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Area of Specialization: Labour Economics, Development Economics, Public Economics

# List of Books Published

- 1) Prakasam Seepana (2009): Migrant labor in India issues and concerns, ISBN 978-93-80096-39-1, Alfa Publications New Delhi, pp 123
- 2) Prakasam Seepana (2011): Domestic woman-workers in India, ISBN 978-81-7541-594-2, Shipra Publishers New Delhi, pp 200

- 3) Prakasam Seepana (2016): Urban Street Vendors In India, ISBN 13-978-93 327, Academic Foundation New Delhi
- 4) Prakasam Seepana (2017):Urban Poverty in India, ISBN 978-93-5128-293-8, Kalpaj/Gyan Publications, New Delhi, pp 250
- 5) Prakasam Seepana (2019): Social Security for workers in India, ISBN 978-81-921023-7-5, Bookwell Publications New Delhi, pp203
- 6) Prakasam Seepana (2020):Microeconomics(Text Book for BA Economics Panjab University),ISBN 978-81-94698-87-6, Mahindra Publications, Chandigarh pp 175

#### List of Books Edited

- 1) Prakasam Seepana (2013): Informal Employment in India (Issues and Challenges), ISBN 978-93-82059-0350-6, Book well Publications New Delhi, pp 308
- 2) Prakasam Seepana, Vinita Rao and Gurpreet Kaur (2020): Inclusive Development in India, ISBN 978-81-921023-9-9, Book well Publications New Delhi, pp 197
- 3) Prakasam Seepana, Vinita Rao and Gurpreet Kaur (2022): Decent Work in India, ISBN 9789392958, Book well Publications New Delhi, pp

# **List of Papers Published In Edited Books**

- Prakasam Seepana (2011): Trade off between sustainable development and rural poverty, (ed)
  Reinvesting public management &development in emerging economies, ISBN 023-033-273-0,
  Mac Millan/Delhi, pp 625-640
- 2) Prakasam Seepana (2011): Social security for unorganized workers in India is myth or reality, (ed) Anatomy of public policy reforms and development, ISBN 023-033-274-9, Mac Millan/Delhi, pp773-790
- 3) Prakasam Seepana (2011): Trade-off between consumption expenditure and economic growth, (ed) Impact of Global recession on Indian retail sector, ISBN9788192045429, J.K. Sehgal, Mohindra Publishing House, Chd, pp179-190
- 4) Prakasam Seepana (2012): ICT and E-governance to remove information poverty in rural India, (ed) Web information systems and technologies, ISBN 978-93-80144-22, Pradeep Singh Walia, Twenty-first Century Publications/Patiala pp143-153
- 5) Prakasam Seepana (2012): Food Security As A Human Right In India, (ed) Human Rights :Some concerns in India, ISBN 978-93-5068-022, Manoj Kumar, Unistar/Chd pp 53-60
- 6) Prakasam Seepana (2012): Poverty and human rights of minorities in India, (ed) Human Rights for all, ISBN 978-81-922377-3-2, Manoj Kumar, centre for positive philosophy/Pehowa, pp149-158
- 7) Prakasam Seepana (2012): The Multidimensional Impact of Better Media Governance on Removal of Poverty In India, (ed) Media and Governance, ISBN 978-938014491-7, Ajay Kumar Sharma, pp110-119

- 8) Prakasam Seepana (2013): Income levels of migrant informal labour in India (a field level investigation),(ed) Informal employment in India, ISBN 978-81-92102-36-8, S.Prakasam, Book well publishers, New Delhi, pp 200-228
- 9) Prakasam Seepana (2013): Micro finance and urban poverty :an investigation, (ed) Micro finance building bridges between economy and society, ISBN 978-93-81604-84-7, SurenderMor,pp14-21
- 10) Prakasam Seepana (2014): Impact of Globalisation on quality of employment in India, (ed) Globalization economy and society, ISBN 9351250598, Jagdish Chander Mehta, Concept Publishers, New Delhi, pp128-138
- 11) Prakasam Seepana (2014): Impact of globalization on labour market in India (An analytical enquiry), (ed) Human Resources management and corporate social responsibility, ISBN 9789383-842827, Rachna Kishor Gedam, Excel India Publishers, New Delhi, pp105-115
- 12) Prakasam Seepana (2015): What went wrong With the multinational approach for rural development in India, (ed) Agriculture Performance And Rural Development In India, ISBN 978-81-302-0310-2, Gian Singh, Publication bureau Punjabi University, Patiala, pp327-341
- 13) Prakasam Seepana (2015): Impact of Future Trading on Food Security in India, (ed) Food Security and Sustainable Rural Development, ISBN 978-93-82983-73-6, K.A.Rasure, Managlam Publications New Delhi, pp130-137
- 14) Prakasam Seepana (2016): Human Rights violation of migrant female care workers in India, (ed) Human Rights of marginalized groups, ISBN 978-93-85447-01-3, Manoj kumar, Twenty First Century Publications, pp288-296
- 15) Prakasam Seepana and Gurpreet Kaur (2019): Living conditions of migrant construction Workers in India (A micro level study), (ed), Inclusive Development In India, ISBN 978-81-921023-9-9, S.Prakasam Vinita Rao and Gurpreet Kaur, Book Well Publications New Delhi, pp62-71
- 16) Prakasam Seepana and Vinita Rao (2019): Decent work for inclusive development in India, (ed), Inclusive Development In India, ISBN ISBN 978-81-921023-9-9, S.Prakasam Vinita Rao and Gurpreet Kaur, Book Well Publications New Delhi, pp 72-78
- 17) Prakasam Seepana (2021): Higher education in India-Issues and challenges, (ed) Insearch of balanced development in India through reducing disparity and ineaquality, ISBN 978-81-946182-1-8, Budhen Kumar Saikia, Navyog Books International, New Delhi
- 18) Prakasam Seepana and Gurpreet Kaur (2022): Decent Work Status of Self-Employed Informal Service Workers: Case Study of Chandigarh, (ed) Decent work in India, ISBN 9789392958,, S.Prakasam Vinita Rao and Gurpreet Kaur, Book Well Publications New Delhi, pp
- 19) Prakasam Seepana (2022): The Impact of Covid 19 First Wave Lockdown on Informal Workers in India, (ed) Decent work in India, ISBN 97893929**58**, S.Prakasam, Vinita Rao and Gurpreet Kaur, Book Well Publications New Delhi, pp

## **Papers Published In Journals**

- 1) Prakasam, Seepana (2008): "Socio economic analysis of conditions of migrant labor", *Political economy journal of India*, ISSN 0971-2097.17,(3&4), vol 17, issue 34,pp58-69
- 2) Prakasam, Seepana (2008): "Gender bias in Indian labor market", *Research journal Social sciences* PU Chd, ISSN 0251-348X17 (3), vol 17, issue 3, pp 55-72
- **3**) Prakasam, Seepana (2011): "Labour supply and earnings of domestic female workers", *Research journal Social sciences PU Chd, ISSN* 0251-348x, vol 19, issue 3, pp 168-177
- **4)** Prakasam, Seepana (2011): "Financial inclusion through micro finance is a panacea for rural development in India, *Fusion*, *ISSN*, 2231-20051(1), vol 1, pp1-19
- 5) Prakasam, Seepana (2011): "Employment and living conditions of female domestic workers in India", *Man and development*, ISSN 0258-0438, vol xxxiii, issue 4, pp 41-54
- **6)** Prakasam, Seepana (2011): "Domestic workers in time and space: concerns and measures", *Political economy journal of India*, ISSN 0971-2097, vol 20, issue 40, pp 34-44
- 7) Prakasam, Seepana (2011): "Impact of inflation on food security in India", Fusion,ISSN 2231-2005.1(2),vol 2, pp180-188
- 8) Prakasam, Seepana (2011): "Energy Poverty Is An Hurdle For Rural Transformation And Sustainable Growth In Indian", *Indian Journal of of economics, ISSN* 0019-4662, special issue, pp 312-319
- 9) Prakasam, Seepana (2012): "Income levels of Domestic workers in India", *Research journal Social sciences, ISSN* 0251-348X
- **10**) Prakasam, Seepana (2012): "Tradeoff between economic growth and decent work", *Indian economic journal*, *ISSN* 0019-4662, special issue, pp181-187
- 11) Prakasam, Seepana (2012): "The Vulnerabilities Of Elderly Women In India", *Political economy journal of India, ISSN* 0971-2097, vol 21, issue 42, pp100-105
- 12) Prakasam, Seepana (2012): "Inclusive growth in rural India is a myrth or reality", Fusion, ISSN 2231-2005, vol 4
- 13) Prakasam, Seepana and Nirmal thakur (2012): "Inclusive Growth in rural India is a myth or reality", Fusion, ISSN 2231-2005
- 14) Prakasam, Seepana (2013): "Socio-Economic Status of Street Vendors (Case study of Chandigarh)", *Man and Development, ISSN* 0258-0438,vol xxxv, issue 3, pp83-94.

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- 16) Prakasam, Seepana (2014): "Living conditions of migrant service workers in urban India (case study of Chandigarh)", *Journal of sociology and Social work (American Journal, ISSN* 2333-5815, vol 2, issue 1, pp 99-121
- 17) Prakasam, Seepana (2014): "Pre-Migration Economic Status of Street Vendors(Case study of Chandigarh)" *Research journal Social sciences, ISSN* 0251-348X, vol22, issue 1, pp151-160
- 18) Prakasam, Seepana (2014): "Employment and living conditions of female agricultural labour" IJMAR, ISSN 2348-7623, vol 1, issue 1, pp 107-116.
- 19) Prakasam, Seepana (2014): "Inflation is an hurdle to achieve food security in India", Bihar Economic Journal, ISSN 2230-8970, vol1, issue 1, pp 351-356
- 20) Prakasam, Seepana (2014): "Working Conditions Of Labor In Informal Sector In India" The Indian economic journal, ISSN 0019-4662, special issue, pp172-180
- 21) Prakasam, Seepana and Jagdish Mehata (2014): "Pre and post migration economic status of migrant service workers working on the streets a case study of Chandigarh", *Diviner, ISSN* 0973-8320, vol 2, issue 2, pp65-76
- 22) Prakasam, Seepana (2014): "Vulnerabilities of stationary and mobile urban street vendors in India (A micro level study)", *Urban India,ISSN* 0970-9045, vol 34, issue 2, 159-174.
- 23) Prakasam, Seepana (2014): "Urban informal sector employment and social security", *Political economy journal of India, ISSN* 0971-2097,vol 23, issue 46, pp 45-50
- 24) Prakasam, Seepana and A.Xavier Susairaj (2015): "The status of vocational education in Higher secondary schools (Case Study of Vellore District, Tamil Nadu)" Diviner, ISSN 0973-8320, vol 12, issue 3, 142-153
- 25) Prakasam, Seepana and Shankar Kumar (2015): "Seasonal Migration in India is an exit route for poverty", *Bihar Economic Journal, ISSN* 2230-8970, vol 4, issue 2, pp 67-74
- 26) Prakasam, Seepana and Balkant Sharma (2015): "Indian Journal of Economics, ISSN0019-4662, special issue, pp 230-235
- 27) Prakasam, Seepana (2017): "Implementation & Impact of Public Distribution System in India (Case study of Chandigarh)," *Man and Development, ISSN* 0258-0438, vol **xxxxi, issue 1,** pp99-112

- 28) Prakasam, Seepana (2017): "Implementation of urban anti-poverty programmes in China-Lessons for India", *Political economy journal of India*, *ISSN* 0971-2097, vol 24, issue 48, pp 76-81
- 29) Prakasam, Seepana (2017): "Social security status of urban informal workers in Thailand, Bangkok –lessons for India ", Political economy journal of India, ISSN 0971-2097, vol 25, issue 49, pp51-5
- 30) Prakasam, Seepana (2017): "Perceptions of In-Charge Teachers of Mid-DayMeal Scheme in India (Case study of UT Chandigarh)", Indian Education Review, ISSN 0019-4700, vol 54, issue 2, pp 72-80
- 31) Prakasam, Seepana (2017): "Implementation & Impact of Rashtriya Swasthya Bima Yojana (RSBY) in India (Case Study of UT Chandigarh)", *Himalayan Journal Of Contemporary Research,ISSN* 2319-3174, vol 6, issue 1, pp 1696-1702
- 32) Prakasam, Seepana (2016): "The Dynamics of Urban Poverty in India-Case study of Chandigarh", *Urban India*, *ISSN* 0970-9045, vol 36, issue 2, pp 126-140
- 33) Prakasam, Seepana (2016): "Plight of migrant Informal Labour in India (Case Study of UT Chandigarh)", *Political economy journal of India, ISSN* 0971-2097, vol 25, issue 50, pp 74-80
- 34) Prakasam, Seepana (2017): "Perceptions of Parents & Children on Implementation of Mid-Day Meal Scheme in India(Case study of UT Chandigarh)", *Journal of Indian Education*, ISSN 0377-0435, vol XL111, issue 1, pp
- 35) Prakasam, Seepana and Vinita rao (2017): "Social protection for workers in urban India(Micro level study)", *Indian Journal of Economics, ISSN* 0019-4662, special issue, pp 599-606
- 36) Prakasam, Seepana and Vinita rao (2018): "Financial Inclusion in Rural India", *Indian Journal of Economics*, ISSN 0019-4662, special issue, pp1-6
- 37) Prakasam, Seepana and Jagdish Mehata (2017): "Customers perceptions on street vendors (case study of Chandigarh)", *Diviner, ISSN* 0973-8320, vol 14, issue 2, pp 78-79
- 38) Prakasam, Seepana (2019): "Impact of Mid-day meal on body mass index on school children in India", *Journal of Indian Education*, ISSN 0377-0435, vol XLV, issue 1, pp 115-121
- **39**) Prakasam, Seepana and Vinita rao (2018): "Role of services exports from India on human capital formation in Kenya(Africa", *Political Economy Journal of India*, **ISSN** 0971-2097, vol 27, issue 3&4, pp 34-39

- **40**) Prakasam, Seepana and Vinita rao (2019): "Trade off between social inclusion and social protection for working poor in India", *Indian Economic Journal*, **ISSN** 0019-4662, special issue, pp 19-26
- **41**) Prakasam, Seepana (2020): "Migrant workers low quality employment is an hurdle for inclusive growth in India", *Bihar Economic Journal, special issue*, pp 251-256
- **42**) Prakasam, Seepana (2020): "Direct Benefit Transfer Scheme Is The Best Alternative For Public Distribution System, To Mitigate Hunger In India?", *Intellectual Quest(e-journal)*, ISSN 2349-1949, vol 14, pp 1-9
- **43**) Prakasam, Seepana and Vinita rao (2018): "New Education Policy 2020, Can Enhance Quality of Higher Education in India?", *Indian Economic Journal*, ISSN 0019-4662, special issue, pp220-228

## **Chapters in Distance Education Course Material**

1) Prakasam, Seepana and Harsh Gandhar (2013): "Centre and states financial relations in India", Panjab university USOL, dept of Economics for *MA Economics in public finance* 

# **Awards and Recognition**

- (a) Best theme paper award received in 2018 from Indian Economic Association
- (b) Appreciation letter received from UT administration for social service during Covid-19.

# Any other achievements

**Assignment Abroad**: (1) Worked 1 year as ICCR Chair Professor (MEA) govt of India, at university of Nairobi. (2) Attended, India (ICSSR), Thailand (NRCT), scholars exchange programmed at Bangkok

#### Member Board of Examiners, Board of studies and subject expert

- 1) Member PG board of studies in Economics, Panjab University, 2019 April to 2022 March
- (2) Member Board of Examiners University of Madras, Tamil Nadu.
- (3) Member Board of Examiners Thiruvalluvar University, Tamil Nadu
- (4) Subject expert for the selection of Assistant Professors

#### **Elected Member Professional Associations**

- 1) Executive Member Chandigarh region, Indian Economic Association, 2013-2022
- 2) Executive Member, Chandigarh region, Indian Economic and allied sciences Association, 2021-22

3) Chandigarh Economic Association, Vice President, 2014-2019

## **Invited Lectures during Conferences**

- a) Keynote speaker-Impact of Economic Growth on Human Development, National Seminar Sponsored by Panjab University, organized by Mata Ganga Khalsa College, Kottan, Punjab in 2007
- b) Invited Lecture delivered for PhD scholars, International (2015), Thammasat University Bangkok
- c) Invited Lecture delivered for Graduate students, International (2015), India's study center Bangkok Thammasat University Bangkok
- d) Panel speaker, International (2015), seminar at India's study center Bangkok
- e) Panel speaker, Panel Discussion, International (2017), Queen Marry's College, Chennai
- f) Public Lecture, International (2017), Anti-poverty programmes in India –Lessons to Kenya, University of Nairobi, Kenya
- g) Panel Speaker, national (2017) IEA 100<sup>th IEA Annual conference, on distribution, at</sup> NagarjunaUniversity Guntur
- h) Panel Speaker, national, Challenges of Globalisation, Ehiraj College Chennai
- Keynote speaker, 20<sup>th</sup> annual conference of Economic Association of Bihar (2020), Employment policies and challenges, Bhimrao Ambedkar University Muzffarpur
- j) Panelist, 20<sup>th</sup> annual conference of Economic Association of Bihar (2020), on Economic slowdown, Bhimrao Ambedkar University Muzffarpur
- k) Key note speaker, Delivered Key note address on the topic –consumer satisfaction and Loyalty, National webinar on The importance of consumer rights and awareness, Thiruvalluvar university, vellore Tamil Nadu On 31-8-2021
- Special Lecture, Topic "The Role of Biodiversity to ensure food security in India", ICSSR-SRC, Two Day Online National Seminar on Global Biodiversity and Sustainable Development. Department of Economics, Periyar University, Salem, Tamil Nadu
- m) Invited Speaker, Union budget 2022, National webinar, Department of Economics Sacred heart autonomous college Tiruputtur
- n) Panelist, Delivered lecture in webinar on the topic migrant labour in India, topic-Impact of Covid 19 on Indian economy, Pandit Ravi Shankar university Raipur, 2021

#### Chaired/ Co- chaired and resource person during conferences

- a) International conference on an alternative globalization from the south, Technical session 4, Chair Person, Jamia Milia Islamia Central University, New Delhi
- **b)** National seminar on physical and social infrastructure in India –Issues and challenges, Technical Session 2, Chair Person, Presidency College, Chennai
- c) International Conference Crop Technology Led Agriculture Development and Sustainability of Eco-System in Indi Technical session 3, Chair Person, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra

- **d**) 97<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference If India Economic Association Held At Udaipur, Rapporteur for Panel Discussion, at Mohanlal Sukhadia University Udaipur
- e) 98<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference If India Economic Association Held At Hyderabad (2015), Rapporteur, Panel Discussion on group inequalities, CESS Hyderabad
- f) 99<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference If India Economic Association Held At Tirupati (2016), RapporteurVira Antsy memorial Lecture on poverty and inequality, SV University, Tirupati
- g) International Seminar(2017), Co-Chair, Technical Session, Queen Marry's College, Chennai
- **h**) National Conference(2017), Co-Chair IEA 100<sup>th</sup>, Employment Unemployment, Nagarjuna University Guntur
- i) National Conference, Chair Technical session, on Environmental economics and public finance issues& policies, Ehiraj College Chennai
- **j**) National Conference(2018), Co-Chair IEA 101<sup>th,</sup> Skill development and employment, VIT University Vellore
- **k**) IEA 101 Annual National Conference (2018), Rapporteur (resource person), Ensuring inclusive and sustainable agriculture, VIT University Vellore