

CURRICULUM VITAE

I Personal Details

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Health Issues, Health Insurance Insurance

II. Educational Qualification

2. **Ph.D in Applied Economics (1992-97):** Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum, and Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.
3. **M.Phil in Population Studies (1991-92) :** International Institute of Population Sciences, Bombay.
4. **Master of Population Studies (1990-91):** International Institute of Population Sciences, Bombay.
5. **M.A in Economics (1987-89):** St.Thomas College Pala, Kottayam affiliated to Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala.
6. **B.A in Economics (1984-87):** St.Thomas College Pala, Kottayam affiliated to Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala.

III. Fellowships and Awards

1. The Srinivasan Award for best substantive paper published in the journal 'Demography India' in the year 2001.
2. Visiting Fellowship, Harvard Center for Population and Development Studies, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, USA, May-November, 2000.

IV. Current Research Work

1. Principal Investigator, ‘Studies on maternal mortality and morbidity in Andhra Pradesh, India against health sector reforms’. This is a long-term study sponsored by Rockefeller Foundation, New York to undertake research on maternal health issues in Andhra Pradesh, India against the health sector reform policies. Number of studies are currently underway (www.cess.ac.in)
2. Team member, “Health Insurance in India: New Prospects for the Poor” (with Rajeev Ahuja, ICRIER and Dr. Abay Asfaw, Center for Development Research (ZEF, Univ. of Bonn, Germany) sponsored by Volkswagen Foundation, Germany. This study aims at understanding both theoretically and empirically the role of community health insurance system as a viable alternative to private and public health insurance.

V. Invited Papers in International Seminars and Conferences

1. Presented a paper on “*Causes of Fertility Decline in India and Bangladesh: An investigation*” in the Fourth Conference of the South Asia Network of Economic Research Institutes (SANEI), hosted by Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies, Dhaka, August 28-30, 2002.
2. Attended the workshop on “*Health Consequences of Population Changes in Asia: What are the issues*”, June 13-14, 2002, organised by Asian Meta Centre for Population and Sustainable Development, Singapore, at Siam City Hotel, Bangkok.
3. Attended the workshop on “*Health New Institutional and Economic Approaches to Health Insurance for the Poor in India*” at Center for Development Research (ZEF), University of Bonn, Germany, April 22-23, 2002.
4. Presented a paper on “*Neonatal Mortality in India: Emerging Paradoxes*” in the colloquium series at the Population Studies Center, University of Pennsylvania, USA, November 6, 2000.
5. Presented a paper on “*An Analysis of Neonatal Mortality in India*”, in the Brown Bag series at the Harvard Center for Population and Development Studies, USA, October 24, 2000.

VI. Recent Publications (including working papers)

1. “Gender Differentials in Adult Mortality in India-with notes on rural-urban differentials”, *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol. 37, No. 46, P:4633-4637, 2002 (with N.Krishnaji).
2. “Causes of Fertility Decline in India and Bangladesh: The role of community”, *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol. 37, No. 43, P:4447-4454, 2002 (with S. Mahendra Dev and Binayak Sen)
3. “Demographic Trends in Andhra Pradesh” in Y.K. Krishna Rao and S. Subrahmanyam (eds) *Development of Andhra Pradesh 1956-2001: A study of regional disparities*, Hyderabad: NRR Research Centre, 2002.

4. "Gender Differentials in Adult Mortality in India- With notes on rural-urban contrasts" Working Paper No. 47, Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad, September, 2002 (with N.Krishnaji).
5. "Causes of Fertility Decline in India and Bangladesh: The role of community" Working Paper No.45, Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad, July 2002 (with S. Mahendra Dev and Binayak Sen).
6. "The historical nature of the demographic transition in Kerala: Estimates of vital events using Parish records", *Demography India*, Vol 30, No. 1, P:13-30, 2001.
7. "Gender Differentials in Child Mortality in Andhra Pradesh: Evidence from National Family Health Survey", *Journal of Family Welfare*, Vol. 47, No. 2, P:1-11.
8. "Indian Parish Records: A qualitative assessment", *Annales De Demographie Historique*, No. 1, P: 93-108, 2000 (with S. Irudaya Rajan).
9. "Landholding and Fertility in India: A review of theoretical and empirical evidence", *Genus*, Vol. 56, No. 3-4, 2000, P:61-79.
10. "The Interdependence of Vital Events: Twentieth-Century Kerala" *Journal of Interdisciplinary History*, Vol XXX1, No1 (Summer), 2000, P21-41 (with S. Irudaya Rajan).
11. "Neonatal Mortality in India: Emerging Paradoxes", Working Paper No. 10.13, Harvard Center for Population and Development Studies, Cambridge, MA, USA, November, 2000.
12. "Internal Migration in Andhra Pradesh: A Quantitative Analysis", Working Paper No.38, Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad, 2000.
13. "Fertility Decline in Andhra Pradesh: A Search for Alternative Hypotheses" *Economic and Political Weekly*, 34, No.8, P:491-499, 1999.
14. "Short-run Variation in Vital Events in Kerala: The Role of Economic Factors" in *Indian Economic and Social History Review*, 35, No.1, P:53-68, 1998 (co-author: S.Irudya Rajan).
15. "Landholding and Fertility in Indian subcontinent: A review of Theoretical and Empirical Evidence" Working Paper for 4th European Research Project on Poverty, University of Florence, Italy, 1998.

VII. Recent Conference Papers

1. "**Determinants of Maternal Health: A review of evidence**" Paper presented at the second Development Convention of the Southern ICSSR institutions, Febray 19-21, Institute of Social and Economic Change, Bangalore.
2. **Demographic Change in Andhra Pradesh: Puzzles and Prospects**, Paper Presented at the annual conference of Andhra Pradesh Economic Association, February 8-9, 2003 at

Government College, Chittoor, Andhra Pradesh.

3. **Migration Dynamics in Andhra Pradesh: Evidence from Decadal Census**, Paper presented at the seminar on Labour Mobility in a Globalising World, Conceptual and Empirical Issues, September 18-19, 2002, organised by V.V. Giri National Institute, Noida, UP.
4. **Causes of Fertility Decline in India and Bangladesh: An investigation**, Paper Presented at the Fourth Conference of the South Asia Network of Economic Research Institutes, organized by Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies, Dhaka, August 28-30, 2002.
5. **Sex Ratio and its Future Implications on Andhra Pradesh**, Paper Presented at the National Seminar on India's Population Census-2001: Implications for Human Poverty, March 7-8, 2002, Department of Economics, Andhra University, visakhapatnam.
6. **Multilevel Models in Health Research in India**, Paper presented in a Workshop on Health and Equity in India by University of Bristol, UK at NSDART, Lal Bahadur Shastri National Academy of Administration, Mussoorie on August 14-16, 2001 (with S. Subramaniam).
7. **Causes of Fertility Decline in India and Bangladesh: An Investigation**, Paper presented in the third annual conference of the south Asia Network of Economic Research Institutes, New Delhi, August 28-31, 2001 (with S. Mahendra Dev and Binayak Sen).
8. **Neonatal Mortality in India: Emerging Paradoxes**: Paper presented in the colloquium series at the Population Studies Center, University of Pennsylvania, USA, November 6, 2000.
9. **An Analysis of Neonatal Mortality in India**, Paper Presented in the Brown Bag series at the Harvard Center for Population and Development Studies, USA, October 24, 2000.
10. **Internal Migration in Andhra Pradesh: A Review of Data** Paper presented at the Millennium Conference on Population, Development and Environmental Nexus, Indian Association for the Study of Population, New Delhi, February 14-16, 2000.

VIII. Work Experience

1. Fellow (Reader) Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad from February, 2001 onwards.
2. Visiting Fellow, Harvard Centre for Population and Development Studies, Harvard University, USA, May 1 to November 9, 2000.
3. Associate Fellow (lecturer), Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad from (March 1996 to February, 2001).
4. Project- tied Faculty, Centre for Social Services, Administrative Staff College of India, Hyderabad, September 1995 to February 1996.
5. Research Associate, Centre for Multi-Disciplinary Development Research, Dharwad, Karnataka (June 1995 to August 1995).

IX. Teaching Experience

1. Teaching a course on 'Health and Development' in the M.Phil/Ph.D programme at Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad (from 1996-97 academic year onwards).
2. Teaching 'Statistics' in the M.Phil/Ph.D programme at Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad (from 1998-99 academic year onwards).
3. Teaching a module on 'Population and Development' in the M.Phil/Ph.D programme at Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad (from 2001-02 academic year onwards).

X. Professional Association

1. Associated with the demographic part of 4th European Research Project on Poverty, University of Florence, Italy, 1997-2002.
2. Member, Board of Studies in Economics (PG), Nizam College, Osmania University, Hyderabad.
3. Member, Board of Studies in Demography, Prof. G. Ram Reddy Centre for Distance Education, Osmania University, Hyderabad.
4. Member, Indian Association of the Study of Population (IASP).
5. Member, Indian Society of Medical Statistics (ISMS).