

CURRICULUM VITAE, 2020-21

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Objective:

Integrity and Empowerment

Interests:

Social work research, participatory research; Social Case Work & Group work (working with individuals, families and groups); Rural Development; Sustainable development; Inclusive Development; Empowerment; Gender justice; Counselling; Spiritually sensitive social work; Project management

TEACHING:

2009 (onwards) -

Asst. Professor in Social Work at BPHEs' Centre for Studies in Rural Development – Institute of Social Work and Research, Ahmednagar, Maharashtra, a government aided, UGC recognised post graduate training institute affiliated to Savitribai Phule Pune University, Maharashtra, INDIA

Courses taught at master's level:

- (1) Methods of Social Work I: Work with Individuals and families – Social Case Work (G 5)
- (2) Methods of Social Work II: Work with groups – Social Group Work (G 6)
- (3) Social Work Research and Statistical Applications (G 8)
- (4) Psychology for Social Work (G 2)
- (5) Counselling Theory and Practice (FCW 4)
- (6) Management of Community Projects (URCD 3)

Other academic responsibilities as a teacher at post graduate level: Field work supervision and Research guidance at Master's level students; Paper setting, evaluation; Invigilation and examination supervision.

Institutional / administrative responsibilities: College Examination Officer, Academic Research Coordinator; IQAC coordinator; Staff Secretary; Website in Charge; IGNOU Special Study Centre coordinator

2008 – 2009 **Academic Counsellor and Field Work Supervisor** at Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), Delhi Centre at Jamia Millia Islamia (0707)

Courses taught at master's level:

- (1) Social and Psychological Concepts for Social Workers (MSW 003)
- (2) Social Research (MSW 005)
- (3) Fieldwork Practicum (MSW 006)

Other responsibilities: Field work supervision of BSW students

2007 – 2008 **Guest Lecturer**, Dept. of Social Work, Delhi University: Field work supervision for MSW students

2004 – 2006 **Ad-hoc Lecturer**, Dept. of Social Work, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi

Courses taught at MSW and BSW level:

- (1) Theoretical Foundation for Social Work and Advanced Theory of Human Behaviour (MSW)
- (2) General Psychology and Social Psychology (BSW)
- (3) Organization – Theory and Practice (MA-HRM)

Other responsibilities: Field work supervision of BSW students

1999 – 2000 **Guest Lecturer**, Dept. of Social Work, Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit, Regional Centre, Payyanur, Kerala

Courses taught at masters' level:

- (1) Psychology for Social Workers
- (2) Community Organisation
- (3) Rural Community Development
- (4) Social Group Work

Other responsibilities: Field work supervision of MSW students; organisation of rural camp

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- 2020 Jaimon Varghese, '*Religion, Spirituality and Sustainable Development – A Social Work Perspective*', Jaipur: Manas Publishers & Distributors (ISBN 978-93-83231-60-7), p.234
- 2018 Jaimon Varghese, '*Spirituality for Promoting Community and Environmental Sustainability*', Jaipur: Manas Publishers & Distributors (ISBN 978-93-83231-53-9), p.224

- 2018 Jaimon Varghese, '*Compassion, Competence and Commitment – Understanding and Applying Spirituality in Social Work*', Jaipur: Manas Publishers & Distributors (ISBN 978-93-83231-49-2), p.186
- 2017 Jaimon Varghese, '*Spirituality for Sustainable Development – A Social Work Innovation*', Jaipur: Manas Publishers & Distributors (ISBN 978-93-83231-43-0), p.166
- 2012 Jaimon Varghese, '*Women Empowerment through Literacy Campaign – Role of Social Work*', New Delhi: Concept Publication (ISBN 13: 9788180697937) p. 294
- Research based articles in social work journals**
- 2018 Jaimon Varghese, '*Spiritually Sensitive Service: Exploring Horizons of Social Work Practice*', The Indian Journal of Social Work, Mumbai: Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Vol. 79 (1), ISSN: 0019-5634, January 2018, p 119-136
- 2018 Jaimon Varghese, '*Factors Promoting Community and Environmental Sustainability – A Social Work Perspective*', Journal Social Work Education, Research and Action, New Delhi: National Association of Professional Social Workers in India, Vol. 79 (1), ISSN: 2394-4102, Jan - Apr 2018, p 23-46
- 2018 Jaimon Varghese, '*Spiritual Social Work – a Strategy for Sustainable Development*', New Horizons in University Education – A Journal of Development and Social Justice, Ahmednagar: BPHEs' CSR Institute of Social Work and Research, Vol. 8 (1), ISSN 2249-586, p 62-75
- 2017 Jaimon Varghese, '*Quest for Gender Justice – A study on upward social mobility of Scheduled Caste women in Delhi*', New Horizons in University Education – A Journal of Development and Social Justice, Ahmednagar: BPHEs' CSR Institute of Social Work and Research, Vol. 7 (1&2), ISSN 2249-586, p 16-30
- 2016 Jaimon Varghese, '*Sanjoepuram Community Organisation Programme – A Case Study of Faith based Philanthropic Social Work*', New Horizons in University Education – A Journal of Development and Social Justice, Ahmednagar: BPHEs' CSR Institute of Social Work and Research, Vol. 6 (1&2), ISSN 2249-586, p 31-53
- 2013 Jaimon Varghese, '*Spiritually Sensitive Social Work: A Mission for Responsive & Compassionate Society – a National Study on Professional Social Workers*', New Horizons in University Education – A Journal of Development and Social Justice, Ahmednagar: BPHEs' CSR Institute of Social Work and Research, Vol. 3 (2), ISSN 2249-586, p 6-23
- 2011 Jaimon Varghese, '*Empowerment of Women Literacy Workers: A Case Study from villages of Haryana*', New Horizons in University Education – A Journal of

Development and Social Justice, Ahmednagar: BPHEs' CSR Institute of Social Work and Research, ISSN 2249-586, Vol. 4 (1), p 39-58

- 2004 Jaimon Varghese, '*Potential for Practice of Participatory Research through Rural Camp*', Journal of Contemporary Social Work, Lucknow, Vol. XXI, April, p 61-80

Articles in Edited Books / Conference proceedings

- 2016 Jaimon Varghese, '*Spiritually Sensitive Service – Lost and Found Area of Social Work Profession*', in Suresh Pathare, Sanjai Bhatt and Jaimon Varghese (Eds.), '*Social Justice and Social Work Profession in India – Challenging Responses and Responding Challenges*', Jaipur: Manas Publishers & Distributors (ISBN 978-93-83231-30-0), p. 25-44
- 2015 Jaimon Varghese, '*Contemporary Models of Gandhian Gramswaraj – the Story of Ralegaon Siddhi and Hiware Bazar, the Ideal Villages in Ahmednagar District, Maharashtra, India*', in Sanjoy Roy and Bishnu Mohan Dash (Eds.), '*New Perspectives in Community Development*' New Delhi: Atlantic Publishers & Distributors (P) Ltd (ISBN 978-81-269-2035-8), p. 322-353
- 2015 Jaimon Varghese, '*Spiritually Sensitive Social Work: An Emerging Model of Practice*, in Sanjai Bhatt and Suresh Pathare (Eds.), '*Social Work Education and Practice Engagement*' Delhi: Shipra Publications (ISBN 15: 978-81-7541-757-1), p. 136-149
- 2013 Jaimon Varghese, '*Religion and Social Work - The Paradigm of Spirituality and Values in Family Based Social Work: A Study on Professional Social Workers*, in Suresh Pathare and Kuruvila Pandikattu (Eds.), '*Lifting up the Spirit, Uplifting the Body – Interfacing Religion, Spirituality and Social Work in India*, Pune: Creati Ventures (ISBN 13: 978-81-8836-002-4), p. 261-307

PAPER PRESENTATIONS

International Conferences

- 2016 Jaimon Varghese, '*Spiritual Social Work – a Strategy for Resilient and Sustainable Development*', Fifth International Conference on 'Building Community Resilience for Sustainable Development' organised by BPHEs' CSR Institute of Social Work and Research, Ahmednagar at Ahmednagar, 19-21 February, 2016
- 2015 Jaimon Varghese, '*Spiritually Sensitive Service – an empowering strategy to overcome local and global challenges for the attainment of social justice*, Fourth International Conference on 'Promoting Social Justice and Empowerment: Addressing Local and Global Challenges' organised by BPHEs' CSR Institute of Social Work and Research, Ahmednagar at Ahmednagar, 19-21 February, 2015

- 2014 Jaimon Varghese, *'Spiritually Sensitive Social Work: A Mission for Responsive and Compassionate Society - a National Study on Professional Social Workers'*, Third International Conference on 'Vision for Equitable, Just and Compassionate Societies' organised by BPHEs' CSR Institute of Social Work and Research, Ahmednagar at Jnana Deep Vidyapeeth, Pune, 21-23 March, 2014
- 2013 Jaimon Varghese, *'Role of Spirituality in Enhancing Commitment for Just, Inclusive, and Sustainable Societies - a National Study on Professional Social Workers'* Second International Conference on Spirituality and Social Work: 'Enhancing commitment for just, inclusive, and sustainable societies', BPHEs' CSR – Institute of Social Work and Research, Ahmednagar, 3-5 January, 2013
- 2011 Jaimon Varghese, *'Religion and Social Work - the Paradigm of Spirituality and Values in Family based Social Work: a Study on Professional Social Workers'* First International Conference on 'Religion, Spirituality and Social Work – Exploring Connections', BPHEs' CSR – Institute of Social Work and Research, Ahmednagar, 28-30 December, 2011
- National Seminars**
- 2019 Jaimon Varghese, *'Spirituality - A Social Work Innovation for Achieving Sustainable Development Goals'* Seventh Indian Social Work Congress 2019: Social Care and Social Wellbeing: Challenges and Opportunities for Social Work Profession organised by National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI) at Dept of Social Work, University of Lucknow on 11-13 October, 2019
- 2018 Jaimon Varghese, *'Spirituality for promoting community and environmental sustainability – Exploring application of spiritual social work'* Sixth Indian Social Work Congress 2018: Human Development & Social Inclusion: Imperatives for Social Work Education & Practice organised by National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI) at Dept of Social Work, University of Delhi on 1-3 November, 2018
- 2017 Jaimon Varghese, *'Spirituality, an Emerging Dimension of Social Work – A Critical Reflection on the Contribution of Sree Sankaracharya and Sree Narayanaguru towards Advaita Spirituality and Social Change'* Fifth Indian Social Work Congress 2017: Social Work Profession and Social Realities: Responses and Reposits organised by National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI) at Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit, Kalady, Kerala on 10-12 November, 2017
- 2016 Jaimon Varghese, *'Spiritualism for Sustainable Development – An Emerging Social Work Practice'*

- Fourth Indian Social Work Congress, 2016 on 'Social Development and Social Work Profession: Issues and Challenges' organised by National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI) at Department of Social Work, Kashi Vidyapeeth, Varanasi, on 22-24 October, 2016
- 2015 Jaimon Varghese, '*Spirit, Spirituality and Spiritual Social Work – Issue, Challenge and Strategy*' Third Indian Social Work Congress, 2015 on 'Community Engagement, Social Responsibility and Social Work Profession' organised by National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI) at Department of Social Work, Jain Vishva Bharati Institute, Ladnun, October 24-26, 2015
- 2014 Jaimon Varghese, '*Spiritually Sensitive Service – Lost and Found Area of Social Work Profession*' Second Indian Social Work Congress on 'Social Justice and Social Work Profession in India Challenging Responses and Responding Challenges' organised by National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI) at Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune, 19-21 December, 2014
- 2013 Jaimon Varghese, '*Spiritually Sensitive Social Work – An Emerging Model of Practice*' First Indian Social Work Congress on 'Social Work Profession in India: Bridging Gaps and Building Bridges' organised by National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI) and Department of Social Work, University of Delhi at Conference Centre, University of Delhi, Delhi, 23-25 February, 2013
- 2012 Jaimon Varghese, '*Adarsh Gram Yojana – Gandhian model of Gramswaraj in practice - A case study on ideal villages of Ralegon Sidhi and Hiware Bazar in Ahmednagar district, Maharashtra*', 9th Annual National Seminar on Community Development, Social Work and HIV / AIDS, organised by School of Social Work, IGNOU, New Delhi and Department of Social Work, Vishwabharati University, Shantiniketan at Conference Centre, Vishwabharati, Shantiniketan, West Bengal, 27-29 January, 2012
- 2011 Jaimon Varghese, '*Scope for Social Work Research Practice in Rural Camp – A case study*', 8th National Seminar on Social Work Response to HIV, BPHEs' CSR – Institute of Social Work and Research, Ahmednagar and School of Social Work, IGNOU, New Delhi at CSR – ISWR, Ahmednagar, 24-26 February
- State / University level**
- 2015 Jaimon Varghese, '*Quest for Gender Justice – A study on upward social mobility of Scheduled Caste women in Delhi*', State Level Seminar on Human Rights and Social Exclusion organised by BPHEs' CSR – Institute of

Social Work and Research, Ahmednagar at CSRD-ISWR, Ahmednagar, 14-16 January, 2015

RESEARCH

- 2011-20 *Spirituality and Social Work – Application of Spirituality in Social Work Practice* (ongoing research) with the post graduate students of social work at BPHEs' CSRD-ISWR, Ahmednagar, Maharashtra, India (prepared and presented 10 conference papers and published 3 books)
- 2012 *Adarsh Gram Yojana – Gandhian model of Gramswaraj in practice - A case study on ideal villages of Ralegon Sidhi and Hiware Bazar in Ahmednagar district, Maharashtra* (paper presented and published)
- 2007 'San Joe Puram Women Empowerment Programme – A Case Study on the Community Organisation Experiment undertaken by St. Joseph's Service Society in Haryana' - – A study of a cluster of villages around Sanjoepuram, Chandpur, Faridabad district, Haryana (unpublished)
- 2001-2006 *Empowerment of Women Literacy Workers: A Case Study from villages of Haryana* (an action research) – the doctoral research work, published in 2012
- 1999 *Potential for Practice of Participatory Research through Rural Camp – A case study* [an action research conducted at Melur village, Thrissur district, Kerala with the student social workers of Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit (SSUS), Kalady, regional centre, Payyanur, Kerala] – published in Journal of Contemporary Social Work, Vol. XXI, April 2004 by Department of Social Work, Lucknow University
- 1993 – 1994 *A socio economic study of an ethnic group of migrant labourers at Bhandaradara, Akole, Ahmednagar, Maharashtra* (Master level research dissertation - unpublished)
- Resource person for ICSSR sponsored Research Methodology Workshop (conducted lectures on research methodology)***
- 2017 *Seven Days Workshop on Research Methodology in Social Sciences* conducted by BPHEs' CSRD Institute of Social Work and Research, Ahmednagar sponsored by Institute Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi on 19 – 25 June 2017.
- 2012-13 *Seven Days Workshop on Research Methodology in Social Sciences* conducted by BPHEs' CSRD Institute of Social Work and Research, Ahmednagar sponsored by Institute Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi on 27th December 2012 to 3rd January 2013.

EXTENSION

- 1994-2009 Working with NGOs: community organiser for CASA in North East India, volunteer for Prison Ministry India & project officer at St. Joseph's Service Society in Delhi.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

2016	MA in Philosophy from Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi
2006	Ph D in Social Work: Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi on <i>Empowerment of Women Literacy Workers, a Case Study on a Cluster of Villages at Chandpur Region in Faridabad District, Haryana</i> (2001-'06) guided by (Late) Prof. Hajira Kumar, Department of Social Work, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi
1997	NET – JRF: National Eligibility Test for Lecturer and Junior Research Fellowship (NET-JRF) in Social Work from University Grants Commission, New Delhi
1996	MA in Psychology from Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu with concentration in Educational and Guidance Psychology
1994	Master in Social Work (MSW) , University of Pune, Maharashtra with specialisation in Urban and Rural Community Development (URCD)
1994	DLL & LW (Post Graduate Diploma in Labour Laws and Labour Welfare), University of Pune, Maharashtra
1993	DOM (Diploma in Office Management) University of Pune, Maharashtra
1991	Bachelor of Arts (BA) in History, University of Madras, Chennai, Tamil Nadu
1988	Pre-Degree Examination (PDC) in Arts, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala
1985	Secondary School Leaving Certificate (SSLC) Board of Public Examinations, Kerala State

AWARD AND FELLOWSHIP:

1997	Junior Research Fellowship (NET-JRF) in Social Work from University Grants Commission, New Delhi
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PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

2008 -	<i>Member</i> , National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI); <i>Treasurer</i> , NAPSWI (2012-2020)
2012 -	<i>Member</i> , Maharashtra Association of Social Work Educators (MASWE)

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