Brief Profile: Dr. Aruna K. Panda

BRIEF PROFILE









(Last updated: March, 2015)

- Emerald Outstanding Paper Award Winner (2013). Emerald Literati Network. Emerald Group Publishing Ltd. (United Kingdom).
- Doctoral and Post Doctoral Fellow (Finance and Strategy) Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi (India).
- Post Doc Fellow with Outstanding Paper Publication Award in Management from the Governor and Chancellor, Berhampur University, Orissa, India (2012 and 2013).
- Post Doctoral Supervisor at King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia
- Topper, PGP -I and II, Dept. of Commerce, Berhampur University, Orissa (India).
- Guest Editor of the Journal "IRJSSCE" and "Outstanding Contributor to the field of Research Award" from the Education Minister, Orissa, India (2013).

Dr. Aruna Kumar Panda (born, 1978) is presently the Chief Consultant, International Society for Social Services (ISSS), Bhubaneswar, Orissa State (India). He is also the Post-Doc Fellow in Business Administration (Finance and Strategy) at Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), (under the Ministry of HRD), New Delhi, and affiliated to work with Department of IR & PM, Berhampur University, Orissa (India). He is a Visiting Faculty for Research and Development (R & D) at "Raksha Shakti Police University (RSU)", Govt. of Gujarat, since October, 2013. Dr. Panda has earned M.Phil. in Commerce and Ph.D. in Business Administration from Berhampur University, Orissa, and secured top University positions in M.Com Part-I and Part-II.

He has authored two reference books on banking and finance, and contributed research papers to several referred international journals like International Journal of Commerce and Management (IJCOMA, Emerald's, UK), Business Process Management Journal (BPMJ, Emerald's, UK), Small and Medium-Sized Enterprise and Entrepreneurship (SMEE) Review (University of Regina, Canada), Finance India (IIF, New Delhi), Fortune Journal of International Management (FIIB, New Delhi), Prabandhan: Indian Journal of Management (New Delhi) etc., to name a few. Apart, he is a member to the Editorial Advisory Board at American Academic and Scholarly Research Center (AASRC), (USA), American Research Foundation (USA), Strategic Research Society (USA), International journal of Economics, Business and Finance (IJEBF), International Research Journal in Social Science and Corporate Excellence (IRJSSCE), Asian Journal of Management Research (AJMR), and ITIHAS: The Journal of Indian Management. In addition, he is also a member to the Technical Committee and Reviewer Board at journals of repute like Business Process Management Journal (BPMJ, Emerald's, UK), Middle East Journal of Management (MEJM, InderScience), World Review of Entrepreneurship, Management and Sustainable Development (WREMSD, InderScience), Evaluation Review (SAGE International), Scientific Journal International (SIJ, USA) and of the World Academy of Science, Engineering and Technology (WASET, Paris). As an expert, he is also engaged in reviewing the Project (Hisrich Book: Entrepreneurship) for Tata McGraw-Hill Publication House exclusively by invitation from the development editor of the company. He has also supervised Dr. Divya Rana, Professor, King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia, for her post-doctoral research project.

In the year 2013, Dr. Panda was nominated for the high honour of "Outstanding Paper Award Winner: Award for Excellence 2013" from Emerald Literati Network, Emerald Group Publishing Ltd., United Kingdom and represented his research work at the top international level. In addition, he was also selected for the title "Post-doc Research Fellow with Outstanding Research Publications in the Professional Stream" twice for the years 2012 and 2013 and awarded with the

University Merit Certificates and Scholarship from His Excellence, Dr. S.C. Jamir, the Hon'ble Governor of Orissa. Dr. Panda has also successfully Guest Edited two special issues of the Journal *IRJSSCE* (Vol.1, Issue 2, November-March, 2013 and Vol.2, Issue 1, November-March, 2014).

Prior to joining his post-doc fellowship, Dr.Panda worked as a Centrally Administrated (CA) Doctoral Fellow in Business Administration at ICSSR, New Delhi, and worked with the Department of Business Administration, Berhampur University. He has also served at Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Ahmedabad (India) in the area of Business Policy, participated in several industrial consultancy sessions, MDPs and completed his assignment on Entrepreneurship course. In addition he has worked as a senior consultant to several research and consulting companies like MP Associates, under the DRT, BBSR, (India), International Society of Social Services (ISSS), BBSR (India), Consiga Global Management consultancy, New Delhi (India), etc. to name a few. He has participated, chaired and presented papers in several national and international seminars and workshops. His areas of expertise include corporate finance, corporate governance, strategic working capital management and its impact on corporate profitability, banking, entrepreneurship and strategic management.

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OTHER AFFILIATIONS

- Chief Consultant, International Society of Social Services (ISSS), BBSR (Orissa).
- Visiting Faculty for Research and Development (R & D), Raksha Shakti (Police) University (RSU), Govt. of Gujarat (India).

EDUCATIONAL CREDENTIALS

• Post-Doc in Business Administration (Finance & Strategy): (March, 2012 to till date, Full-time and Regular), Dept. of Industrial Relations & Personnel Management (IR & PM), Berhampur University, Orissa (India).

Title of the Thesis: "Impact of Working Capital Management on Profitability: An Empirical Investigation on Andhra Pradesh Paper Mills Ltd."

• Ph.D. in Business Administration (Finance & Strategy): (2012, Full-time and Regular), Dept. of Business Administration, Berhampur University, Orissa (India).

Title of the Thesis: "Working Capital Management in Andhra Pradesh Paper Mills Ltd.: An Empirical Analysis with reference to Indian Paper Industry" [The thesis has been recommended for publication, as it is, in the form of a book].

• **M.Phil. in Commerce:** (2005, Full-time and Regular), Dept. of Commerce, Berhampur University, Orissa (Cleared with 68.40% of Marks).

Title of the Thesis: "Working Capital Management in Indian Paper Industry" [The thesis has been published in the form of a book].

• Masters of Commerce: (2002, Full-time and Regular), Dept. of Commerce, Berhampur University, Orissa (1st Class with 69.70% of Marks).

WORK EXPERIENCE (12 + Years)

- Chief Consultant, International Society for Social Services (ISSS), Bhubaneswar-7, Orissa, India (Since 24th March, 2015 to till date).
- Visiting Faculty for Research and Development (R & D), Raksha Shakti University, Govt. of Gujarat, India (*Since* 9th October, 2013 to till date).
- Post-Doctoral Fellow (PDF) in Business Administration at Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi, and working with Dept. of IR & PM, Berhampur University, Orissa [From 20th March, 2012 to till date].
- Management Consultant to "International Society for Social Services", Bhubaneswar, Orissa, India [4th April, 2011 to 12th March, 2012].
- Centrally Administrated Doctoral Fellow in Business Administration at Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi, and worked at Berhampur University, Orissa [From 27th September, 2007 to 31st March, 2011].
- Management Consultant to M.P. Associate Private Ltd., a development, consulting and research company, Bhubaneswar, Orissa [From 18th January, 2007 to 20th September, 2007].
- Trainee Academic Associate (TA), Business Policy Area, Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Ahmadabad, and completed the assignment on Entrepreneurship Course [from 14th July, 2006 to 13th January, 2007]
- Management Consultant to M.P. Associate Private Ltd., a development, consulting and research company, Bhubaneswar, Orissa [From 25th October, 2004 to 28th June, 2006].
- Management Consultant to "International Society for Social Services", a registered society (1994), Bhubaneswar, Orissa (India) [10th October, 2003 to 15th October, 2004].

RANKS, AWARDS AND HONOURS (9)

- Worked as the Guest Editor of the journal IRJSSCE for its 2nd special edition, Volume 2, Issue 1, March, 2014 and honoured with the *award* and "Certificate of Recognition" from the Chief Editor of the Journal.
- Honoured with the title "Research Scholar for Outstanding Research Publications in Professional Stream (2013) along with the Certificate of Merit and Scholarship from Dr. S.C. Jamir, the Hon'ble Governor of Orissa, in the presence of the

Vice-Chancellor, Berhampur University, Orissa (India) during the celebration of the 48th Foundation Day of the University on 2nd January, 2014.

- Selected for the high honour of "Emerald Outstanding Paper Award Winner: Emerald Literati Network, Awards for Excellence (2013)". Nominated on behalf of International Journal of Commerce and Management (IJCM), Emerald Group Publishing Limited, United Kingdom, (The details can be seen at: http://www.emeraldinsight.com/authors/literati/awards.htm?year=2013&journal=ijcoma).
- Honoured with the title "Research Scholar for Outstanding Research Publications in Professional Stream (2012) along with the Certificate of Merit and Scholarship from Dr. Ramesh C.C. Patnaik, the Hon'ble MLA (Berhampur) and Member of the Governing Body, Berhampur University (Orissa) in the presence of Sri Badri Narayan patro, the Hon'ble Minister, Higher Education (Orissa) and the Vice Chancellor, Berhampur University during the celebration of the 47th Foundation Day of the University on 2nd January, 2013.
- Awarded with the "Certificate of Recognition" from Sri Prashanta Nanda, Former Education Minister, Orissa (India) and the Chief Editor, IRJSSCE, for the outstanding contribution to the field of research as well as my contribution as the 'Guest Editor', International Research Journal in Social Science and Corporate Excellence (IRJSSCE), for its 1st special edition, Vol. 1, Issue 2: March, 2013.
- Awarded with the *Post Doctoral Fellowship (P.D.F) in Business Administration* from ICSSR, New Delhi, during the session 2011-12, renewed for the sessions 2012-13, 2013-14.
- Awarded with the *Centrally Administrated (CA) Doctoral Fellowship in Business Administration (under the Open Category) from ICSSR, New Delhi,* during the session 2007-08, renewed for the sessions 2008-09 and 2009-2010.
- Awarded with "Late Narasingh Padhy Memorial Scholarship' and "University Merit Certificate" for securing University top position in M.Com (Part-I).
- Honoured with 'Late Justice Abhimanyu Mishra Memorial Scholarship' and University Merit Certificate' for achieving University top position in M.Com (Part-II).

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

Reference Books (2)

- Panda, A.K., and Shyamala, P., (2009). *Profitability Analysis of Commercial Banks*. New Delhi: Discovery Publishing House Pvt. Ltd., (ISBN: 978-81-8356-489-2).
- Mahapatra, R.P. and Panda, A.K., (2008). *Working Capital Management in Indian Paper Industry*. New Delhi: Indian Publisher's Distributors (IPD), (*ISBN: 8177341-436-X*).

Edited Books (2)

- Panda, A.K. and Jain, A. (Ed) (2016). Society, Business and Strategies: Multi-disciplinary Approaches". United Kingdom: Palgrave McMillan (Forthcoming).
- Panda, A.K. and Lohana, S. (Ed) (2016). *Mutual Funds: Perspectives and Strategies in India*. (Forthcoming).

Book Manuscript under Process (2)

- Panda, A.K. (2016). Working Capital Management: Lessons from an Indian Paper Manufacturing Company.
- Panda, G.M. and Panda, A.K. (2016). Human Resource Management in the East Coast Zone of Indian Railways: A Case Study.

Research Papers in Referred Journals (11)

International (10), SSRN eJournal [International] (1)

- Panda, A.K. (2013). "Impact of Working Capital Management on Corporate Wellbeing: A Review of Selected Studies". Finance India, (Indian Institute of Finance, New Delhi), June, XXVII (2): 451-470. [Referred and Indexed, having ISSN: 0970-3772. Further, the journal has been ranked as "C" in the Australian Business Deans Council (ABDC) Ranking].
- Panda, A.K. and Panda, G.M. (2013). "Out of Shell: Charming Avenue or Economics Compulsion? A Strategic Review on Women Entrepreneurship in Orissa". International Research Journal for Social Science and Corporate Excellence (IRJSSCE), 1(2): 13-23. Available at: http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2234800. [A peer reviewed journal, having ISSN: 2319-8176].

[Credit attached: The paper secured the position in SSRN's top ten list for four international journals, namely: (I) Development Economics: Women, Gender and Human Development e-Journal, (II) Entrepreneurship and Economics e-Journal, (III) Labor: Human Capital e-Journal and (IV) Social Entrepreneurship e-Journal. Paper Statistics [SSRN]: Abstract view = 316, Downloads = 78].

Panda, A.K. (2012). "Business Process Outsourcing: A Strategic Review on Perspective". **Process** Management Indian Business Iournal (BPMJ).Emerald Group Publishing Ltd., United Kingdom, November Issue, 18(6): 876-897. structured abstract is available The at: http://www.emeraldinsight.com/journals.htm?articleid=17062866 and also at http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2238248. [Referred and Indexed, having ISSN: 1463-7154. Further, the journal has been ranked as "B" in the Australian Business Deans Council (ABDC) Ranking].

[Credit attached: (1) Recorded as one of the most popular articles of Emerald with a full-text download rate of 1213 times from the website of the journal. (2) Before its publication, a first draft of this paper (peer reviewed and referred) was accepted for oral presentation at the **International Conference** on Economics, Business Management and Marketing (ICEBM) that was held in Paris (FRANCE), during June 28-30, 2010, organized by the World Academy of Science, Engineering & Technology (WASET). Paper statistics (SSRN): Abstract view = 278, downloads = 84].

• Panda, A.K. (2012). "The Status of Working Capital and its Relationship with Sales: An Empirical Investigation of Andhra Pradesh Paper Mills Ltd.", International Journal of Commerce and Management (IJCM), Emerald Group Publishing Ltd., United Kingdom, 22(1): 36-52. [The structured abstract is available at: http://www.emeraldinsight.com/journals.htm?articleid=17020898 and also at: http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2238251. [Referred and Indexed, having ISSN: 1056-9219. Further, the journal has been ranked as "C" in the Australian Business Deans Council (ABDC) Ranking].

[Credit attached: Awarded as the 'Winner/Outstanding Paper of the Year (2013) on behalf of IJCOMA, Emerald Group Publishing Ltd., United Kingdom, with a full-text download rate of 2162 times from the website of the journal. Paper statistics (SSRN): Abstract view = 376, downloads = 81].

• Panda, A.K., (2011). "Entrepreneurship under Threat - A Case Study on Kich Group of Companies, Rajkot, Gujarat (India)". Small and Medium-sized Enterprises and Entrepreneurship (SMEE) Review. University of Regina, Canada, 4(1): 20-25. The abstract with full-text is available at: http://www.uregina.ca/business/assets/cmd/SMEE-Review-2011.pdf and also at: http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2254391. [Referred and Indexed, having ISSN: 1918-9605].

[Credit attached: The paper was based on a management consultancy session held at IIM-Ahmedabad, where the author was a panel member. Paper statistics (SSRN): Abstract view = 340, downloads = 54].

- Panda, A.K. (2011). "The Growth and Development of Andhra Pradesh paper Mills Ltd. A Benchmark Success in the History of Indian Paper Industry". Management Arts: Elixir International Journal, April Issue, 34(2011): 2480-2483. The full-text with abstract is available at: http://www.elixirpublishers.com/articles/1349952624_34%20(2011)%202480-2483.pdf. [Referred and Indexed, having ISSN: 2229-712X].
- Panda, A.K. and Panda, G.M. (2011). "The Role of Corporate Audit for Best Corporate Governance: A Reality Check". *Management Arts: Elixir International Journal*, January Issue, 30(2011): 1819-1822. Available at: http://www.elixirpublishers.com/articles/1349779310_30%20(2011)%201819-1822.pdf and http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2242462. [Referred and Indexed, having ISSN: 2229-712X].

[Paper statistics (SSRN): Abstract view = 348, downloads = 106].

- Panda, A.K. (2010). "A Bibliographic Sketch on Working Capital Management". *Prabandhan: Indian Journal of Management*. September, 3(9): 43-55. Available at: <a href="http://digitaledition.indianjournalofmanagement.com/32264/Prabandhan-Indian-Journal-of-Management/PIJM-Sep10-Article6-A-Bibliographic-Sketch-On-Working-Capital-Management#page/1/1. [A double blind peer reviewed referred and indexed journal, having ISSN: 0975-2854].
- Panda, A.K. and Misra, P.C. (2010). "Is Corporate Audit equipped enough to have Best Corporate Disclosure? A Reality Check on an Indian Context". Fortune Journal of International Management. Journal of Fortune Institute of International Business, New Delhi. January June Issue, 7(1): 13-23. Available at: http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2252978. [A Referred journal, having ISSN: 0973-0079].

[Paper statistics (SSRN): Abstract view = 180, downloads = 44].

- Panda, A.K. and Panda, D.K., (2010). "Role of Micro Finance in Poverty Alleviation: A Case Study of Syndicate Bank". *Co-operative Perspective*. Sri Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Co-operative Management (VAMNICOM). July 2009 March, 2010, 44(2-4): 8-12. The abstract is available at the library of the International Labour Organization (ILO): http://labordoc.ilo.org/record/434112. [A Referred journal having ISSN: 0302-7767].
- A.K. (2009)."E-Commerce: A Conceptual Understanding". Panda, eBusiness and eCommerce eJournal. Social Science Electronic Publishing Inc. Available online Social Science Research Network eLibrary. at: http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/Jeljour_results.cfm?form_name=journalbrowse&journ

<u>al_id=1475385&Network=no&lim=false</u>. The full paper with abstract can be seen at: http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=1495786.

[Paper statistics (SSRN): Abstract view = 288, downloads = 76].

RESEARCH PAPERS UNDER DEVELOPMENT (6)

- Panda, A.K. (2016). "Has the Working Capital Management anything to do with the Profitability of an organisation?: A Case Study on Andhra Pradesh Paper Mills Ltd.".
- Panda, A.K. (2016). "An Empirical Analysis with respect to the various Sources of Financing Gross Working Capital of Andhra Pradesh Paper Mills Ltd.".
- Panda, A.K. (2016). "A Growth-Trend Model Approach for Investigating the Patterns of Financing Gross Working Capital / Working Capital Gap in relation to Sales of Andhra Pradesh Paper Mills Ltd."
- Panda, A.K. (2016). "Estimating the Significance of Working Capital Management on Corporate Profitability through Regression Analysis: An Empirical Investigation in Andhra Pradesh Paper Mills Ltd. with reference to Indian Paper Industry".
- Panda, A.K. (2016). "Working Capital Management Theory and Discussion".
- Panda, A.K. (2016). "Paper Industry in India: A Brief discussion"

RESEARCH PROJECT (POST DOCTORAL) GUIDED

- **Title of the Project:** "An Empirical Study on Sustainability and Carbon Emissions Reduction: Practices and Policies of Organizations in Kingdom of Saudi Arabia".
- **Project Details:** The project report was prepared for King Abdulaziz University, Deanship of Scientific Research, Ministry of Higher Education, Kingdom of Soudi Arabia, having Grant No (176/245/1434) and time duration of 9 Months, 2014-15.
- **To whom Guided:** Dr. Divya Rana, Assistant Professor of Management, Department of Business Administration, King Abdulaziz University, Ministry of Higher Education, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

CHAIR PERSON / RESOURCE PERSON / INVITED SPEAKER

- Acted as a chair person at the **International conference** on *Interdisciplinary Approaches in Commerce and Management*, organized by Matoshri Pratishthan Group of Institutions (MPGI), School of Management, Nanded, in March 28-29, 2014.
- Conducted expert lecturer on Entrepreneurship for MBA 1st year students at Matoshri Pratishthan Group of Institutions (MPGI), School of Management, Nanded in December 07, 2013.
- Carried out special lecturer on "career prospects in finance after MBA" for the 2nd year Management students at Matoshri Pratishthan Group of Institutions (MPGI), School of Management, Nanded in December 07, 2013.

COURSES RESTRUCTURED

- Worked jointly with the senior professors at IIMA and helped in restructuring the "Entrepreneurship" course.
- Currently reviewing and restructuring a book project "Hisrich: Entrepreneurship" for Tata McGraw-Hill Publication Company. It is the Sixth Edition of the book, authored by Robert D Hisrich, Michale P Peters and Dean A Shepherd. The work is being done on request from the side of the Development Editor, Tata McGraw-Hill Companies.

EXAM INVIGILATION

• Served as an exam invigilator from time to time for post graduate and doctoral level examinations as per the requirement of the PGP Office at IIMA. In addition, acted twice as the chief exam invigilator at IIMA and successfully discharged my duty.

PARTICIPATION / PRESENTATION IN SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS (12)

- Panda, A.K. (2014). "Constructing Liquidity Index Model with reference to Composition of Working Capital: A Case Study in Andhra Pradesh Paper Mills Ltd.". Paper presented on the occasion of the International conference on Interdisciplinary Approaches in Commerce and Management (Session-I), organized by Matoshri Pratishthan Group of Institutions (MPGI), School of Management, Nanded.
- Panda, A.K. (2014). "Evaluation of Working Capital Management through Ratio Analysis: An Empirical Investigation in Andhra Pradesh Paper Mills Ltd.". Paper presented on the occasion of the International conference on Interdisciplinary

- Approaches in Commerce and Management (Session-II), organized by Matoshri Pratishthan Group of Institutions (MPGI), School of Management, Nanded.
- Panda, A.K. (2012). Participated in the **National Conference** on *Perspectives on Employment Relations*, organized by the Post Graduate Dept. of Industrial Relations and Personnel Management (IR & PM), Berhampur University, Orissa.
- Panda, A.K. (2010). "Role of Non-Bank and Bank-Credit in Financing Working Capital of Andhra Pradesh Paper Mills Ltd.: A Critical Analysis". Paper presented in the 63rd All India Commerce Conference (Session-I), organized by the Faculty of Commerce, Goa University (India).
- Panda, A.K. (2010). "Significance of Trade Credit in financing Working Capital of Andhra Pradesh Paper Mills Ltd.: An Empirical Investigation". Paper presented in the 63rd All India Commerce Conference (Session-II), organized by the Faculty of Commerce, Goa University (India).
- Panda, A.K. (2010). Participated in the **National Conference** on *Business Ethics and Corporate Social Responsibility*, organized by the Post Graduate Dept. of Industrial Relations and Personnel Management (IR & PM), Berhampur University, Orissa.
- Panda, A.K. and Mishra, P.C. (2009). "Women Entrepreneurship in Orissa: Issues and Challenges". Paper presented on the occasion of the **National Seminar** on *Women Empowerment in India: Issues and Challenges*, organized by Dept. of Economics, Osmania University College for Women (OUCW), (Autonomous), Hyderabad, and sponsored by UGC, ICSSR, WCD GOI and WCD AP.
- Panda, A.K. and Mishra, P.C. (2007). "Problems & Prospects of Women Entrepreneurs in Orissa", Paper presented in the **National Seminar** on *Rural Entrepreneurship & Sustainable Development in Orissa*, organized by Dept. of Commerce, KBDAV College, Nirakarpur, Orissa and sponsored by UGC.
- Panda, A.K., (2006). Participated in the **International Seminar** on *Influence of the Strategic Window on Founding and Sheltering Firms* with the capacity of an area staff member, organized by the Business Policy Area, IIM-Ahmadabad.
- Panda, A.K., (2001). "The Myth & Realities of Corporate Governance The Highlights to Corporate Audit". Presented the paper in the **National Seminar** on *Commerce Education in the New Millennium*, jointly organized by ICAI, New Delhi and Dept. of Commerce, Berhampur University, (B.U.), Orissa.
- Panda, A.K., (2000). Participated in the **National Workshop** on *E-Commerce*, organized by the Dept. of Commerce, Berhampur University (B.U.), Orissa.

• Panda, A.K., (2000). Attended the **District Level Workshop** on *Problems of Entrepreneurs in Ganjam District*, jointly organized by the Dept. of Commerce, (B.U.) and ACEEFO, (B.U.), Orissa.

GUEST EDITOR

• Guest Edited two special issues of the journal "International Research Journal for Social Science and Corporate Excellence (IRJSSCE)" i.e. Vol.1, Issue 2, March, 2013 and Vol.2, Issue 1, March, 2014 and reviewed around 21 research papers. In addition, reviewed a few research papers for the journals of Emerald and InderScience.

MEMBER: EDITORIAL ADVISORY BOARD

- American Academic and Scholarly Research Center (AASRC: USA), American Academic
 and Scholarly Research Journal (AASRJ: USA) and "American Research Foundation
 (USA)". The details can be seen at: (http://aasrc.org/advisory-board).
- "International Journal of Economics, Business and Finance (IJEBF)" that can be accessed online at: (http://ijebf.com/Editorial%20Board.php).
- "International Research Journal for Social Science and Corporate Excellence (IRJSSCE)", [Print ISSN: 2319-8176], that can be accessed at: (http://www.irjssce.com/member.html).
- Asian Journal of Management Research (AJMR). The details can be seen at: (http://www.ipublishing.co.in/ajmreditorialboard.html).
- ITIHAS: The Journal of Indian Management. The details can be seen at: (http://www.itihas.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=20&Itemid=13).

MEMBER: EDITORIAL REVIEWER BOARD

- Business Process Management Journal (BPMJ), Emerald Group Publishing Ltd., United Kingdom.
- Middle East Journal of Management (MEJM), InderScience.
- World Review of Entrepreneurship, Management and Sustainable Development (WREMSD), InderScience.
- *Scientific Journal International (SIJ)* that can be seen online at: (http://www.scientificjournals.org/editorial_board.htm#Economics).

• World Academy of Science, Engineering and Technology (WASAT), USA, that can be seen at: (https://www.waset.org/member/arunapanda).

MEMBER: INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

- Served as an International Conference Committee Member at the "World Academy of Science, Engineering and Technology (WASET)", USA, for its several International conferences, organized in different Countries. The details are here under:
 - 15th International Conference on Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management. Rome, Italy, September 26-27, 2013. Available online at: (https://www.waset.org/conference/2013/09/rome/ICEIM/committees).
 - 15th International Conference on Management Engineering. Paris, France, October 7-8, 2013. The details can be seen online at: (http://www.waset.org/confer\nce/2013/10/paris/ICME/committees).
 - 15^{th} International Conference on Strategic Management. Osaka, Japan, 2013. The details October 14-15, are available online at: (https://www.waset.org/conference/2013/10/osaka/ICSM/committees).
 - 15th International Conference on Cloud Computing and Services Science. Dubai, UAE, October 22-23, 2013. Available online at: (http://www.waset.org/conference/2013/10/dubai/ICCCSS/committees).
 - 15th International Conference on Information and Multimedia Technology. Venice, Italy, November 14-15, 2013. Available online at: (https://www.waset.org/conference/2013/11/venice/ICIMT/committees).
 - 15th International Conference on Finance and Accounting. Melbourne, Australia, December 16-17, 2013. Available online at: (http://www.waset.org/conference/2013/12/melbourne/ICFA/committees).
 - 15th International Conference on Business Process Management. Bangkok, Thailand, December 24-25, 2013. Available online at: (http://www.waset.org/conference/2013/12/bangkok/ICBPM/committees).
 - 15th International Conference on Innovation, Management and Technology. Phuket, Thailand, December 26-27, 2013. Available at: (http://www.waset.org/conference/2013/12/phuket/ICIMT/committees).
 - 16th International Conference on Islamic Banking, Finance and Investment. Zurich, Switzerland, January 14-15, 2014. Available at: (https://www.waset.org/conference/2014/01/zurich/ICIBFI/committees).

- 16th International Conference on Management and Social Science. London, United Kingdom, January 20-21, 2014. Available at: (https://www.waset.org/conference/2014/01/london/ICMSS/committees).
- 16th International Conference on Innovation, Engineering Management and Technology. Istanbul, Turkey, January 27-28, 2014. Available at: (https://www.waset.org/conference/2014/01/istanbul/ICIEMT/committees).
- 16th International Conference on Service Science, Management and Engineering. Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, February 13-14, 2014. Available at: (https://www.waset.org/conference/2014/02/kuala-lumpur/ICSSME/committees).
- 16th International Conference on Private Law. Dubai, UAE, March 12-13, 2014. Available online at: (https://www.waset.org/conference/2014/03/dubai/ICPL/committees).
- 16th International Conference on Strategic Management on Higher Education. Paris, France, November 21-22, 2014. The details can be seen at: (https://www.waset.org/conference/2014/11/paris/ICSMHE/committees).
- 17th International conference on Sustainable Technologies. Los Angeles, USA, April 3-4, 2015. The details are available at: (https://www.waset.org/conference/2015/04/losangeles/ICST/committees).

INDUSTRIAL TOURS

- Visited NALCO (Orissa) and investigated about its strategic and financial operations as a part of M.Com, Part-I course work.
- Visited J.K.Paper Mills Ltd. (Orissa) and studied about its financial and operational status as a part of M.Com, Part-II course work.

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