

## **FACULTY PROFILE**

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2. Designation - ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

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7. Educational Qualification - MA History (NEHU) 1992, UGC  
NET History 1997

8. Subject specialization: History of Modern India, History of Northeast India, European History, History of Colonial South East Asia.



### **UGC Programmes attended/participated**

1. UGC Orientation Course, Academic Staff College, Gauhati University, 10<sup>th</sup> Feb -9<sup>th</sup> March 1997.
2. UGC Refresher Course, Nagaland University, 23<sup>rd</sup> May -12<sup>th</sup> June 2006.
3. UGC Capacity Building for Women Managers in Higher Education Workshop, St. Edmunds College, Shillong. 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> March 2009.
4. UGC North East Regional TRAINING OF TRAINERS Workshop on Capacity Building of Women Managers in Higher Education. Women's Studies Research Centre, Gauhati University, 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> February, 2010.
5. Coordinator. UGC Sponsored Sensitivity/ Awareness /Motivation Workshop, Capacity Building for Women Managers in Higher Education, Organized by Nagaland University, 2012

6. Resource person/Trainer on “Women in Academic Leadership” , UGC Capacity Building for Women Managers in Higher Education, 16<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> July 2012 organized by NU Kohima Campus, Meriema.
7. UGC- Sponsored Special Summer School, from 27<sup>th</sup> June 2016 to 17<sup>th</sup> July 2016 at UGC Human Resources Development Centre, NEHU, Shillong.
8. Attended 14 days Faculty Development Programme on “Relevant Benefits of Faculty Exchange Programmes for Research Skill Development”, 16<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> October 2024, organized by ICSRD, Bengaluru, Karnataka.
9. Participated on 21 days Refresher Course Programme on,” Impact of Transdisciplinary Education System for Academician Development”, 12<sup>th</sup> February- 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2025, organized by ICSRD, Bengaluru, Karnataka.

#### **Seminars/ Conferences/ Workshops attended**

1. Attended North East India History Association, Nineteenth session, Nagaland University. 3<sup>rd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> December 1998
2. Resource Person in the Symposium “**Role of University for Social Change and Development**,” and Paper presented on the topic ‘**The role of University for Social Change and Development with special reference to Nagaland**’, held on 21<sup>st</sup> March 1998, organised by Post Graduate Students Council, NU Lumami.
3. Attended Seminar on Higher Education in Nagaland,” 13<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> October 2004, Organised by CEC, NUTA at SASRD, NU.
4. Participated in Workshop on “**Regional Dialogue on Peace Initiatives in North East**,” organised by Nagaland University Teachers Association, Kohima on 10<sup>th</sup> March 2007.
5. Participated in National Seminar “**Towards a New Horizon**,” organised by Nagaland State Women Commission, Government of Nagaland, in Kohima on 30<sup>th</sup> October 2007.
6. Participated in Regional Seminar on “**Role of History in conflicts and peace processes**” organised by Dept of History & Archaeology, NU, on 26<sup>th</sup> July 2008, Kohima, sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research, Northeast India, organised by NU.
7. Participated in Naga Convention for Reconciliation and Peace- “**Let My People Go**,” held in Kohima, from 21<sup>st</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup> Feb, 2009, organized by Forum for Naga Reconciliation.
8. Underwent Training programme in National Institute of Rural Development Training Programme on ‘**Gender Budgeting in Developmental Programmes**’ held at State Institute of Rural Development, Nagaland from 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> August, 2014.
9. Guest Faculty in NU Career Guidance programme for UPSC/ NET ST candidates, Kohima

campus, Meriema, 2015-2016

10. Participated short term course, Faculty Development programme on “**E-Learning Content Development & Delivery System**,” organized by Nagaland University, Kohima Campus, Meriema, 2020.
11. Presented Paper on the topic “Urban Growth and Development in Nagaland”, in National Seminar on “Global Issues in Multidisciplinary Academic Research”, organized by BMS College of Commerce and Management, Bangalore, Karnataka, 23<sup>rd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> September 2024.
12. Paper Presentation in National Seminar on “Exploring the Global Issues of Emerging Trends and Innovations in Research and Development”, on the topic “Role of Modern Education in Transforming Naga Society”, on 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> November 2024, organized by Ram Swarath College, Tarapur in association with ICSRD.
13. Paper Presentation in International Seminar on “Impact of Artificial Intelligence on Global Research System”, on the topic “Decolonising Naga History through Subaltern Perspectives”, on 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> march 2025, organized by ORBIT Innovative Academy (OIA), Rajasthan in association with International Vocational Training and Technology Research Institute (IVTTRI), Jharkhand.

## **Publications**

- 2004, article titled **Maladies in Higher Education**, Published in post Graduate students Union Magazine, Kohima Campus.
- 2004, Published article entitled “**Maladies in Higher Education**,” in Post Graduate Students Union Magazine, Kohima Campus.
- 2007, prepared for **The Government of Nagaland, Department of Information & Public Relations**, the **Background paper on the First War of Indian Independence, (The Revolt of 1857)**, in commemoration of **Nation- wide 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the First War of Indian Independence**, published and circulated by the Government of Nagaland, Department of Information and Public Relations.
- 2009, published **Thematic Report on ‘Rural- Urban Migration in the State’**, **GOI- UNDP project**.
- 2011, Publication “**Nagaland: Rural- Urban Migration**” (**Co-authored Book**) was released by the **Hon’ble Chief Minister, Nagaland**, on Indian Independence Day Celebration, on 15<sup>th</sup> August, 2011, at Civil Secretariat Plaza, published by **Department of Planning and Coordination, Government of Nagaland**
- 2018, January- June Vol- 14, Article contribution in **TetsurMiimShiti**, a Quaterly publication in Ao vernacular Language, KABAPublication, Kohima, Nagaland
- 2020, Article titled, “**Ethno-Lingual and Cultural affinities of South-East Asia and North-East India**”, published in **ORCHID, Edition V**, The St. Stephen’s North-East Society Publication, 2020

- 2022, Article contribution in **TetsurMiimShiti**, Vol- Quaterly Publication in Ao Vernacular Language, publication of KABA Publication, Kohima, Nagaland
- 2025, Published Article titled, “Naga Origins and Migrations: Legends, Folklores and History” in International Journal by International Centre for Scientific Research and Development (Multidisciplinary Peer Reviewed Quarterly Refereed Research Journal) Volume- IX, Issue- 11, April 2025, ISSN No. 2583-6722 (New Delhi).

### **University assignments:**

1. **Member, Governing Body, Modern College, Kohima, 2007 -2010.**
2. **Member, Committee for Designs and stitching of Gowns for VVIPs, Officials and Members of Statutory Bodies in NU Convocation, 2009**
3. **Warden, (two terms) PG Women’s Hostel Kohima campus, NU, 2005 -2011.**
4. **Member, Panel of Judges, Post Graduate Students union, NU, Kohima campus, Literary and Cultural programme, held on 21<sup>st</sup> July, 2006.**
5. **Member, Panel of Judges, PGSU, NU, Kohima campus ‘5<sup>th</sup> Literary and Cultural Programme’, held on 17<sup>th</sup> August 2007, at Kohima**
6. **Editorial Board Member, Nagaland University Annual Report Committee, 2008-2009.**
7. **Member, Board of School in Social Sciences, Nagaland University. 2008 - 2010.**
8. **Deputed Subject Expert for selection of Lecturer in History, St. John College, Dimapur, 8<sup>th</sup> April, 2010**
9. **Member, Committee for search of Alternate Buildings for P.G Hostels, NU, Kohima, 2012**
10. **Member, Board of Post Graduate Studies (BPGS), 2010 -2013**
11. **Member, Governing/Advisory Body of SM College, Dimapur, 2011-2014.**
12. **Member in the Committee to frame syllabus in Women’s Studies Centre, NU, 2014**
13. **Co ordinator and Chair in “National unity day’ program organised by Dept of History & Archaeology, NU, Kohima campus, Meriema**
14. **Member, Election Commission, Post Graduate Students’ Union, NU, Kohima Campus, Meriema, 2015**
15. **Member, Adhoc Committee Board for the Development of Women’s Studies Centre, 2016**
16. **Member, judging panel, PGSU Annual Cultural Day, Kohima campus, held on 3<sup>rd</sup>**

June, 2015

**17. Critic for Debate and Extempore Speech Competition, PGSU, Kohima campus, Literary Battle, 14<sup>th</sup> Annual literary Day, held on 9<sup>th</sup> May, 2016 at Kohima.**

**18. Member, Judging panel, 25<sup>th</sup> Nagaland University Students Union, Kohima campus Annual Freshers' Meet cum MR & Miss NUSU Contest, 2016, 30<sup>th</sup> Aug' 2016.**

**19. Resource person from NU Faculty members, Kohima campus in NU Extension services of Coaching for Competitive Examinations (2016-2017), under NU Center Coordinator, DR Rakesh Rai**

**20. Compere in National seminar on "Gender, social Justice & Human Rights: with reference to North –East", organised by National Human Rights Commission, India & Nagaland University, Kohima campus, Meriema, held on 15<sup>th</sup> march, 2017 at SIRD Hall, Kohima.**

**21. Counting supervisor from Nagaland University, Kohima Campus, Meriema, in the Election of Nagaland Legislative Assembly 8<sup>th</sup> Western Angami Constituency, 2 march, 2018.**

**22. Member of NU Inspection team to Sazolie College, Kohima to study feasibility of permission for introduction of MA Pol.Sc and MA History, 23-05-2019.**

**23. Member of NU Inspection team to ST. Xavier's College, Jalukie for granting extension of Provisional affiliation for BA Hons in English and History, 28-05-2019.**

**24. Coordinator in Admissions 2019, Department of History & Archaeology, June 2019.**

**25. Chairperson, Celebration of 25 years of Nagaland University Jubilee Programme, held on 6<sup>th</sup> September, 2019, Kohima Campus, Meriema.**

**26. NU subject Expert for selection of faculty members at Unity College, Dimapur, 30-09-2019.**

**27. Member inspection team of NU to Eastern Christian College, Dimapur for granting provisional affiliation of Evening shift (Academic Session 2020-2021) BA (Gen) Polsc, Hist, socio, Eco, Edn, B. Com(Gen), B. Com (Hons) Accountancy, BA Hons. Hist**

**28. Chair, program on International Women's Day, Theme on "I am generation Equality: Securing Women's rights. # Each for Equal", organised by Women's Study centre, Nagaland University, Kohima Campus, Ladies common Room, held on 6<sup>th</sup> March, 2020**

29. **NU Subject Expert for selection of faculty members at Sazolie College, Kohima, 16-03-2020.**

30. **Exam Coordinator Covid period, 2020 -22 PG Online Examinations, Department of History & Arch, NU, Kohima, campus, 2021**

31. **Coordinator, MA Admissions, Dept of History & Archaeology, 2023**

### **Projects:**

1. Co-authored “Rural- Urban Migration - A Thematic Report”, Government of India and United Nations Development Project (GOI & UNDP Project)2009
2. UGC Capacity Building for Women Managers in Higher education, sponsored by UGC, organised by Nagaland University, 2012

### **Seminars /conferences attended:**

1. Resource person in the National Seminar on ‘Life and work of Rabindranath Tagore’ and presented a paper titled “Rabindranath Tagore’s works: a Literary overview “, 13<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> January 2012 at ICS centre Dimapur, jointly organised by Indigenous Cultural society Nagaland and Ministry of Culture, Government of india.
2. Presented paper on a lingual analysis ofLotha -Naga folk lore‘**Kyonnakvüsokumaeyiosukying**’ at the Regional Symposium on “Naga Oral literature” organised by SahityaAkademi, NECOL, in association with Nagaland University at Kohima on 4<sup>th</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> April 2014.
3. Presented Lecture in the Regional Seminar on “The Life and Times of Rani Gaidinliu”, and presented a lecture on the topic “The life and times of Rani Gaidinliu: Historical and Gender perspectives”, on 28<sup>th</sup> October 2015, organised by Women’s Studies Centre, Nagaland university.
4. Presented paper in International Conference on “contemporary American Literature, History, culture and politics”, and presented a paper on the topic “The Contribution of American Baptist Missionaries in the development of education and literature of the Nagas”, held from 28<sup>th</sup> February to 1<sup>st</sup> march 2019, organised by the department of English, Nagaland University.
5. Invited Lecture in Webinar on “SardarVallabhbhai Patel-His Life, Philosophy, Ideology & contribution”, jointly organized by Press Information Bureau, Kohima and Field outreach Bureau, Kohima, Ministry of Information & Broadcasting, on 30<sup>th</sup> October, 2020 (Friday).
6. Coordinator, for Skill India program, Dec 2019- March 2021, at Kohima, Nagaland.
7. Resource person and skills Evaluator for Skill India Program, conducted at TK Skills Training Center, Kohima, Nagaland, Dec 2020- March 2021.

8. Participated in Five Days Faculty Development Programme on Design, Develop and Deliver Online /Blended Learning Courses, sponsored by National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, organised by Dept of Teacher Education, NU, Nov,2023

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