CURRICULUM VITAE OF DR BHASKAR KUMAR KAKATI

Name	Dr Bhaskar Kumar Kakati		
DATE OF BIRTH	01/03/1983		
COUNTRY OF	India		
CITIZENSHIP/RESIDENC			
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GENDER	Male		
CATEGORY	OBC (Non- Creamy layer)		
MARITAL STATUS	Married		
RELIGION	Hinduism		
TOTAL-EXPERIENCE	10 Years 05 days (Excluding PhD period)		
	12 Years 01 months 08 days (Including PhD)		
EXPERTISE	Local Governance, Empowerment,	Sustainability, Social	
	Mobilisation, Institution and Capac	city building, Social	
	Change, Tribal Studies, Training, Livelihoods		

PRESENT ADDRESS

Consultant (Research)

Sesta Development Services (SDS)

Dharapur, Guwahati-14, Assam

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PERMANENT ADDRESS

C/O- Shri Dilip Kumar Kakati (Retired Teacher)

Near Hatibat LP School

Hatibat Gaon

Nagabandha

Morigaon, Assam-782103

EDUCATION QUALIFICATION

➤ **Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)** in Social Sciences (Sociology) from Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS) in 2018.

Title of PhD Dissertation: - "Empowerment and Social Transformation: A Study on Elected Women Representatives of *Gaon* Panchayat among *Tiwa* Communities of *Morigaon*, Assam".

➤ Master of Arts in Rural Development (MARD) from Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) in 2011 with 76 %

Title of MARD Dissertation: "Understanding and impact assessment of PRADAN promoted SHG Federation with special reference to Gumla District of Jharkhand"

- ➤ Master of Arts in History (M.A.) from Gauhati University in 2008 with 53.68 %
- ➤ **Bachelor of Arts** in History (Major), Economics, English, Hindi, Environmental Studies from Cotton College under Gauhati University in 2006 with 57.3 %.
- ➤ **AISSCE** (Class 12th) from JNV Howly, Barpeta under CBSE in Arts stream (English, Hindi, History, Geography, Economics) in 2002 with 73.2 %.
- ➤ AISSE (Class 10th) from JNV Morigaon under CBSE in 2000 with 68 %. Subjects

studied are- English, Hindi, Social Sciences, Mathematics.

OTHER CERTIFICATION:

- Qualified UGC NET on 25th March 2013 in Women Studies (UGC Ref. No: 34228/(NET-DEC.2012)
- Received **Certificate of Merit** for being among the top 0.1% of successful candidates of All India Senior School Certificate Examination 2002 in History.

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

• Academic Counselor of IGNOU for Master in Rural Development for 2021-22. Academic Counselor Code: BCMPK8642P/001

ACADEMIC /PROFESSIONAL TRAINING:

NAME OF THE	ORGANISED BY	DURATION		
PROGRAMME		FROM	TO	DAYS
Training of Master	National Academy of	18/12/2017	22/12/2017	05
trainer on Financial	Rudseti, Bangaluru			Days
Literacy."				
Workshop on Research	ICSSR-NERC,	05/11/2013	14/11/2013	10
Methodology in Social	Shillong			Days
Sciences				
Workshop on Research	J.B. College in	09/12/2012	15/12/2012	07
methodology for	collaboration with			Days
University / College	Omeo Kumar Das			
Teachers & Researchers	Institute of Social			
	Change Development			
Skill Training	NFSC in collaboration	28/11/2012	30/12/2012	03
Workshop on "	with Central			Days
Collecting Folklore	University of			
Material and Digital	Jharkhand			
Archiving "				
Workshop" on "	NFSC in collaboration	28/03/2012	30/03/2012	03
Documentation and	Documentation and with Manipur			Days
Digital Archiving"	University			

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Language	Reading	Speaking	Writing
English	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Hindi	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Assamese	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

- Creative Writing
- Theatre (Acting, Direction, Script Writing)

EMPLOYMENT RECORD

Period	Employing organisation and title/position. Contact info for references	Experienc e	Job Profile
01/02/2022	Consultant (Research	02	 Research and Documentation
to till date	and Documentation)	months	Impact study
	Sesta Development		
	Services, Guwahati,		

	Assam Mr Parag Boruah paragboruah@gmail.co m		
07/01/20 19- 10/01/202 2	Centre Manager on Contract Dr APJ Centre. Indian Institute of Management Shillong, Meghalaya Reference: Prof Keya Sengupta ks@iimshillong.ac.in	3 years	 Establishing the Centre at IIM Shillong in collaboration with Ministry of DoNER, New Delhi and North Eastern Council Shillong. Conducting research study on economically critical sectors of North East India such as Handicrafts, Handloom, Horticulture, Logistics, BPO and Tourism. Content development for quarterly newsletter and website Conducting academic symposium Conducting capacity and skill-building training for entrepreneurs of North Eastern India
21-05- 2018 to 05-01- 2019	District Project Manager DMMU, Barpeta, Assam State Rural Livelihood Mission, Assam Reference: Shri RN Sharma, ACS, pddrdabarpeta1@gmail. com	7 months 15 days	 Setting up the district team at Barpeta district. Supervising the implementation of livelihood mission at the district, including social mobilisation, financial Inclusion, skill-building, capacity building etc. Implementation of DAY-NRLM and DDU-GKY Administration Monitoring and Evaluation Networking and collaboration Supervision of 51 direct employees at ten blocks of the district
06-01- 2019 to 16-05-	District Functional Expert (Financial Inclusion)	1 year 4 months 10 days	Supporting blocks in the financial inclusion programmeCapacity building of ASRLM
2018	DMMU, Karbi		Karbi Anglong and

	Anlgong, Assam State		beneficiaries on various
	Rural Livelihood		financial schemes such as
	Mission, Assam		PMJDY, PMJJY, APY, Stand
	Reference: Shri Kamal		Up, Mudra etc.
			•
	Kanto Goala,		Monitoring and Evaluation
	kamalgoalamsw@gmail.		Networking and collaboration
	<u>com</u>		with financial institutions
			• Capacity Building of Bank
			Sakhi
01-01-	Senior Project	6 Months	• Evaluation of 11 Integrated
2015 to	Associate		Watershed
30-06-	NIRD & P.R. (NERC),		Management Programme
2015	Guwahati, Assam		(IWMP) of 11 districts of
	Reference: Dr Kamal		Nagaland
	Haloi,		
	kanakhaloi1408@gmail.		
	<u>com</u>		
01-04-	Consultant	05	Baseline survey
2014 to	(Documentation)	Months	• Documentation of
30-08-	Seven Sisters		Autonomous Councils of
2014	Development Assistance		Assam
	(SeSTA), Bongaigaon,		
	Assam		
	Reference: Shri		
	Pradyut Bhattacharya,		
	pradyut@sesta.org		
03-01-	Senior Research	2 months	Research
2014 to17-	Fellow	14 days	• Documentation of Social,
03-2014	Ministry of Tribal		Economic, Educational, the
	Affairs, GoI		Health status of tribals of
	Reference: Prof		North East India
	Virginus Xaxa,		
	virg1978@gmail.com		
01-08-	Executive (Projects)	2 years 7	• Establishment of the team in
2009 to	PRADAN, Gumla,	months	Basia and Kamdara blocks of
23-03-	Jharkhand	23 days	Gumla, Jharkhand
2012	Reference: Shri Rajeev		Conducting Capacity Building
	Ranjan,		Training
	rajeevranjan@pradan.net		Implementation of livelihoods
	- -		projects
			• Institutions building including
			SHGs and Federation.
			• Financial Inclusion
			Supervision of Local Resource
			Person
			1 618011

			Monitoring and evaluation
01-08-	Development	12	Doing by learning
2008 to	Apprentice	Months	• Implementation of
31-07-	PRADAN, Gumla,		livelihoods projects
2009	Jharkhand		Conducting Capacity Building
	Reference: Dr Pankaj		Training
	Das,		• Institutions building
	drpankaj 2002@yahoo.c		including SHGs and
	<u>o.in</u>		Federation.
			• Financial Inclusion
			Supervision of Local
			Resource Person
			Monitoring and evaluation

SHORT TERM CONSULTANCY PROJECT

	Employing	Experienc	Summary of activities
	organisation and your	es (days)	performed relevant to the
Period	title/position. Contact		Assignment
	info for references		
06-09-	SeSTA Development	12 days	• Training to Trainer (ToT) on
2015 to	Services		Basic Livelihoods
18-09-			
2015			
04-07-	Centre for Microfinance	18 days	• Training to Trainer (ToT) on
2016 to	and Livelihoods		Basic Livelihoods
22-07-			
2016			
16-11-	DPMU, NERLP, Aizwal	3 days	• Training to Trainer (ToT) on
2016 to			Basic Livelihoods
18-11-			
2016			

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

- 1. Life Member- Social Science and Humanities Research Association (SSHRA) Membership ID: SSHRAM19508
- 2. Senior Member- The Asia Society of Researcher (ASR), Membership ID: R219041101
- 3. Life Member- Teaching and Education Research Association (TERA), Membership ID: TERA M191059
- 4. Life Member-Assam Sahitya Sabha, Membership ID: 32935

RESEARCH PROJECT

- 1. Co-project Director of an ICSSR, New Delhi sponsored research project entitled Gandhian Gram Swaraj- Combating Mechanism to Economic Challenges of Covid-19. The value of the Project is Rs 7.00 lakh (completed)
- 2. Co-project Director of a National Human Right Commission, New Delhi sponsored research project entitled Impact of Ekalavya Model Residential Schools on ST Children in fifth and sixth schedule areas of India with reference to Madhya

Pradesh, Rajasthan, Tripura and Mizoram. The value of the Project is Rs 14.96 lakh (on-going)

PUBLICATION

Book

• Kakati, B. K. (2018). Tribal Women of North East India and Empowerment: Tiwa Women's Participation in Panchayati Raj Institutions. New Delhi: Nation Press (ISBN-978-93-87436-27-5).

Publication in Journal

SCOPUS INDEXED JOURNAL

- 1. Kakati, B. K. (2021). Sustainability in the study of Gandhian economic philosophy. *Area Development and Policy*, PP. 1-15 (ISSN-2379-2957) **Routledge Publication.** https://doi.org/10.1080/23792949.2021.1999170
- 2. Kakati, B.K. (2021). Gandhian Gram Swaraj: The sustainable model for rural industrialisation and employment, *The International Journal for community and social development*, 3 (3), 274-289 (ISSN-2516-6034). **SAGE** https://doi.org/10.1177/25166026211039063
- 3. Kakati, B. K., & Behera, M. C. (2014). Women Worker and their status in MGNREGA Programme: A study in Jharkhand, *Journal of Rural Development*, 33(3), 281-90, (ISSN 0970-3357). National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj, Hyderabad
- 4. Kakati, B. K. (2022). What is in a name: The politics of name changing. *Sociological Bulletin*, 71(3), (ISSN-0038-0229), **SAGE** https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/00380229221094784

UGC CARE LISTED JOURNAL

- Kakati, B. K. (2022). Gaon Panchayat, Tribal Women and their Participation: A
 Case of Tiwas of Assam. *Indian Journal of Public Administration*, 68(2) (ISSN-0019-5561),
 SAGE
 https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/00195561221090768
- 6. Kakati, B. K. (2019). Autonomy and Autonomous District Councils in the Study of Tiwa Autonomous Council. *Dialogue Quarterly*, 20(3), 139-153(ISSN-0973-0095), **Astha Bharati** https://www.asthabharati.org/Dia_Jan%20019.pdf.
- Kakati, B. K. (2019). Rural Tourist Product: An Alternative for promotion of Tourist Product in North East India. *Journal of Tourism*, XX (1), 33-54(ISSN-0972-7310), HNB Garhwal University (A Central University) https://www.jothnbgu.in/article/JOT%20june%202019.pdf.

ROUTLEDGE PUBLICATION

- 8. Kakati, B.K. (2021). Role of Traditional Institutions in Covi-19 Management: A Case study of Dorbar Shnong in Meghalaya, India. *Local Development & Society*, (ISSN-2688-3600) https://doi.org/10.1080/26883597.2021.1960183
- 9. Kakati, B.K, Sarmah, A.K., & Kakoty, S. (2021). Cooperative is an economically viable social enterprise in the study of JWSSPCFL. 2(1), 80-96. *Local Development and Society*, (ISSN-2688-3600)

https://doi.org/10.1080/26883597.2021.1907214

SAGE PUBLICATION

10. Kakati, B. K. (2021). APJ Abdul Kalam & Srijan Pal Singh, Target 3 Billion (PURA: Innovative Solutions Towards Sustainable Development). *Journal of Land and Rural Studies*, 9(2), 368–371. https://doi.org/10.1177/23210249211005246.

(BOOK REVIEW)

ABDC LISTED JOURNAL

11. Kakati, B. K. (2021). PURA: Ensuring Sustainable Development in the Rural Areas. *The Empirical Economic Letters*, 20(3-Special Issue). Retrieved from http://www.eel.my100megs.com/volume-20-number-october-3-special-issue.htm (ABDC-C), ISSN- 1681-8997

UGC LISTED JOURNAL (OLD LIST)

- 12. Kakati, B. K. (2018). Sanskritization, Genderization and Process of Making of a Woman. *The NEHU Journal*, *XVI* (2), 15-26. https://nehu.ac.in/public/uploads/NEHU_JOURNAL_Jul-Dec_2018.pdf#page=22
- 13. Kakati, B. K. (2014). Out-migration and its bearing on left-behind Woman: Case in a Jharkhand village. *Social Change and Development, XI* (2), 83-89 https://www.google.com/search?client=firefox-b-d&q=Out-
- 14. Kakati, B. K. (2013). Women Empowerment through Social Mobilization. *Research Journal of MDKG*, 2(2), 21-26

OTHER REFEREED JOURNAL

15. Kakati, B. K. (2021). *Gram Swaraj: Its relevance in present context*. Retrieved from Gandhi e-Journal: https://www.mkgandhi.org/articles/gram-swaraj-its-relevance-in-present-context.html

Book Chapter

- 1. Kakati, B. K. (2022). Issue of Autonomy and Statutory Autonomous Councils of Assam. In V. Dhanaraju(Ed), *Problems and Prospects of Sixth Schedule: Towards Tribes Autonomy and Self Governance* (pp. 273-296). Kolkata: The Asiatic Society. ISBN- 978-81-953428-4-6.
- 2. Kakati, B. K. (2021). Role of Ankia Naat Bhaona in the formation of Greater Oxomiya Society. In B. Baruah, A. Konwar, & B. Rabha(Eds), *Performing Arts of Assam* (pp. 56-75). Guwahati: Assam College Teachers' Association (ACTA). 978-93-90626-97-7

Newspaper Publication

- 1. Kakati, B. K. (2020, 18th October). Gandhian Gram Swaraj-Combating mechanism to economic challenges of Covid-19. *Sunday News*, pp. 15-16.
- 2. Kakati, B. K. (2020, 08th November). Is it Social or Physical Distancing? *Sunday News*, pp. 22-23.
- 3. Kakati, B. K. (2020, 04th October). The Mystery of Genius. Sunday News, pp. 19-20.

LIST OF SEMINARS ATTENDED AND PRESENTED PAPER

- 1. Kakati, B. K. (2019). *Political Identity of Surname in Rural Assam*. A paper was presented in the Annual Social Science Congress organised by ICSSR-NERC in collaboration with Tezpur University at Tezpur University on 24-26 March 2019.
- 2. Kakati, B. K. (2016). *Neo-Vaisnavism vis-à-vis social change among Tiwas of Morigaon*. A paper presented in the national seminar organised by NIRD & P.R. (NERC) at Guwahati was held on 25-26 February 2016.
- 3. Kakati, B. K. (2016). *Searching for Autonomy: A study on Tiwa Autonomous Council*. A paper was presented in a Consultative meet organised by TISS in collaboration with the Ministry of Panchayati Raj, Government of India, held on 29th-30th January 2016.

- 4. Kakati, B. K. (2014). *Women, PRIs and the question of Inequality*. A paper presented in the First Annual Winter School on Research Methodology" "Roots and Bridges" organised by TISS at Guwahati on December 15-19, 2014.
- 5. Kakati, B. K. (2013). *Empowerment Matrix- SHG Federation and Tribal Women*. A paper presented in the 3rd International Seminar on Women Empowerment in India was held at Ranchi from 1-3 March 2013, organised by Institute for Social Development & Research.
- 6. Kakati, B. K. (2013). *Empowerment, Cultural Notion and Tribal Women: A Critical Analysis*. A paper presented in a National Seminar on Tribal Women: Status, Challenges and Possibilities held at Bhopal from 22-23 March 2013, organised by Tribal Research and Development Institute.
- 7. Kakati, B. K. (2013). *The Status of Women in Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act: A Critical Analysis*. A paper presented in a UGC sponsored National Seminar on Rural Development in India: Issues, Progress & Programme Effectiveness, organised by Department of Commerce, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, held on 26th and 27th April 2013.
- 8. Kakati, B. K. (2012). *Gender component in Special SGSY*. A paper presented in the 9th Annual Seminar on Community Development and Social Work held at Visva-Bharati (Shantiniketan) from 27-29 January 2012, organised by Visva-Bharati, IGNOU.

INVITEE LECTURE

- 1. Kakati, B. K. (2019). *Tourism in North East India*. Delivered a lecture at Shimla Conclave on Tourism development organised by Centre for Policy Research and Governance at Petroff Hotel Shimla held on 3-4 March 2019.
- 2. Kakati, B. K. (2022). *Critical thinking on Gandhian Management thought*. Delivered a lecture for the students of OP Jindal University, Sonipat, Haryana on 16th March 2022.

PANELIST

1. Invited as a panellist for the session entitled "emerging Trends of Grassroots Development in Northeast India", organised under "North East Samagam" by SeSTA in collaboration with PRADAN, PRIYA and CYSD, held on 8th October 2021.

WORKSHOP/ SEMINAR/SYMPOSIUM ORGANISED

As Workshop Coordinator

- 1. Coordinator of **Capacity Building workshop for entrepreneurs of Nagaland** organised by Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Centre for Policy Research and Analysis, Indian Institute of Management Shillong held at Dimapur, Nagaland on 21st January 2020.
- 2. Coordinator of **Capacity Building workshop for entrepreneurs of Assam** organised by Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Centre for Policy Research and Analysis, Indian Institute of Management Shillong held at Guwahati, Assam on 10th February 2020.
- 3. Coordinator of **Capacity Building workshop for entrepreneurs of Arunachal Pradesh** organised by Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Centre for Policy Research and Analysis, Indian Institute of Management Shillong held at Namsai, Arunachal Pradesh on 17th March 2020.

As a member of the Organizing Committee

1. Member of Organising Committee of national-level e-Symposium entitled "Logistics

- Management in the emergent North-East India Strategic and Developmental Imperatives", organised by Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Centre for Policy Research and Analysis, Indian Institute of Management Shillong held on 11th July 2020.
- 2. Member of Organising Committee of national-level e-Symposium entitled "Handloom Sector in the emergent North-East India Strategic and Developmental Imperatives" organised by Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Centre for Policy Research and Analysis, Indian Institute of Management Shillong held on 20th July 2020.
- 3. Member of Organising Committee of national-level e-Symposium entitled "Emergent North-East India: Strategic and Developmental Imperatives in Handicrafts", organised by Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Centre for Policy Research and Analysis, Indian Institute of Management Shillong held on 24th July 2020.
- 4. Member of Organising Committee of national-level e-Symposium entitled "Emergent North-East India: Strategic and Developmental Imperatives in the BPO Sector", organised by Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Centre for Policy Research and Analysis, Indian Institute of Management Shillong held on 31st July 2020.

OTHER DETAILS

- 1. Author of an Assamese drama entitled "Shakuntalar Kothare". ISBN-978-93-5137-870-9
- 2. Authored 80 popular articles, short stories, one-act plays, novels in Assamese and published in different Assamese daily and monthly newspapers and magazine-like *Amar Asom, Rangghar, Ajir Asom, Ajir Batari, Ajir Batori Kakat* etc
- 3. Member and editor of editorial board many Souvenirs of Cotton College, Gauhati University and other Non-Governmental Organisation
- 4. Best Actor, Best Director, Best Dramatist of Cotton College and Gauhati University in 2005 and 2008, respectively
- 5. Attended six workshops on theatre
- 6. Participated and performed plays at various international, national theatre festivals like *Bharat Ranga Mahotsav*, Delhi, *Settalite Theatre Festival*, Bangaluru, *Siliguri Natya Mela*, West Bengal, *All Assam Dance Drama Festival*, Guwahati, *Akhra-Tribal India International Festival*, Ranchi, *Kalasamannaya- An International Festival*, Guwahati.

REFEREES

- Prof DP Goyal, Director, Indian Institute of Management Shillong, Umsawli, Shillong, Meghalaya-793018, dpgoyal@iimshillong.ac.in
- Prof Sanjay Barbora, Professor, TISS, Behind Assam Science and Technology University, Tetelia Road, Assam Engineering College Campus Jalukbari, Guwahati, Assam 781013, sanjay.barbora@tiss.edu, (PhD Supervisor)
- Dr Sanjeeb Kakoty, Associate Professor, Indian Institute of Management Shillong, Umsawli, Shillong, Meghalaya-793018,sky@iimshillong.ac.in,
- Dr Biplab Bhattacharjee, Jindal Global Business School, O.P. Jindal Global (Institution of Eminence Deemed To Be University) Sonipat, Narela Road Near Jagdishpur village Sonipat, Haryana-131001, NCR of Delhi, biplabdata1@gmail.com
- Dr Amrita Pritam Gogoi, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Sciences, Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh, Assam, amritapgogoi@dibru.ac.in,

• Dr Pankaj Das, Chief Executive Officer, Jharkhand Women Self Supporting Poultry Cooperative Federation Limited, House No. 144C, Mandir Marg, Road No-4, Ashok Nagar, Ranchi, Jharkhand, drpankaj_2002@yahoo.co.in

Certification:

I, the undersigned, certify that this CV correctly describes my qualifications and experience to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that any wilful misstatement described herein may lead to my disqualification or dismissal if engaged.

Dr Bhaskar Kumar Kakati

12/05/2022

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Name of Applicant

Signature