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Educational Qualifications Ph.D.: (Pursuing from Department of Political Science, Panjab University, Chandigarh) **UGC NET (2020)** (Political Science) – Department of Political Science, MA Panjab University Chandigarh, India (2017-2019) Bachelor of Arts (with Political Science Honours) Mehr Chand Mahajan DAV College for Women, Sector 36 A, Chandigarh, India (2014-2017) Ad-on Course in Video Reporting, Mehr Chand Mahajan DAV College for Women, Sector 36 A, Chandigarh (2014-15) **Academic Achievements** First Position in Political Science Hons (Gold Medal) - Panjab • University, Chandigarh (2017). University Position -Tenth -Bachelors of Arts, Panjab • University, Chandigarh (Session: 2014-2017) Academic Excellence Award by Akhil Bhartiya Vidyarathi Parishad (ABVP), Panjab University, Chandigarh **Teaching Experience** 1st September 2022- till date Assistant Professor (Ad Hoc) in Department of Political Science, GGDSD College, Chandigarh Teaching Political Theory, Indian Government and Politics, Comparative Government and Politics and International Relations at Under-graduate level. 16th May 2022- 31st May 2022 Teaching Assistant in Department of Political Science Panjab University, Chandigarh taught Comparative Politics in Advanced Industrial Nations at Post graduate level to students of Masters in Political Science. Indian Government and Politics and Political Theory Areas of Interest **Publications** (Journal/Book Chapters) **Book Chapters:** Vashista, R., "Sustainable Development Goals and the Right to Education in India: A Comparative Analysis of the Global Agenda and Local Realities", Proceedings of International Seminar on Sustainable Development in India: Strategies and Way Ahead, ISBN 978-81-970010-1-7, Mohindra Publishing House, pp-239-245, 2024. Seminars/ Presented paper on 'The Sustainable Development Goals and • **Conferences/Symposiums** Right to Education in India: A Comparative Analysis of Global (Paper Presented) Agenda and Local Realities' at ICCSR Sponsored International Seminar on Sustainable Development in India: Strategies and Way Ahead organised by Goswami Ganesh Dutta Santan Dharma College, Chandigarh (27th February, 2024)

- Presented paper on Negotiating Identity and Political Terrain: Child Migration in Chandigarh' at ICSSR Sponsored One Day National Seminar on Emerging Political Trends in India: Issues and Concerns of North-Western Region organised by Sri Guru Gobind Singh College, Chandigarh (14th March, 2024)
 - International Webinar on HARIT: Indigenous Techniques to Combat Climate Change on 13th October, 2024.
 - Attended One Day National Webinar on 'Role of Youth in Achieving Sustainable Development in the Wake of Recent Climate Crisis' on 14th September, 2024.
 - Participated in International Faculty Development Program on Research Writing and Research Methodology organised by Government College of Education, Jammu, J&K, India in collaboration with the Office of Internationalization, Mindanao State University-Sulu, Philippines in association with Cape Comorin Trust, India from 24-30 June, 2024.
 - One Day Online International Conference on 'Safeguarding Mental Health in the Gen AI Era' 24th May, 2024 organised by the Centre for Social Research, New Delhi.
 - FDP, NEP 2020 Orientation & Sensitization Programme from 16.02.2024 to 29.02.2024 under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme (MM-TTP) of University Grants Commission (UGC) organised by UGC-Malaviya Mission Training Centre (MMTTC), Panjab University, Chandigarh.
 - Two-Day International Conference on "Childhood Politics in India" (Online) – 13th and 14th February, 2024 organised by Department of Political Science, SNDT Women's University, Mumbai.
 - Attended an online Workshop on Research Writing and Publication – 11th January, 2024 organised by Students for Holistic Development of Humanity Foundation (SHODH), Panjab University, Chandigarh.
 - Workshop on Future of Innovation and Research: An Impact of Information Technology on Academic Spheres- 5th August, 2023, Goswami Ganesh Dutta Santan Dharma College, Sector-32 C, Chandigarh.
 - Value Added Course on Indian Knowledge System: Locating Pedagogy, Research Methods and Skills – 17th-22nd August, 2022 – Panjab University, Chandigarh
 - Three Days Research and Publication Ethics Workshop organised by Human Resource Development Centre in collaboration with Department of Public Administration, Panjab University, Chandigarh 6th June,2022- 8thJune,2022
 - Digital Citizenship and Civic Participation for Gender Equality Workshop organised by Centre for Social Research (CSR) – 28th June ,2021
 - "How to publish with Taylor and Francis" held at Panjab University on 2nd September, 2017.

Refresher Courses/Workshops/ Training Programmes

Invited Talks	• Resource Person on the topic "21 st Century Citizenship Skills and Constitutional Values" organised by PM Shri Kendriya Vidyalaya, Sector 31, Chandigarh, 22 nd December, 2023.
Projects	 UNESCO Project: Menstrual Health and Hygiene Management: Survey and Gap Analysis Report, worked as a Research Assistant in team headed by Prof. Pampa Mukherjee (2023) Independent Project on 'Issues of Learning Gaps faced by Children of Seasonal Migrants in Chandigarh'- Chandigarh Commission for Protection of Child Rights – 10-10-2021- 10-1- 2022
Member of Committees/Clubs	Associated with Centre for Social Research, New Delhi
	GGDSD College Youth Festival Committee, Discipline Committee
	Clubs Electoral Literacy Club (Department of Political Science), GGDSD MUN Club, Readers Club

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