

## Faculty Details Proforma

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	Title	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
1		Saumya		Gupta
2	<b>Designation</b>	Associate Professor		
3	<b>Permanent</b>	Permanent		
	<b>Temporary/ Ad-hoc (Please specify)</b>	-		
	<b>Work Experience (Years of experience)</b>	24		
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6	<b>Educational Qualifications (Highest Degree)</b>	PHD		
7	<b>Orientation/ Refresher/ FDP/ any other</b>	<p>1<sup>st</sup> Workshop on MOOCs, E-content Development and Open Educational Resources, organized by UGC-HRDC, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 18 March – 23 March, 2019</p> <p>One Week Course on Research Methodology organized by UGC-HRDC, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 4 February – 9 February, 2019</p> <p>Knowledge sharing Programme on “Perspectives on Modern Teaching Techniques – Use of Case Studies &amp; Experiential Methods,’ organized by IBS-IFCAI Business School at JDMC, September 11, 2019</p> <p>Interactive session on ‘Research Options for Faculty,’ (JDMC-IQAC) at JDM College, 12 May 2018</p> <p>Capacity Building Workshop on E-Content Creation, Institute of Lifelong Learning (ILLL), University of Delhi, 7 October 2016.</p> <p>Four Week Refresher Course in History, UGC-ASC, Jawaharlal Nehru University, 22 September 2014-17 October 2014.</p> <p>Three Week Refresher Course in Media Studies and Governance (Interdisciplinary), organized by UGC-ASC, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 14 January – 3 February 2014.</p> <p>Three Week Refresher Course in History and Culture, Jamia Millia Islamia, 4 May to 24 May 2007</p> <p>Four Week Orientation Course in Information technology, CPDHE, University of Delhi, 24 February to 24 March 2006</p>		
	<b>Participation in Workshops</b>	Invited Panellist, Translating the Foods of the World: Special Roundtable hosted by " <i>Gastronomica: The Journal for Food Studies</i> ," the Culinarina Research Centre, University of Toronto,		

		<p>Canada and the Centre for East Asian Studies, University of Kansas, USA, December 14, 2021</p> <p>“Every-day Cooking and the Hindi Recipe Book,” Paper presented at the Initial Stakeholder Workshop, Forgotten Food: Culinary Memory, Local Heritage and Lost Agricultural Varieties in India Project, Allahabad, November 9, 2019</p> <p>Chair and Panelist in the Roundtable, “Teaching in the New Framework: Notes from the Frontline,” in the PMMMNMTT, MHRD sponsored three-day National Workshop, ‘History in the Classroom: Challenges, Innovations and Pedagogic Issues in Undergraduate History Education’, organised by Bharti College, University of Delhi, 5-7 April 2018.</p> <p>"Of Vitamins and Minerals: A New Vocabulary for the Post-Colonial Indian Kitchen," Paper presented at the International Workshop on Contours of Culinary Transformations in South Asia, Nakanoshima Center, Osaka University, Osaka Japan, 26 September, 2017</p> <p>"Colonialism and Indian Foodways: Encounters and Intersections," Theme Lecture at the ‘Colonialism: Economy, State, and Society: Young Researchers Workshop 2017,’ Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, Teen Murti House, New Delhi, June 12 - 16, 2017.</p> <p><b>Coordinator</b>, Workshop on CBCS GE Paper, 'Making of Contemporary India,' Department of History, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Delhi, October 28, 2017</p> <p>“The Nation and Its Kitchen: Hindi Recipe Books from Early 20<sup>th</sup> Century,” Paper presented at the International Workshop titled ‘What do we Cook: Food and Identity in Modern India’, Area Studies Department, University of Tokyo, Japan, 20<sup>th</sup> June, 2015.</p> <p>“New Foods and Traditional Society in Northern India in the 19th Century,” Paper presented at ‘What Do We Eat? International Workshop on Food and Identity in India,’ jointly organized by Janki Devi Memorial College, University of Delhi and Food and Identity in Modern India Project, Department of Area Studies, University of Tokyo, 12<sup>th</sup> December 2014</p>
8	<p><b>Administrative Assignments</b></p> <p><b>Department (in the last two years)</b></p> <p><b>College (in the last two years)</b></p>	<p>Website Committee, 2019-21  Workload Committee, 2019-20, 2017-18  Admissions Committee, 2020, 2019,  Examination Committee, 2019, 2018  Student Faculty Committee, 2016-2018  Library Committee, 2017</p> <p>Member IQAC Committee JDMC – 2019-21  Superintendent of Examinations, JDMC, 2018</p>

		<p>Staff Advisor to Student Union 2020-21  Diamond Jubilee Committee, 2019-20  Staff Association Secretary 2019  Workload Committee, 2018-19, 2019-21  Annual Report Committee – 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20  ECA Committee for Admissions, 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20  Canteen Committee, 2019-21  College Website Committee, 2019-21</p>
	<b>University (In the entire tenure)</b>	<p>UGCF-NEP Under-Graduate Curriculum Revision Committee-2022, University of Delhi, for the CBCS) B.A.(Hons.) History and BA (Multidisciplinary).</p> <p>Nodal Officer, ECA Admissions for Dance, University of Delhi, 2020-21</p> <p>UGC-LOCF Under-Graduate Curriculum Revision Committee-2019-20, University of Delhi, for the CBCS) B.A.(Hons.) History and BA Programme</p> <p>Member, Research Advisory Committee, 2019-20, Department of History, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Delhi</p> <p>Member, Department Research Committee, 2018-19, Department of History, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Delhi.</p> <p>Member, Department Research Committee, 2017-18, Department of History, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Delhi.</p> <p>Member, Syllabus Restructuring Committee, Department of History, University of Delhi, 2015-19.</p> <p>Member, Board of Examiners for Papers for paper setting and evaluation, Department of History, University of Delhi, for the years 2020-21, 2019-20, 2018-19, 2017-18, 2016-17, 2015-16, 2014-15, 2007-08</p>
9	<b>Areas of Interest / Specialization</b>	<p>Modern Indian History, Partition Studies, Urban History, Culinary Studies</p>
10	<b>Subjects Taught (in the last three years)</b>	<p>BA (H) III year - Core Course XIII - History of India VIII (1857-1950)  BA (H) III year - Core Course XI - History of Modern Europe I  BA (H) II year – GE-VI – Making of Post-Colonial India (1950s-1990s)  BA (H) I Year – GE I – Delhi Through the Ages: The Making of its Early Modern History</p>
11	<b>Research Guidance</b>	<p>Co-Supervisor, Ms. Akriti Baudh, PhD Candidate 2018, Department of History, University of Delhi. (Ongoing)</p> <p>Member, Research Advisory Committee, Department of History DU for</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms. Rashmi, M.Phil Candidate 2017-19, Department of</li> </ul>

		<p>History, University of Delhi (Completed)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms. Sanchita Srivastava, M.Phil Candidate 2017-19, Department of History, University of Delhi (Completed)</li> </ul> <p>-</p>
12	<b>Publications Profile</b>	
	<b>Authored Books (Single/ Co-authored)</b>	Co- Author, <i>The Timechart History of India</i> , Robert Frederick Limited, London, 2005.
	<b>Edited Books (Single/ Co-edited)</b>	Co-Editor, Special Issue on Food, Space and Power in South Asia, <i>International Journal of South Asian Studies</i> , Vol. 11 (2021)
	<b>Chapter in book (Single/ Co-edited) (Please specify whether National or International)</b>	<p><b>International:</b> <i>Nashonarizumu to Daidokoro: 20 Seiki Zenhan no Hindigo Ryorisho</i> (Nationalism and Kitchen: Hindi Cookbooks in Early Twentieth Century). Translated by Ueda Masahiro, in <i>Shokukara Egaku Indo: Kingendaino Shakaihenyo to Aidentiti (India Depicted Through Food: Social Changes and Identity in Modern Times)</i>. Edited by Riho Isaka and So Yamane, Shumpusha, Tokyo, February 2019, ISBN: 9784861106330</p> <p><b>National:</b> “Vibhajan Ki Dainik Haqeeqat: Unnes Sau Chalees ke Dashak mein Kanpur ki Akhbaari Rajneeti,” in Rakesh Kumar Singh [ed] <i>MediaNagar 03: Network Sanskriti</i>, Vani Prakashan/Sarai Publication, 2007. ISBN 978-81-81143-632-0</p> <p>“The Daily Reality of Partition: Politics in Newsprint in 1940s Kanpur”, in <i>Sarai Reader 01: The Public Domain</i>, CSDS/SONM, Delhi and Amsterdam, 2001. ISBN: 97-91-57027-124-0</p> <p>“Vartman and Pakistan: The ‘Daily’ Reality of Partition”, in <i>Translating Partition</i>, ed. Ravikant and Tarun K. Saint, Katha, New Delhi, 2001. ISBN: 978-81-87649-04-5</p> <p>“<i>Sthaniya Itihas ki Mahatta: Kanpuriyam Ke Bahane</i> (The Importance of Local History)” <i>Kanpur Singhavalokan</i>, Hindustan Samachar, Bahubhashi Samvad Samiti, Kanpur, March 2014.</p>
	<b>Article in Peer-reviewed Journal (Single/ Co-edited) (Please specify whether National or International, UGC Listed)</b>	<p><b>International Peer Reviewed Journals:</b></p> <p>Co-Author, Research Article, Translating Foods of the World: A Roundtable Discussion on the Challenges and Triumphs of Translating Foods, <i>Gastronomica: The Journal for Food Studies</i>, Vol. 22, Issue 2, (May 1, Summer 2022 ) ISSN 1529-3262, EISSN 1533-8622</p> <p>Co-Author, Preface: Food, Space, and Power in South Asia, Special Issue on Food, Space and Power in South Asia, <i>International Journal of South Asian Studies</i>, Vol. 11 (2021)</p> <p>Book Review, Rakesh Ankit, <i>India in the Interregnum: Interim Government, September 1946– August 1947</i>, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2019, 376 pp. <i>The Indian Economic and Social History Review</i> 58, 4 (2021): 563–565</p> <p>Author: Lockdown Destitution: Delhi March 2020,</p>

		<p><i>Gastronomica</i> (2020) 20 (3): 68–69. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1525/gfc.2020.20.3.68">https://doi.org/10.1525/gfc.2020.20.3.68</a></p> <p><b>National Peer reviewed UGC Listed Journal</b>  “Vibhajan ka Itihas-lekhan: Badalti Rooprekha”, in <i>Aalochana</i> 59: <i>Vibhajan ke Sattar Saal</i>, January – March 2019, pp. 29-41, ISSN 2231-6329</p>
13	<p><b>Conference Proceedings (or any other form of published content)</b></p>	<p><b>Newspaper Articles/ Research Report - E-content/ Web Publications</b></p> <p>“<i>Itihaslekhan ka Pratispardhi Bhubhag</i>,” in <i>Hastakshaep, Rastriya Sahara</i>, 30 July 2010.</p> <p>“The ‘Daily’ Reality of Partition: Politics In Newsprint, In 1940s Kanpur. Examining the role of the press, especially the vernacular press in those turbulent times.” <b>Lead Story</b> in <a href="http://www.outlookindia.com">www.outlookindia.com</a>, issue dated August 20, 2001. <a href="http://www.outlookindia.com/article/the-daily-reality-of-partition/212965">http://www.outlookindia.com/article/the-daily-reality-of-partition/212965</a></p> <p><i>Indien</i>, Country Analysis Report, co-authored with Willy Germund, Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, 2000. Electronic ed.: Bonn: FES Library, 2001 <a href="http://library.fes.de/fulltext/stabsabteilung/00898.htm">http://library.fes.de/fulltext/stabsabteilung/00898.htm</a></p> <p><i>Sarai Newsletter</i> May 2001 – September 2001 for the Sarai Programme, Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, New Delhi.</p>
	<p><b>Creative Writing/Podcast</b></p>	<p>“Every food item on your plate has travelled more than you,” Featured Author, The Indian Podcast, February 19, 2021 <a href="https://soundcloud.com/user-116617340/every-food-item-on-your-plate-probably-has-travelled-more-than-you-dr-saumya-gupta-historian">https://soundcloud.com/user-116617340/every-food-item-on-your-plate-probably-has-travelled-more-than-you-dr-saumya-gupta-historian</a></p> <p>“Lockdown Destitution,” Featured Author, <i>Heritage Radio Network</i>, New York, October 25, 2020 <a href="https://heritageradionetwork.org/episode/lockdown-destitution-delhi-march-2020">https://heritageradionetwork.org/episode/lockdown-destitution-delhi-march-2020</a></p>
	<p><b>Translation</b></p>	<p>-</p>
13	<p><b>Conference Participation (in the last three years) [Please specify whether National or International]</b></p>	
	<p><b>Papers Presented</b></p>	<p><b>International</b></p> <p>Invited Panellist, Translating the Foods of the World: Special Roundtable hosted by "<i>Gastronomica: The Journal for Food Studies</i>," the Culinaria Research Centre, University of Toronto, Canada and the Centre for East Asian Studies, University of Kansas, USA, December 14, 2021</p> <p>“Every-day Cooking and the Hindi Recipe Book,” Paper presented at the Initial Stakeholder Workshop, Forgotten Food: Culinary Memory, Local Heritage and Lost Agricultural Varieties in India Project, Allahabad, November 9, 2019</p> <p>"Of Vitamins and Minerals: A New Vocabulary for the Post-</p>

		<p>Colonial Indian Kitchen," Paper presented at the International Workshop on Contours of Culinary Transformations in South Asia, Nakanoshima Center, Osaka University, Osaka Japan, 26 September, 2017</p> <p>"Traditional Cuisine, Modern Kitchen: Reimagining Everyday Cooking in Post-Colonial India," Paper presented at the 30th Annual Conference of the Japanese Association for South Asian Studies (JASAS), September 23-24 2017, Toyo University, Tokyo, Japan</p> <p><b>National</b></p> <p>‘Building New Delhi: Imperial Vision and Colonial Contestations’, Paper Presented at Webinar on "Archaeological and Historical Manifestations of Changing Cities of Delhi" Kalindi College, University of Delhi, February 19, 2022</p> <p>Invited Panelist, Bridging Mental Health Care in the Universities, Samvedna Webinar Series for Manodarpan: An Initiative of MHRD, June 3, 2021</p> <p>Participated in the National Webinar entitled <i>Hindi: Aapar Sanbhavanao ka Desh</i>, organized by Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) and Hindi Department, Janki Devi Memorial College on May 2, 2020.</p> <p>“The Caste of Cuisine: Food and Culture in Contemporary India,” Paper presented at Two-Day National Seminar on The Saga of Food: Politics, Aesthetics and Technology, Vivekanand College, University of Delhi, March 13-14, 2019</p> <p>“Cuisine Matters: Popular Perceptions around Food and Identity in India,” Paper presented at the National Symposium on Popular Cultures at JDM College, University of Delhi, Feb 28-March 1 2019</p>
	<p><b>Sessions Chaired</b></p>	<p><b>International</b></p> <p>Chair, Food and Social Change in Contemporary India, International Seminar Integrated Area Studies on South Asia, University of Tokyo, on February 19 2020.</p> <p><b>National</b></p> <p>Chair and Panelist in the Roundtable, “Teaching in the New Framework: Notes from the Frontline,” in the PMMMNMTT, MHRD sponsored three-day National Workshop, ‘History in the Classroom: Challenges, Innovations and Pedagogic Issues in Undergraduate History Education’, organised by Bharti College, University of Delhi, 5-7 April 2018.</p> <p>"Colonialism and Indian Foodways: Encounters and Intersections," Theme Lecture at the ‘Colonialism: Economy, State, and Society: Young Researchers Workshop 2017,’ Nehru Memorial Museum</p>

		and Library, Teen Murti House, New Delhi, June 12 - 16, 2017.		
	<b>Discussant or any other</b>	<p><b>International</b> Moderator, Remembering Gandhi in the 75<sup>th</sup> year of Independence: In Conversation with Prof. Akeel Bilgrami and Prof. Anand Kumar, JDMC, 4, October 2021</p> <p>Conversation with Simon Parkes, Author and Journalist with the BBC, International Writers Festival 2021, JDMC March 6, 2021</p> <p>Gastronomy and State in Early Modern South Asia, International Seminar organized by Integrated Area Studies on South Asia, University of Tokyo, on July 27, 2020. Discussant. October 9, 2020 Moderated the Distinguished Speaker Series Webinar titled The Past in the Present: Delhi's Two Imperial Capitals with Dr. Swapna Liddle and Rana Safvi, JDMC, May 14, 2020.</p> <p>Food, Space, and Politics in Contemporary South Asia. International Seminar organized by Integrated Area Studies on South Asia, University of Tokyo. Discussant, July 27, 2020</p> <p>Discussant, XI International Conference on Labour History, organized by V.V. Giri National Labour Institute and Association of Indian Labour Historians, March 22, 2016</p>		
14	<b>ICT enabled teaching-learning</b>			
	<b>Development of e-content (Please specify if it is e-lesson, e-quizzes, e-lectures; also mention the Institution for which the same has been prepared)</b>	-		
	<b>Development of MOOCs</b>	-	-	-
15	<b>Contribution to development of Syllabi</b>	<p><b>Member, UGCF-NEP Under-Graduate Curriculum Revision Committee-2022</b>, University of Delhi, for the CBCS) B.A.(Hons.) History and BA (Multidisciplinary) for 9 Papers</p> <p><b>Member, UGC-LOCF Under-Graduate Curriculum Revision Committee-2019-20</b>, University of Delhi, for the CBCS) B.A.(Hons.) History and BA Programme</p> <p>Member, Syllabus Restructuring Committee, Department of History, University of Delhi, 2015-19.</p>		
16	<b>Research Projects</b>	Major Grants	Research Collaboration	UGC Funded Research Projects
		1. Co-Investigator for the AHRC-UKRI Project on <u>Forgotten Food: Culinary Memory, Local Heritage and Lost Agricultural Varieties in India</u> in the United Kingdom	University of Sheffield, UK	Arts and Humanities Research Council, UK

		(November 1, 2019 to 31 October 2022)		
		2. International Collaboration Grant from ICSSR and JSPS for an Indo-Japanese Bilateral Research Project titled <u>Ideas of Food and Body in South Asia: Analyses of Cookbooks from the Medieval Times to the Present.</u> (2016-18)	University of Tokyo	ICSSR and JSPS (Japan Society for the Promotion of Science)
17	<b>Awards and Distinctions</b>	<p>Awarded Nehru Memorial Museum and Library Fellowship, 2021-23  Charles Wallace India Trust Research Grant, 2017  Association of American Studies, USA Travel Reimbursement Grant for AAS-in Asia Conference 2017 (declined)  UGC Foreign Travel Grant for the British Association of South Asian Studies Annual Conference, April 2016  Travel and Maintenance Subsidy, Food and Identity Project, University of Tokyo, supported by the Japanese Society for Promotion of Science, Japan, June 2015  Junior Research Fellowship, University Grants Commission, New Delhi, 1993-1997</p>		
18	<b>Association With Professional Bodies</b>	<p>European Association for South Asian Studies, 2019 -ongoing  Association for Asian Studies, USA, 2017-18  British Association of South Asian Scholars, UK, 2016-17  Urban History Group, University of Cambridge, 2016-17  Indian Association of Asian and Pacific Studies, 2014-15  Indian History Congress, 2014 onwards</p>		
19	<b>Other Activities</b>	<p><b>Co-curricular Activities</b>  Convenor, Gandhi Study Circle, JDMC, 2015-20. The Gandhi Study Circle, JDMC aims to deepen knowledge about Gandhi's life and philosophy, and its continuing relevance in contemporary national and international politics and social service sector.  Coordinate and Mentor collaborations with following NGOs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Leadership Development and Mentorship Programme for women students in collaboration with GLOW Foundation</li> <li>• Right to Education Programme coordinating scholarships for meritorious students. Collaboration with MCKS-Food for Hungry Foundation and My Daughter is Precious Foundation- Shikshadaan Foundation</li> <li>• Right to Sustainable Life, Programme for promotion of organic agriculture, khadi and craft through organizing exhibitions. Collaboration with Etta Organics and SEWA-Ruaab, cooperatives of independent women farmers and weavers, respectively.</li> </ul> <p>Convenor, <i>Lumière: Film and Photography Club</i>, JDMC, 2015-20  Course on Photography 2019-20.  Organize workshops on Photography and Documentary Film making.  Organize four separate events on film-making and photography during</p>		



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