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Educational Qualifications

Ph.D. in Economics, School of Economics, University of Hyderabad (UOH) (2015-19)

Thesis: Land Inequality and Agrarian Situation: A Case Study of Gudiwada Village of Nalgonda District

M.Phil in Economics, School of Economics, University of Hyderabad (UOH) (2013-15)

M.A. in Economics, School of Economics, University of Hyderabad (UOH) (2011-2013)

Professional Experience

Assistant Professor in the Department of Economic Studies, Central University of Punjab
(December 2021 to February 2026)

Assistant Professor, Dr B.R. Ambedkar College (November 2020 to December 2021)

Guest Faculty, Central University of Andhra Pradesh (2019 to May 2019)

Research Associate, Institute of Public Enterprises (October 2019 to March 2020)

Research Interests: Developmental Economics (Agriculture and Climate Change,
Labour Migration, Poverty, and Health Economics)

Professional Affiliation

Indian Economic Association (Life Member)

Telangana Economic Association (Life Member)

Society for Pathways to Sustainability (PathS) (Life Member)

Teaching Interests

- Microeconomics Theory (MA/IMA)
- Indian Economy Post Independence (MA)
- Public Finance (MA)
- Research Methodology (MA/PhD)
- Mathematics for Economics (MA/IMA)

- Agriculture Economics (MA)
- Statistics for Economics (MA)

Publications:

1. Kumar, K. K., & Moharaj, P. (2023). Farm size and productivity relationship among the farming communities in India. *Outlook on Agriculture*, 52(2), 212-227. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00307270231176578>.
2. Kumar, K. K., & Moharaj, P. (2023). Land and asset inequality among social groups. *Social Change*, 53(1), 51-74. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00490857221110562>.
3. Moharaj, P., Rana, S., Sahoo, D., Kiran Kumar, K., Nagaraj, G., Borah, N., & Utagi, S. (2025). Dynamics of water stress in Bangalore, India: exploring the confluence of geopolitical, climatic, and anthropogenic factors. *Journal of Asian and African Studies*, 00219096251336374. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00219096251336374>.
4. Kumar, K. K., Sowkya, S (2024). Understanding the Socio-Economic Conditions of Gulf Migrants of Telangana in GCC Countries, *The Indian Economic Journal*, special issue, page no 395-405, (Print copy).
5. Kumar, K. K. (2022). Agricultural performance among the social groups in India. *Journal of Public Affairs*, 22(2), e2465. <https://doi.org/10.1002/pa.2465>.
6. Kumar, K. K. (2022). Agriculture and Its Complications in India, *The Indian Economic Journal*, special issue page no, 172-184, (Print copy).
7. Kumar, K. K. (2018). Land and caste: A case of Gudiwada village in Telangana state. *Economic Affairs*, 63(2), 505-513. DOI: 10.30954/0424-2513.2.2018.29
8. Kumar, K. K. (2018). An Analysis on Tenant Farmers Condition and Difficulties at Macro and Micro level” October-2018 to December-2018, Volume 59, Issue 3, pp 207 – 215. DOI- <https://doi.org/10.32381/PROD.2018.59.03.1>.
9. Kumar, K. K. (2017). Sectoral growth performance of the Telangana economy and its comparison with nation economy. *Asian Journal of Research in Social Sciences and Humanities*, 7(9), 124-136. DOI: 10.5958/2249-7315.2017.00448.8.
10. Kumar, K. K. (2018). A study on land holding pattern in Andhra Pradesh, the *Indian Economic Journal*, special issue, page no 155-166. (Print copy).
11. Kumar, K. K. (2015). A Case Study of A Village in Telangana on Small Holding Farmers, *Agriculture Situation in India*, volume no. LXXII, page no 75-81, <https://desagri.gov.in/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/December2015.pdf>.

12. Kumar, K. K. (2015), The Deprivation and Disparities in Land Holdings: A Case of Chalmeda Village, The Indian Economic Journal, special issue page no, 160-168, (Print Copy).

➤ **Organized Seminars**

- As a convenor, organised an ICSSR-sponsored national seminar on “India’s March Towards Viksit Bharat @2047: A Strategy and Policy Perspective” on March 5th and 6th, 2025.

Reviewer For Journals:

Journal of Public Affairs, International Journal of Social Economics, and

Indian Journal of Economics and Development

Ph. D Supervision

1. **Naveen Kumar(22phdeco05)** Agricultural Vulnerability and Adaptation to Climate Change in the North-West Region of India (**Ongoing**)