

Centre for Economic Growth and Management Studies

Training

2020-21

- Lead 46th Advanced Professional Programme in Public Administration as Co-Programme Director for 10 Months (July 1, 2020 to 30 April 2021) with 29 Officials from IA, IAF, INS, ICG, IES, IRS, MES and ITS cadres.
- First International Training Programme on Finance for Non-Finance Background Leaders (Online) for 1 week (March 08 to 12, 2021) under E-ITEC Programme of MEA, Government of India for 40 Professionals from 16 Countries.
- First International Training Programme on Data Analytics for Beginners (Online) for one week (March 22 to 26, 2021) under E-ITEC Programme of MEA, Government of India for 42 Professionals from 23 Countries.
- Stream on Public Finance with ten sessions in 46th Advanced Professional Programme in Public Administration
- Stream on Cooperative Federalism with ten sessions in 46th Advanced Professional Programme in Public Administration
- Lead 9th Financial Management Program for Scientists & Technologists (Online) (November 23 to 27, 2020) funded by DST, GoI, for 34 Senior Scientists, Technologist, Faculty members from AIIMS, Delhi, ICAR, ISRO, DST, ICMR, IMD etc.
- Revamped stream on Operations Management in 46th APPPA in blended mode.
- Designed and developed new blended stream on Financial Management in 46th APPPA.
- Designed and developed new blended stream on Management of Public Sector Enterprises along in 46th APPPA. The stream has given a unique experience of visit to various CPSEs, Joint Ventures and Private Sector Organizations.
- Organized 4 Panel Discussions in APPPA on various Flagship scheme of Government of India.
- Capacity development Programme on Advanced Data Analysis for Public Administrators of Government of NCT of Delhi Government of NCT Delhi for one week (September 21-25, 2020) for twenty five administrators.
- Redesigned the stream on Research Methodology & Research Methods: Quantitative, Qualitative Methods & Dissertation Protocols for 46th APPPA in blended mode.
- Designed and developed new blended stream on Data Analytics for Public Administrators in 46th APPPA.
- Organized and coordinated Town Hall Discussion on New Education Policy: Implementation Challenges and Way forward
- Organized a Webinar on “ Strategic and Altruistic CSR: Post Pandemic Challenges and Opportunities for Public Sector Undertakings”

- Organized a Webinar on “Covid-19 and Role of Local Governments” on 27 May 2020. Dr M Ramachandran and Dr S M Vijayanand were lead speakers. Dr V N Alok initiated the discussion. Shri S N Tripathi moderated.
- *12 February 2021 (Online)* delivered a talk as Key-note Speaker in a “Panel Discussion on Union Budget 2021” organized by School of Economics, Devi Ahilya University, Indore.
- *11 January 2021 at Delhi* Delivered a talk on ‘Fiscal Federalism and Corona-Crises’ to probationers of Delhi, Andaman & Nicobar Island Civil Service (DANICS), 56 batch at Directorate of Training, Delhi.
- *15 December 2020* Delivered a talk on 'Covid-19 and Indian Federalism' in an online global event 'Turn on Federalism' organised by Hanns Seidel Foundation and 50 Shades of Federalism. The talk and question-answer session were simultaneously translated into French, Myanmar and Spanish for hundreds of viewers from various countries in all continents.
- *12 December 2020* Presided over a technical session in virtual mode on "Issues of Leadership Finance and Decentralization Reforms in Pandemic Era' in an international webinar on 'Rethinking the Role of Local Governments in a Post Covid-19 World' organized by the Central University of Kerala and Centre for Rural Management, Kottayam during 10-14 December 2020
- *26 November 2020* Delivered talk in virtual mode on State Finance Commissions and Rural Development organized by the Mumbai School of Economics and Public Policy, University of Bombay.
- *31 August 2020* Panellist live on NDTV in a discussion before the announcement of GDP estimate for the 1st quarter of fiscal 2020-21.
- *30 July 2020* Key-note Speaker in a national webinar on ‘Integration of Monetary Policy and Fiscal Policy for *Aatm Nirbhar Bharat*, organized by AKS University, Satna.
- *13 May 2020* Panellist live on NDTV in a discussion during the Union Finance Minister, Mrs Nirmala Sitaraman’ presentation of the economic package to give relief arising out of Corona pandemic
- An Ecological Study for the Association of Long Term PM2. 5 with COVID-19 Mortality at the District Level in India. *Climatological, Meteorological, and Environmental factors in the COVID-19 pandemic: An international virtual symposium on drivers, predictability and actionable information*, 4-6 August 2020, organized by World Metrological Organisation.
- Association of Air Pollution with COVID-19 Morbidity and Mortality at the Smart Cities in India: An Ecological Study, International e-conference on Environmental Determinants of Infectious Diseases (focus COVID-19), 7th to 10th December 2020, International Institute of Health Management Research, New Delhi & National Institutes of Health (NIH), United States

2019-20

- 2-6 March 2020 at IIPA, Management Development Programme for Officers in India Trade Promotion Organization (ITPO) sponsored by ITPO, New Delhi.
- 20-21 January 2020 at IIPA jointly with PRS Legislative Research Organized a two - day 'National Workshop on State Finances for State Legislators'. Deputy Chairman,

NITI Aayog delivered the key note address Forty-six Members of Legislative Assembly (MLAs) from different States participated.

- 23 September – 4 October 2019 at IIPA, Induction Programme for Joint Secretaries joined Government of India through Lateral Entries, sponsored by Department of Personnel and Training, Government of India’
- 2-10 July 2019 at IIPA, Delhi, International Experience Sharing Programme on Public Governance and Advocacy for Afghanistan High Level Delegation comprising Leaders of Civil Society Working Group, sponsored by Counterpart International (USAID), Kabul.

2018-19

- 27 January – 3 February 2019 at IIPA, Delhi and Bangalore, International Experience Sharing Programme on Intergovernmental Relations and Practice of Fiscal Federalism for Myanmar High Level Delegation comprising Members of Parliament, Commissioners etc. sponsored by Hanns Seidel Foundation, India and Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India.
- Delivered a talk on Intergovernmental Fiscal Relations and Practice of Fiscal Federalism in India at Management Development Institute (MDI) to a delegation of senior officers from Nepal.
- 28 March, 2019 at NDTV, New Delhi Studio. Participated as a panelist on a Live Show at 2030 hrs to discuss the feasibility of ‘Minimum Income Guarantee Scheme’ announced by President of Congress Political party on the same day.
- Panelist to discuss the theme “Has Marginalization become Aspirational?” in the 56th Summit on ‘The inclusions Manifesto’ at Constitutional Club.
- Delivered a talk on ‘Inter-state trade in India and GST’ at the Institute of Constitutional and Parliamentary Studies in a programme on Constitutional Law.
- Made presentations on ‘Finance Commissions’ as lead speaker in Odisha Development Conclave, organized by Government at Bhubneshwar, CYSD and PRIA.
- Made keynote presentations on ‘International Practices on Revenue Assignments, Fiscal Decentralizations and Intergovernmental Fiscal Transfers in Federations’ in a workshop organized by Forum of Federations, Canada on ‘Fiscal Federalism: Negotiating Constitutional Arrangements for Somalia’ to a Federal Negotiation Technical Committee comprising policy makers, academics and members of civil society organizations.
- Participated as an expert in the two day conference concluded by the Prime Minister Narendra Modi and organized by the GOI and the Government of Madhya Pradesh to celebrate the 25th anniversary of 73rd Amendment Constitutional Amendment Act,. Co-chaired a concurrent session participated by about 200 Sarpanches of Panchayats on the theme, Social Development and Sustainable Development Goals. Made a presentation in the plenary session chaired by Union Minister for Rural Development Shri Tomar.

- Invited by Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) Ghaziabad to judge the Inter SBU Quality Circle competition, June 20, 2018.
- Invited by Department of Operations Research, Delhi University to conduct the Viva Voce examination for M.Phil dissertation on A Study Of Innovation Adoption and Optimal Entry Timing for Multi-Generational Products.
- Scientific Social Responsibility of S&T Based Institutions, Organizations and Professional Bodies in India invited by Department of Science and Technology (DST) to participate in the Brainstorming Session at national Level (July 13-14,2018).
- Invited by National Productivity Council (NPC) to address the participants on “Productivity & Competitiveness Measurement for Organizational Excellence “in March 2019.
- Invited as a resource person in “Workshop on Structural Equation Modeling (SEM): Basics and Applications, University School of Management, Kurukshetra University.
- Invited as a resource person in 5th One-week national Workshop on “Research methodology and Data Analysis” during July 9th to July 15th, 2018 on July 9,2019 at PCJ School of Management, Maharaja Agrasen University, Baddi, India.
- Invited as keynote speaker in Symposium on “Ayushman Bharat Central Government’s Flagship Health and Wellness Programme” organized by the Department of Public Administration, Punjab University, Chandigarh on January 18, 2019.

2017-18

- 24 February – 5 March 2018 at IIPA, International Experience Sharing Programme for Ethiopian Parliamentary Delegation headed by Deputy Speaker, House of Federation, Ethiopia on Intergovernmental Relations and Practice of Fiscal Federalism, sponsored by Forum of Federations, Inter State Council Secretariat, Government of India and Government of Ethiopia.
- 23 September 2017 at Circuit House, Raipur, Organized with the Chattisgarh State Finance Commission a Workshop on Local Public Finance and Goods and Services Tax in Present Economic Perspective sponsored by the Chattisgarh State Finance Commission.
- 21-26 August 2017 at IIPA, International Experience Sharing Programme on ‘Public Finance Management and Policy’ for Afghan Delegation comprising officers in the Ministry of Finance, Government of Afghanistan. The Government of Afghanistan and the Government of India sponsored the programme (jointly).
- Participated as an expert in the roundtable on the 15th Finance Commission and Municipalities’ organized by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs and National Institute of Urban Affairs (NIUA) and made presentation on the theme.

- Delivered a talk on ‘Public Finance Management in Indian Federation’ to Indian Forest Service (IFS) probationers. Indira Gandhi National Forest Academy popularly known as Forest Research Institute (FRI) organized.
- Participated as panelist in the discussion on ‘State of Inclusion’ with other panelists including Shekhar Shah, Rajat Kathuria, Rathin Roy and Yamini Aiyar. Sameer Kochar moderated the discussion, Caii and Skoch foundation organized.
- Participated as an expert in the discussion on Fiscal Federalism’ and made presentations in the Plenary of International Munich Federalism Days on Federalism and Conflict Management organized by the Hanns Seidel Foundation and Eurac Research. In addition, made presentations in the Parliament of Bavaria and Educational Centre Kloster Banz.
- Presented closing remarks and summarized the presentations of in the session on ‘Economy of India in 2030. Under 50th Skoch summit.
- Participated as an expert in the ‘National Workshop of State Secretaries of Urban Development on 14th Finance Commission Performance Grants 2017-18 to 2019-20’ conducted by the Ministry of Urban Development, GOI.
- Delivered inaugural address on ‘Public finance Management in Indian Federation’ in a one-week winter school on public finance and public policy for the students of the Russian presidential academy of National Economy and Public Administration, Moscow organized by the Centre for Research in Rural and Industrial Development.
- Presided over the first session in a Conference on “Mountain Cities, Climate Change and Urban Sustainability” and presented a paper on ‘Climate Change and Urban Development: Building Resilience in Indian Cities’ organized by Centre for Research in Rural and Industrial Development.
- Made a presentation on ‘financing for Green Growth and Urban Sustainability’ in a Workshop on “Towards Achieving Green Growth, Eco-Efficiency & SDGs for Urban Sustainability”.
- Invited by V.V. Giri Institute for a lecture on Research Methods in Gender and Labour issues.
- Was invited by IIT Delhi to evaluate the Ph.D. thesis titled “Big Data pre-processing solutions for Telecom & Manufacturing Specific use cases” as an External Examiner.
- Was invited by Department of operations research, DU for M.Phil Evaluation for two candidates.
- A Study on effects of free sampling on diffusion of innovations”
- A study on pricing models in airline industry”.
- Invited to lecture on “Data Management: collecting, collation and Analysis of Environmental Data, is in collaboration with the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC) and Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB).
- Sources of variability
- Trends on environmental quality parameters
- Details of any other academic or related activity undertaken not covered above.

- 9-17 February 2017 at IIPA, International Experience Sharing Programme for Afghan Delegation comprising parliamentarians, senior officers of ministry of finance and representatives of civil society organizations on 'Budget Design, Execution and Public Finance Management sponsored by USAID, Government of India, Government of Afghanistan and Counterpart International.
- 10-20 December 2016 at IIPA, International Experience Sharing Programme for Ethiopian Parliamentary Delegation on Intergovernmental Relations and Practice of Fiscal Federalism, sponsored by UNDP, Forum of Federations, Inter State Council Secretariat, Government of India and Government of Ethiopia.
- Organized a two day research proposal presentations seminar for officers participating in the 42nd APPPA.
- Organized a seminar for sharing village study based learning and insights through presentations by officers participating in the 42nd APPPA.
- 10th Capacity Building programme for Technical Personnel of Science & Technology Department, DST, GOI.
- 17 March 2017 at New Delhi, participated as panelist in the discussion on 'Co-operative Federalism and Digital India' in the two-day summit on Modinomics organized by Skoch Development Foundation and Call at Constitution Club of India, New Delhi.
- 23 February 2017 at Puducherry, delivered a key note address in the two day training programme on 'Conceptualizing Public Policy, Plan and Budgets' for the officers in the Government of Puducherry. IIPA Puducherry Regional Branch organized the programme which was funded by the Government of Puducherry.
- February 2017 at NIRD&PR, Hyderabad, delivered a special lecture as guest of honour in the two day national seminar on 'Participatory Decentralized Planning at the Grassroots: Problems, Challenges and Opportunities organized by the Centre for Decentralized Planning, National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj (NIRS&PR).
- 5-6 January 2017 at Nehru Memorial Museum & Library (NMML), New Delhi presided over the inaugural session in the National Conference on New Development Paradigm in Public Partnerships (PPPs) organized by ICSSR, NMML, India International Centre (IIC) and Centre for Public Affairs.
- 17 December 2016 at Kolkata deliver a talk on "Inter government fiscal relation in India' on in a workshop organized by Ernest & Young.
- 15-16 December 2016 at Constitution Club of India, New Delhi participated as panelist in the discussions on a) Insurance and Sustainable Growth and (b) Smart Technologies and Sustainable Growth in the 46th Skoch summit on Smart Technologies and Sustainable Growth organized by CEO Association, Skoch Foundation and Yes Bank during 15-16 December 2016.
- 5-6 December 2016 at University of Delhi, Co-chaired a session and remarked as discussant in the session on 'Environmental and Resource Federalism' in a two-day International workshop on 'Continuity and Change in Indian Federalism' held at University of Delhi and the University of Edinburgh.

- 7 October 2016 at Jesus and Mary College, New Delhi, delivered a public lecture as Chief Guest in Eco Vantage 2016 on 'Rethinking Local Development'.
- 3 October 2016 at IIT, Jodhpur, delivered a lecture on 'Financing Jodhpur City Development' to the local authorities involved under Jodhpur imitative project.
- 1 October 2016 at Mahendragarh, presented a paper on 'Intergovernmental Fiscal Relations in India: Lessons for 5th Haryana State Finance Commission' at the National Conference on 'Federalism and Decentralization' organized by the Central University, Haryana.
- 8-9 September 2016 at Novotal Hitec City, Hyderabad, delivered a talk on the relevance, of development authority in metropolitan cities and chaired two panel discussions on (a) transportation (b) Breaking free from Garbage in the Convention of Indian Cities organized by the Cii, Skoch group and the Government of Telengana.
- 7 September 2016 at National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj (NIRD&PR), Hyderabad. Delivered talks on Good Governance-International Perspectives and Devolutionary Process in an international programme on Good Governance.
- 17-19 August 2016 at Jal Mahal Hotel, Jaipur, presented paper on financing Smart Cities in India and presided over a session on Resource Mobilization and Capacity building in the BRICS 2016 Conference on Smart Cities organized by ORF with the support of Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India and Sardar Patel University of Police.
- 8 April 2016, at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi, made a presentation on Urban Finances and led discussions with representatives of potential SMART cities during the conference organized by the Ministry of Urban Deveopment and Skoch Foundation on Swachh Bharat Abhiyan.
- Invited to judge that Inter Unit Quality control Circles (QCC) competition at Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL), Ghaziabad.
- Invited by V.V. Giri National Institute of Labour research for a special talk on Quantitative Methods in Labour Research.
- At a workshop organized by Ministry of Rural Development at Vigyan Bhawan on 13th May 2016 presented the findings of the first common review mission constituted by the Ministry of Rural Development on implementation of the National Social Assistance Programme.
- Panelist at a book release cum discussion of a book titled Chronic Poverty in India by Professor Anand Kumar et.al. at JNU.
- Presentation on Gender Aspects in Science Policy at a National Seminar on Women Leadership in Science & Technology: Opportunities & Challenges organized by Vigyan Prasar and Department of Biotechnology at the Indian National Science Academy, New Delhi.
- Contributed to discussions on priority areas of work at a National Consultation organized by Centre for Budget and Governance Accountability to discuss Safety of Women in Public Spaces in Delhi at Constitution Club, Delhi.

- At a Seminar organized by Wilton Park, the Executive agency of the UK foreign and Commonwealth Officer on 'Tracking Development Progress and Evaluating Development Partnerships in the post 2015 era' facilitated a world café group discussion on 'Absolute Poverty elimination by 2030.

2015-16

- 28-29 October 2015, at IIPA, jointly with Department of Personnel and Training, and Ministry of Finance, Government of India, "*Bharat Lok Niti Samvad* (Policy Dialogues) with Joint Secretaries to Government of India on Current Economic Reforms under Cooperative Federalism'. 72 joint secretaries to Government of India nominated of which 43 participated. Shri Jayant Sinha, Minister of State for Finance led the discussions on the last session.
- 16-18 February 2016 at IIPA, jointly with PRS Legislative Research, Mastering the Budget. 85 Members of Legislative Assembly (MLAs) of 19 States representing 16 different political parties participated.
- 18-19 January 2016 at India Habitat Centre, Delhi jointly with Ministry of Panchayati Raj, Government of India and NIRD&PR, Fiscal Decentralization and Role of State Finance Commissions (SFCs). Union Minister of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj inaugurated and seven chairmen of SFCs, eminent economists from India and the USA and senior civil servants participated.
- February 29-March 3, 2016, at Munich, Germany, made key observations and comments in the third panel on 'economic preconditions for a stable federal state' in the four-day International Conference namely '1st International Munich Federalism Days' organized by the Hanns Seidel Foundation. The Foundation paid all the expenses.
- February 20, 2016 at Academy of Administration, Bhopal delivered a talk on Fiscal Decentralization to Local governments in India. IPA Madhya Pradesh Regional Branch organized the event.
- February 8, 2016 at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi, made a presentation on State-municipal Fiscal Relations: Institutional Arrangements at the two day ORF-PRIO Conference on Urbanizing India.
- January 18-19, 2016 at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi. Presented a theme paper on Fiscal Decentralization in India: Institutional Arrangements and a workshop summary in a National workshop on Fiscal Decentralization and Role of State Finance Commissions (SFCs) jointly organized by IIPA with Ministry of Panchayati Raj and NIRD&PR.
- December 7, 2015, at New Delhi, presented a paper on 'State-local Fiscal Relations in India' in an International Conference on 'Intergovernmental Relations in Federal Systems' organized by University of Delhi and Forum of Federations.
- September 22, 2015 at New Delhi, delivered a keynote address in Finance, Pension and Social Security in a concurrent session on the same theme as a part of the 41st Skoch summit on Transformative Governance inaugurated by the Union Minister of Urban Development and Parliamentary Affairs.

- September 6, 2015, at New Delhi delivered a keynote address as the Guest of Honour on “How the new government is instituting policies for better start-up culture in India” at the inaugural ceremony of conquest 2015-An International Start-up Conclave of the Birla Institute of Technology & Science (BITS), Pilani held at ITC, Sheraton, Delhi.
- May 18-19, 2015 at Pune, delivered talk on ‘Financing Mechanism for implementing of Urban Resilience in India-with special reference to the State of Maharashtra’ in a workshop on Urban Climate Change Resilience jointly organized by the Energy and Resources Institute (TERI), Asia Pacific network for Global Change Research and Government of Maharashtra.
- April 24, 2015, at New Delhi, participated as resource person and made presentation in the session on 14th Finance Commission of the Conference on National Panchayati Raj day inaugurated by the Prime Minister of India at Vigyan Bhawan.
- April 21, 2015 at NIRD&PR, Hyderabad, delivered talk for a day on “Strengthening Local Government System in India: Practices of Devolution across States’ in five day National Workshop for elected representatives on ‘Horizontal Leaning of Practices on Development Governance in India’ organized by the (NIRD&PR).
- April 7, 2015 at Dehradun, delivered talk on “Governance and Financing Mechanism for implementing of Urban Resilience in India-with special reference to the State of Uttrakhand’ in a workshop on Urban Climate Change Resilience jointly organized by the Energy and Resources Institute (TERI), Asia Pacific network for Global Change Research and Government of Uttrakhand.
- One-day Conference on Strengthening PSE JV, organized by IIPA, March 22, 2016. Sponsored by Ministry of Heavy Industries and Public Enterprise. Presented background paper: “Strengthening PSE JV”.
- Invited by Centre for Science and Environment (CSE) to deliver lectures on statistical tools for analysis of the environment.
- Chaired a session on Tools and Mechanisms for Gender Mainstreaming and gave the Opening Remarks at workshop organized by UN Women on ‘Gender Transformative Planning and Budgeting on April 8, 2015 at Taj Mahal Hotel, New Delhi.
- Discussant for a paper presented at a UN Women National Workshop on ‘Unpaid Work: Developing a Roadmap; held on April 16, 2015 at Ghitoni, Delhi.
- Participated in a National Round table on State-Level Government Performance Management organized by the Indian School of Business at the Imperial Hotel, Janpath, New Delhi.
- Presentation on “Bridging Data Gaps’ on July 2, 2015 at a Workshop organized by UNICEF at Hotel Claridges, New Delhi. The presentation was based on the Base Paper that they co-authored on Availability of Data and Data Gaps for Situation Analysis of Well-being of Children and Women for MOSPI and UNICEF.
- Panelist at a Round Table Consultation on ‘Right Based Approach to Poverty Reduction’ organized by South Asia Forum for Human Rights & Sanchal Foundation held at India International Centre, New Delhi.

- Participated in an ‘Expert Group Meeting on Regulating the Regulators’ organized by the Indian Schools of Business at ISB Mohali Campus.
- Delivered the Plenary Lecture during the Inaugural Session of a workshop titled “Towards Gender Sensitization: Planning, Budgeting and Mainstreaming’ at the School of Gender and Development Studies, IGNOU.
- Participated in a National Conclave organized by Indian School of Business on “Driving India’s Growth Momentum: Capacity Building in Public Policy, Healthcare, Manufacturing and Infrastructure” at the Taj Mahal Hotel, Delhi.
- Panelist and made a presentation on “Social Security and Protection for women” at the book release function held at Indian Islamic Cultural Centre (IICC). The book, published by Yoda Press and Sage, is titled “Road to Rights-Women, Social Security and Protection in India’ and includes a chapter authored by her, titled “Women’s invisibility as workers”.
- Chaired a session on “Understanding Budgeting for Nutrition from a Multi-Sectoral Perspective” at a National Consultation organized by Center for Budget and Governance Accountability on ‘Public Investment in Nutrition: Challenges and Opportunities in the New Fiscal Architecture in India’ at India Habitat Centre, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.

2014-15

- 17-19 February 2015, IIPA Conducted a three-day National Workshop on “Budgets and State and Local Finances’ with PRS Legislative Research for Members of Legislative Assembly (MLAs). Fifty-three MLAs from ten States participated. Also delivered talks in two sessions.
- 21-30 Sept. 2014, Karachi. Presented Keynote address on Fiscal Federalism in four workshops of two-day duration on ‘Federalism and Devolved Governance’ organized in Pearl Continental Hotel at Karachi. Each workshop was intended for: a) politicians including senators, b) civil servants, c) civil society organizations, and d) media.
- 20-21 November 2014, New Delhi. Made a presentation in the Power panel-Swachh Bharat (Clean India)-Who pays? in the conference on India Empowered as part of two day 38th Skoch Summit organized by the Skoch at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi.
- 27 Jan. 2015, New Delhi. Made a presentation in the first technical session on the theme of “Strategic framework for assessment of cities and planning for migration to Smart Cities” in a conference on “Smart Republic 2015”, organized by the Society for Promotion of e-Governance, IIPA, the National Institute of Smart Governance and Mobilepedia at Hotel Lalit, New Delhi.
- 5 February 2015, New Delhi. Participated as discussant in the authors’ workshop on “Measuring Governance in India States”, organized by the Oval Observer Foundation at Statesman House, New Delhi.
- 4-5 February 2015, New Delhi. Made a presentation on “Fiscal Decentralization in India: Role of State Finance Commissions” in the technical session on “Constitutional and Political Dynamics of Federalism” of the two-day International Seminar at India

International Centre, New Delhi, on “Federalism and Governance”, organized by the Shaheed Bhagar Singh College, University of Delhi.

- 17-19 March 2015, Raipur. Presented Keynote address in a three day orientation workshop organized by Thakur Pyarelal Panchayat and Rural Development Institute, Nimora, Raipur for newly elected chairperson and deputy chairpersons of various district panchayats in Chhattisgarh. Dr. Raman Singh, Chief Minister, Chhattisgarh delivered the inaugural address.
- 25 March 2015, New Delhi. Participated as discussant in the first session on “Role of Centre, States and Local Governments in improving Administration in Governance” in a national workshop on “Governance Administrative Reforms and Capacity Building”, organized by ICRIER at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi. Shri M. Venkaiah Naidu, Union Ministry for Urban Development, delivered the inaugural address.
- Delivered a speech on Role of Women in Making Rural Development Inclusive in the National Seminar on Rural Development: Prospects and Retrospect, jointly organized by Department of Social Work, Bhagat Phool Singh University and Haryana Institute of Rural Development on April 17, 2014.
- Participated in debate on “Should regional parties be debarred from contesting Lok Sabha Elections” in Rajya Sabha TV as a panelist on.
- Delivered special lectures on: (i) Poverty and (ii) Human Development in the Department of Economics, under QIP, in Ranchi University, Ranchi.
- Gave bytes on Corruption in Live India TV channel on Corruption and on inflation.
- Delivered lectures on Poverty and Human Development in Academic Staff College, University of Allahabad.
- Participated in the debate on Railway Budget on Sudarshan New Channel.
- Participated in the debate on General Budge, Jio News Channel.
- Delivered valedictory speech at the concluding function of a workshop on Public Finance organized by India Gandhi National Tribal University, Amarkantak at collectorate at Anuppur. Made two presentations on Fiscal State of India and Budgetary Policy Analysis in technical sessions and chaired a session on Inter-Governmental Transfers.
- Delivered a lecture on Use of Dummy Variables in Regression Analysis in a workshop on Writing Research Paper as a prelude to the UPUEA Annual Conference held at and organized by National PG College, LUCKNOW.
- Spoke as panelist on Teaching and Research in Economics in India in India in UPUEA Annual Conference held at and organized by National PG College, LUCKNOW.
- Delivered a lecture on Recent Poverty Debate in India in monthly lecture series started by Lakashrya, New Delhi.
- Delivered a speech on Political Economy of India: Governance, Participation and Democracy in the National seminar on Political Economy of India: Challenges. Opportunities & Alternative, organized by Master School of Management at Meerut in collaboration with UPUEA.

- Spoke as ignite Talk Scholar in the session on Building Sustainable and Green Cities in an International Workshop in “Disaster Law: Can Laws Make Communities Safar from Disasters”, organized by Trans-disciplinary Disaster Research Programme of JNU, New Delhi.
- Delivered a special talk on Black Economy in India: Analytical issues for Deliberation, in National Seminar on Black Money in India, organized by Mahatma Gandhi Kashi Vidyapith, Varanasi.
- Spoke as Key Speaker on Global Poverty: Measurement Issues, in the International conference on Contemporary Global Economic Issues in the Department of Economics, University of Allahabad.
- Chaired a session on Demographic Challenges for India in the International Conference on Contemporary Global Economic Issues in the Department of Economics, University of Allahabad.
- Spoke as a Panelist on JK Mehta: Contributions to Economics, in the International Conference on Contemporary Global Economic issues in the Department of Economics, University of Allahabad.
- Delivered a lecture on Budget Concepts and Budget Process in India: Constitutional Provisions for Union and States in the workshop on Financial Management, organized by Committee for Public Finance and Government Accounting of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India in Vidhan Sabha, Jaipur.
- Participated in a Round Table on Measuring Governance in India organized by Oval Observer Foundation at Avanta Business Centre, Statesman House. New Delhi.
- Delivered a lecture on Technology, Innovations and Competitive Advantage in a Refresher Course on Management for Excellence in Academic Staff College, Sambalpur University, Sambalpur.
- Delivered lectures on World is Statistical and World of Statistics in the Department of Economics, Sambalpur University.
- Delivered lecture on World is Statistical and World of Statistics for Researchers in the Institute of Public Enterprise, Hyderabad.
- Delivered Inaugural address Epistemology, Axiology and methodology of Research at Research Methodology course sponsored by ICSSR in the Department of Economics, University of Allahabad.
- Delivered lectures on (i) Derivation and properties of Estimators: Alternative Method and (ii) Analyses of Variance and Regression Analysis at Research Methodology Course sponsored by ICSSR in the Department of Economics, University of Allahabad.
- Chaired a technical session on Women Entrepreneurship and Economic Development in the National Seminar on Women Entrepreneurship and Economic Development sponsored by U.P. Government and organized by D.S. College.
- Spoke as a panelist in Baat Mudde ki on Economic Survey in Sudarshan TV.
- Spoke as a Panelist in Budget Charcha in two slots on Union Budget in Channel one TV.

- Spoke on Think Tanks: Nature, Complexion and Role in a Panel Discussion on Social Science Research Disciplines, Collaborations and Think Tanks in the 2nd International Conference and Doctoral Colloquium on Transformative Social Science Research: Disciplines, Collaborations and Think Tanks organized by Institute of public Enterprise, Hyderabad, in collaboration with IIPA and ICSSR, UGC and AIU.
- Chaired a session on Poverty, Migration & Urbanization in 2nd International Conference and Doctoral Colloquium on Transformative Social Science Research: Disciplines, Collaborations and Think Tanks organized by Institute of public Enterprise, Hyderabad, in collaboration with IIPA and ICSSR, UGC and AIU.
- Spoke on Epistemology, Axiology and Methodology as Guest of Honour in the Valedictory session of 2nd International Conference and Doctoral Colloquium on Transformative Social Science Research: Disciplines, Collaborations and Think Tanks organized by Institute of public Enterprise, Hyderabad, in collaboration with IIPA and ICSSR, UGC and AIU.
- Delivered valedictory address ‘Spirit of Science in Research’ in the Research Methodology Programme organized by Manyavar Kanshiram Shodh Peeth, Chaudhary Charan Singh University, Meerut, in collaboration with UP Uttarakhand Economic Association.
- Delivered valedictory address ‘Politics of Religion in India?’ in the National Seminary on Religion and Politics in India organized by DAV Post Graduate College, Bulandshahar.
- Delivered the Keynote Address on Economic Empowerment of women in India: Issues, Challenges and Opportunities at a National Seminar organized by the Centre for Women’s Studies at Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Chaired the session on Rural Development, Health, Livelihoods in the ICSSR National Seminar on rural Development in India in Post Liberalisation Period: Issues and Challenges held at IIPA.
- Chaired the Valedictory Session of the IIPA-NCW Policy Debate on ICT and women.
- Moderated the discussions in the session on Water and Sanitation at a national consultation held on inclusion of Child friendly components in Urban Renewal Schemes and Policies in India and developing child-impact indicators. The consultation was organized by Hamara Bachpan Campaign (HBC) and PRAXIS and was held at India International Centre, New Delhi.
- Panelist in the discussion on the book India Public Policy Report 2014 by Professor Rajeev Malhotra, O.P. Jindal University. The Panel discussion was chaired by Professor Deepak Nayyar and was held at India Habitat Centre.

2013-14

- 29-31 July, 2013, IIPA, conducted a three day National Workshop on “Creating Jobs” for Members of Legislative Assemblies jointly with PRS Legislative Research at IIPA. 55 MLAs participated in the workshop. Also delivered a talk in the first session.

- 28-30 January, 2014, IIPA. Conducted a three-day National Workshop on “State and Local Finances” with PRS Legislative Research for Members of Assemblies. 23 MLAs participated in the workshop. Also delivered talks in the two sessions.
- 3-7 March, 2014, IIPA. Conducted a five day training programme on Remodeling Municipal Taxes for Resource Generation sponsored by the Ministry of Urban Development.
- Trivandrum, presented keynote address on Experiences of Indian States: Lessons for Kerala in a three day International Conference on ‘Deepening Democracy’ organized by the government of Kerala at Trivandrum, Kerala.
- Made a presentation on “Service Delivery in Rural India: Comparing Devolution across States” in a session on ‘Joint Policy Process and Service Delivery in Multilevel Systems; India and the World” organized by the University of Delhi at Ramjas College in collaboration with International Political Science Association (IPSA) and the Forum of Federations.
- 25 October, 2013, IIPA made a presentation, as a panelist, in the technical session on ‘Decentralized Governance in India: is it proving to be an answer to bad governance’ in the two day national seminar on ‘Crisis of Ethics, Accountability and Governance in India: Genesis, Growth and Solution’ at IIPA organized by the India Public Foundation, New Delhi.
- Delivered a special lecture as the 35th lecture of the series conducted by the Centre of Multilevel Federalism of the Institute of Social Sciences, New Delhi on “Panchayats in India: Comparing Devolution across States” at ISS. New Delhi.
- Spoke as Chief Guest in a function organized to commemorate contribution of Martyr Mangal Pandey in Jagadguru Ramabhadracharya Viklang Vishwavidyalaya, Chitrakoot.
- Presented a paper on Union-State Relations in India: Political and Fiscal in the Seminar on Trends in Centre-State Relations in India in the Department of Economics, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam.
- Presented a paper on University Education in South Asia: Imperatives for Creating a Grid in Vice Chancellor’s Conference of South Asian Universities on Nurturing New Avenues in University Education Challenges and Prospects held at Mohan Lal Sukhadia University, Udaipur.
- Presided over a Technical Session on Writing Research Paper in Pre-Conference Seminar in the Department of Economics, Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia University, Faizabad.
- Delivered a keynote speech on Socio-economic Inclusion through MNREGA in UP and UK in the Ninth Annual Conference of Uttar Pradesh Uttarakhand Economic Association organized by Department of Economics, Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia University, Faizabad
- Presided over a session on Financial Sector and Development in North East India in the national seminar and 15th Annual Conference of North Eastern Economic Association organized by the Department of Economics, Mizoram University,

Aizwal. Also delivered a special lecture on Inclusive Finance for Economic Inclusion on November 16, 2013.

- Delivered a lecture on Economics of Good Governance in the evening of November 15, 2013 in the Department of Public Administration, Mizoram University, Aizwal on the invitation of IIPA Mizoram.
- Delivered a lecture on Elements of Economic Public policy Making in India in the School of Economics, Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore.
- Delivered a lecture on Political System and Political Party Management in India for Chinese delegation from Shanghai Administration Institute, PRC.
- Delivered the inaugural address to the national Seminar on Environment and Sustainable Development, organized by Chaudhary Charan Singh University, Meerut.
- Chaired a panel discussion on “Growth and beyond” in the National Conference on Challenges of Development: Revisit to Inclusiveness, organized by Zakir Hussain Delhi college, New Delhi.
- Chaired a technical session on ‘Public Private Partnership in Education and Health’ in the Golden Jubilee International Seminar on Public Private Partnership: The need of the hour, organized by IPE, Hyderabad in collaboration with International Centre for Promotion of Enterprises, Slovenia.
- Was a panelist on the programme “Bebak Bahas’ of TV channel one on Interim Budget 2014-15.
- Delivered a lecture on ‘Structural change and Interdependence in the Indian Economy through use of Input Output Tables: Post Green Revolution Period’ in 2nd course for CSO/ISSS officers from States on Construction of Regional Input-Output Flow Tables and Replacement in Service Life Capital Goods, in States/UTs of India in Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, Pune.
- Delivered a guest lecture on Microeconomics and Macroeconomics of some economic policies in India in MIT-SOM, Pune.
- Spoke as panelist on Sahara Episode on ‘Newline’ of TV Channel One.
- Delivered Valedictory Address in the National Seminar on Financial Inclusion and Poverty Alleviation in India organized by D.S. College Aligarh.
- Delivered two lectures on ‘Fiscal Federalism in India’ and Union Budget: Structure and Analysis in Invertis University, Bareilly.
- Chaired a technical session in the Annual Conference of Indian Association of Research in National Income and Wealth in Gandhian Labour Institute, Ahmadabad.
- “Food Security in India: Issues and Suggestions for Effectiveness”, paper presented in Prelude Conference of Delhi Branch, IIPA.
- A theme paper on “Food Security in India: Issues and Suggestions for Effectiveness”, was prepared and presented at the members’ Annual conference of the IIPA.
- At the invitation of the Parliamentary Forum on Children, made a presentation on “Engendering Development: The Twelfth Plan Perspective” in a Committee Room in the Parliamentary Library Building.
- Chaired the session on Women and Social Security in India-Missing Dimensions at conference on Women’s Social Security and Protection in India held at ISI, New

Delhi. The conference was organized by the programme on Women's Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, UN Women, Heinrich Boll Stiftung, International Labour Organization and the University of New South Wales.

- Moderated the discussion in the session on “Gender Responsive Budgeting: Ensuring the Inclusion of Gender Commitments into Budgetary Allocation” at Ashoka Hotel, New Delhi at the stakeholder consultation organized by MWCD.
- At the invitation of Ministry of Rural Development participated in a panel discussion in the session ‘Prerna- inspiring journeys of transformation’ in which success stories were presented by self help group leaders at Pragati maidan.
- In the International symposium organized in honour of Prof Y.K.Alagh by the Institute of Human Development, the session on poverty was held on March 10, 2014.
- Participated in the Annual Conference of the International Association for Feminist Economists held at Standard University, Palo Alto, USA jointly organized two sessions entitled “How and Why Do Women's Needs and Rights Get Short Changed in the Development Process in China and India and What can be done about it? At the IAFFE conference on July 12 and 13, 2013. Made a presentation on Gender Budgeting in India: Where has it worked, where has not it worked? And what can be done about it?
- Chaired the post IAFFE conference follow up workshop at Stanford University at which each of the India and Chinese participants reviewed and commented on one presentation that had been made by an economist from the other country.
- Participated in a workshop at Dept of Electronics and Information Technology on 4th October 2013 to discuss the proposed e-Governance Academy being set up in collaboration with IIT Bangalore.
- Participated in a Roundtable Discussion Seminar on Gender issues in China and India on 11th and 12 November 2013 and was a panelist in the session on Health at IIC.
- Panelist at the National Workshop organized by Planning Commission on good practices in the context of challenges in implementation of different flagship programmes at Metropolitan Hotel, Delhi.
- Live webcast on “Challenges in Indian Economy: Dynamics of Currency Fluctuations and Current Account Deficit” held at ICAI Bhawan, New Delhi.
- Books Discussion: Discussant in the discussion of the books “India's Late Industrial Revolution: Democratizing Entrepreneurship”.
- HIS India's path to recovery-a look at economy, energy and other industrial forces.
- Key note address in seminar on Crisis of Ethics, Accountability and Governance in India Genesis, Growth and Solution at IIPA.
- Lecture on “Recent Trends in Economics: Implications for Public Administration and Management”, Academic Staff College, Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad.
- Lecture on Macroeconomic aspects of the Indian Economy, at CESP JNU.
- Lecture at Petrofed on Current Economic Situation.
- Lecture on Current Economic situation at IIS University, Jaipur.
- Key Note Address on Current Economic Situation at GLA University, Mathura

- Academic Work Undertaken Outside IIPA: Workshop on Econometrics and Forecasting, at IIS University, Jaipur.
- Attended a National Seminar on Economics Curriculum in schools at NCERT.
- Key Note address at the M.P. Law College, Aurangabad, MoU with ENA
- MoU with ICPE
- Interaction with Chinese delegation from Shanghai Administrative Institute, Shanghai PRC on Public Policy making.

2012-13

- Organized an International Workshop on Public Governance, Finance and Federalism for senior civil servants in the rank of Secretary/Joint Secretary to the Government of Nepal at IIPA. Ministry of External Affairs, GOI sponsored the workshop delivered a few lectures on the theme in the workshop.
- Organized joint programme on Double Entry Accounting System with IDFC Foundation under New Delhi Municipal Corporation.
- Organized a workshop for States for preparation of State Plans at IIPA under Rajiv Gandhi Panchayat Sashaktikaran Abhiyan in partnership with the Ministry of Panchayati Raj.
- Organized an International workshop on 14-19 January 2013 at IIPA on Public Governance, Finance and Federalism seminar, sponsored by the Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India for 26 senior civil servants in the rank of JS to the Government of Nepal, supporting Nepal's Constitutional Transition aiming at helping Nepal to build its capacity for developing and implementing a federal democratic system. Delivered a few lectures on the theme in the workshop.
- A Workshop on Panchayat Empowerment Accountability and Development Scheme (PEAIS), a central sector scheme of the Ministry of Panchayati Raj was organized on 3-4 January 2013, at IIPA. About 80 Professionals working at the field participated. They were sensitized about the pattern of investigation on the field. The Ministry of Panchayati Raj sponsored the workshop.
- Made the theme presentation on "Intergovernmental Fiscal Transfers in India: An Overview" in the Seminar on "Issues before the Third State Finance Commission of Gujarat", organized by the Third State Finance Commission of Gujarat and IRMA and also chaired a session on "Financial Devolution: Experience and lessons from other states."
- Made the theme presentation in a consultation workshop on "Fiscal Decentralization and Local Resource Mobilization" organised by the Second State Finance Commission, Chhattisgarh at Thakur Pyarelal Institute of Panchayat and Rural Development, Raipur, SFC Chairman, members, sarpanches, senior officers of the Department of Panchayats and Rural Development were present at the occasion.
- Delivered a talk on "Fiscal Decentralization" to the group of Government officers from Asia-Pacific countries attending a workshop on "Need Assessment, Monitoring, Evaluation and Information Generation Techniques for Decentralized Governance"

under the Technical Cooperation Scheme of Colombo Plan of the Ministry of External Affairs, GOI at India Habitat Centre.

- Delivered a talk on Fiscal Federalism at the Bureau of Parliamentary Studies and Training. Lok Sabha Secretariat to a delegation from the House of Federation, Ethiopia headed by the speaker of Amhara Regional State Ethiopia.
- Participated as resource person in a workshop of State Secretaries on Rajive Gandhi Panchayaat Shashaktikaran Abhiyan at NIRD. The Ministry of Panchayati Raj and NIRD organized the workshop at NIRD, Hyderabad.
- Offered comments as main discussions in the meeting organized by the Ministry of Urban Development on the Draft report on “How to Govern Indian Mega Cities” prepared by Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi.
- Delivered a lecture on demystification of poverty line in the seminar jointly organized by the department of management and economics, Central University of Rajasthan, Kishangarh.
- Delivered four lectures on (i) The world is statistical, (ii) The world of Statistics, (iii) Sense of Sampling and (iv) Measurement of inequality on May 18-19, 2012 in the workshop on Research Methodology and Project Formulation organized by Giri Institute of Development Studies, Lucknow in collaboration with Indian Association of Social Science Institutions.
- Spoke on “GST prospects and constraints” in the technical session on Governance of Indirect Tax Reforms in the Seminar on Taxation of Supplies: Issues relating to State Policy, Governance and Welfare, sponsored by planning Commission and organized by the national Law School of India University, Bangalore.
- Delivered lecture on Millennium Development Goals: Income, Poverty and Employment at an International master’s Programme in human Resource Development in the institute of Applied Manpower Research.
- Spoke on Adopting Gandhi for Village Planning: Issues for consideration and participated in a Round Table on Gandhi and Micro Planning in the Gandhirama organized by Indian Council of Philosophical Research at JNU, New Delhi.
- Delivered a lecture on Agriculture in India: Issues for Policy Debate as guest of Honour in the inaugural session of the International Seminar on Crisis in Indian Agriculture organized by DS College, Aligarh.
- Spoke as Chief Guest on Tagore and concept of nationalism in the National Seminar on Rabindra Nath Tagore. His ideas and their relevance organized by Allahabad Degree College, Allahabad.
- Delivered a lecture on operations research in Motilal Nehru National Institute of Technology, Allahabad.
- Presided over Eight Annual Conference of the Uttar Pradesh Uttarakhand Economic Association organized by SGRR College Dehradun and delivered the Presidential address on Economics and Governance: Delineating Fault Lines. Also spoke as Chief Guest on Parameters of Research in the workshop on How to write research paper organized a pre-conference even.

- Penalist on discussion on FDI in Retailing; Opportunities or Challenges, organized in collaboration with Business Standard Business Bataein in Institute of Information Management & Technology, Aligarh.
- Delivered a talk on Management Practices for Sustainable Development in MSM Annual Conference on Management, held at Master School of Management, Meerut.
- Delivered a special lecture on social scientists and social sciences: their role in shaping science research issues, challenges and strategies in the Institute of Public Enterprises, Hyderabad and chaired a session on Methodological issues in social science research interdisciplinary innovation and policy impact.
- Spoke on school education in educationally backward districts: planning and management at different levels at a national workshop on planning and management for schools education in educationally backward districts in the National University of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi.
- Spoke as a keynote speaker and chaired a session in the National Conference on ‘Sustaining Success-Tight Rope Walk at GLA University.
- Delivered valedictory address in a National Seminar on MNREGA and Employment Generation in Rural Areas organized by DS College, ALIGARH under the sponsorship of UP Government.
- Keynote address on “Understanding the Poverty Context to make programs work for women: some key issues” in the opening plenary of the workshop entitled Engendering Livelihoods through NRLM. The workshop was organized by UN women and Ministry of Rural Development in the UNDP Conference Hall, New Delhi.
- Planning Commission, National Mission for Empowerment of Women and UN Women organized a stakeholder dialogue entitled “No policy is gender neutral” at park hotel, New Delhi. Presented the Policy Brief entitled” Integrated Child Development Services: Identifying Critical Gender Concerns” in the session “Are social sector schemes gender responsive?”
- Presentation on “Making Policies and programmes work for women: the key role played by Data Gaps and Issues” at an International Conference on Statistics and Informatics in Agricultural Research organized by the Indian Society of Agricultural Statistics, New Delhi.
- Chaired a panel discussion at a National Consultation on “Claiming their space: Women’s participation in MGNREGA’ organized by UN Women and Gender at work at Lucknow.
- Chaired a session on Economic Development in the North East in a Conference on the theme “Reform of State Policies and Institutions” at Rajiv Gandhi Institute for Contemporary Studies (RGICS), New Delhi.
- Invited to make a presentation on Gender Responsive Budgeting: The Indian Experience at a High Level Sensitization Workshop on Gender Responsive Budgeting and what is Gender Responsive Budgeting at a Gender Responsive Budgeting workshop on July 2012. The workshop was organized by the UN office in Bhutan in

partnership with the Bhutanese Ministry of Finance and National Commission for Women and Children.

- Presentation on “Perspectives on challenges and gaps in achieving gender equality and women’s empowerment in India” at workshop organized by ADB for Project Directors of ADB financed projects in India.
- Presentation on “Using Gender Budgeting as a tool for Mainstreaming Gender in Policy” at a Gender and Development Workshop organized at Jagori Rural at Sidhbari, Kangra.
- Presentation on “Women’s priorities in Water and Sanitation Projects” at a workshop on Gender and Urban Development for the North Eastern Region Urban Development Programme organized by the Ministry of Urban Development at Nirman Bhavan.
- Validation seminar on consumer protection and welfare, Organized in IIPA.
- Keynote address on “Role of Micro Finance in Rural Development in Uttar Pradesh and Uttarakhand”, at UP-Uttarakhand Economic Association at Dehradun.
- Keynote address on “Economic Prospects: at Petroleum Federation of India New Delhi.
- Keynote address on “Budget 2013-14 Macro Economic Scenario” at Senior Management Meet on Implications of the Union Budget 2013 on the Oil & Gas Sector, organized by Petrofed & PWC, New Delhi.
- Resource Person/Speaker/Panelist: “The Emerging Relevance of Tagor’s Ideas”, in seminar to mark the 150th birth anniversary of Rabindra Nath Tagore, sponsored by Ministry of Culture, IIPA.
- Training Needs Assessment for SLPEs, in the Training Sector, November 16, 2012, workshop on TNA for SLPEs organized by Department of Public Enterprises, GOI.
- The Economic Ideas of Gandhi, Tagore and Vivekananda, June 28, 2012, Dialogue on Vivekananda, Tagore and Gandhi: Their Iconic Vision of India at Gandhi Darshan, Rajghat, New Delhi.

2011-12

- Organized a seminar on “Finance and Government of Delhi: The Capital City’ at IIPA in which Shri P.K. Tripathi, Chief Secretary, Government of NCT of Delhi was the main speaker.
- Organized a National Workshop of Select Expert Group and State Representatives on Panchayat Devolution Index in partnership with the Ministry of Panchayati Raj at IIPA. Made a presentation on the methodology of the index computation and elicited views of the participants.
- Organized an Orientation Workshop on national level field verification under the national scheme on PEAIS in partnership with the Ministry of Panchayati Raj at IIPA.
- Organized a dialogue with a five-member delegation from the Office of the Prime Minister of Ethiopia headed by Mr. Muktar Kedir, Minister of Cabinet Affairs and Head of the Office of the Prime Minister at IIPA to renew cooperation.

- Organized a National Workshop on status and provisions of mixed land use in collaboration with the town and country planning. Around 50 participants from town and country planning department of 18 states attended the programme.
- Conducted the UN women IIPA workshop on Reviewing Flagship programmes from a Gender Lens: ICDS Comments based on discussions at the workshop have been sent to the Planning Commission for incorporation in the plan. A policy brief is under finalization. The workshop was funded from the UN women project on reviewing flagship programmes from a Gender Lens: ICDS.
- Chaired a session on “Economic Diplomacy” in an International Conference on “Public Diplomacy in Theory and Practice”, organized jointly by Deakin University, Australia and Delhi University at the India International Centre, New Delhi.
- Delivered a talk in the session on “Changing Dimensions of Public Finance and Accounting” in a national seminar organized jointly by Netaji Subhash Open University and Bengal National Chambers and Commerce and Industry at Kolkata.
- Made two theme presentations in the National Consultation of all States on State Finance Commissions (SFCs) at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi. The Ministry of Panchayati Raj organized the event in collaboration with the Ministry of Urban Development. The first presentation was on ‘State Finance Commissions in Indian Federation: An Overview; and the second was on ‘Local Public Finances and SFCs’.
- Delivered the key-note address in the prelude conference organized by the Delhi Branch of IIPA on: Role of Panchayat Bodies in Rural Development since 1959” at IIPA.
- Presented the theme paper highlighting the conceptual frame work and role of panchayat bodies in the Prelude Conference at Nilokheri organized by the Haryana Regional Branch.
- Presented the theme paper on Role of Panchayat Bodies in Rural Development since 1959 at the 55th Members; Annual Conference of IIPA.
- Made a presentation on ‘International Practices of Inter-Governmental Fiscal Transfers in Federations’ and moderated the session on “Political Dimension of Inter-Governmental Relations: International Perspective” in South Asian Forum on Federalism organized at Kathmandu, the Forum of Federations, an International Network on Federalism Based in Ottawa and Federal Republic of Germany.
- Spoke on “Management Education: Science, Technology, and Sophism” to the Faculty of Christian Eminent College. Indore.
- Delivered two lectures on “Consumer Expenditure based Poverty Line” in a ICSSR-sponsored Research Methodology Workshop organized for young scholars in Economics and other Social Sciences at Department of Economics.
- Delivered two lectures on “Role of Public Sector in Economic Growth” at the Directorate of Training for Union Territories Civil Services, Delhi.
- Delivered a lecture on “Cross-Cultural Negotiation” to the participants from Bangladesh in Training and Technology Transfer India Office.

- Presentation based on the draft report of the project on “Assessment of Demand for Skill Sets in Bihar by 2024-25” Commissioned by the Department of Labour Resources.
- “Bazar ki Baat: Reserve Bank ki Maudrik Niti aur Mahngai” Paricharcha: Rashtriya Prasaran Sewa, Akashwani, New Delhi.
- Delivered a Lecture on “Trend Analysis, Business Cycles and Seasonal Variation” to ISS Officer in Indira Gandhi Open University, New Delhi.
- Delivered for lectures on “Expenditure and Cost: An Analysis” in International Diploma programmes at the Institute of Applied Manpower Research, New Delhi.
- Delivered two lectures on “Millennium Development Goals: International Strategy of Development Cooperation for Employment, Income and Poverty” in International Diploma programmes at the Institute of Applied Manpower Research, New Delhi.
- Delivered Valedictory Address “World is Statistical, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla.
- Panelist for review of a book titled as “The Battle for Employment Guarantee by Reetika Khera” at IIPA.
- Spoke as Keynote speaker on “Crux at Sustainable Development” in a National Seminar on Sustainable Development with theme of Population, Poverty and Pollution organized by Institute of Environmental and Development Studies.
- Made a key-note presentation on “Poverty Analysis: Issues for Debate in 7th Annual Conference of Uttar Pradesh Uttarakhand Economic Association organized at Birla Institute of Management Studies
- Presided over a Technical session on “Poverty and Uttar Pradesh and Uttarakhand” in 7th Annual Conference of Uttar Pradesh Uttarakhand Economic Association organized at Birla Institute of Management Studies
- Delivered the Inaugural address in the National Seminar on “communal Harmony and Secularism” organized by Rajiv Gandhi Chair on Contemporary Studies, Department of Political Science, University of Allahabad.
- Spoke as Chief Guest on “New Policy Framework for Business” in a Refresher Course in Commerce for University and teachers in the centre for professional development in higher education.
- Chaired a session on “Growth and Governance: the prognosis” in a national seminar on INDIA: After Two Decades of Liberalization at Doon University, Dehradun. Made a presentation on “Rural-Urban Division of NDP” in the session on sectoral shift in Indian Economy: Resilience.
- Participated in the Annual Conference of the Indian Economic Association organized by Bharati Vidyapith.
- Delivered two lectures on “Basic of Economics for DANICS probationers’ in the Directorate of Training for union Territories Civil Services.
- Participated in 48th Annual Conference of the Indian Econometric Society
- Spoke as panelist on the session on “Developing Ecosystem for Research” in the National Convention on “Indian Higher Education: Vision for Quality, Autonomy &

Accountability” organized by Education promotion society of India at LakshmiPat Singhania Auditorium.

- Sponsored National Seminar on Women in Panchayats, jointly organized by IIPA Burdwan Local Branch and Ranjiganj girls college, West Bengal. Paper presented: Gender Justice at the UGC.
- The UGC sponsored National Seminar on Problems in Governance: The Indian Context, organized by the Department of Political Science with Rural Administration, Vidyasagar University, West Bengal
- WZB International Seminar on Anti Poverty Programs in a Global Perspective, Berlin. Presented a paper on “Poverty in India: Key Problems and Programmes”.
- Made a presentation on “Poverty and Gender Budgeting some Issues” in the session on Gender issues in Poverty, Financial Services and Budgeting chaired by Senior Advisor, Planning Commission.
- At the IHD-UN Women National Workshop on NREGS and Rural women at India International Centre New Delhi participated as a panelist in the session “Making NREGS Work better for Women and Way Ahead”.
- Delivered the Inaugural address at a Research Workshop organized by School of Education, Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University on the theme how to write a Research Paper-Techniques and Skills involved for teacher educators.
- Moderated the session on Policy Dilemmas-Challenges and Opportunities in a one day seminar entitled “Orissa at Crossroads: Emerging Aspirations and Contestations” at XIMB. The seminar was organized by GIDR, XIMB and Samadrishti, under the aegis of the Chronic Poverty Research Centre.
- 3rd National Panchayati Raj Day, moderated the Group discussion by elected representatives on “Issues related to Women” Vigyan Bhawan.
- At the Planning Commission National Consultation on “Pooling our knowledge on Gender and Planning’ in the session on Sector Specific Issues in Plans from a Gender Lens: Identifying Solutions, made a presentation n looking at Health from a Gender Lens at Yojana Bhawan.
- Made a presentation on “Access to Social Opportunities with a focus on Health” in a session on “Inequitable Access to Social Opportunities and Compounded Disadvantages for Women in South Asia” The Workshop was held at Lady Shri Ram College, New Delhi.
- At a National consultation organized by CBGA on the 12th Five Year Plan on the “Responsiveness of Planning to Gender” at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi.
- As Chairperson of the Subgroup constituted by Planning Commission on “Gender Mainstreaming and Effective Accountability Mechanisms” for the 12th plan presented the report of the Subgroup constituted by the Planning Commission at a workshop of the working group on Women’s Agency and Empowerment held at Vigyan Bhawan.
- At a workshop on “Gender Audit for Social Sectors: Methodology Development Workshop” moderated a session on Gender Audit for Social Sectors: Methodology Developing Guidelines for GOI” The workshop was organized by NWCD and UN women at UN women at New Delhi.

- Presentation at a workshop for officers of the Jammu and Kashmir Civil Secretariat on Gender Responsive Budgeting and Entry Points and Tools at Srinagar.
- Participated in a Consultative Discussion on “Gender and Economic Empowerment” World Bank, New Delhi.
- Invited as a Resource Person to an Interaction Session with Senior Officers at Planning Commission on “Mainstreaming gender concerns in various sectors and their Steering Committee’s Reports” at Yojana Bhawan, New Delhi. Made a joint presentation with other feminist economists entitled “Towards Economic Growth: Ideas emerging from a gendered analysis.
- At the guild of Service National Consultation on Agrarian Single Women: Distress, Access to Livelihood. Services and Justices held on India International Centre, New Delhi made a presentation on “Poverty, hunger, inclusive growth and development”.
- Visited Berlin to participate and to present paper on Poverty in India: Key problems and program in the International Conference on Anti-Poverty Programmes in a Global Perspective: Lessons from rich and poor countries.

2010-11

- Organized a National Workshop on Panchayati Raj Devolution Index at the Institute to discuss the quality of data on panchayats from states and to elicit views from states on the proposed methodology of the panchayat devolution index. Presented the methodology of the proposed index and elicited views of states.
- 3 day Training Programme on Capacity Building for Researchers in Consumer Protection and Consumer Welfare, Visakhapatnam AP.
- 3 day Training Programme on Capacity Building for Researchers in Consumer Protection and Consumer Welfare, NIAS, Kolkata.
- 3 day Training Programme on Capacity Building for Researchers in Consumer Protection and Consumer Welfare, CCS, Meerut.
- 3 day Training Programme on Capacity Building for Researchers in Consumer Protection and Consumer Welfare, Jaipur
- 3 day Training Programme on Capacity Building for Researchers in Consumer Protection and Consumer Welfare, Sri Venkatesware University, Tirupati.
- Organized a two week ‘International workshop on Indian Federalism’ jointly with the Forum of Federations, Canada under the Forum’s three-years programme titled “Federalism in Nepal: Supporting Nepal’s Constitutional Transition’ aiming at helping Nepal to build its capacity for developing and implementing a federal democratic system. It was organized with the financial support from the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation.
- Guest of honour in a two-day consultation on the Terms of Reference of the Fourth State Finance Commission, Kerala at Mascot Hotel (i) Central and State Finance Commission Relationship and (ii) State Finance Commission in India and Chaired a session.
- Participated as resource person in the National Workshop of Urban Trainers organized by the State Institute of Urban Development, YASHADA.

- Participated, as a resource person of the Ministry of Panchayati Raj in a workshop for Panchayati Raj Department of the States/UTs regarding Model Indicators for Incentivizing. Panchayats at Andhra Pradesh/Academy of Rural Development, Hyderabad.
- Made a presentation at an international workshop on Cultural Diplomacy on Australia-India Relations, organized by the Deakin University at Hotel.
- Presided over the discussions of the two working groups 'elated to Fiscal Federalism and moderated the plan any session on Fiscal Federalism in the 5th International Conference of Federalism that the Government of Ethiopia organized in co-operation with the Forum of Federations, Canada at the United National Conference Centre.
- Association with Committees: Member of Technical Group of the Ministry of Panchayati Raj under Panchayat Empowerment Accountability Incentive Scheme.
- Networking with Institutions abroad: Prepared a background paper and visited Tanzania with the Director, IIPA.
- Invited to participate in the UNU WIDER Helsinki (UN University- World Institute for Development Economics Research) 25th University 3 day conference on the Triple Crisis at Helsinki, Finland and make a presentation in the panel on "Poverty Reduction Research into Better Action".
- Invited by Vigyan Prasar, Dept. of Science and Technology, GOI and National Science Centre to speak in the inaugural session of the National Seminar on Gender, Technology GOI and National Science Centre to speak in the Inaugural session of the National Seminar on Gender, Technology and Communication, on national Technology Day on Gender and Technology: Issues from a Poverty Sensitive Perspective at National Science Centre.
- With UNDP Kabul and the Ministry of finance, Government of Afghanistan, jointly conducted a two day workshop on Render Responsive Budgeting at Kabul.
- At the request of the Swedish Committee for Afghanistan in Kabul and UNDP Afghanistan conducted a workshop on Render Responsive Budgeting.
- Organized the CPRC-IIPA-UNDP one day orientation cum Brainstorming workshop on "Poverty, Chronic Poverty and the Ultra Poor" with UNDP and CPRC core team and made several presentations and facilitated discussions.
- 5th International Conference on Public Policy and Management at IIM Bangalore: invited to speak in a panel on "Inclusive Growth: Data based innovative approaches to discussing social policy".
- Chaired a panel on "Recent Discourse on Poverty in India: Issues in the context of Measurement, Policies and Practice' at the International Conference on "Ten Years of War against Poverty: what have we learned since 2000 and what should we do in 2010-2020 at University of Manchester. A co-authored paper entitled "Poverty and Poverty Dynamics in India: Estimates, Determinants and Policy Responses" was presented at the Seminar.
- Participated in the MWCD Strategic Consultation for the Twelfth Five Year Plan at Central Social Welfare Board Durgabai Deshmukh Samaj Kalyan Bhawan, New Delhi.

- Panelist in the session on “Mainstreaming the Marginalized” at the 24th Skoch Summit that was co-organized with National commission for Women on the theme ‘Delivering Equality, Growth & Social Justice’ held at Hotel Shangri-La, New Delhi. The panel discussion was chaired by Minister of State for Urban Pillai, Member of State for Urban Development.
- Invited to speak on “Inclusive Growth and Persistent Poverty” at an Association Conference on “Resurgent PSUs-Vibrant India” at Hotel Le Meridian, New Delhi.
- At the request of MWCD, spoke on Entry Points and Tools for Gender Budgeting at the MWCD-VAMNCOM workshop for Senior Officers of the Government of Maharashtra.
- Discussant for papers presented on Study of Experiences of National Rural Employment Guarantee Act in India and Some Aspects of Decent Work Agenda at Institute for Human Development, New Delhi.
- Invited to speak on ‘Policies and programmes for Poverty Reduction’, at the Jamia Millia Islamia International Conference on Relevance of Policy Reforms on Development; Challenges before Emerging Economies.
- Organized a World Bank sponsored South Asian Regional Workshop on “Towards More Open and Transparent Governance in South Asia”.
- National Seminar on Sustainable Consumption, Climate Change and Consumers-towards a Better Future chaired the Fourth Thematic Session, on Role of Civil Society in Sustainable Consumption.
- Seminar on “Changes in marketing Strategy of Life Insurance Corporation of India and other Life Insurance Companies” at C.P. Delivered a key note address on “Life Insurance in India: Business of Marketing”.
- Sixth Annual Conference of Uttar Pradesh and Uttarakhand Economic Association at Mangalatan University. Keynote address on the “State of Affairs of Information Economy in India”.
- National Seminar on “Impact of Energy Conservation on Indian Economy” at Ginni Devi Modi Girls College, Modinagar. Delivered the inaugural address on “Energy Conservation in India”.
- 47th Annual Conference of the Indian Econometric Society at School of Futures Studies and Planning Devi Ahilya Vishwavidalaya. Chaired a technical session on “Development Economics”.
- National Seminar on “Inclusive Social Development: Interdisciplinary Perspective” organized by B.R. Ambedkar College. Presided over the valedictory session.
- Diamond Jubilee Conference of International Statistics, Economic Development and Public Administration organized by the Indian Statistical Institute, spoke on “Statistics and Public Administration”.
- National Seminar on Bihar on the path of Development” Thrusts and Priorities organized by the Council for Development of Bihar and Jharkhand. Paper presented: Assessment of Demand for Skill sets in Bihar. Paper presented: Assessment of Demand for Skill sets in Bihar.

- Special Lecture/Key Note Address: Refresher course on “Managerial Economics and Public Policy” organized by the Academic Staff College and School of Economics, Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyala Indore. Spoke on “Interface between Management Economics and Public Policy”.
- Delivered two lectures “Gender Statistics” and “Gender Equality” to the officers of Indian Statistical service and State Officers in the National Academy of Statistical Administration at Greater Noida and delivered a lecture on “Globalization Contents and Discontents” in an orientation programme in centre for professional development in Higher Education, University of Delhi.
- First World Statistics Day at Convergence 2010 by Society of Mathematical Sciences, Dept. of Mathematics & Statistics, Ramjas College, University of Delhi. Presented Structural Change in Indian Economy as reflected by use of Statistics.
- Panel Speaker: Faculty Book Review Presentation. Government Accountability and Public Audit Re-Engineering the Controller and Auditor General of India.
- Chairman Technical session V: Corporate Governance in India in the Fifth National Conference on Indian Capital Market: emerging Issues. IBS, Gurgaon.
- Other Works Handled: Designing and organizing of four week Advanced Management Programme” Public Sector Management in Changing Global Environment” (as a part of the Strategic Plan)
- Involved in work relating to proposed long term programme for public Sector Executives.

2009-10

- Organized a two week, ‘International Workshop on Indian Federalism jointly with the forum of Federations, Canada, under the Forum’s three year programme titled “Federalism in Nepal. Supporting Nepal’s Constitutional Transition” aiming at helping Nepal to build its capacity for developing and implementing a federal democratic system. It was organized with the financial support from the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation.
- Organized ‘International global’ dialogue on ‘International Global Dialogue on intergovernmental Relations’ with the Inter-State Council Secretarial, Ministry of Home Affairs and the Forum of Federations at The Lalit. Chairman, XIII Finance Commission inaugurated the event in which about 25 international experts from different countries made presentations.
- Organized a seminar on ‘Governance and Finance of Capital Cities in Federal Systems. On this occasion, released a book, entitled ‘Finance and Governance of Capital Cities in Federal Systems’.
- Organized a colloquium on the XIII Finance Commission and Local Governments in collaboration with Decentralization Community, UN solution exchange on July 13, 2009 and made a presentation on ‘Share of Local Governments in the union Divisible Pool”: An option before the XIII Finance Commission”. Member of the XIII Finance Commission was the Chief Guest. Joint Secretary, Ministry of Urban Development; Director of Foundation for Public Economics, Prof. of IIPA made presentations.

Following the discussions, a consensus emerged in favour of the Share of Local Governments in the Union Divisible Pool. It was pointed out that both the Ministries of Panchayati raj and urban Development have submitted similar views in their respective memoranda for which IPA provided the input. Many State Governments have also presented the same views to the XIII Finance Commission.

- Presented a paper in the session on “Inter-governmental Fiscal Transfers in Developing Countries’ in a three day workshop on “Local Public Finance and Governance’ at Pattaya Thailand. The World Bank Institute, Washington DC teamed up with the King Prajadhipok Institute.
- Presented a paper on ‘Share of Local Governments in the Union Divisible Pool. An option before the 13th Finance Commission’ in a national seminar on XIII Finance Commission and the backward states with particular Reference to Uttar Pradesh.
- Presented a paper on ‘Tax System and Reform in India. An analysis from the perspective of Economic Development and International Trade’ at Catholic University of Brasilia in a two day international seminar on “Tax System Development and China).
- Delivered talks in a series of workshops on ‘Fiscal Federalism’ organized at two places in Sudan, i.e. at Juba with the Southern Sudan Fiscal and Financial Allocations and monitoring Commission, and at Khartoum with the Fiscal and Financial Allocations and Monitoring Commission State Finance Ministers, Parliamentarians and senior officers, among others participated. Department of International Development, Government of Canada sponsored it.
- Delivered talks in a workshop on ‘Fiscal Federalism in Kathmandu, Nepal for the Constituent Assembly Members of Nepal. The Government of Nepal and the Forum of Federations organized it and the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation sponsored it.
- Made presentations in an ‘International seminar on Federal Finance’ organized at Abjua, Nigeria. Experts from Nigeria, Argentina and India participated. DFID sponsored the event.
- Guest Speaker at the sixth meeting of the Committee on Public Finance of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India on April 14, 2009.
- Chaired a technical session on “Development Economics” in the International Conference on “Time Series and Applied Econometric at the ICFAI Business School, Hyderabad on April 17, 2009.
- Delivered the valedictory address at the national seminar on “Global Recession and its impact on Indian Industry” at the BRM Institute of Management and Information Technology, Bhubaneswar on April 18, 2009.
- Delivered a special lecture on “Financial Mismanagement’ at a national seminar on ‘Recent Trends in Financial Management, organized by the S.N. Sinha Institute of Business Management, Ranchi at IIPA, New Delhi on April 26, 2009.
- Guest of Honour at the Inaugural session of the workshop on “Research Methodology’ and delivered a special lecture on “World is Statistical”, at the Rajarshi Purushattam Das Tandon Open University, Allahabad On May 30, 2009.

- Spoke on “Social Inclusion through Exclusive Provisions Pilgrim’s in India’ at the SAARC regional workshop on ‘Social Inclusion Policies of the State Experiences and Challenges’ at Kathmandu on June 26, 2009.
- Spoke on ‘Finances’ of Representative Local Governments Issues before the Thirteenth Finance Commission” in a seminar on “The Thirteenth Finance Commission and backward states with special reference to U.P.” at the Giri Institute of Development Studies, Lucknow on July 4, 2009.
- Delivered a lecture on ‘Intellectual Property Rights’ to the participants of an orientation course at the Academic Staff College, Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore.
- Delivered a lecture on “Panchayati Raj Institutions: Importance and Limitations” at a Training Programme for Young Professionals of CAPART at the IAMR, Delhi.
- Delivered a lecture on “Inequality and Poverty” in the ICSSR sponsored workshop on “Research Methodology” on August 29,2009 in Department of Economics, Lucknow University.
- Delivered a lecture on ‘Millennium Development Goals’ concerns of Poverty and Unemployment” in an International programme at the IAMR.
- Delivered a lecture on “Panchayati Raj Institutions: Importance and Limitations” at a Training Programme for Young Professionals of CAPART at the IAMR, Delhi.
- Spoke on “Teaching of Economics in India” in the annual conference of the Indian Association of Social Science Institutions at the Giri Institute of Development Studies, Lucknow.
- Chaired a technical session on “Discrimination in Labour Market” in the Annual Conference of the Indian Society of Labour Economics at Punjabi University.
- Spoke as a panelist on “Contextualizing Social Science Research in High Educational” in conference on “Social Science Research and Public Involvement” at the Institute of Rural management, Anand.
- Spoke on “Social Justice in India: Styles of Bapu, Baba and Babu”, in a seminar of Jagjivan Ram in promoting Social Justice in India” at IIPA.
- Delivered a lecture on “Measurement of Poverty” in a course on Econometric Techniques, organized by the Indian Econometric Society for IES officers at Pondicherry University.

2008-09

- Participated in the three day workshop on Local Public Finance and Governance in Pattaya, Thailand and presented a paper in the session on Intergovernmental Fiscal Transfers in Developing Countries. The World Bank Institute, Washington DC organized the workshop in collaboration with the Kind Prajadhipok’s Institute, Thailand,
- Participated as Chief Guest and delivered the key-note address in the national Seminar on Local Governance as an Emerging discipline of High Education at Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development, Sriperumbudur. He also chaired the first technical session in the seminar.

- Delivered a talk on ‘Intergovernmental Fiscal Relations in South Asia, to the group of foreign diplomats at the Foreign Service Institute, New Delhi.
- Presented the theme in the conference on “State Finance Commission: Issues and Options” at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi and also summed up the discussions in the final session, Chairman of State Finance Commissions. Secretaries to the Government of India, Secretaries of State Governments in charge of Finance and Panchayati Raj participated in the conference. Ministry of Panchayati Raj, GOI organized the conference in collaboration with the Ministry of Urban Development and Ministry of Housing and Poverty Alleviation.
- Presented the theme on Intergovernmental Fiscal Relations in the Country Roundtable of the Global Dialogue Programme on Intergovernmental relations in General countries organized by the Forum of Federations, Canada an Inter-State Council Secretariat, Ministry of Home Affairs, GOI at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi.
- Presented a paper on ‘Devolution of Resources to Municipalities: role of the XII Finance Commission in Urban Poverty Alleviation in the two day Regional Workshop at Tirupathi organized by the RCUES, Osmania University and sponsored by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation.
- Delivered a talk on ‘Intergovernmental Fiscal Relations in South Asia’ in the group of 24 foreign diplomats at the Foreign Services Institute, New Delhi.
- Presented a theme paper in the two-day conference on “Issues before the 13th Finance Commission: Empowering Panchayati Raj Institutions” at IRMA, Anand, made remarks as discussant in a session on the ‘Sharing by the Chairpersons of the State Finance Commissions’. The 13th Finance Commission sponsored the conference.
- Presented a paper on ‘Panchayati Raj Institutions and Fiscal Transfers’ in the International Seminar on Challenged before the Thirteenth Finance Commission’ at the India Habitat Centre, New Delhi. Foundation for Public Economics and Policy Research organized the seminar. Reliance Industries sponsored it.
- At the invitation of the Finance Department, Government of Jharkhand made a presentation on the issues related to the Thirteenth Finance Commission before the group of Principal Secretaries of the Government of Jharkhand at the Secretariat of the Jharkhand Government, Ranchi. The Chief Secretary, Government of Jharkhand presided over the discussion and deliberations.
- Made a presentation on ‘Financing of Disaster Management in India’ at the national seminar organized by the National Institute of Disaster Management for the Thirteenth Finance Commission.
- Presented a paper on ‘Panchayati Raj Institutions and Fiscal Transfers’ in the ‘International Seminar on Challenges before the Thirteenth Finance Commission’ at the India Habitat Centre, New Delhi. Foundation for Public Economics and Policy Research organized the seminar. Reliance Industries sponsored it.
- Delivered a valedictory address and chaired National Seminar on ‘Whither Indian Economy” in the Shrinathji Institute of Management of Management, Nathawara, Udaipur.

- Spoke on “IPR and Economics” in Management Development Programme for Civil Officers of Sikkim at Sikkim-Manipal University, Sikkim
- Delivered a key note address at the inaugural function and chaired a session in a national seminar on “Dr. Ambedkar and his contribution: an inter-disciplinary perspective: at Dr. B. R. Ambedkar College, Delhi.
- Spoke on “Managing Economic slowdown” at the Aishwarya College of Education at Udaipur.
- Chaired a technical session in a national seminar on “Consumer Protection and Welfare, organized by the School of Studies in Economics, Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore.
- Delivered two special lectures on (i) “Banking and Finance” and Industrial Economics” at 45th Annual Conference of the Indian Econometric Society held at Gauhati University.
- Delivered a special lecture on “New Economic Geography” at the International Regional Science Symposium and 40th Annual Regional Science Conference at NIRMA University, Ahmadabad and also chaired a technical session on “Globalization vs. Regionalization.
- Delivered a lecture on “Decentralization and Local governance at the Centre for Federal Studies, Jamia Hamdard in a course for Nepalese participants.
- Inaugural presentation on “Wholesale Price index numbers in India” at the Department of Economics, Aligarh Muslim University in a workshop on “Wholesale Price Index.
- Spoke on Intellectual Property Rights” in the orientation programme at the Academic Staff College, University of Allahabad.
- Delivered a lecture on Time Series in Capacity Building in Research in Economics. Allahabad.
- Gave a special lecture on economic recession and Indian economy in a National Seminar, Shri Varshneya College, Aligarh.
- Delivered the Prof. G.N.Tandon Memorial Lecture on “Global Economic Crisis: An analytical approach” at Jiwaji University Gwalior.
- Delivered special lecture on “Macro-economic aggregates and their policy usages” at the school of future studies and planning. Devi Ahilya University.
- Delivered a Valedictory address as Chief Guest in the National Seminar on “Globalization: Challenges for the Indian Economy” at Veer Bahadur Singh Poorvanchal University, Jaunpur.
- Delivered a special lecture on “Global Economic Crisis and its impact on Indian Economy” at Bareilly Local Branch of IIPA
- Delivered the inaugural session on “Multi dimensions of Rural Development” at the Maharaja College, Chhatarpur, M.P
- Delivered the key-note address at the National Seminar on “Emerging Issues on Indian Economy” at the School of Economics, Devi Ahilya University, Indore.
- Presented a paper on Finances of Representative Local Governments: role of Recent Finance Commissions, in an International Seminar on Challenges before the

Thirteenth Finance Commission, organized by foundation for Public Economics and Policy Research, Delhi.

- Presented the work of the Chronic Poverty Research Centre in the Inaugural Session of the International Conference on “Eradicating Chronic Poverty in India: Policy Issues and Challenges” at JNU Delhi.
- Chaired the session on “Have the Chronically poor gained from poverty alleviation” in the International Conference on “Eradicating Chronic Poverty in India: Policy Issues and Challenges; at JNU.
- Participated in an IDRC workshop on Information and Communication Technology for Livelihoods at Colombo, Sri Lanka and suggest ways in which the research design could incorporate poverty dynamics as well as gender so that information and communication tools could be usefully strengthen livelihood outcomes for the rural poor.
- Aga Khan foundation-International Food Policy Research Institute Workshop on women in Agriculture in South Asia at National Agriculture Science Centre, Pusa New Delhi. Presented a paper on Women in Agriculture: Access to Productive Resource and Services.
- MMCD-UNDP-IIPA second and third technical advisory workshop for estimating GDI and GEM for India and the states/UTs held at IIPA. Presented the status of availability data on indicators finalized for each of the dimensions of the Human Development Index, Gender Development Index and Gender Empowerment Measure to enable decisions regarding final choice of indicators and methodology to be used in construction of the indices.
- MMCD-UNDP-IIPA Multi Stakeholder workshop on GDI and GEM held at IIPA. Presented the Draft report for India entitled “Gendering Human Development Index” Recasting GDI and GEM for India”. Shri Anil Kumar, Secretary MWCD inaugurated the workshop.
- Ministry of New and Renewable Energy one day National Consultation on the Renewable Energy for Rural livelihoods project at Ashoka Hotel, New Delhi. Based on field visits undertaken to each of the project villages, presented the status of project implementation by implementing agencies in 14 remote, un-electrified and inaccessible villages in Rajasthan and Uttarakhand, and challenges faced by Implementing Agencies in providing renewable energy in the form of solar, biomass or micro-hydro based energy in these villages.

2006-07

- On the occasion of Teacher’s Day on September 5, 2006 organized a book release function, of the book entitled “The Urban Local Self-Government in India with Reference to North-eastern States.
- On the occasion of World Habitat Day, a panel discussion was organized on the United Nations theme on “Cities: Magnets of Hope” at IIPA.
- Organized in collaboration with the World Bank Institute, Washington D.C. an International five Day workshop on Public Sector Government in India during

December. Union Minister of State for Finance inaugurated the workshop. A presentation was made on State-Local fiscal Relations.

- A panel discussion on Local Governance was organized on December 6, 2006 in collaboration with the World Bank Institute, Washington D.C. M.P. and Spokesman of Congress Party chaired the discussion. In the function, Smt. Sheila Dikshit, Chief Minister of Delhi launched a book on 'Local Governance in Developing Countries.
- An International five day workshop on "fiscal Decentralization and Local Governance in India" was organized at Hotel Intercontinental, Goa in collaboration with the World Bank Institute. The workshop was sponsored by the Department of Personnel and Training for a group of IAS officers. The Government of Japan provided the financial support through the World Bank and Union Ministry of Panchayati Raj and Government of Goa provided the technical support the workshop.
- The Ministry of Women and Child Development (MWCD), in collaboration with the IIPA, IFES and USAID organized two workshops on Gender Budgeting for Gender Budget Cells (GBCs). The workshop was held on 12th and 13th October.
- The second workshop was held on 19th January, 2007.
- Workshop of the Technical Advisory Committee of the Chronic Poverty Project held at IIPA.
- Workshop of the Technical Advisory Committee of the MWCD/UNDP-IIPA Project for preparation of Gender Development Index. Gender Empowerment Measure held at IIPA.
- At the Northern Regional Consultation of the Civil Society Think Tank for Engendering the Eleventh Plan on 2nd June, 2006 at Chandigarh presentation on Poverty Persistence, Entry and Escape: Policy Issues for the Eleventh Plan based on CPRC-IIPA working papers.
- Participated and made a presentation in the workshop on "Evaluating Impact: Turning Promise to Evidence" at the Taj Mahal Hotel, New Delhi. World Bank Human Development Network, World Bank South Asia Region and the World Bank Institute jointly organized the workshop.
- Delivered a talk on "Public-Private partnerships and Infrastructure Development in Urban Centres" at All India Institute of Local Self-Government, Mumbai on August in the programme on "Encouraging Public Private Partnership in Urban Service Delivery"
- Presented a theme paper in a two-day workshop on "Devolution of Funds to Urban Local bodies" organized by Amity School of Urban Management, NOIDA.
- Presented a paper on "Urban Public Finance" in a two-day national seminar on 'Urban Governance: Major Issues and Challenges' organized by DU.
- Made a presentation on the overview of Urban Local Bodies in the context of National Health Accounts in the Expert Group Meeting on health Financing by Local Bodies on November organized by the Union Ministry of Health and Family Welfare at Nirman Bhawan.

- Attended as an observer from the Ministry of Personnel, in the four week and term programme on ‘Governance Challenges for India- A mid-Career programme for IAS Officers.
- Participated in the two and a half day pre conference event of the 4th International Conference on Federalism at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi. As a member of the sub-group on the broad theme of ‘Local government and Federal Systems’, took part in the deliberations of the sub-group on the broad theme of “Local Government and Federal systems”, took part in the deliberations of the sub-group and peer reviewed papers. Inter-state Council Secretariat, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India.
- Workshop on Development of Values for Public Services, jointly organized by Oriental Bank of Commerce, March 22, 2007. Made presentation of Values & Development.
- Workshop on Working Public Sector Governance in India, jointly with the World Bank, presentation on “Self interest, self Image and Service Delivery”.
- National Seminar on India’s Social, Economic and Political Development: Challenges, Achievements and Ways Ahead sponsored by Planning Commission, GOI and organized by Madhya Pradesh Institute of Social Science. Paper presented on “Employment Generation Potential in Organized Retail Sector”
- The Eastern Regional Consultation of the Civil Society Think Tank for Engendering the Eleventh Plan at Kolkata. Presentation of Poverty and Health: Policy Issues for the Eleventh Plan.
- Chaired a panel discussion on Gender and Agricultural Trade Liberalization on August, 2006 at the UNIFEM and Common wealth Secretariat Capacity Building workshop on Gender, Trade Policy and Export Promotion for the South Asia Region at Claridges Hotel, New Delhi.
- Seminar organized by FES at Nehru Yuvak Kendra, Chanakypuri, New Delhi. Paper presented: “The Budget: A Gender and Poverty Sensitive Perspective:
- MS Swaminathan Research Foundation workshop on “Gender Concerns in food Security” at Chennai, Presentation based on the Report on Gender Budgeting in Agriculture prepared for the Planning Commission working group for the Eleventh Plan and on HIV/AIDS based on the research for UNIFEM on HIV/AIDS.
- Invited to deliver the Dr. Saroj, Gupta Memorial Lecture on “Poverty Issues” at Lady Shri Ram College, Delhi. University.

2005-06

- Seminar on “Mentoring for Managing Change” in collaboration with Leadership Management International USA and International Management Institute, IIPA.
- DWCD-UNDP-IIPA first Regional workshop on Gender Budgeting at IIPA. Organized the workshop and made a presentation on Gender Budgets and Employment Guarantee Schemes.

- National workshop on Risk financing n Disaster Management organized by National Institute of Disaster Management, April 26-27, 2005. Made a presentation on ‘Role of Twelfth Finance Commission in Calamity Relief’.
- National Seminar on Recommendations of the Twelfth Finance Commission and their Implications for State Finance, organized by the government of Uttar Pradesh and Giri Institute of Development Studies.
- Organized a roundtable with the Embassy of France on Road Map for successful Implementation of VAT, IIPA, New Delhi.
- Panelist in the Symposium on “How to Deal with VAT”, organized by Confederation of Indian Industry (CII).
- Participated in the three-day International Conference on Fiscal Responsibility and Inter-governmental Finance, organized by the World Bank and Administrative Staff College, Hyderabad.
- Organized a Five day International workshop on ‘Public Sector Governance in India’ organized jointly with the World Bank Institute, Washington, DC. IIPA, New Delhi.
- Organized a talk on Governance for Growth, by Emeritus Professor Economics, London School of Economics.
- National Seminar on Urban Local Self-Government in India in an Era of Globalization, organized by University of Allahabad, March 9-10,2006. Paper presented: 74th Amendment and its aftermath.
- Seminar on Matching Expectations, organized by IIPA Alumni Association, March, 2006. Paper Presented: Concept paper on Matching Expectations in the field of Governance.
- National Seminar on the Recommendation of the Twelfth Finance Commission, Giti Institute of Development Studies, Lucknow. Presentation on ‘Fiscal Impact of State Public Sector Undertakings and State road Transport Undertakings’.
- Seminar on Equipping the IRAS for the 21st Century, Indian Railway Accounts Service Platinum Jubilee Celebrations, Jaipur.
- International Workshop on Public Sector Governance in India, November 15, 2005, IIPA. Presentation on Swarna Jayanti Shahri Rozgar Yojana
- Presentation on Management view of the Judicial System, national Judicial Academy, Bhopal.
- A national Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights, sponsored by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, govt. of India, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar. Paper Presented: “TRIPS Agreement and Data Exclusivity: How Best India’s Interest is Protected”.
- International Conference on Possibilities for a Comprehensive Economic Partnership between BIMSTEC Countries and Japan, Kolkata, 16-17 December 2005. Paper presented: Exploring BIMSTEC Japan Free Trade Arrangement towards Asian Economic Community”.
- National Seminar on “Intellectual Property rights” organized by BBK DAV College for women, Amritsar. Paper Presented: “Should Traditional Knowledge be protected?

- Seminar on Twelfth Finance commission, Giri Institute of Development Studies, Lucknow, Presentation on 'State Road Transport Undertaking: States and Reforms'
- Chaired a technical session in the 42nd Annual Conference of the Indian Econometric society held in Punjab School of Economics.
- Keynote Address 'Input-Output Analysis theory and Practice' was read in absentia at the Annual conference of Bangiya Arthaniti Parishad held at Vishwa Bharati.
- National Seminar on "Accelerated Economic Growth and Regional Balance: Recent Experiences and Implications for Inter State Variations in Development, Jointly organized by Indian Economic Association, Institute for Studies in Industrial Development and Institute for Human Development, ISID.
- International Conference on "Productivity and Quality Research, IIT, Delhi, December 2005. Paper Presented: Tertiary Sector in Developing Economics-Its Nature and Relative Growth.
- National Seminar on "Leadership in New Millennium" in collaboration with the Govt. of Jharkhand and S.S. Sinha Institute of Business Management, Ranchi, Jharkhand, IIPA. Presentation on role Excellence and Spirituality.
- Seventh Annual Sir Arthur Lewis Institute of Social and Economic Studies (SALISES) Conference, Sherbourne Conference Centre, Barbados, March 2006. Paper Presented: Development, Gender Deprivation and Female Vulnerability in North Western States of India.
- Invited to attend the Finance Minister's pre-Budget Consultation with Economists on 13th January, 2006.
- Made a presentation to a meeting of the Chief Secretary and Committee of Secretaries of the Government of Uttaranchal at Dehradun on gender and poverty issues in the context of preparing gender sensitive budgets.
- Addressed the Uttaranchal Regional Branch at Dehradun on gender and poverty issues.
- IHC-ISST panel discussion on "Perspectives on Women and the National Rural Employment Guarantee Programme".
- The social Sector Chief Directorate in the office of the President of South Africa invited to participate in an Expert Panel Meeting on international and south African panel studies in the context of estimating long duration poverty.
- UNIFEM Round Table chaired by the Executive Director, UNIFEM at Hyderabad.
- MSSRF international seminar on Human Centred Sustainable Development Paradigm at Chennai. Presentation on "Micro credit and economic growth".
- CPRC India seminar led by GIDR in collaboration with Nabakishore Choudhary Institute of Developing studies and XIM at Bhubaneshwar. Spoke on Chronic Poverty in India: Key issues.
- UNDP/GIDR National workshop on the economics of poverty reduction. Discussant for two of the papers presented at the seminar at UNDP.
- Panelist at the national convention on Union Budget 2006-07 organized by the Centre for Budget and Governance Accountability.

- International convention on Micro finance sustainable enterprise development organized by Institute of small enterprises and development, Cochin chaired the session on Micro finance.
- Social sector development: from outlays to outcomes seminar at IIPA. Spoke on the budget, poverty and drinking water.
- Participation in National Consultations on the NREGA organized by MORD at Krishi Bhawan.
- Invited to participate in the Gender Budgeting Stakeholders consultations at NIPFP.
- Invited to participate in the consultations on Gender Budgets chaired by Member Planning Commission.

2004-05

- Fifth Roundtable of State Ministries Incharge of Panchayati Raj on Annual Report on the State of the Panchayata including preparation of a Devolution Index, organized by union Ministry of Panchayati Raj, Government of India, Srinagar, Jammu & Kashmir. Theme paper presented: Rating the Policy and Functional Environment of PRIs in Different States of India.
- Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights organized by Guru Nanak Dev University at the behest of Ministry of Human Resources Development, Govt. of India.
- National Seminar on population and sustainable development in India, organized by Society for Social Empowerment and sponsored by United National Population Fund and ICSSR in SIS Committee Room,
- National Seminar on Futuristic vision of Social Science, Agra October 10, 2004.
- Lecture on Teaching of Economics in India, Challenges for 'Orienting the Praxiology'.
- Keynote Address on Multi-dimensional facets of Increasing Tendency of Criminalization of Society: Reasons and Remedies, AND College, Kanpur, December, 3, 2004.
- 87th Annual Conference of Indian Economic Association, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, December 21, 2004.
- National Seminar on WTO and Entrepreneurship Development, Department of Business Economics, VBS, purvanchal University, Jaunpur, February 7, 2005.
- Delivered a Special Lecture on WTO and its Impact on Indian Economy in Agrasen Degree College, mau Ranipur,
- National Seminar on Intellectual property Rights. Sponsored by MHRD, Punjab School of Economics, GND University, Amritsar, March 25, 2005.
- International donor seminar on Making Development work for the poorest, organized by DFID, UK. Westminster, London.
- Launch of the Chronic Poverty Report 2004-05, organized by DFID UK and Chronic Poverty Research Centre, House of Commons, In London on May 12, 2004.
- Moving out of Poverty: Understanding Growth and Poverty from the Bottom, UP. Organized by World Bank, New Delhi.

- Impact of Globalization on Women, Organized by National Commission for women, National Museum, New Delhi.
- National Workshop on Experience Sharing and Capacity Bulking for Engendering Statistics at Thiruvananthapuram, organized by CSO-UNIFEM.
- Learning Seminar on Chronic Poverty Issues, UNIFEM south Asian Regional Office, New Delhi.
- International Seminal on Poverty and Globalization, organized by Mahatma Gandhi kasha Vidyapeeth, Varanasi. 4-6 Dec. 2204.
- Poverty Reduction Strategy as an implementation of the Right to Development, Organized by Centre for Development, Organized by Centre for Development and Human Rights, IIC, New Delhi.
- Seminar on Understanding Anatomy of Rural Poverty and Democracy, organized by Seva Mandir, IIC New Delhi. February 10, 2005.
- ‘Gender-just Budgeting’, organized by women Power Connect Founding Convention, Hotel Ashok, New Delhi.
- Sakhi Milan, organized by Action India, Millennium Park (I.P. Park), New Delhi.
- Round Table Meet on Gender, Budgeting for chairpersons of State Commissions for women, organized by National Commission for women, India International Centre, New Delhi.

2003-04

- ‘Managing Inflation Rate, Interest Rate and exchange Rate: Issues and Options’, presented at RBI Staff College, Chennai.
- “Fiscal Impact of State Public Sector Undertakings in seminar on Federalism and Public Policy, at India International Centre, March 20, 2004.
- “Valuation of Government Assets: Case of Irrigation’, C&AG Seminar on Government Assets, Shimla, Sept. 2003.
- Annual conference of the Bengal Economic Association, Kolkata, organized by Bengal Economic Association, Paper presented: Multilateral Trade Negotiations under the World Trade Organization: why India should be worried at the Newly Emerging Issues?
- National Seminar on Municipal Finances, organized by IIPA, New Delhi, 29-30 December, 2003. Paper presented Urban Local Bodies. Focus on Transfer of functions and funds.
- Eighteenth Biennial Seminar or the Indian Association for Research in National Income and Wealth, organized by Indian Association for Research in national Income and Wealth, Jaipur. Paper presented Human Development in India.
- National Seminar on Markets and Institutions: An Indian Experience in Nineties, Organized by Centre for Research in Planning and Development. Department of Economics, Faculty of Arts. The M.S. University of Baroda, paper presented: Role and Meaning of government Intervention: Exploring the Essence of Changes in the offing.

- National Seminar on good governance in a Federal Nation, Organized by Centre for Federal Studies, Jamia Hamdard, India International Centre, New Delhi, march 13-14,2004. Paper Presented Local Bodies in India.
- National Seminar on Population, Human Resource Development and Sustainable Development organized by Department of Social Work. lucknow University.
- International seminar on “Chronic Poverty and Development Policy”. Organized by CPRC, New Delhi. November 4-5, 2003. Paper presented: Anti Poverty Programmes in Kangra District: Strengths and Weaknesses.
- IIPA CPRC Golden Jubilee Seminar on “Chronic Poverty and Development Policy in India” jointly organized by IIPA, Chronic Poverty Research Centre, Planning Commission. Ministry of Rural Development and NAVARD at IIPA. Papers presented (i) Operationalising Multidimensional concepts of Chronic Poverty: An Exploratory Spatial Analysis (ii) Correlates of incidence and exit from Chronic Poverty in Rural India. (iii) Chronic Poverty in India Overview of Emerging Issues
- International Conference on “Staying Poor: Chronic Poverty and Development policy” organized by Chronic Poverty Research Centre, University of Manchester. Paper presented: (i) Correlates of Incidence and Exit from Chronic Poverty in Rural India. Operationalising Multidimensional concepts of Chronic Poverty: An Exploratory Spatial Analysis,
- DFID in week”, organized by DFID India, New Delhi on 26th May, 2003. Presented on Key Issues pertaining to Chronic Poverty in India.
- “NCW Expert Committee Workshop”, organized by National Commission for Women on 3rd December 2003, NCW, New Delhi and at Ashok Hotel, New Delhi on 22 December 2003. Paper presented: The Budget: A Gender and Poverty Sensitive Perspective
- ‘A National Consultation on the Budget: A Gender and Poverty Sensitive Perspective, organized by National Commission for Women on 22nd December 2003.
- Workshop to review the methodology and results of five pilot studies for the project “moving out of poverty”, organized by World Bank of 9th to 12th December, 2003. World Bank, Washington DC, USA. Invited as a Resource Person to reflect on the presentations and methodology.
- “Chronic Poverty and Social conflict in Bihar”, organized by Centre for Applied Sociology, CSSS/SSS. J.N.U. and C.P.R.C. IIPA on 27th January, 2004.
- Chronic Poverty and Social Conflict in Bihar, Organized by Dept. of Sociology, Patna College and Centre for Applied Sociology.
- MIMAP Gender Network Conference, organized by ISST: Institute of Social Studies Trust on 31 January-2 February 2004.
- “Chronic Poverty and Basic Services”, Side panel during 42nd session of the UN Commission for Social Development organized by the Chronic Poverty Research Centre. Sponsored by UK Department for International Development and hosted by Help Age International.

- Golden Jubilee of IIPA Seminar on “Corruption and quality of Governance, organized by Haryana, Chandigarh Regional Branch.
- National Conference on Reforms in Infrastructure Sector. Impact Assessment and Governance, November. India Habitat Centre.

2002-03

- Seminar on ‘Towards Quality Governance for Sustainable Growth and Development’, organized by International Institute of Administrative Sciences, Brussels, November 5-9, 2002. New Delhi. Paper presented: Values and Institutions for Honest and ‘People-Oriented’ Administration
- Organized the “Research Design Workshop for Exploring Appropriate Solutions to Chronic Poverty” at IIPA on 15/16 May 2002. The Workshop was jointly sponsored by IIPA, Chronic Poverty Research Centre and Ministry of Rural Development, government of India. Papers presented: (a) “Overview paper on Chronic Poverty on India” (2) Draft paper on “Factors that Perpetuate and Ameliorate Chronic Poverty: India’s Experience in the 1970s” (3) “Identification of Districts and In depth Micro Studies: A Draft”.
- Presented the paper “Overview paper on Chronic Poverty in India” to the “Expert Group on Identification of Households below the Poverty Line, Ministry of Rural Development, Krishi Bhawan, May, 17, 2002.
- Seminar on “Towards Social Harmony: The Gandhian Way”. Jointly organized by IIPA and Gandhi Smriti and Darshan Samiti, May 4, 2002. Paper presented: Gandhi on Women and Socio-Economic and Political Environment.

2001-02

- Special Lecture delivered on Lecture Series on Current Affairs-2002 jointly organized by the Utkal University, Bhubaneswar and IIPA.
- Expert Group Meeting on the Revitalization of the Bangkok Agreement, UN-ESCAP, October 29-30, 2001, Bangkok, and Paper presented: Extending Bangkok Agreement to the Developed Countries in the Asia Pacific Region.
- National Conference of the Indian Association of Social Science Institutions, Agra, October 25-27, 2001. Presented theme paper: “Globalization and International Cooperation:
- International Seminar on the European Union in the Changing World, 6-7 September 2001, JNU, New Delhi. Paper presented: European Union’s Trade with Asia and India.
- International Conference on society, Politics, the Economy and the environment. Implications for Socio-Economic Progress in the 21st Century, jointly organized by Texas A and M University USA and University of Agricultural Sciences. Bangalore. Paper Presented: “Precautionary Principle under the Biosafety Protocol: Is Multilateralism under Stake?

2000-2001

- International Seminar on “Reforms in Public Administration: French and Indian Experience” IIPA, New Delhi, January 20-23, 2001. Paper presented: Fiscal Sector Reforms in India
- National Seminar Jointly organized by the Indian Institute of Advance Studies, Shimla and Mohanlal Sukhadia University, Udaipur, 3-4 March 2001. Paper Presented: Biosafety Protocol and the Precautionary Principle: Emerging Danger for India’s Agricultural Exports.
- 83rd Annual Conference of the Indian Economic Association University of Jammu 2001. Paper presented: Growing Environmental Standards of the West: A Veiled Threat of Non-Tariff Barriers to India’s Trade.
- Seminar on Gandhian Philosophy of Rural Development, Deen, Dayal Upadhyay Institute of Rural Development, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar University, Agra, October 1, 2000. Delivered Keynote address on Gandhi’s Concept of Village Development.
- National Seminar on “Development Reforms for Resurgent India: introspection and Future Perspective”, IIPA, New Delhi, November 27-28, 2000. Presented concepts paper: Organized the Seminar as Member Secretary.
- Participated in the National Seminar on Child Labour: Realities and Policy Dimensions VV Giri National Labour Institute, NOIDA, December 5-7, 2000 and acted as Discussant in one session.
- 42nd Annual Conference of the Indian Society of Labour Economics at R. D. University, Jabalpur, December 9-11, 2000. Paper presented: Youth and Unemployment in perspective-The Indian Context, Also acted as discussant.
- National Seminar on Emerging Methodologies of Data Analysis and Related Inferences, Department of Statistics, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, February 5-7, 2001.
- National Seminar on “Whither Indian Economy” organized by Department of Banking and Business Economics, MLS University and Indian Institute of Advanced Study at Udaipur, March 3-4, 2001. Paper presented: Indian Economic Policy in the Past half a century-search for Human Soul in Development Strategy.
- Consultative Workshop on “Food Security and Child Work in Rural India”, organized by Institute for Human Development and World Food Programme of United Nations, Indian International Centre.
- Workshop on “Public Sector Reforms”, Organized by IIPA Regional Branch, Bhubaneswar December 20-21, 2000. Papers presented: (1) Public Sector Reforms and Competitiveness, (2) Public service for Economic Development: Financial analyst and Financing, (3) PSU Disinvestment: Need for New Approaches: Also delivered Keynote Address in the Inaugural Session and Chaired Technical Session IV-Public Services: Pricing and Financing.
- Seminar on “Private Sector Involvement in City bus Transport, organized by IIPA. New Delhi.

- International symposium on Globalization and the Challenges of the New Millennium, Aligarh Muslim University, April 30, 2000. Paper presented: Globalization and Governance: cloning the New Millennium.
- Seventh Annual Conference of Indian Political Economy Association, St. Joseph's College, Darjeeling, November, 17-19, 2000. Paper presented: The Political Economy of Federalism.
- Conference on "Development Reforms for Resurgent India", jointly organized by IIPA and KVIC, November 27, 2000. Paper presented: Indian Concept of Development: a Half Century Retrospect.
- Seminar on "Power, Change, Resistance", organized by IIPA, Kanpur, Paper presented: Economic Growth Disempowerment and Processes of Resistance.
- Annual Conference of the Rajasthan Economic Association, Ajmer, 17-18 February, 2001. Paper presented: The Decade of the SAP. From Market Manipulated State to market Fundamentalist State.
- UNDP-Mahbub ul-Haq Human Development Centre, Symposium on "Human Development and the Gender Question", October 9, 2000. Indian International Centre, Presentation on Women in the Economy in India, Chaired by UNDP Resident Representative and UN System Resident Coordinator, Ms. Brenda Gael McSweeney.
- UNIFEM and Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty, Business Planning workshop in the Sub-Sector of Gum Karaya, 30-31 January 2001. Hyderabad. Presented the Report for UNIFEM on women's Economic Empowerment in the Asia Pacific Region, Gum Karaya.
- Chronic Poverty Research Centre Workshop on "Chronic Poverty", University of Manchester, Chancellor Centre, February 7-9, 2001.
- University of Birmingham, IDD School of Public Policy, presented the draft paper on Chronic Poverty in India: An Overview, February 13, 2001.
- "National conference on Finding for Disaster Prevention and Mitigation", organized by High Power Committee on Disaster Management Plan Government of India and Disaster Management. Division NIRD. Hyderabad.

1999-2000

- Annual Conference organized by Indian Political Economy Association, Jaipur, December 20-21, 1999. Paper presented: The Entwinning of Trade Policy with the Environmental Standards: Options for India.
- Seminar on "Mobilising Youth for Universalization of Primary Education" organised by State Institute of Educational Management and Training, Allahabad, June 19-20, 1999.
- Seminar on "Indian on the Threshold of the New Millennium: The Unfinished Agenda", organised by Indian Association of Social Science Institutions, G.B. Pant Social Science Institute, Allahabad, November, 1999.
- Workshop on "Case Study Methods", organised by Bankers, Institute of Rural Development, Lucknow, January 24-25, 2000.

- Annual Conference of the Indian Econometric Society, organised by Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore, February 4-6, 2000.
- Seminar on “Public Service: Fiscal Constraints for Governments”, organised by National Institute of Financial Management, Faridabad, Habitat Centre, New Delhi, 15 Feb 2000.
- Faculty seminar, IIPA, 15 April 1999. Paper presented: State Markets and Civil Society.
- Annual Conference of the Indian Political Economy Association at Institute of Development Studies, Jaipur, 20 December, 1999. Paper presented: Globalization and Governance.
- Joint Seminar organised by ICSSR-Chinese Academy of Social Science, 22-23 March, 2000. Paper presented: New Technology Order under the IPR Regime: Historical Context and Current Concerns.
- Seminar on “Globalization and the Challenge of the New Millennium”. Aligarh Muslim University, March 31, 2000. Paper presented: Globalization and Governance: Closing a New Millennium.
- Seminar on “Twelfth Lok Sabha Elections: Policy, Process and Post Script”, organised by IIPA, New Delhi, June 1999. Paper presented: Election to the 12th Lok Sabha: a gender based analysis.
- National Seminar on “Watershed Management for Sustainable Development”, organised by Department of Economics, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupathi, March 20-21, 2000. Paper presented: Co-ordinated Research for Sustainable Development of Drought Prone Areas.

1998-1999

- Seminar on “Ninth Plan and Its Development Strategy”, organised by Department of U.P. Yojana Bhawan, Lucknow, June 27-28.
- National workshop on “Marketing of Forest Products in India,” Organised by Forest Research Institute, Dehradun, October 30-31. ‘Paper presented: Timber Market’.
- Seminar on “Professor Amartya Sen’s Economics Ideology and Developing Countries”, organised by Department of Economics, R.B.S. College, Agra, November 22. Delivered Keynote address on Sen’s Contribution to Development Economics.
- National Seminar on “Financing Education”, organised by the National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, Delhi February 10-12. Paper presented: ‘Decentralization of Governance and Financing of Elementary Education and another on ‘Higher Education: is it a Merit Service?’
- Thirty-fifth Annual conference of the Indian Econometric Society, organized at University of Rajasthan, Jaipur, March 11-13, 1999. Paper presented: ‘A Contribution to Construction of Human Development Index’.
- Conference on “Restructuring Command Economy to Market Economy: Relevance of Eastern European Experience to Developing Countries”, organized by the International Political Science Association’s Research Committee 4- on Public Bureaucracies in Developing Societies in Collaboration with the Fredrick Ebert Foundation, New Delhi,

Feb 23-24, 1999. Paper presented: 'Structural Adjustments Towards Market Economy: Experience of Latin American Countries'.

- 5th conference of the Indian Political Economy Associate, M.D. University, Rohtak, 29 August, 1998. Paper Presented 'Regional Equity: How Do we Understand It?
- World Bank Sponsored seminar at Forest Research Institute, Dehradun, Oct. 30-31, 1998. Paper presented on "Some aspects of the Economics of Timber Markets in India.
- National Seminar on "Financing Education", Organised by the National Institute of Educational Planning & Administration, New Delhi. Feb 10-12, 1999. Paper presented on "Higher Education is it a Merit Service?
- National Seminar on "Netaji's contribution to India's Freedom Struggle and Nation Building", Organised by IIPA, August 9, 1999. Paper presented: "Netaji Subhash Bose and Planning for National Reconstructions".
- Over a dozen appearances on various channels of DD and other channels on national affairs. Many Radio talks and discussions.
- Press Interviews in various newspapers and magazine.
- UNDP, World Bank and Royal Netherlands Embassy Workshop on "Poverty and Human Development from Analysis to action", 6-7 April, 1998. India Habitat Centre.
- Workshop on "Setting Priorities for Biodiversity Conservation in India", April 28-30, 1998. World wide fund for nature
- Participatory workshop for senior government officer for evaluation DFID's performance. Indian International Centre, July 1998.
- Five Day Workshop on "Evaluation of DFID's support to Poverty Reduction: India", Country Study, University of Birmingham, UK, October 26-30, 1998. Paper Presented on: Trends in India".
- Discussion seminar on "Issues pertaining to poverty in the Indian Context, with participants of the training programme on "Governance Partnerships and Poverty" at the school of Public Policy University of Birmingham, March 3, 1999.
- Seminar on "Poverty in a World without welfare", organised by International Development Department of the School for Public Policy, University of Birmingham.
- Civil Service College, Sunningdale, UK, on March 10, 1999 made a presentation on the Human and Gender Development Indices and the Gender Empowerment Measure-alternative relevant in the context of the Third World.
- Seminar on "Exchequer Control and Expenditure Management in Government", organized by Institute of Public Auditors of India. Organised at India International Centre, New Delhi.

1997-1998

- Thirty Fourth Annual Conference of the Indian Econometric Society, organised by Indian Econometric Society, Mangalore, March 27-30, Paper presented "Human Development Index: A Critique of Income well-being Curve".

- National Seminar on Budgetary Control and Reforms for Financial Advisers to Ministers, Government of India, organised by National Institute of Financial Management at Faridabad. Presented: Budgetary Control and Reforms.
- Annual Conference: IIPA Delhi Regional Branch, New Delhi. Paper presented: “Whither Economic Reforms”.
- International Seminar on “Women and Sustainable Development” organised by Socialist International Women and Mahila Janata Dal at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi on November, 7-8, 1997. Gave the Keynote Address on: Women and Sustainable Development”.
- TERI Seminar series organised by Tata Energy Research Institute at Habitat Centre, New Delhi on November 26, 1997. Presented: “The Human Development Report”. Gender Empowerment Measure”.
- Workshop on Trade Related Entrepreneurship Assistance and Development organised by the Ministry of Industry at NIRD, Hyderabad, on July 4, 1997. Presented the Programme Document together with other members of the UN team.
- Presented the joint report prepared by a Group of Women Economists entitled “Enriching Indices with Feminist Perspectives” at a forum organised by the Department of Statistics, Government of India for major data producers and users in the context of creating gender aware data systems at Sardar Patel Bhavan, CSO on July 15, 1997.
- Round table on “Strengthening Women’s participation in governance at the district Level” organised by the Singamma Sreenivasan Foundation at Bangalore on March 25-26, 1998. Presented the join paper prepared by a Group of Women Economists entitled” Gender Audit at the District Level”.
- APPPA seminar on Gender Issues and Administration, organized by IIPA on September 23, 1997. Lead discussant for raising issues based on 7 papers presented by APPPA participants.
- Chairman, Expert Panel on use of Network Analysis for Project Management, Bureau of Indian Standards and Expert panel on Management Information Systems, Bureau of Indian Standards.
- Workshop for Financial Advisors to Ministries, Government of India organised by National Institute of Financial Management at Faridabad, September 12-13, 1997. Paper presented” “Expenditure Management in Government”.
- Rapporteur in session on Financial Management and Financing of Urban Water and Sanitation in National Workshop: Water Resources Management Sector Strategy for Urban Water Supply and Sanitation jointly organised by Ministry of Urban Affairs and Employment, Government of India and World Bank at Vigyan Bhavan, New Delhi on June 9-10, 1997.

1996-1997

- International technical workshop on “Building a framework for measuring gender equity” organized by UNDP Human Development Report Bureau, New York and

KWIRC, Bangalore, May 15-17, 1996. Paper presented “Enriching indices with feminist perspective” (co-authored).

- Workshop on “Planning and Implementation of the rural women’s development and empowerment project”, organized by the World Bank and Myrada, Hosur, July 1996. Paper presented “Support for off-farm enterprises for Women”.
- South East Asian Regional Seminar on ‘Women, Trade and Sustainable Livelihoods’, organized by UNIFEM, New York, at Bangkok, October, 1996, paper presented “Women, Trade and Sustainable Livelihoods in India”.
- Seminar on “Building development indicators at the District Level”, organized by Department of Women and Child, Ministry of Human Resource Development, March 1997. Paper Presented “Recasting Indices at the District Level- A Gender Empowerment Measures”.
- Seminar on “Building a Framework for Measuring Gender Equity”, organized by National Commission for Women”, and British Council, April 1996. Paper presented” Unpaid work, Indicators of Human Development and Collective Action: Some issues”.
- Seminar on “Global Competitiveness”, organized by IIFT-BICP, 19 February, 1997. Paper preselected “Strategic options for competitiveness of the Machine Tool Industry”.
- Seminar on “Cities at Risk”, organized by Ministry of Agriculture and IIPA, at IIPA, New Delhi. Paper presented “Cities at Risk: Some economic issues”.
- National meet on “Banking and Credit Needs of Women” organized by National Commission for Women, Indian International Central, July 1996.
- Workshop on “State Level Human Development Reports”, organized by Government of Madhya Pradesh and UNDP, November 29 to December 1, 1996. Presented “A Critique of the Gender Empowerment Indicator.
- Participated in a panel discussion on the “Fifth Pay Commission”, All India Radio, Current Affairs Programe.
- National conference on “Emerging Trends in Indian Local Government Finances”, organized by National Institute of Rural Development, Hyderabad, October 24-25, 1996. Paper presented “Urban Water Supply Tariffs-Issues in Determination”.
- National Conference on “Emerging Trends in State Local Fiscal Relations in India”, organized by National Institute of Rural Development, Hyderabad, December 18-19, 1996. Paper presented “State Municipal Relations and Financial Control”.

1995-1996

- International Conference on “Contemporary Issues in Accounts and Finance”, organized by Research Development Association, Jaipur, September 16-18, 1995. Paper presented “Liberalization and Infrastructure Financing: BOOT and Private Sector Involvement.
- Workshop on “Trade Related Entrepreneurship Assistance and Development for Women”, organized by Ministry of Industry, Deptt. of SSI and ARI and UNDP,

- Government of India, Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi, February 8, 1996. Paper presented “Trade Related Entrepreneurship Assistance and Development for Women in India”.
- Workshop on “The Human Development Report 1995: The Structural Context for Empowering Women in India”, organized by Friedrich Ebert Stiftung and UNDP, New Delhi, Neemrana, December 12-13, 1995. Paper presented “Liberalization and the Employment of Women”.
 - 15th Annual Conference of “Indian Public Administration Association”, Mysore University, Mysore, August 5-6, 1995. Paper Presented “Urban Financial Management-some issues”.
 - Fourth National workshop on “State Finance Commission’s”, New Delhi. Vigyan Bhawan, November 3-4, 1995.
 - Experts Meeting on “Management of Co-operation and Maintenance of Urban Water Supply”, Organized jointly by CPHEEO, Government India and Hyderabad Metro Water Supply Bard, at Hyderabad during January 18-20, 1996, and Chaired the Panel for drafting of guidelines (for the proposed manual on above subject) on above subject) on “Indian Financial Management” and Community involvement.
 - National seminar on “Water Supply Schemes of Major Cities”, jointly organized by Indian Water Resources, Society and Indian Water Works Association, Indore, February 26-28, 1996. Paper presented “Urban water supply tariffs”.
 - Participated in the panel discussion on “Manage of Water Supply in Major Cities” in Hindi broadcast on All India Road, Indore, February 27, 1996.

1994-1995

- “Asia’s Asian Law Conference on Social Development”, organized by International Jurists Organization, Hyderabad, February 18-19, 1995. Paper presented “Social Development: Elements of an alternative agenda”.
- Workshop on “Economic Policies, Development and Social Justice”, organized by AITUC/ILO, New Delhi, March 22, 1995. Paper presented “Notes on Growth, Structural Adjustment, Food Security and High Tech”. 3rd Annual Conference of the Indian Political Economy Association at Saraiyan (Balua), April 9-11, 1994. Paper presented “Crises, Maladjustment and Sustainability”.
- Regional workshop on “Commodity Exchange”, organized by UNCTAD and Indonesian commodity exchange board, Jakarta, May 17-19, 1994. Paper presented, “Price-Risk Management and Public Policy”.
- Golden Jubilee Seminar on ‘PDS’, organized by National Institute of Cooperative Management and Government of Tamil Nadu and Tamil Nadu Cooperative Union, October 7-8, 1994. Paper Presented “Fifty Years of the PDS”.
- Coordinated the seminar on “Macroeconomic Policy, Sector Strategy and Enterprises Reforms: The case of diammonium phosphate fertilizer”. Organized by IIPA and UNDP, IIPA New Delhi, October 1994. Paper presented: “Macroeconomic Policy, Sector Strategy and Enterprises Reforms: The case of diammonium phosphate fertilizer”.

- South Asian Regional Seminar on “Global Trading Practices and Poverty alleviation in South Asia: A Gender Perspective,” organized by UNIFEM and UNDP, New Delhi, January 30 to February 1, 1995. Paper presented “Global Trading Practices and Poverty alleviation in South Asia: A Gender Perspective”.
- National Seminar of “Globalization and Women”, organized by Punjab University, Chandigarh, March 9 to 11. Paper presented “Globalization and Women”.

1992-1993

- National Seminar on “New Economic Policy and its impacts on Orissa”, organized by Asian Welfare Institute, Rourkela, on January 1, 1993. Paper presented “Orissa as ‘Somalia’ at 2000 AD under the New Economic Policy”.
- Second Annual Conference of Indian Political Economy Association at Warangal, on January 10-11, 1993. Paper presented “Communication and Fascism in Indian Politics”.
- International Conference on Accounting Issues, organized by Research Development Association at Jaipur on September 12-14, 1992. Paper presented: “Fixed Assets Revaluation: Approaches and Practices-Revisited”.
- National Seminar on Irrigation Water Management organized by Water Management Forum the Institution of Engineers (India) the Louisiana State University, USA and Indian Association of Hydrologists, July 31, August 1, 1992. Paper on “Legal, Procedural and Institutional Aspects of Water Management”.
- National Seminar on New Industrial Policy: Thrust and Challenges at GN Khalsa College, Karnal, paper on “Financial Sector Scam”.
- National workshop on Rural Industries, 26th and 27th Nov. 1992. Jointly by IIPA and Ministry of Industries, GOI, Seminar Co-coordinator papers on:
 - Some preliminary questions relating to rural industries.
 - Reflections on policies for rural industrialization in India.
- Second Annual Conference of the Indian Political Economy Association hosted by Kaktiya University, Warangal, 8-10, Jan. 1993, paper on “Impact of Black Economy, Informal Sector and the State sector on India’s mode of Production”.
- International Convention on Peoples Approach to GATT Negotiations organized by National Working Group on Patent Laws. Paper presented on “Notes on Trade in Services: Full Reciprocity and Selective Delinking”, 19 Feb. 1993.
- International Jurists Organization (Asia) Seminar on Environment and Development in Developing Countries, paper on “A short note on Environment and Development: Indian Dilemas”, March 20-21, 1993.

G.K. Misra

- 14th Congress of National Geographers of India, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur at Jaipur on 24-29 Dec. 1992. Paper presented: “Sustainable Urban Development”.
- National Workshop on Social Development, Technology and Empowerment of women, organized by IIT Kanpur and IIT Delhi at Kanpur on April 24-25, 1992.

Paper presented: Keynote paper on “Some Implication of Appropriate Technology Mix for the Development of Rural Women”.

- Special invited seminar organized by Central Department of Economics, Tribhuwan University, Kathmandu, Nepal at Kathmandu, Nepal, on June 22, 1992. Paper presented “Rural Development: Issues and Options”.
- IIPA Seminar organized by Centre for Rural Studies, IIPA at New Delhi on 14 August, 1992. Paper presented “Rural Development Strategies in Developing Economies-Lessons for India.
- National Seminar on Strategy for better performance during eight five year plan of Bihar organized by Council for Research and Development of Bihar, at New Delhi on Sept. 19, 1992. Paper presented “Theme paper on strategy for better performance during eight five year plan of Bihar.
- National Workshop on Rural Industrialization organized by IIPA at New Delhi. On 26-27 Nov. 1992. Paper presented “Proposal for a Khadi and Village Industries Bank.

1991-1992

- Seminar on Youth in Indian Society, organized by Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, May 1-2, 1991. Paper presented “Employment Generation through Environmental Development”.
- Seminar on Integrated Approach to Rural and Urban Employment Planning, organized by IAMR, New Delhi, February 21-22, 1992. Paper presented “Employment Policy and Programme in India”.
- Special invited seminar, organized by Marga Institute: Sri Lanka Centre for Development Studies, Colombo, Sri Lanka, May 24, 1991, Paper presented “Planning for Poverty Alleviation”.
- Special invited seminar organized by Department of Anthropology, Memorial University of Newfoundland, St. John’s Canada, October 3, 1991, presented “India’s Tribal Peoples” An Examination of Development Strategies”.
- Special Invited seminar organized by Institute of Policy Analyses and Department of Economics, University of Toronto, Toronto Canada on October 8, 1991, paper presented “Price Response in Indian Agriculture: The Role of India’s Agricultural Price Commission”.
- Special Invited Seminar organized by Department of Economics, Montclair State College, at Upper Montclair, New Jersey, USA on October 21, 1991. Paper presented “Economic Growth Rate vs. Content: The Indian Case”.
- Special Invited Seminar organized by Rensselaer Institute at New Delhi on February 1-2 1992, Paper presented “New Economic Policy: How much effective and useful”.
- Annual Conference organized by National Association of Geographers of India (NAGI) at Rajkot December 27-29, 1990. Paper presented: “Role of Voluntary Organization in Urban Development”.

1990-1991

- Inaugural conference of the Indian Management Congress, paper presented “Emerging Trends in Capital Markets Relevance for Public Sector Enterprises”-at Koushali Institute of Management, Karnataka University, Dharwar, June 7-9, 1990.
- “The changing face of Public Management”- organized by Strathlyde Business School, Glasgow, U.K. and British Council, at New Delhi, September 6-7, 1990. Presented a paper on “Privatization, vs. Liberalization-Strategic Options for Less Developed Countries”.
- National Seminar on Emerging Trends in the Capital Markets in India: January 10-11, 1991, Seminar Coordinator at IIPA, New Delhi. Also presented the paper-“Investor Protection”.
- “Efficiency Audit”- paper presented in the International Accounting Conference on “Developments in Accounting and Auditing” held at Calcutta, sponsored by the Indian Accounting Research Foundation, January 23-25, 1991.
- National conference on “Institutional Finance for Rural Development”, Indian Financial Management Association, New Delhi, Indian International Centre, 7th Feb. 1991. Paper presented, “Rural Banking and Service Area Approach.”

1989-1990

- Seminar on Medium Term Development Plan for Bangalore, organized by Asian Institute of Urban Development at Bangalore, August 29-30, 1989, paper presented ‘Implementation of Urban Development Plans-Issues for Reforms’.

1988-1989

- “Workshop on Small Scale Watershed Development”, organized by Society For Watershed Development at Suraj Kund, October 29-31, 1988 paper presented on “Background paper on Small Scale Watershed Management”.
- Lectures on Financial Management, New Delhi, IIPA, 1989.

1987-1988

- Seminar on Computer based project appraisal organized by Food and Agricultural Organization (FAO), Rome, October 19-23, 1987. Paper presented: Distributive weights in agricultural projects.

1986-1987

- National Symposium on Urban Land Policy and Finance organized by Union Ministry of Urban Development HUDCO and Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, February 16-17, 1987. Paper presented: Urban Land Management: A Case Study of Delhi.
- National Seminar on Development Programmes for the urban poor organized by centre for Urban Studies, IIPA, New Delhi, February 2-3 1987. Paper presented: Financing services for the Urban Poor.

- Regional seminar on Financing Housing and Infra-structure for Urban Slum Dwellers organized by Institute for social and economic change, Bangalore, June 23-24, 1986. Paper presented: Housing Programme for urban poor-some issues
- Seminar on Human Resource Development and Social change organized by Indian society for Training and Development Police Research and Development, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi.

1985-1986

- Seminar on Multiplicity of authorities in Delhi: Its impact on citizen's life of planned development organized by Delhi Administration, Ashoka Hotel, New Delhi, February 17-18, 1986. Paper presented: Multiple Action Agency: coordination of Delhi's Development.
- Coordinated the National Workshop on Housing Finance at Indian Institute of Public Administration, New Delhi, and March 4-5, 1986. Paper presented: Housing Finance-Some Key issues (Theme paper)
- Participated in workshop on Urban Finance organized by National Institute of Public Finance and Policy, New Delhi, May 6-8, 1985. Prepared and presented the discussant's note for the technical session on Financing Urban Services Tax vs. charge.
- Participated in Xth Annual Conference of the Indian Public Administration Association organized at Andhra University, Welfare from November 29-December 1, 1985. Paper presented: Financing Urban Services-Municipal Government vs. specialist agency. Also acted as Rapporteur for the panel on Charter for Local self-government and presented the panel report in the plenary session.
- Participated in workshop on "Some Issues- Delhi 2001" organized by DDA at the Vigyan Bhavan, January 28-29.
- Seminar on 2001, Training for Transformation- Tasks Ahead, organized by Indian Society for Training and Development, Trivandrum, January 16-18, 1986. Paper presented successful project management-Need for personnel Training.

1984-1985

- National Seminar on Financing of Financing Urban Development in India organized by CUS IIPA, February 4-5, 1985. Theme paper presented: Financing Urban Development in Delhi 2001 A.D.
- Regional seminar on Institutional Finance for Rural Development, organized by IIPA, New Delhi April 27-28, 1984. Paper presented: Review on Institutional credit to activities allied to agriculture under IRDP.
- National seminar on Financing Urban Development in India organized by IIPA, New Delhi, Feb. 4-5, 1985. Papers presented-(i) Financing Urban Development in India-some critical views. (ii) Financing urban development in Delhi, 2001 A.D.
- Workshop on land prices organized by the National Institute of Public Finance and Policy, New Delhi, March 19, 1985.

- Represented IIPA on the Seventh Plan working group on housing, Ministry of works and housing, government of India. In that connection participated, in two workshops, in the Ministry held on July 21, and October 5, 1984.
- Karl Marx and the analysis of society, organized by social scientist, Oct. 6-8, 1983, New Delhi paper presented.” Public works in pre-colonial and colonial India”.
- “Marxist studies on India”, organized by Indian Institute for Regional Development Studies, Kottayam, Kerala.
- Marx Centenary Seminar, organized by University of Delhi; paper presented “Relevance of the concept of the Asiatic Mode of Production to Indian Society.
- Chaired the session in the conference on “Bank Nationalization and After” organized by RBI & Daulat Ram College.
- Indo-French seminar on “Multi-level planning” organized by planning commission and French team of planners, March 28-30, 1984, New Delhi; paper presented” Decentralized planning and peoples participation”.
- Indian polity, IIPA, New Delhi; paper presented; aspects official federalism in India.
- Human Resource Development organized by Indian Society for Training and Development, New Delhi. January 21-23, 1985. Paper presented: Human Resource Development through training-past, present and future refinements.

1983-84

- Costing for Management decisions, Management in government, New Delhi, (July-December, 1983).
- Top level training seminar on Management of Economic Development: New Horizons, IIPA in collaboration with Department of personnel and administrative reforms] New Delhi, April 11-14, 1993. Participation was by way of being Rapporteur.
- Conference on commercial banks and seminar on repayment of institutional agricultural credit, New Delhi, 4-5 February, 1984.
- Rational approach to time and resource planning, project management association, New Delhi, November, 1983.
- Need for data bank in network based project management in India, project management association, New Delhi, November, 1983.
- Attended the annual convention of the Indian society for training and development at Bangalore, 17-19, November, 1983
- Attended the international symposium of project management organized by the project management association.

1982-1983

- National Seminar on District Administration, IIPA New Delhi, Jan. 21-23, 1983. Rapporteur for the sessions on 1) ‘District administration and local democracy’ and (ii)

‘Planning: formation and implementation of Development Programmes at the District and Block Levels.’

- ‘Project Management: Organization, Systems and Procedures’, Organized by Project Management Association, New Delhi, 9-10 April 1982. Papers presented on “The Needed Systems Approach for Implementation Planning for Public Sector Projects”, and on “Construction Management Training”.

1981-82

- National Seminar on ‘Social Science Research and the Problem of Poverty,’ Indian Association of Social Sciences Institution, New Delhi, January 12-15, 1981.
- Organized 3 seminars on ‘Sixth Plan and Kerala’ in Trivandrum, Kottayam and Calicut.
- 3 Seminars on ‘Central Policies, Affecting Development of Trivandrum, Ernakulum and Kozhikode’.
- Seminar on ‘Corporate Survival and Growth: A Managerial Challenge, Management’ Science Association, Faculty of Management Studies, University of Delhi, January 19-20, 1982.
- Seminar on ‘Rural Project Formation’, ‘People’s Association for Development, April 3-4, 1981.
- Seminar on “Central Budget for 1982-83”, Management Development Institute, New Delhi, March 6, 1982.
- Attended 19th Indian Standards Convention, Indian Standards Institute, New Delhi, Madras, January 17, 1982.
- Attended U.N. Centre for Regional Development, Nagoya, Japan, and July 21-27, 1981. Presented a paper on ‘Local Resource Management for Decentralized Development’.
- Seminar on ‘Sixth Five Year Plan and Kerala’s Development’-1981- presented a paper on ‘Constraints on State Plans and Kerala’s Development-1981’.

1980-1981

- Seminar on ‘Future of New Delhi’ organized by D.D.A., School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi and the British Council, April 10-12, 1980. Contributed a paper ‘Employment and Function of New Delhi: A Model of Growth Structure’
- Seminar on ‘Housing Programme in Delhi’ organized by the common cause, March 28, 1981.