



# Hemlata Sharma

## Professor

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## Summary

I am a Professor of Economics with over 20 years of teaching and research experience at Kurukshetra University. My expertise encompasses Econometrics as well as Gender and Development Economics, where I integrate rigorous economic theory with practical policy applications. Passionate about mentoring the next generation of scholars, I approach social science research through a modern, data-driven lens. I am dedicated to making meaningful contributions to academic discourse and influencing evidence-based policy research.

## Long Term Goal

To develop expertise on Policy research on issues relating to Gender and Development

## Teaching and Research Experience

Teaching (Post Graduate and M.Phil. Classes) and research experience of over 20 years.

## Research Projects

- Ongoing: Hidden Realities – A Study of Jobs and Skills Mismatch in Haryana's Informal Economy (ICSSR)
- Growth, Structural Change and Inequality – The Recent Indian Experience (Kurukshetra University)
- Evaluation of Haryana State Finances (14th Finance Commission of India)
- Patterns of Women's Employment in Haryana: An Analysis of Sectoral and Regional Distribution of Female Labourers and their Occupational Segregation" (University Grants Commission)

## Book

*Research Methodology in Social Sciences*  
VK Global Publications Pvt. Ltd.  
ISBN: 978-93-5058-595-5

## RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

- Authored more than 40 research papers in peer-reviewed national and international journals.

## Academic Qualifications

- M.A. Economics
- Ph.D.
- MBA (Big Data Analytics)

## Certifications

- Software Testing – IIT Kharagpur
- Handling Large-Scale Unit Level Data – IIT Roorkee
- Data Analysis and Decision Making – IIT Kanpur
- Project Management – IIT Roorkee

## Specialisation

Economic Theory, Gender and Development Economics, Quantitative Methods and Econometrics

## Computer and Software Proficiency

- MS-Office, SPSS, E-views, STATA, NVivo and Power BI

## Membership of Professional Bodies

- Life Member of Indian Economic Association (IEA)
- Life Member of Haryana Economic Association (HEA)
- Life Member of The Indian Econometric Society (TIES)



- Life Member of Indian Association of Women Studies (IAWS)

### Research Guidance

- Ph.D.: 3 awarded, 7 ongoing
- Guided multiple M.A. and M.Sc. dissertations and project files

### Conferences and Seminars

Presented papers in over 35 national and international conferences and seminars.

Organised International/ National Conferences, Workshops and Refreshers Courses

### At University level

Apart from teaching served as a warden (Girls hostel), NSS Programme Officer, Cultural Incharge (Female) and Faculty Coordinator for Rostrum at Kurukshetra University.

Member of various selection committees, Inspection committees, Board of Studies etc.