

Faculty Profile



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Designation: Assistant Professor

Teaching Areas: Political Theory, Political Concepts,
North East Politics, Political Sociology,
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Research Interests: Local Governance, North East Politics, Justice

Education: Ph.D. (submitted 2016), Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.
M.Phil., Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 2010.
NET, UGC, 2008.
M.A. (Political Science), Hyderabad Central University, 2008.

Professional Experience: 1 Year 6 months

1. Since March 2016: Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, ICFAI University Nagaland, Dimapur.

Papers in Conferences / Seminars:

1. Presented paper entitled “Village Councils in Nagaland as Institutions of Local Governance: Prospects and Perplexing Dilemmas” at the **UGC sponsored National Seminar on “Governance and Decentralization: Local Empowerment with Special Focus on Local Government in Nagaland, viz. Village Council and Village Development Boards”** organized by Unity College, Nagaland, September 9-10, 2015.
2. Presented paper entitled “Communitisation Programme in Nagaland: Empowering or Overburdening the Community?” at the **Burapha University International Conference “Global Change: Human and Social Impacts”** organized by Burapha University, Thailand, July 4-5, 2013.
3. Presented paper entitled “Communitisation Programme in Nagaland: A Case of Community Participation” at the **International Conference on Contemporary Debates in Public Policy and Management** organized by Indian Institute of Management Calcutta, February 7-9, 2013.

Sponsored Research Projects:

1. Worked as Research Assistant for ICSSR sponsored project titled: “Christians in Post-Independence India: A Study of their Contribution and Marginalization’, under the investigation of Prof. Joy L. Pachuau, CHS/SSS, JNU, from 01.02.2015 to 28.03.2015.