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Education

PhD in Social Anthropology, University of Sydney, 1994.

Areas of Research

1. Urbanism, Urban Cultures and Technologies of Planning.
2. Young people, new forms of work and youth cultures.
3. Gender and Globalisation.
4. Social theory.

Current Projects

1. (2018-2022) Religion and Urbanity: Processes of Formation funded by DFG, the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (German Research Foundation). In collaboration with Professor Martin Fuchs, Professor Jörg Rupke and Professor Sussane Rau (University of Erfurt, Germany). Funded by the German Ministry of Education, (BMBF).
2. (2018-2020) Learning from Small Cities: Governing Imagined Futures and the Dynamic of Change in India's 'Smart' Urban Age. Funded by the Economic and Social Research Council (UK) and the Indian Council for Social Science Research (India). In collaboration with Dr. Ayona Datta (King's College London), Birkbeck College and the University of Birmingham.
3. (2018-2019) Satellite Mapping, Big Data and the Sociology of Space at the Margins of the Indian City. Funded by the British Academy.
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Key Publications

Books

1. 1998 *Constructing Post-colonial India: National Character and the Doon School*. Routledge.
2. 2001 (co-author) *Asia: Cultural Politics in the Global Age*. Allen and Unwin and Palgrave.
3. 2004 (contributing editor) *Sexual Sites, Seminal Attitudes: Sexualities, Masculinities and Culture in South Asia*. Sage.
4. 2007 *Passionate Modernity. Sexuality, Class and Consumption in India*. Routledge.
5. 2013 (contributing editor) *Sexuality Studies*. Oxford University Press.
6. 2015 *Entangled Urbanism: Slum, Gated Community and Shopping Mall in Delhi and Gurgaon*. Oxford University Press.
7. (2019, co-editor) *Critical Theme in Indian Sociology*. Sage.
8. (Forthcoming 2019, co-editor) *Histories of Desire: Sexualities and Culture in Modern India*. Cambridge University Press.
9. Under preparation: *Real and Imagined Cities: Urban Life and Technologies of Planning*.

Guest Editorship

1. (1996) Guest Editor of special issue of *The Australian Journal of Anthropology*: ‘The National Artifice’, 7:2.
2. (2001) Guest Editor of special issue of *South Asia, Journal of the South Asian Studies Association of Australia*: ‘Sexual Sites, Seminal Attitudes’, Volume XXIV.

Book Chapters

1. (Forthcoming 2019) ‘Urban Spatial Politics: Sociality, “Corruption” and Ideas of Community in Delhi and Gurgaon’, in Sanjoy Chakravorty (ed.) *Colossus—The Anatomy of India’s National Capital Region*. Temple University Press.
2. (Forthcoming 2019) ‘Technotopias, Consumer Cultures and the Gendered City’, in Laila Abu-Er-Rub, Christiane Brosius and Jeroen de Kloet (eds.) *Being Single in Urban Asia: Spaces and Mobilities, Spaces and Precarities*. Heidelberg University Press.
3. (Forthcoming 2019) ‘The Class Divide’, in Niraja Jayal Gopal (ed.) *The Politics of Change*. Penguin India.
4. (Forthcoming 2019) ‘Masculinity, Sexuality and Culture: Entangled Narratives’, in Anu Aneja (ed.) *Women’s and Gender Studies in India*. Routledge.
5. (2018) ‘Masculinity Studies and Feminism: Other the Self, Engaging Theory’, in Romit Chowdhury and Zaid Al-Baset (eds.), *Men and Feminism in India*. Routledge.
6. (2018) ‘New Urbanism, Post-nationalism and Consumer Culture in India’, in Olga Kravets, Pauline Maclaran, Steven Miles and Alladi Venkatesh (eds.), *The Sage Handbook of Consumer Culture*. Sage.
7. (2017) ‘Divine Markets: Post-nationalism, Religion and Moral Consumption in India’, in Filippo Osella and Daromir Rudnycky (eds.), *Religion and the Morality of Markets*. Cambridge University Press.
8. (2017) ‘Gated Spaces, Commodity Cultures and the Politics of Gender’, in Manjeet Bhatia (ed.) *Locating Gender in the New Middle-Class in India*. Sage.
9. (2015) ‘Schooling, Culture and Modernity’, in Meenakshi Thapan (ed.), *Oxford University Press Reader on the Sociology of Education*. Oxford University Press.
10. (2014) ‘Urban spaces, Post-nationalism and the Making of the Consumer-Citizen in India’, in Partha Chatterjee, Tapati Guha Thakurta and Bodhisattava Kar (eds.), *New Cultural Histories of India*. Oxford University Press.
11. (2014) ‘Shop Talk: Malls and their Publics’, in Nita Mathur (ed.), *Consumer Cultures, Modernity and Identity*. Sage.
12. (2013) ‘“Sane Sex”, the Five-Year Plan Hero, and Men on Footpaths and in Gated Communities: On the Cultures of Twentieth-Century Masculinities in India’, in Rohit Dasgupta and Moti Gokulsing (eds.), *Masculinity and its Challenges in India. Essays on Changing Perceptions*. McFarland Publishers, Jefferson, NC.
13. (2013) ‘Introduction’, in Sanjay Srivastava (ed.), *Sexuality Studies*. Oxford University Press.
14. (2013) ‘Neighbourhood, City, Gated Community: the Spatial Cultures of Indian Pornography’, in Sanjay Srivastava (ed.), *Sexuality Studies*. Oxford University Press.
15. (2012) ‘Masculinity and its Role in Gender Based Violence in Public Places’, in Sarah Pilot and Lora Prabhu (eds.), *Fear that Stalks: Gender Based Violence in Public Spaces*. Zubaan Books, Delhi.
16. (2012) ‘National Identity, Kitchens and Bedrooms: Gated Communities and New Narratives of Space in India’, in Mark Liechty, Carla Freeman and Rachel Heiman (eds.), *The Global Middle Classes: Theorizing through Ethnography*. School of Advanced Research Press, Santa Fe.

17. (2011) 'Consumerism and Urban Spaces: Citizens, the State and Disney-Divinity in Delhi', in Amita Baviskar and Raka Ray (eds.), *Elite and Everyman. The Cultural Politics of the Indian Middle Classes*. Routledge.
18. (2006) 'The Voice of the Nation and the Five-Year Plan Hero: Speculations on Gender, Space, and Popular Culture', in Vinay Lal and Ashis Nandy (eds.), *Fingerprinting Popular Culture. The Mythic and the Iconic in Indian Cinema*. Oxford University Press.
19. (2004) 'Introduction: Semen, History, Desire, and Theory', in S. Srivastava (ed.), *Sexual Sites, Seminal Attitudes: Sexualities, Masculinities and Culture in South Asia*. Sage.
20. (2004) 'Non-Gandhian Sexuality, Commodity Cultures and a 'Happy Married Life: Masculine and Sexual Cultures in the Metropolis'', in S. Srivastava (ed.), *Sexual Sites, Seminal Attitudes: Sexualities, Masculinities and Culture in South Asia*. Sage.
21. (2004) 'The Masculinity of Dis-Location: Commodities, the Metropolis, and the Sex-Clinics of Delhi and Mumbai', in Radhika Chopra, Caroline Osella, and Filippo Osella (eds.), *South Asian Masculinities: Change and Continuity*. Kali for Women, New Delhi.
22. (2003) 'Schooling, Culture and Modernity', in Veena Das (ed.), *The Oxford India Companion to Sociology and Social Anthropology*. Oxford University Press.

Journal Articles

1. (Forthcoming, co-authored with Ben Crow) 'Entangled Urbanization: Theorisations from Policy, Action and Research in Four Cities across Three Continents', *Urban Studies*.
2. (2018) 'On the Merits of Recognising the Near-impossibility of Dialogue', *Dialogues in Human Geography*, Vol 8(2): 132-137.
3. (2016) 'Natives, Subjects, Consumers: Postcolonial Masculinities: Masculinities and Change: Notes on Continuities and Transformations in Indian Masculine Cultures', *Masculinities & Social Change* (in English and Portuguese), 5 (1): 1–27.
4. (2015) 'Masculinity Studies and Feminism. Othering the Self.' Special issue on 'Men doing Feminist Research', edited by Romit Chowdhury and Zaid Al-Baset, *Economic and Political Weekly*, Volume L, Number 20: 33–36.
5. (2015) 'Modi-masculinity: Media, Manhood and 'Traditions' in a Time of Consumerism', *Television and New Media*, Volume 16, Number 4: 331–338.
6. (2013) 'Thrilling Affects: Sexuality, Masculinity, the City and "Indian Traditions" in the Contemporary Hindi "Detective" Novel', special issue of *Interventions. Journal of Post-Colonial Studies*, Volume 15, Issue 4: 567–585.
7. (2012) 'Duplicity, Intimacy, Community: Of Identity Cards, Permits and Other Fake Documents in Delhi', *Thesis Eleven. Critical Theory and Historical Sociology*, Volume 113, issue 1: 1–16.
8. (2011) 'A Hijra, a Female Pradhan and a Real Estate Dealer: Between the Market, the State and 'Community'', *Economic and Political Weekly*, Volume XLVI, (51): 44–52.
9. (2010) 'Fragmentary Pleasures: Masculinity, Urban Spaces and Commodity Politics in Delhi', *Journal of Royal Anthropological Institute* (N.S.), 16: 835–852.
10. (2010) "'Revolution Forever": Consumerism and Object Lessons for the Urban Poor', *Contributions to Indian Sociology*, 44 (1 & 2): 103–28.
11. (2009) 'Urban Spaces, and Moral middle classes in Delhi', *Economic and Political Weekly*, Volume XLIV (26): 338–345.
12. (2005) 'Ghummakkads', a Woman's Place, and the LTCwalas: Towards a Critical History of 'Home', 'Belonging' and 'Attachment', *Contributions to Indian Sociology*, 39 (3): 375–405.
13. (2004) 'Voice, Gender and Space in the Time of the Five Year Plans; the Idea of Lata Mangeshkar', *Economic and Political Weekly*, Volume XXXIX, Number 20: 2019–2028.

14. (2001) 'Non-Gandhian Sexuality, Commodity Cultures and a "Happy Married Life": the Cultures of Masculinity and Heterosexuality in India', *South Asia. Journal of the South Asian Studies Association of Australia*, Volume XXIV: 225–249.
15. (2001) 'Introduction: the "Sex-Question" in South Asia', *South Asia. Journal of the South Asian Studies Association of Australia*, Volume XXIV: 1–24.
16. (2001) 'Imagining a Social Landscape: Doon School Chronicles', *Visual Anthropology Review*, Volume 16 Number1, Spring/Summer: 18–22.
17. (1998) 'Post-Coloniality, National Identity, Globalisation and the Simulacra of the Real', *Social Semiotics*, 8 (23):255–281.
18. (1996) Editors introduction (special issue), *The Australian Journal of Anthropology*, 7 (2): 91-103.
19. (1996) "Post-Coloniality, National Identity, Globalisation and the Simulacra of the Real", *The Australian Journal of Anthropology* (special issue), 7:2: 166–191.
20. (1996) "Modernity and Post-Coloniality: The Metropolis as Metaphor" *Economic and Political Weekly*, Volume XXXI, Number 7: 403–412.
21. (1996) "The Garden of Rational Delights: The Nation as Experiment, Science, as Masculinity", *Social Analysis*, Number 39: 119-148.
22. (1995) 'Instituting Malaysia'. Review article of Kahn, J.S. and Loh Kok Wah, F. (eds.) 1992. *Fragmented Vision: Culture and Politics in Contemporary Malaysia*, *Oceania*, 66(1): 62-69.
23. (1993) 'The Order of Men: the Nation and the Metropolitan Imaginary at an Indian Public School', *The Australian Journal of Anthropology*, 4(3): 163–183.
24. (1993) 'The Management of Water: "Modernity, Technocracy and the Citizen at the Doon School', *South Asia Journal of the South Asian Studies Association of Australia*, Volume XVI, Number2: 57–88.

Other Publications

1. (2017) 'Post-national Urbanism: "Ordinary" People, Capital and the State"', *India International Centre Quarterly*, special issue on 'Urbanisation and the Growth of Cities', in Sujata Patel (ed.), *India International Centre Quarterly*, Spring issue.
2. (2016) 'Aesthetics of Walls and Footpaths', *Drishyam Art Journal*. November issue.
3. (2015) 'Politics, Privilege and Post-national Urbanism', in, Surinder Jodhka and Divya Vaid (eds.), *Seminar 672* (August), special issue on 'Exclusion. Discrimination, Disparity. A Symposium on Emerging Patterns of Inequality'.
4. (2014) 'Waking in the City', *Economic and Political Weekly*, Volume XLIX, Number 14, October 18.
5. (2014) 'In Defence of Doordarshan', *Economic and Political Weekly*, Volume XLIX, Number 37, September 13.
6. (2013) 'Sexuality and Culture in India: Sociological Approaches', Occasional Paper, Department of Sociology, Pune University.
7. (2012) 'The Community Life of Fake Documents', Occasional Paper, Department of Political Science, Pune University.
8. (2010) 'Masculinities, Violence and Public Space', Background paper for the Centre of Equity and Inclusion, Delhi.
9. (2009) 'Gender Histories and Norms in the Asia Pacific'. Technical Background Paper for the UNDP Human Development Report, 2010. 32,000 words. Published by the UNDP.
10. (2007) 'Indian Masculinities', in M. Flood, J.K. Gardiner, B. Pease, and K. Pringle (eds.), *International Encyclopaedia of Men and Masculinities*, Volume I. London: Routledge.

11. (2007) 'Semen Anxiety', in M. Flood, J.K. Gardiner, B. Pease, and K. Pringle (eds.), *International Encyclopaedia of Men and Masculinities* ' Volume I. London: Routledge.
12. (2005) 'Thinking about, but Beyond "Lata Mangeshkar"', *Economic and Political Weekly*, Volume XL, Number 28: 3094–3096.
13. (2003) Review essay of Partha Chatterjee & Pradeep Jeganathan (eds.) 2001 *Subaltern Studies XI. Community, Gender and Violence*. Hurst and Company, London. In *Asian Journal of Social Science*, Volume 31, Number 1.
14. (1999) 'Masculinity, Sexuality and Culture in India'. *IIS Newsletter*, University of Leiden, the Netherlands, Number17.
15. (1996) 'Exploring Universalising Discourses'. *Media and Culture Review*, June issue. Australian Key Centre for Cultural and Media Policy, Griffith University.

Book Reviews

1. (2018) Singdha Poonam 2017 *Dreamers. How Young Indians are Changing their World*. Penguin/Random House. *Biblio*.
2. (2015) Jocelyn Lim Chua 2014 *In Pursuit of the Good Life: Aspiration and Suicide in Globalizing South India*. University of California Press. In *American Anthropologist*, Volume 117.
3. (2014) Anna Morcom 2013 *Courtesans, Bar Girls and Dancing Boys. The Illicit Worlds of Indian Dance*. Hurst and Company. In *India International Centre Quarterly*.
4. (2012) Anjali Gera Roy and Chua Beng Huat (eds.) 2011 *Travels of Bollywood Cinema. From Bombay to LA*. Routledge. In *India International Centre Quarterly*.
5. (2008) Patricia Uberoi 2006 *Freedom and Destiny. Gender, Family and Popular Culture in India*. Oxford University Press. In *Contributions to Indian Sociology*, 41(3).
6. (2006) Gregory D. Booth 2005 *Brass Baja. Stories from the World of Indian Wedding Bands*. Oxford University Press. In *Contributions to Indian Sociology*. 40 (2).
7. (2003) Lionel Caplan 2001 *Colonialism's Children. Anglo-Indians in a Postcolonial World*. Hurst and Company. In *The Australian Journal of Anthropology* 14:2.
8. (2002) Joseph Alter 2001 *Gandhi's Body. Sex, Diet, and the Politics of Nationalism*. University of Pennsylvania Press. In *South Asia* (New Series) Volume XXV, Number 2.
9. (1999) Mrinalini Sinha 1997 *Colonial Masculinity*, Kali. In *Contributions to Indian Sociology* (New Series) 33 (3).
10. (1999) Michael M. Messner 1997 *Politics of Masculinities: Men in Movements*. Sage. In *Contributions to Indian Sociology* (New Series.) 33 (3).
11. (1997) R. Fardon (ed.) 1995 *Counterworks. Managing the Diversity of Knowledge*. Routledge. In *Social Semiotics* Volume 7/1.
12. (1996) T.K. Oomen 1995 *Alien Concepts and South Asian Reality: Responses and Reformulations*. Sage. In *South Asia* (New Series) Volume XIX, Number 1.

Creative Works (Films and Recordings)

1. (2019) 'Wada Na Tod- Lata Mangeshkar' for the BBC World Service series '**How the World Changed Music**'.
2. (2015) '**Sanjay Srivastava discusses his article published by Taylor and Francis**', Short film made at the invitation of *Interventions. Journal of Post-Colonial Studies*. Available through Taylor and Francis website. Also available through Vimeo.

3. (2006) Ethnographic film: **Kotla Walks: Performing Locality**. Funded by the Japan Foundation. Distributed by Ronin Films (Canberra) and Berkeley Media (Berkeley).
4. (2000) Collaboration with film maker David Macdougall on the ethnographic film **Doon School Chronicles**. Distributed by Ronin Films (Australia) and Berkeley Media (US).

Grants and Awards

1. (2018-20) Learning from Small Cities: Governing Imagined Futures and the Dynamics of Change in India's 'Smart' Urban Age. Funded by the Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC, UK) and the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR, India) under the Newton Grant Scheme. In collaboration with Dr. Ayona Datta, King's College, London, Dr. Melissa Butcher, Birkbeck College, London and Dr. Sophie Hadfield-Hill, University of Birmingham.
2. (2018-19) Satellite Mapping, Big Data and the Sociology of Space at the Margins of the Indian City. Funded by the British Academy.
3. (2018-22) Religion and Urbanity: Processes of Formation. Funded by the German Ministry of Education (BMBF). In collaboration with Professor Martin Fuchs, Professor Jorg Rupke and Professor Sussane Rau (university of Erfurt, German).
4. (Under review by the Volkswagen Foundation) 'Technology, Big Data and the right scale to fight social inequality'. In collaboration with Professor Gita Patel (University of Virginia), Dr. Tanweer Fazal (Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi), Dr. Ritajyoti Bandyopadhyay (Indian Institute for Science Education and Research, Chandigarh) and Dr. Mario Verdicchio (University of Bergamo, Italy).
5. (Under review by ESRC, UK) 'Gendered Violence and Urban Transformations in India and South Africa'. In collaboration with Dr. Manali Desai, Cambridge University, Dr. Nandini Gooptu (Oxford University), Professor Kammila Naidoo (University of Johannesburg) and Dr. Lyn Ossome (Makerere University, Uganda).

Other Grants and Collaborations

1. (2011) International Planned Parenthood Federation (IPPF): Contracted to write a research report on the utilisation of social science frameworks within programmes of sexual and reproductive health.
2. (2009) UNDP: Contracted to write the Technical Background Paper for the 2010 UNDP Asia-Pacific Human Development Report. Paper title: 'Gender Identities, Histories and Norms in the Asia-Pacific'.
3. (2008-2011) UNDP and UNIFEM (now UN Women): Funding for an annual fellowship scheme for NGO workers, activists and university lecturers under the aegis of South Asian Network to address Masculinities (SANAM). Fellowship includes a research and thesis component built around academic work on social change, violence, the state, globalization, feminist methodologies, media studies, and cultural history.

Membership of Bodies, Associations, and Editorial Boards

1. Member of the Editorial Board, *Urban Geography*.
2. Member of the Editorial Board, *South Asia. Journal of the South Asian Studies Association of Australia*.
3. Member of the Editorial Board of the monograph series 'Exploring Urban Change in South Asia', Springer.
4. Member, Editorial Board, Routledge International Encyclopaedia of Men and Masculinities.
5. Member, Editorial Committee, *Culture, Society and Masculinities*.
6. Member of the Editorial Board, *Identities: Global Studies in Culture and Power*.
7. Co-editor, *Contributions to Indian Sociology* (2012-2016).
8. Assistant Editor, *South Asia. Journal of the South Asian Studies Association of Australia* (2004-2009).
9. Member, Advisory Board, *Journal of Inter-Cultural Studies*.

Manuscript Reviewer for Academic Publishers and Journals

1. Publishers: Oxford University Press, Cambridge University Press, Sage, Routledge, Orient Blackswan, Springer.
2. Journals: The Australian Journal of Anthropology; South Asia. Journal of the Asian Studies Association of Australia; Cultural Anthropology; American Anthropologist; Masculinity, Culture and Society; Contributions to Indian Sociology; Economic and Political Weekly; Social Analysis; HAU: Journal of Ethnographic Theory, Urban Studies

Academic Positions

1. India-based Director, M.S. Merian-R. Tagore International Centre of Advanced Studies in the Humanities and Social Sciences (ICAS), Delhi (2015-2018).
2. Head of Unit, Social Change and Social Structure, Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi University Enclave.
3. Member, Board of Studies, School of Arts and Aesthetics, Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi.
4. External Member, School Board of the School of Gender and Development Studies, Indira Gandhi National Open University, Delhi.
5. External member, School Board of the School of Gender and Development Studies, Indira Gandhi National Open University.
6. Advisor, research project on 'Dynamics of Poverty, Inequality and Violence in Indian Cities: Towards Inclusive Planning and Policies', CEPT University, Ahmedabad and Institute for Human Development, Delhi. Funded by IDRC, Canada.
7. Member, Indian University Grants Commission Task Force to Review Measures for Ensuring Safety of Women on Campuses and Programs for Gender Sensitization.
8. Member of Curriculum Design Committee, MA in Gender Studies, Ambedkar University, Delhi.
9. Member of Curriculum Design Committee, MA in Gender Studies, Indira Gandhi National Open University, Delhi
10. Advisor, New Delhi Municipal Corporation (NDMC) project on 'Countering Gender Stereotypes in Schools'.

11. Advisor, 'AIDS and Stigma' project, funded by the Ford Foundation, a study carried out in six different countries across Asia. Coordinated through the School of Public Health, Brunel University, London (2006-2008)
12. Member, Selection Committee, South Asia Fellowship Programme of the Social Sciences Research Council (SSRC), 2005-2007.
13. Conceptualisation, research, interviews, and co-production for ethnographic film funded by the Japan Foundation: 'Kotla Walks: Performing Locality'.
14. Member, Organising Committee of the third conference of the International Association of the Study of Sex, Culture and Society, Melbourne, October 1-3, 2001.

Selected Fellowships

1. 2018: British Academy Professorial Fellowship, Department of Geography, School of Global Affairs, King's College, London.
2. 2016: Visiting Professor and Scholar-in-Residence, Centre for South Asia, Stanford University.
3. 2014: Visiting Professor, Institute for Developing Economies, Tokyo, November-December.
4. 2013: Visiting Teaching Professor, University of Goettingen, Goettingen, Germany, January-September.
5. 2012-2013: Future Fellow, Australian National University, Canberra.

Doctoral Supervision

1. Lisa Caviglia: 'Sexuality and Culture in Nepal' (University of Heidelberg, Germany; completed).
2. Thomas Ross Chambers: 'The Woodworkers of Saharanpur, Western Uttar Pradesh, India' (University of Sussex, co-supervisor; completed).
3. Rosslyn Mathews: 'Krishan Baldev Vaid and the Postcolonial Predicament of Hindi Literature' (Australian National University; completed).
4. Darren Elder: 'Australian News media and the Israel-Palestine-Lebanon Conflict' (Deakin University; completed).
5. Gary Whelan: 'Business, Society, and the Progress of Reason' (Deakin University; completed).
6. Saranond Inthanond: 'Critical Discourse Analysis of the West and the Representation of South-East Asians in Hollywood Films' (Deakin University; completed).
7. Puva Arumugam: 'The Socio-Politics of Cultural Identity and Minority Theatre in Multicultural Singapore' (Deakin University; completed).
8. Shelley Cowden: 'Transnational Yoga and Australian Identity' (Deakin University, Australia; completed).
9. Kerry Zuberinich: 'Cosmology and Colonisation: History and Culture of the Asmat of Irian Jaya' (Charles Sturt University, Bathurst; completed).
10. Lesley Branagan: 'Health and Illness among the Urban Poor in Delhi' (University of Leipzig, Germany and Macquarie University, Australia, co-supervisor; completed).
11. Shoshana Goldstein: 'Social Change and Urban Planning in Gurgaon' (Cornell University, co-supervisor; in progress).
12. Lucie Bernroider: 'Urban Spaces and the New Asian Woman' (University of Heidelberg, co-supervisor; in progress).

13. Subhashim Goswami: 'The Making of Ethnographic Objects. (Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, Delhi University; completed).
14. Keya Bardalai: 'Borderland Identities in Delhi: Northeast Women Workers in the Service Economy' (National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bangalore, co-supervisor; in progress).
15. Kolika Mitra: 'Sexualities and Social Change in Small-town India (Jawaharlal Nehru University; in progress).
16. Sebanti Chatterji: 'Notes on Identity: Western Classical Music in Goa and Shillong' (Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, Delhi University, co-supervisor; in progress).
17. Romit Chowdhury: 'The Spaces of Everyman: Masculinities and the Contemporary City' (National University of Singapore, co-supervisor; completed).
18. Soibam Haripriya: 'Sacred Space: Power, Contestation and Rituals of Remembrance' (Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, Delhi University, co-supervisor; in progress).

Keynote Addresses

1. 2019: 'Fashioning Selves: Culture and Class in India', Special Centenary Lecture, Department of Sociology, Mumbai University, 14 February.
2. 2019: 'The Cultures of Class in India', Sri Venkateshwara College (Delhi University) Annual Sociology Lecture, February 6.
3. 2018: 'The Social Life of New Forms of Work in the Global South', The Social Life of Work Conference, Oxford University, June 21.
4. 2018: 'The Satellites that ate Delhi: Sociology and Technology at the Margins of the City', Urban Futures Conference, King's College, June 6.
5. 2017: 'Urban Spatial Politics: Sociality, 'Transparency' and Ideas of 'Community', Conference on 'From "Lava Jato" to "Notebandi": Discourses on Corruption— Interdisciplinary and Intercultural Perspectives', Max-Weber-Kolleg of the University of Erfurt, Germany, October 12.
6. 2017: 'Sexualities and Cultures', Research Network for Feminist Engagements with Law and the State, Delhi University Political Science Department, UGC CAS-SAP National Seminar on 'Problematizing sexuality and Violence: Deconstructing Institutions, Norms and Narratives', August 23.
7. 2016: 'How to Project a Cosmopolitan Personality: Notes on the Production of Modern Labour', Stanford South Asia Institute Annual Lecture, Stanford University, May 3.
8. 2016: 'New Cultures of Labour', conference on Redefining Labour Roles in a Globalizing India', organised by the Institute of Economic Growth, University of Edinburgh and Sussex University, Delhi, 28 January.
9. 2016: 'Neo-liberalism without its Subjects? Investigating Youth Culture and Social Change Through Work', Hyderabad University, Hyderabad, 25 January.
10. 2016: 'Doing Ethnography: Journey Without Maps', 2nd National Young Researchers Workshop, Department of Sociology, University of Hyderabad, 21 January.
11. 2015: 'Technotopias, Consumer Cultures and the Meaning of 'Single'. Conference organised Karl Jaspers Centre for Advanced Transcultural Studies, University of Heidelberg, Germany, October 5.
12. 2015: 'The City as Machine and Corporation', Panel on Cultures of Consumption, St. Xavier's College, Kolkata.
13. 2015: 'From the Five-Year Plan Hero to Mr. Modi's Masculinity', Cluster Asia and Europe, University of Heidelberg, July 1.

14. 2015: 'Women. Leadership and the Academia'. Isabella Thoburn College, University Of Lucknow, Lucknow, 12 March.
15. 2014: 'Thinking Masculinity, Re-thinking Sociology', Conference on 'Loyal Interlopers? Men Doing Feminism in India', Centre for the Study in Social Sciences Calcutta, 16 December.
16. 2014: 'Sexualities, History and Culture', Indian Institute of Advanced Studies, Shimla, September 19.
17. 2014: 'Moral Consumption and Post-nationalism: Religiosity, New Urbanism and Consumer Culture in India', DORISEA-CETREN Summer School on Cityscapes and New Religiosities, University of Goettingen, Germany, August 15-16.
18. 2013: 'Religion, Markets and Urban Spaces', Humboldt University, Berlin, 30 May.
19. 2012: 'Globalization, Culture and Sociological Research', 38th All India Sociological Conference, Udaipur, December 27-29.
20. 2012: Sociological Approaches to the State and Sexualities, Department of Sociology, University of Pune, October 4.
21. 2012: The Intimate City: the Making of New Publics in Urban South Asia, Department of Gender Studies, University of Pune, India, April 15.
22. 2011: Master Class on Anthropological Approaches to the State, Civil Society and 'Community', Macquarie University, Sydney, Australia, 19 June.
23. 2010: National Identity, Kitchens, Bedrooms, and Shopping Malls: New Narratives of Space in Urban India', Institute for the Humanities in Africa, University of Cape Town, Cape Town, 21 October.
24. 2009: SEPHIS Gender and Sexuality Workshop, Department of Women's and Gender Studies, University of Dhaka, Bangladesh. March.
25. 2008: 'Ethnographies of Intimacies and Class in South Asia', Amsterdam-India Festival, Amsterdam, 14 November.
26. 2008: 'Tupperware Sexuality: Consumption, 'Morality' and the search for a Controllable Modernity'. Public Lecture, Latin American Center on Sexuality and Human Rights - CLAM, at State University of Rio de Janeiro. 24 September.
27. 2008: 'Masculinities and Urban Cultures', The Bellagio Centre, Rockefeller Foundation, Bellagio, Italy, October 30- Nov. 7.
28. 2003 'Complicating "Sexuality, Contesting "Secrecy", 4th International Association for the Study of Sexuality, Society, and Culture Conference, Johannesburg, 23-25- June.

Selected Invited Seminars and Conferences

1. 2018: 'Urban Futures: Satellite Mapping, Big Data and the Politics of Space at the Margins of the Indian city' Urban Big Data Centre, University of Glasgow, 22 August.
2. 2018: Address to the Bilbao City Council, Smart Cities Mission, Bilbao, Spain, 24 July.
3. 2018: Neighbourhoods and 'Smart Cities': A Sociological Critique', University of Heidelberg, 17 July.
4. 2018: 'Tupperware Women and Maoists as Mall Workers; Not quite Neo-liberalism as we know it', Conference on the Social Life of Work, Oxford University, 21 June.
5. 2018: 'Technology, Urbanism and the Social Sciences', paper presented at the Urban Futures Research Domain, King's College, London, 6 June.
6. 2017: 'Sociality, Community, Transparency and Ideas of Community in Delhi and Gurgaon', Centre for the Advanced Study of India, University of Pennsylvania. November 18.

7. 2017: 'New Urbanism and Post-nationalism: Reflections on the Nature of the "The Citizen" in a Time of Consumerist Modernity'. October 25. University of Goettingen, Germany
8. 2017: 'Class and Narratives of Transparency, Corruption, and Community in Delhi', Department of Sociology, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary, October 30.
9. 2016: 'Gender, Violence and the City', Cambridge University, December 2.
10. 2016: 'Modernity and Masculinity in India', University of Tel Aviv, 21 May.
11. 2016: 'Becoming Cosmopolitan: Social Change and New Forms of Work', University of California, Berkeley, 2 May.
12. 2016: 'New Urbanism and Post-national Identities', Harvard South Asia Institute, Harvard University, 29 April.
13. 2015: 'Gujars, Left Wing Extremists and Louise Masih From West Delhi: the Making of New Labour', conference on New India's Worlds, University of Copenhagen, April 30.
14. 2015: 'Fixed Capacities, Mobile Labour: Skills Development and Training for the New Economy', Queen Elizabeth House, Oxford University, January 13.
15. 2014: 'Urban Landscapes and New Religiosities', University of Kyoto, December 4.
16. 2014: 'New Urbanism and Post-national Modernity: Private Corporations, Citizens and the State in Gurgaon, India', Institute for Developing Economies, Chiba, Japan, December 2.
17. 2013: 'Divine Markets: Ethnographic Notes on the Morality of Consumption', Conference on Religion and the Morality of Markets, King's College London, 9-10 June.
18. 2013: 'The (City) State we're in: Citizens, State and Capital in Gurgaon', City as Social Practice Colloquium, University of Leipzig, May 27.
19. 2013: 'Of Gated Communities and Shopping Malls: Life in the Post-national City', conference on 'Re-inventing the Post-colonial in the Metropolis', Chemnitz University of Technology, Chemnitz, Germany, May 9-11.
20. 2012: Discussant for the ethnographic film 'Living Like a Common Man, by anthropologist Mario Rutten, Persistence-Resistance Film Festival, Indian International Centre, Delhi, 14 February.
21. 2012: National Seminar on 'Interrogating the State', University of Pune, February 24-25.
22. 2012: 'Between Global Aspirations and Local Realities: India's Cities in Interdisciplinary Perspective', South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, 2012: 27-29 March.
23. 2011: Workshop on Masculinities and Sexualities, University of Chicago, August 13.
24. 2011: 'Faking and the Making of Community Life', La Trobe University, Melbourne, June.
25. 2011: 4th Kovalam Literary Festival, 'In Conversation with poet Arvind Krishna Mehrotra on the Poems of Kabir', November 15.
26. 2010: Gender and Epistemologies workshop, School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, May 19.
27. 2010: Workshop on Sexuality and Culture, University of Nottingham, April.
28. 2010: Cities and urban Cultures Workshop, Centre for the Study of Culture and Society, Kolkata, April.
29. 2010: 'Private Selves, Private Spaces', Workshop on 'Constructions of the Self: Theories, Contexts', Hansraj College, Delhi University, February 12.
30. 2010: UNDP Workshop on Masculinities, Violence and Culture, Bangkok, January 15.
31. 2009: 2nd Kovalam Literary Festival, Kovalam, Kerala. October: 'Footpath, Neighbourhood, Gated Community: On the Cultures of Indian Pornography', November 10.
32. 2009: Workshop on 'Rethinking Gender, Sexuality and the Body in a Transcultural World'. University of Heidelberg, September.

33. 2009: Urban Studies Workshop of the Centre for the Studies in Social Sciences, Kolkata, at North Eastern Hill University, Shillong, January. Resource person and respondent.
34. 2009: 'Gender and Development' workshop, Department of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University, at Lataguri (West Bengal). Resource person, June 15.
35. 2008: International Resource Person, training workshop for the SEPHIS Programme on Sexuality and Modernity, University of Rio de Janeiro, September 19-28.
36. 2008: workshop on 'Visioning the Urban', American University in Cairo, May 26-27.
37. 2008: 'New Research on Sexuality and Gender in South Asia', University of Texas at Austin, May 2-3.

Other Selected Seminars, Conferences and Workshops

1. 2011: Conference of the American Anthropological Association, 'Training to be Middle-Class: "Personality Development" Classes in India', November 19.
2. 2011: 'An Ethnography of Fake Documents in Delhi', Sydney University Anthropology Department, May 19.
3. 2010: South Asian Masculinities Curriculum Finalization Workshop, Kathmandu, 27-30 August.
4. 2003: 'Rethinking Religious Violence', Dangerous Consumptions Conference, University of Melbourne, Ashworth Program in Social Theory, 9-10 September.
5. 2002: 'Violence is Good to Think With: The Urban Spaces of 'Hindu' Violence', Annual Anthropological Society of Australia Conference, Australian National University, 3-5 October.
6. 2001: 'Pop Pornographic Imagery in India', Conference of the International Association for the Study of Sexuality, Culture and Society, Special panel on Representations/Repression of Desire, Ian Potter Gallery, Melbourne, 1-3 October.
7. 2000: 'Hakim Harkishan Lal's Modernity: the Sex-clinics of Delhi', panel on Sex, Love, and Other Traumas, 29th Annual Conference on South Asia, University of Wisconsin, Madison, October 13-15.

Selected Newspaper and Magazine Articles

1. 'Oye, Chak De Phatte!' Indian Express July 30, 2005.
2. 'It's Time to Disco!', Tehelka Newsmagazine, 22 October 2005.
3. 'Resettling Slums: the New Throwaway People'. India Abroad News Service, July 2006.
4. 'Fear and Loathing in Melbourne', Hindustan Times, 30 May 2009.
5. 'We are Adults only', Hindustan Times, 28 July, 2009.
6. 'Special Effects: the Fetish in Indian Culture', India Today, November 26, 2009.
7. 'Couture Communities', India Today, August 14, 2010.
8. 'The End of Education'. Open Newsmagazine, 4 June 2011.
9. 'A Complicated Affair', Times of India, November 30, 2011.
10. 'Of Film Stars and Farmers Suicides', Times of India, December 9, 2011.
11. 'India Can't be China', Times of India, 2 February, 2012.
12. 'It's the Way We Think', Times of India, April 4, 2012.
13. 'Free Culture', India International Centre Quarterly, November 2012.
14. 'Reality Dampens Fantasy', India Today Sex Survey 2012, November 2012.
15. 'The Fear of Freedom', India Today Sex Survey 2012, November 2012.
16. 'Taking the Aggression out of Masculinity', The Hindu January 3, 2013.

17. 'We Must be More Open in Evaluating our Heritage', The Hindu, January 11, 2013.
18. 'Let Down by the State of Things', Hindustan Times, February 7, 2013.
19. 'Pathology of the Hurt Sentiment', The Hindu, February 12, 2013.
20. 'Public Sanction for Private Suffering', Hindustan Times, March 8, 2013.
21. 'Alphabetical Order to Discrimination', The Hindu, April 3, 2013.
22. 'Behind India's Urbanism', The Hindu, August 3, 2013.
23. 'The Nation and its Children', DNA, August 15, 2013.
24. "Family Honour" and "Values" Give Immunity to the Predator at Home", DNA, September 13, 2013.
25. 'We Don't Need the Hangman's Noose', Hindustan Times, September 26, 2013.
26. 'We Need a Better Public Transport System, Not Bicycle Paths', Hindustan Times, October 27, 2013.
27. 'The Talwars are not "Freakish" People', Hindustan Times, December 1, 2013.
28. 'Sexuality and New Politics in Light of the Tejpal Case', DNA, December 1, 2013.
29. 'One Set of People versus Another', Hindustan Times, 15 January 2014.
30. 'Is India faithful to the Spirit of the Constitution?', DNA, January 26, 2014.
31. 'AAP and its Anti-Politics', DNA, February 15, 2014.
32. 'Where Every House is Like a Clenched Fist', Hindustan Times, March 25, 2014.
33. 'Fascism, in Other Words', Indian Express, April 15, 2014.
34. 'Turning Guns into Ploughs is not so Farfetched', Hindustan Times, May 5, 2014.
35. 'Political Change does not Equal Social Transformation', Hindustan Times, May 27, 2014.
36. 'High Cut-off Tend to Cut off Learning Abilities', Hindustan Times, July 9, 2014.
37. 'The Stranger without a Memory', India Today, 14 July, 2014.
38. 'The Promise of both Tradition and Modernity', Hindustan Times, October 1, 2014.
39. 'The Old tested Power Games', The Hindu, November 11, 2014.
40. 'The Blurry Lines of Good and Evil', The Hindu, November 26, 2014.
41. 'A Time of Christmas without Christians', The Hindu, 27 December, 2014
42. 'Freedom from India', www.Outlook.com February 15, 2015.
43. 'Smart Cities are not the Solution to a Social Problem'. Hindustan Times. April 15, 2015.
44. 'A Day at a Theme Park Temple', www.Outlook.com April 17, 2015.
45. 'Aruna Shanbaug "Lived" for our Sake', Hindustan Times, May 15, 2015.
46. 'Fake Degrees is not the Problem, Obsession with Degrees is', The Wire.in July 15, 2015.
47. 'Spirituality, Bollywood Style', The Hindu, August 13, 2015.
48. 'Men Marching through Cities', www.Outlook.com, August 14, 2015.
49. 'Intolerance Based on Religious Lines Reveals a Narrow Idea of Purity', Hindustan Times, October 8, 2015.
50. 'Why the Sports Bicycle Should not be a Symbol of Urban Renewal', Scroll.in, November 2, 2015.
51. 'People are Greater than the State', Hindustan Times, February 19, 2016.
52. 'Why Kerala's Trans-gender Policy Raises Hope in the Land of Abiding Paradoxes', Scroll.in, January 11, 2016.
53. 'Why Global Support for JNU Actually Hurts its Cause', Scroll.in, March 10, 2016
54. 'The Underlying Message to Embattled Africans in India: Become Like us or Perish', Scroll.in, June 13, 2016.
55. 'The Un-Smart City: Gurgaon Remains a Tragic Case Study in How Not to Urbanise', Scroll.in, July 31, 2016
56. 'For India's Middle-Classes Demonetisation Has Become a Moral Project' Scroll.in, November 14, 2016

57. 'The Lure of Collective Suffering: Why India's Poor are Embracing the Pain of Demonetisation', Scroll.in, November 30, 2016.
58. 'The Content of Charisma', *Indian Express*, December 9, 2016.
59. 'For a Culture of Criticism', *Indian Express*, March 22, 2017.
60. Success and Suicides: the Two Sides of the IIT-JEE Story reflect the failure of the Education System', Scroll.in, May 17, 2017.
61. 'Middle-class Militarism: Media Warriors Have Turned Jingoism into an Art Form', June 13, 2017.
62. 'Are Liberals Guilty of Selective Outrage?', Scroll.in July 11, 2017.
63. 'Cheap Domestic Labour (Even Bangladeshi) are Fine: the Problem is When They Protest', Scroll.in, July 16, 2017.
64. 'We Should Give EPW Trust a Chance Before Accusing it of Cowardice- But it Must Explain Itself, Scroll.in, July 21, 2017.
65. 'What Phantom Haircuts Tell Us About the Spectacle that is Social Life in India', The Wire.in, August 8, 2017.
66. 'What the Ban on The Adivasi Will Not Dance Tells Us About India's Political Life', *Hindustan Times*, August 14, 2017.
67. 'Ai Purifiers to Fight Delhi Pollution: when the State Abandons the Public Good', Business Standard, November 22, 2017.
68. 'Men in Hoods: Police Organised Photos Reiterate that all Citizens are not equal in the eyes of the Law', Scroll.in, December 28, 2017.
69. 'Ankit Saxena's Murder is Tragic but it does not Warrant Protest Marches from Liberals', Scroll.in, February 11, 2018.
70. 'Kathua and the Narrative of Good Hindus Saving Good Muslims from Bad Muslims', Scroll.in, April 20, 2018.
71. 'Gurugram Namaz Row is Part of the Larger Debate about Good Illegality vs. Bad Encroachment. Scroll.in, May 12, 2018.
72. 'Let's Get over the Idea that True Secularism Lies Beyond Iftar Parties and Hindus in Skull Caps', Scroll.in, June 12, 2018.
73. 'A Gated Revolution', *Indian Express*, November 13, 2018.
74. 'Delhi, After 1984', *Indian Express*, December 26, 2018.

Association with NGOs and INGOs

1. Member of the Board of Governors, Social Upliftment through Rural Upliftment (SUTRA), Jagjit Nagar, Himachal Pradesh, India.
2. Member of the Advisory Board, Centre for Health and Social Justice, Delhi.
3. Member of the Advisory Board, Building Safe and Inclusive Cities for Women, UN Women and Jagori, Delhi.
4. Sociology expert for thematic planning of the 2014 MenEngage Global symposium on 'Men and Boys for Gender Justice', funded by UNDP, UNFPA and UNWomen.
5. Research Mentor, Forum to Engage Men (FEM).
6. Founding Member and curriculum designer, South Asia Network to Address Masculinities (SANAM), funded by UNDP.
7. Advisor, Masculinities and Sexual and Reproductive Health project, International Planned Parenthood Federation (IPPF).
8. Workshop Leader / Trainer: 'Gender and Masculinities'. Workshop for urban and rural NGO workers, organised by Jagori, Delhi. 10 April, 2013.
9. Advisor and author of UNDP's Background Technical Paper, Asia and Pacific Human Development Report, 2010 (section on 'Masculinities and Power in the Asia-Pacific').

10. Member, steering committee, 'Masculinities and Violence in South Asia' research project, UNDP.
11. Member, advisory committee for curriculum development, Partners for Prevention, UNDP.