northeast Network. The course was provided by Center for Budget and Governance Accountability.
4. Participated in a Workshop on the issue on **E-Learning in Distance Education**, organized by IDOL, 7-9th March, 2008
5. Participated in a Pre-Conference Workshop on **Research in Distance Education** at IDOL, 13th November 2008, organized by KKHSOU
6. Participated in a Post-Conference Workshop on **Communication skill** at IDOL, 17th November 2008, organized by KKHSOU
7. Participated in the workshop on **Development of Research Proposals in Distance and On-line Learning**, organized by I.D.O.L, KKHSOU & IGNOU from 9th to 10th May, 2009
8. Participated in the workshop on **Producing Open and Distance Learning Courseware Using Metamorphosis** organized by KKHSOU from 29th -30th June to 1st July 2009.
9. Participated in the workshop on **Faculty Development Programme on Entrepreneurship**. Organized by Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship from 15th February 2010 to 26th February 2010
10. Participated in a workshop on **E-Learning** organized by KKHSOU and DEC on 31st March to 1st April 2011.
11. Participated in the state level workshop on **Aesthetic Values of Dr. Bhupen Hazarika's Works and His Contributions to the Socio-cultural Life in Assam** on 26th December 2011, organized by N. H. College, Patancharkuchi in collaboration with SURC-3 Colleges.
12. Participated in a workshop on **SLM Writing and Research Methodology** organized by K K Handiqui State Open University in collaboration with Distance Education Council, New Delhi, from March 11 to March 14, 2013.
13. Participated in a State Level Workshop on **Study on Children in Assam**, organized by Omeo Kumar Das Institute of Social Change and Development and UNICEF on 20th June 2013, at OKDISCD, Guwahati.
14. Participated in a Workshop on **Counselling the Counsellors on ODL system**, organized by K KHSOU and DEB on 27th and 28th March 2014, at IIE, Guwahati.
15. Participated in a workshop on **Open Educational Resources for Development** organized by Commonwealth Educational Media Centre for ASIA, New Delhi in collaboration with Krishna Kanta Handiqui State Open University, Guwahati from October 15th to 17th December 2014 at Hotel Nakshatra, Guwahati
16. Participated in a workshop on **Advance Skill Development Programme** organized by KKHSOU from 12th to 13th February 2015
17. Participated in a 2days orientation workshop on **Regulations 2014 & Curriculum Framework for Teacher Education Programme through Open and Distance Learning**, March 21-22, 2015, organized by the National Council for Teacher education, New Delhi at Institute of Distance and Open Learning, Gauhati University.

18. Participated in the Regional Consultative Meeting, Eastern and North Eastern Regions on **New Education Policy (NEP)-Teacher Education**, organized by National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE), New Delhi on 19th October 2015 at Gauhati University.
19. Participated in the one day workshop on **Techniques and Skill Development on Question Paper Setting** organized by KKHSOU on 21st April 2017 at Guwahati.
20. Participated in a two day workshop on **Adoption and Development of MOOCs** organized by KKHSOU in collaboration with IGNOU, New Delhi on 28th and 29th June 2018 at Guwahati.
21. Participated in a two day workshop on **Faculty Development** organized by KKHSOU on 18th and 19th November 2018.
22. Participated in a two day workshop on **Choice Based Credit System** organized by KKHSOU on 28th and 29th December 2018.
23. Attended a workshop cum national conference on **Experiential Learning: NaiTalim** from 27th and 28th February 2019 at Dr. MCR HRD Institute at Hyderabad. This programme was organized by MGNCRE under MHRD.
24. Attended **Faculty Development Programme** from 2nd July to 6th July 2019, organized by KKHSOU in collaboration with MGNCRE under MHRD.
25. Attended a workshop on **Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)** on 13th August, 2019, organized by KKHSOU
26. Participated in the Training Programme on Organisation wide **Quality Management** Organised by CIQA, KKHSOU on 1st November 2019.
27. Participated in the workshop on Development of **MOOCs for ODL Learners** from June 22nd to 25th, 2020 organised by KKHSOU in collaboration with CEMCA
28. Participated a 5day online training programme on **The Concept of Self Help Groups (SHGs) for Women** organized by Arrupe Centre for Policy Research (ACPR), Arul Anandar College, Karumathur in collaboration with Commonwealth of learning (COL), Canada from 23rd to 27th June 2020.
29. Participated in a Faculty Development Programme on **E-Teaching and E Learning** organized by D G Vaishnav College and St.Jude's College, Thoothoor, Department of Sociology from June 29 to July 3rd, 2020.

11. Professional Programmes Completed:

1. Completed a ten days' course on **Research Methodology**, organised by OKDISCD in collaboration with ICCSR, 2007.
2. Participated in the workshop on **Faculty Development Programme on Entrepreneurship**. Organized by Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship from 15th February 2010 to 26th February 2010
3. Completed the Short term Course as Visiting Scholar under Faculty Exchange Programme in Korea National Open University, Seoul in the Month of April, 2019. The research area was on Online Course Development.
4. Successfully completed with Grade A the UGC sponsored **Orientation Programme** from 31st October to 27th November 2016
5. Successfully completed with Grade A the UGC sponsored **Refresher Course in Social Science –I(ID)** from 29th January to 18th February 2018
6. Successfully Completed with Grade A+ the UGC sponsored **Refresher Course in Disaster Management** from 19th August to 1st September, 2019.

12. Experience in Organising Conferences/Workshops:

1. Member of the Publication Committee and Session co-ordinator in National Conference on Economic Development of Assam (In the Context of North East Juxtaposition and Look East Policy), Organised by KKHSOU from 13th -15th December, 2010.
2. Convenor of the Publication Committee (Abstract Volume) and the Session Coordinator of the National Conference on Social Sector Development and Governance Issues in the North East, Organised by KKHSOU from 28th – 29th November, 2015.
3. Member (Selected Papers for Conference Volume) of the Publication Committee and the Session Coordinator of the International Conference on “Developmental Interventions and Open Learning for Empowering and Transforming Society” organised by KKHSOU from 16-17 December 2017.
4. Coordinator of organising the Faculty Development Programme from 2nd July to 6th July 2019, organized by KKHSOU in collaboration with MGNCRE under MHRD.
5. Coordinator of the talk on **Man -Animal Conflict** in the university on 18th September, 2017.
6. Coordinator of the talk on **Stress Management at Work Place** in the university on 16th May 2019
7. Coordinator of the talk on **IntellectualProperty Right** on 13th August 2019

13. Resource person/Expert appointed:

1. Presented a lecture as a Resource Person on **Women Empowerment through Open and Distance Learning**, organized by Rangia Teachers' Training College Study Centre of KKHSOU, 1st August 2009, at Rangia.
2. Presented a lecture and actively participated in developing the **Action Research** for capacity building of faculty members of Teacher Training Institutes (DIETs/ DRCs/BTCs) of the officials of SSA, Assam from 3rd June 2010 to 5th June 2010.
3. Presented a lecture as a resource Person on **Relevance of Open and Distance Education in the Perspective of Present Socio-Economic Scenario in India** on 22nd March 2011 organised by SMBS College, Sualkuchi
4. Presented a lecture as a resource Person on **Application of Teaching Aids for Teaching Social Sciences** on 16th March 2013 organised by DK College Mirza
5. Participated as Supervisor in the seminar on D.EL.ED programme in SK Hazarika College, Guwahati on 7th and 8th February 2015
6. Presented a lecture as a Resource Person on **Gender Equity in Education**, organized by KKHSOU in collaboration with Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development on 7th January 2018 in Pub Kamrup College, Baihata Chariali, Assam.
7. Acted as a Resource Person in the discussion on **Socio-Cultural Inclusion of Muslims in Nepal** on 23rd January 2018 in the conference hall of the New Academic Building of Gauhati University.
8. Acted as a Resource Person in the induction Programme under K Khandiqui State Open University on 9th December 2018 organised by S K Hazarika College Study Centre, Guwahati, Assam.
9. Acted as a Panelist for the interview of the post of **the role of District Social Sector Coordinator (DSSC) scheduled on 12th February 2019**, organized by ARIAS Society, Khanapara, Agriculture Campus, Guwahati-781022
10. Invited as Panel Speaker for **Assam State Round Table Meet on UN SDG Goal (5) on Gender Equality, September 26, 2019 at Hotel Taj Vivanta, Khanapara, Guwahati from 10:00 AM–1:00 PM**, organized by Digital Empowerment Foundation, North East Development Foundation, Assam Civil Society Network for SDGs (ACT4SDGs), in collaboration with National Foundation for India and supported by Institute of Bio-Resources & Sustainable Development, DST, Govt. of India and UNDP.
11. Acted as Resource Person in the **Induction Programme at S K Hazarika College** on October 20th, 2019 organized by SK Hazarika College Study Centre of KKHSOU.

14. Administrative Experiences:

- Member of the Selection Committee for MPhil and PhD Programmes for the year 2017.
- Convenor of the committee of Certificate, Diploma, PG Diploma and Masters' Programmes vide notification dated 19.02.2016, reference no. KKHSOU/VCO/1/2015
- Convenor and the Coordinator of the Ph.D Programme for the year of 2015-2016, vide notification dated 01/06.2015, reference no. KKHSOU/General Circular/66/2011/45

15. Research & Consultancy Projects: N/A

16. Membership in National/International Forum/Association:

- Life Membership of North East India Education Society, Shillong since 2011
- Membership of Commonwealth Council for Educational Administration & Management (CCEAM), H.Q. South Africa since 2013
- Life Membership of All India Association for Educational Research, Bhubaneswar, since 2016
- Life Membership of International Society for Development and Sustainability, Japan, since 2019

17. Other relevant Information:

MOOCs Completed

1. MOOC under ARPIT (Annual Refresher Programme in Teaching) conducted by SWAYAM on Latest Trends and Pedagogy (ID) on March 2019
2. Blended Learning Practices offered by COL in collaboration with Athabasca University using CANVAS, May 2020.
3. Cooperative Learning offered by GHG Khalsa College of Education, New Delhi through MOOKIT, June 2020.
4. MOOC on Learning to Learn Online offered by Athabasca University using CANVAS, June 2020.
5. MOOC on Understanding OERs in June 2020

Community work through community radio 'Jnan Taranga' and 'Ekalavya':

1. Meaning of Education, presented on 11.03.2011
2. Basic Unit of Education, presented on 29.03.2011

3. Aims of Education, presented on 06.05.2011
4. Action Research, presented on 11.06.2011
5. School and Community, presented on 31.07.2011
6. Education and Women Empowerment, presented on 13.11.2011
7. Education during British Period, presented on 06.12.2011
8. Open and Distance Education, presented on 02.09.2013
9. BA 3rd Year SLM, presented on 15.09.2013
10. SLMs recorded for Blind Learners of BPP 1st Year
11. SLMs recorded for Blind Learners of Degree 1st, 2nd and 3rd Year (Annual Course)
12. Relevance of distance education for rural development
13. Distance education: as Frontier
14. Basic Concept and Aims of Education on 26th December 2018
15. Higher Education: Challenges and Prospects on 26th November 2019
16. Curriculum and its principles on 9th December 2019

For Ekalavya Programme:

1. Education and Women Empowerment, recorded on 13.11.2011 through All India Radio
2. Teachers' Training and its importance, recorded on 11.02.2012 through All India Radio
3. Globalisation and Privatisation in Higher Education, recorded on 23.05.2013 through All India Radio
4. Economics of Education, recorded on 07.7.2013 through All India Radio
5. Relevance of Open and Distance Learning, recorded on 2.9.2013 through All India Radio
6. Lesson Planning, recorded on 13.12.2013 through All India Radio
7. Education for Sustainable Development, recorded on 27.01.2014 through All India Radio
8. Value education and its relevance in present day world, recorded on 2.9.2014 through All India Radio
9. Gender Inequalities in Education, recorded on 2.1.2015 through All India Radio
10. A Reflection on Children and their mental environment, recorded on 3.1.2015 through All India Radio
11. Juvenile Delinquency and today's society, recorded on 10.10.2015 through All India Radio
12. Human Rights and Education, recorded on 21.9.2016 through All India Radio
13. Man and Elephant Conflict, recorded on 16.12.2016 through All India Radio
14. Elementary education: a critical analysis, recorded on 2.7.2017 through All India Radio
15. Human Rights: a critical analysis, recorded on 23.7.2017 through All India Radio
16. Social Security, recorded on 25.7.2017 through All India Radio
17. Quality of the Government schools, recorded on 16.10.2017 through All India Radio
18. Biodiversity, recorded on 5.1.2018 through All India Radio
19. Child Care and Child Health on 12.9.2018 at KKHSOU with Dr. Nayan Mani Deka aired through All India Radio
20. Women and Law on 13.9.2018 Prof Ramesh Barpatra Goahin aired through All India Radio
21. Cooperative Learning Methods on 29.03.2019 with Prof. Mukut Hajarika aired through All India Radio.
22. Mental Health of the Child on 16.5.2019 with Dr. Jayanta Das, Renowned Psychiatrist, aired through All India Radio.

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