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PLAN OF LIFE

A RESEARCHER WHO WISHES TO IMPLEMENT THE KNOWLEGDE GAINED AND EXPERIENCE AQUIRED AND BEING DYNAMIC IN ACADEMICS UNTIL GRAVE.

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ACADEMIC CREDENTIALS

Sl .No.	EXAM PASSED	UNIVERSITY/ BOARD	YEAR	OVER ALL %
1	POST DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP	INDIAN INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT, AHMEDABAD (IIM-A), GUJARAT	2016-17	
2	Ph.D. in HEALTH ECONOMICS (May 2009)	SREE CHITRA TIRUNAL INSTITUTE FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES & TECHNOLOGY, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM	Jan 2003 – Dec 2007	--

3.	NATIONAL ELIGIBILITY TEST FOR LECTURESHIP	UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION, NEW DELHI	2001	--
4.	M.A ECONOMICS	DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS UNIVERSITY OF KERALA	Aug. 1999 - Jul 2001	70%
5.	B.A ECONOMICS	UNIVERSITY OF KERALA	Jul1996 – May 1999	66%

Professional Experience

Serial No.	Position	Organization/Agency	Responsibilities	Full time/Part time	Years, month (from – to)
1	Assistant Professor in Economics	Government of Kerala	Teaching & Guiding PG & UG students in different branches of economics	Full time	13.07.2006 – till date
2	Visiting faculty in Health Economics	Sree Sarada School of Nursing	Lecturing modules of basic health economics	Part time	15.10.2007 – 15.06.2008
3	Enumerator	National Sample Survey Organisation	Mapping of SSIs in Third All India Census of Small Scale Industries	Part time	01.10.2002 – 02.01.2003
4	Visiting faculty in Economics	Institute of Distance Education, University of Kerala	Lecturing selected modules in Micro Economics & Development Economics	Part time	01.01.2002 – 31.12.2002
5	Research	Norma Market and	Co-ordinating the	Full	01. 12.

	Associate	Social Research Group	field staff in collection of data of Non-Resident Indians (NRIs) in Kerala	time	2001 – 31.03. 2002
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Volunteer Experience

1. Undertaken an **Internship** programme in a Non-Government Organisation based in **Madhya Pradesh, India (Eklavya)** conducted by **ASHA-Stanford, the USA** during September -November 2001.
2. Produced a report compiling my experience during the Internship titled “**Our Madhya Pradesh Days**” (unpublished).

Proficiency in languages

Language	Reading	Writing	Speaking
English	Fluent	Fluent	Fluent
Malayalam	Native	Native	Native
Tamil	Fair	Fair	Good
Hindi	Fair	Fair	Fair

CURRENT RESEARCH

Title of PhD topic: *Financial Burden of Treatment of non-Fatal Road Traffic Injuries: Decomposition Analysis of its Causal Factors in Kerala*

Title of Post Doctoral Research: *Autonomous public hospitals, user charges and exemption mechanisms: Analysis of specialty public hospitals in the Indian States of Delhi, Gujarat and Kerala*

Area of interests: Health care financing, Health policy and planning, Road traffic injuries, Methodology and Philosophy of Economics

COMPUTER LITERACY

- ❖ Work experience in software packages like **D-BASE, MS-OFFICE, EXCEL, MS-ACCESS, SPSS, E-Views, R and EPI INFO.**

ASSIGNMENTS/AWARDS

- Served as **Expert** on a project “**Health Sector Reform – Case Study on RSBY Partnership, Kerala**” **Govt of India** (May – June 2009)
 - **Expert** “Documenting best practices of Arogyakeralam (NRHM, Kerala)” (September 2009 – May 2010), for Government of Kerala
 - **Expert, “Concurrent Evaluation of NRHM in Kerala State”**
 - **Expert** on a project “**Baseline Survey in Home Based Newborn Child Care (HBNCC) in the eight districts for NRHM, Govt of Karnataka**
 - **Trainer, District Level Health Survey – 4, Govt of India**
3. **Principal Investigator, “User fees and means testing in public sector tertiary hospitals in Kerala** funded by **University Grants Commission, New Delhi.**
 4. Dissertation-“**Centre-State Financial Relations in Post Liberalisation Period (India)**” as part of M.A Programme during 1999-2001.
 5. **Instructor in Health Economics** for Master in Public Health (2005-07), Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Thiruvananthapuram, India.
 6. Awarded “**Institute Fellow-2003**” by Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Thiruvananthapuram, India.
 7. Member of the Committee on “**Action Plan for Psycho-Social Relief in Disaster Management**” submitted to the Government of Kerala, January 2007.
 8. **Travel Grant Award** by University Grants Commission, New Delhi for attending International Conference in Beijing, China during 9-15 July 2009.
 9. **Visiting Faculty**, Health Economics, **GANDHIGRAM** Institute of Rural Development, Dindugal, Tamil Nadu.
 10. **Visiting Faculty**, Health Economics, Department of Demography, **University of Kerala**, Thiruvananthapuram (Various Years).
 11. **Resource Person** in **EDUSAT**, Department of Higher Education, Govt of Kerala.

12. **Best Paper Award at Young Scholars' Conference on *Government Finance and Public Policy Issues*** organised by Centre for Budget and Governance Accountability (CBGA) on 23rd July 2016 in New Delhi.
13. **Associate Fellow;** Inter University Centre for Alternative Economics, Department of Economics, University of Kerala (2016-17).
14. **Member,** State Eligibility Test (SET) Board, General Education Department, Government of Kerala
15. **Member,** Academic Council, Institute for Sustainable Development and Governance (ISDG), Thiruvananthapuram and New Delhi
16. **Member,** Board of Studies (MA Economics), University of Kerala (2020-21 to 2023-24)
17. **Member,** Board of Studies (UG Economics), Mar Ivanious College (Autonomous) (2020-21 to 2023-24)
18. **Independent Editor, *Health Outlook* a peer reviewed journal, Blue Mind Consulting Services, Kolkata**
19. **Editorial Member, *International Journal of Health Economics & Policy, SciencePG, Science Publishing Group Journals, USA***
20. **Membership in specialized professional agencies**
 - ❖ Canadian Council for Global Health Research, Canada.
 - ❖ Global Development Network, New Delhi, India.
 - ❖ Indian Clinical Epidemiology Network (IndiaCLEN), India (Indian Wing of International Clinical Epidemiology Network, (INCLEN)
 - ❖ International Society for Violence & Injury Prevention, Stockholm, Sweden.
 - ❖ International Health Economics Association, Washington, the USA.
 - ❖ International Network on Disability, Health and Wellbeing, Victoria, Australia
 - ❖ Public Research and Regulation Initiative, Netherlands.
 - ❖ Road Traffic Injuries Research Network (RTIRN), Karachi, Pakistan
 - ❖ Life Member, Indian Association of Social Sciences & Health, Mumbai
 - ❖ Life Member & Ex-Secretary, Indian Health Economics and Policy Association, Bangalore, India

21. Reviewer

(Health economics & policy, Indian health system, health care financing in developing countries, road traffic injuries)

- ❖ **British Medical Journal (BMJ)**
- ❖ **Bulletin of World Health Organisation**
- ❖ **Journal of Public Health & Epidemiology (Editorial Board Member)**
- ❖ **Journal of Economics & International Finance**
- ❖ **Health Outlook (Editorial Board)**

22. **Standing Member**, Scientific Committee of International Health Economics Association (iHEA), Washington.
23. **Co-ordinator**, a National Seminar on “Financing Social Sector: Search for Alternatives” with financial assistance from the Government of Kerala on 9th December 2009, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala.
24. **Co-ordinator**, a National Seminar on “*FINANCING HEALTH SERVICES IN INDIA: SEARCH FOR ALTERNATIVES*” with financial assistance from the University Grants Commission, New Delhi held during 4-6 January 2012, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala.
25. **Co-ordinator**, Workshop on *METHODOLOGY AND PERSPECTIVES IN SOCIAL SCIENCES* organized by the Department of Economics, Government College for Women, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, India, with financial assistance from the Directorate of Collegiate Education, Government of Kerala during 20 – 22nd March 2012.
26. **Co-ordinator**, Workshop on *STATISTICAL METHODS IN SOCIAL SCIENCES* organized by the Department of Economics, Government College for Women, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, India, with financial assistance from the Directorate of Collegiate Education, Government of Kerala during 6th & 7th November 2012.
27. **Co-ordinator**, Add On Course on *COMPUTATIONAL TOOLS IN ECONOMICS* organized by the Department of Economics, Government College for Women, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, India, with financial assistance from the Directorate of Collegiate Education, Government of Kerala during Oct 2011- March 2012.
28. **Co-ordinator**, Extension Program funded by University Grants Commission, New Delhi at Government College for Women, Thiruvananthapuram during 2015-16.
29. **Co-ordinator**, National Seminar on *PHILISOPHY OF ECONOMICS* organized by the Department of Economics, Government College for Women,

- Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, India, with financial assistance from the Directorate of Collegiate Education, Government of Kerala during 29 – 30 October 2015.
30. **Co-organiser**, Third Indian Health Economics and Policy Association (IHEPA) Conference on *Health For All to Universal Health Coverage: Journey So Far and Challenges Ahead* jointly organized by Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, Pune and Azim Premji University, Bangalore at GIPE, Pune during 6 – 7 January 2014.
 31. **Co-organiser**, Fourth Indian Health Economics and Policy Association (IHEPA) Conference on *Health System Strengthening and Reforms in Indian: Retrospect and Prospect* organised jointly with Department of Economics, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur and Azim Premji University, Bangalore at UoR, Jaipur, Rajasthan during 13-14 February 2015.
 32. **Co-organiser**, Fifth Indian Health Economics and Policy Association (IHEPA) Conference on *Health Economics and Policy* organised jointly with Institute of Development Studies, Kolkata and Azim Premji University, Bangalore at IDS, Kolkata during 15-17 December 2016.
 33. **Co-organiser, Summer School on Health Economics** by Indian Health Economics and Policy Association (IHEPA) and Azim Premji University, Bangalore in Bangalore during 26 – 30 June 2017.
 34. **Co-organiser**, Sixth Indian Health Economics and Policy Association (IHEPA) Conference on *Health Economics and Policy* organised jointly with Pondicherry University and Azim Premji University, Bangalore organised at Pondicherry University during 4-5 January 2018.
 35. **Co-ordinator**, National Seminar on “Decoding Mainstream Economics” organized by the Department of Economics, Government College for Women, Thiruvananthapuram during 17-19 December 2019 with financial assistance from the Directorate of Collegiate Education, Government of Kerala.

PUBLICATIONS/PRESENTATIONS

Referred Journals

1. Varatharajan D, Godwin, SK and Arun B. (2004) “Unimaginative Tinkering”-on Union Health Budget 2004-05 *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol 39 No 33 pp 3672-3675.
2. Godwin, SK (2004) “Medical Tourism: Subsidising the Rich” *Economic and Political Weekly* Vol 39 No 36 pp 3981-3983.
3. Godwin SK and Varatharajan D (2006) “Drug price differentials across different retail price settings: An analysis of retail prices of 12 commonly used drugs” *Health Administrator* Vol XIX No 1 pp 41-47.
4. Varatharajan D & Godwin S.K. (2011) “Health care financing in India during the post-reform period” Prakash B.A. (ed) *Indian Economy Since 1991, Economic Reforms and Performance*. New Delhi, Pearson Education Ltd pp 530 – 549. ISBN 978-8131758939
5. Godwin S K (2014) "New policy directions for addressing road traffic casualties in Kerala, India", *International Journal of Research and Analytical Reviews (IJRAR)*, E-ISSN 2348-1269, P- ISSN 2349-5138, Vol.1,(2) pp. 517-522, May 2014, Available at : <http://www.ijrar.org/IJRAR19D3779.pdf>
6. Aswathy. K.V & Godwin S K (2014) Retail price differences across market settings: a longitudinal study of some commonly prescribed drugs in Kerala, India *International Journal of Research and Analytical Reviews (IJRAR)*, E-ISSN 2348-1269, P- ISSN 2349-5138 Vol 1 (4) pp 527-535
7. Godwin S K (2015) Health System Issues, Challenges, and Options: Reflections on urban India at the turn of 20th Century. *WWJMRD*; Vol 1(6): pp 36-40 E-ISSN: 2454-6615
8. Godwin SK (2016) Means Testing and User Charges in Health Care: Means Testing in Tertiary Level Public Hospitals in Kerala DOI: 10.1136/bmjgh-2016-EPHPabstracts.29 Published

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9. Godwin S K (2016) Political decentralisation and community health insurance: protecting from cost of treatment-induced poverty. *World Wide Journal of Multidisciplinary Research and Development (WWJMRD)*: 2 (01): 115-121 E-ISSN 2454-6615.
10. Godwin S K (2017) Breaking down household cost of treating ailments: a proposed framework in the context of injuries. *International Journal of Research in Social Sciences* Vol 7 (10) pp 797-803 (ISSN 2249-2496)
11. Godwin SK (2017) Indian health care financing at crossroads: Is the sunshine far off? P 74, *Health and Poverty*, ISBN: 978-93-5281-540-1
12. Godwin S K (2018) Health System Issues, Challenges, and Options: Reflections on India and China *WWJMRD* 2018; V 4 Issue (9): 39-41 E-ISSN: 2454-6615
13. Godwin S K (2018) Fiscal scenario and social sector spending in Indian States: A case of Kerala *International Journal of Research and Analytical Reviews (IJRAR)*, E-ISSN 2348-1269, P- ISSN 2349-5138, V 5, Issue 4, Page No 406-411.
14. Godwin S K (2019) The economist Ambedkar: A short glance at his economic thoughts *International Journal of Research in Social Sciences* Vol 9 (1) pp 2776-2784 (ISSN 2249-2496)
15. Godwin SK and D Varatharajan, (2021) Road traffic casualties, their characteristics: empirical evidence from the state of Kerala, India", *International Journal of Research and Analytical Reviews (IJRAR)*, E-ISSN 2348-1269, P- ISSN 2349-5138, Volume 8, (3), pp.804-817, July 2021.
16. Godwin S K (2021) Union Budget 2021-22 and Health: Did we miss an opportunity? *Journal of research in humanities and social science* *Journal of Research in Humanities and Social Science* Volume 9 ~ Issue 8 (2021) pp: 51-53 ISSN (Online):2321-9467

17. Lakshmi Ullas C U and Godwin S K (2021) Period Poverty: A rapid analysis of Suvidha Scheme in two districts in Kerala, India *Journal of Economics and Finance (JEF)* ISSN: 2321-5925. Vol 12, (4), PP 34-36.
18. Godwin S K (2021) Covid19 Vaccines for all in India: Is the country doing it right? *Journal of Humanities And Social Science (JHSS)* Volume 26, Issue 7, Series 10 (July. 2021) 57-62 e-ISSN: 2279-0837, p-ISSN: 2279-0845
19. Godwin S K (2021) Are we doing justice to our citizens? Public financing of healthcare in developing countries with special reference to India *IJARIT Vol 7 Issue 4; 1727-1735 (ISSN: 2454 132X)*
20. Godwin S K (2021) Type I and type II errors in targeting health care resources: a case of means testing in selected public sector tertiary health facilities in Kerala, India *International Education and Research Journal (E-ISSN: 2454-9916)* Vol 7 (8) pp 1-3
21. Godwin S K (2021) Linking economic development and road traffic accidents: A global review *Journal of Research in Humanities and Social Science* Vol 9 (8) pp: 69-73 ISSN (Online):2321-9467
22. Godwin S K (2021) Decomposition of Demand for Medical Care for non-fatal Road Traffic Injuries: A Conceptual Framework *Journal of Research in Business and Management* Volume 9 Issue 8 (2021) pp: 26-32 ISSN(Online):2347-3002
23. Godwin S K (2021) Determinants of financial burden of treating non-fatal road traffic injuries in Kerala, India: a decomposition analysis Godwin S.K, *Int. Jou Eco.& Res*, 2021,V12 (4), 28 – 41 (ja) ISSN: 2229-6158 IJER.
24. Godwin S. K., Varatharajan D. (2021). Health Care Seeking Behaviour of Non-Fatal Road Traffic Injury Victims in Kerala, India. *International Journal of Research - GRANTHAALAYAH*, 9(8), 230-245. ISSN (Online): 2350-0530 ISSN (Print): 2394-3629

25. Abstract of my Ph.D Thesis (2009) is indexed in the Journal of Injury & Violence Research, an Indexed Journal in DOAJ, CINAHL, ProQuest, Google Scholar, EBSCO(*SocINDEX*), SafetyLit, Index Copernicus, Index Medicus for the Eastern Mediterranean Region (IMEMR), and approved by Medical Journals Commission of the Ministry of Health; “Financial Burden of Treating Non-Fatal Road Traffic Injuries: A Decomposition Analysis of its Causal Factors in Kerala”

Website: <http://jivresearch.org/jivr/index.php/jivr/thesis/view/11>

36. Edited a volume on proceedings National Seminar on *Financing Health Services in India: Search for Alternatives*.
37. Supplier Induced Demand and Financial Burden of Treating Road Traffic Injuries in Kerala, India (2009) Social Science Research Network (SSRN) Working Paper Series Available at SSRN: http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=1429647.
38. British Medical Journal (BMJ) in its Online Edition published three of my commentaries.
- a) “Why financing not in Screen?” Rapid Response to Richard Smith on “Global Social Contract”, BMJ 2004; 328 (3 April) 7443.0-g.
 - b) “The Brain Drain Debate: Is it too simplified?” Rapid Response to Debbie Mellor on “Brain Drain”, BMJ 2003; 327 (17 Oct) 7420; 928.
 - c) “Is Health Care such a Trivial Issue?” Rapid Response to Richard Smith’s Editorial, BMJ 2004; 328 (02 April) 7423; 0-g.
24. Godwin SK (2019) Chapter on Kerala Health in Restructuring Kerala Economy: Alternative Perspectives” Policy Document submitted to Government of Kerala
25. Godwin SK (2020) A chapter titled “Social Economics: the Less Travelled Economic Ideas of Ambedkar” in the forthcoming edited volume “Relevance of Ambedkarism” to be published by Indira Gandhi National Tribal University, Amarkantak, Madhya Pradesh

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National

1. **“Willingness to Pay for Rural Health Insurance: A Study from Kerala”** a paper presented in “National Conference on Health Insurance and Financing (HIFCON 2004)” organised by All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi held in October, 2004, New Delhi. Abstracts of HIFCON 2004; 10-11 October 2004.
2. **“Efficiency Analysis of Health Services in Kerala”** a paper presented at the National Conference on Kerala Health Systems: Missings and Possibilities” at Trichur, Kerala in December 2004 (with Dr. D. Varatharajan).
3. **“Barriers to streamline private out-of-pocket health care expenditure”**. National Seminar on Health Sector Reforms, Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu, 30-31st January 2006. Abstracts of the National Seminar on Health Sector Reforms, Chidambaram, 30-31st January 2006: 8.
4. **“Health care financing options for Kerala: the road ahead”**, a paper presented at a national seminar *Towards a self-sufficient Kerala: perspectives* organized by Government College , Nedumangad, Kerala during 5-6 February 2007.
5. **“Kerala’s health system: the sinking titanic”**, a paper presented at the national seminar *Kerala’s economy since 1956* organized by Government Arts College, Trivandrum, Kerala during 27-28 February 2007.
6. **“User fee for financing public hospitals”** a paper presented a National Conference on Policy Reforms in Education and Health in India organized by Kannur University during 12th & 13th September 2007 at Talasserry, Kannur, Kerala, India. Abstracts of the National Conference on Policy Reforms in Education and Health in India, Kannur University.
7. **“Determinants, pattern of road traffic accidents in Kerala, India”** a paper presented in a National Conference on Emerging Issues in Public Health organized by Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences & Technology, Trivandrum during 10-13 January 2008. Abstracts of the AMCCON 2008.
8. **“Financing policy reforms in Indian health care system: a second thought”** National Seminar on Changing Health Scenario and Emerging Social Problems organized by Department of Sociology, University of Kerala in Thiruvananthapuram, India from 27-28 November 2008.

- 9. Resource Person**, Session on “Inclusive Growth and Health” at National Seminar on Inclusive Growth: Challenges and Prospects organized by Department of Economics, Government College for Women, Thiruvananthapuram during 02-04 December 2009.
- 10. “User fee in public hospitals: panacea or ill”** a paper presented at a National Conference on **Social Sector Financing: Search for Alternatives** organized by Dept. of Economics, Government College for Women, Thiruvananthapuram on 8th December 2009 (with Dr. D. Varatharajan).
- 11. “Health Issues in Kerala”** at a Seminar on *Development Issues of Kerala Economy* organized by Department of Economics, KNM Government Arts & Science College, Kanjiramkulam, Thiruvananthapuram on 19th January 2010.
- 12. Resource Person**, Edusat Live Lecture on *Health Economics* organized by the Directorate of Collegiate Education, Government of Kerala at Edusat Studio, Thiruvananthapuram on 23rd March 2011.
- 13. “Health Systems adopted in different countries of the world with special emphasis on India”** a lecture on for Medical Officers of Government of Tamil Nadu, at *GANDHIGRAM* Institute of Rural Health and Family Welfare at Dindugal, Tamil Nadu on 29th July 2011.
- 14. “Is PPP a Marriage or Living Together? A Case Study on Rashtriya Swastya Bima Yojana (RSBY) Partners in Kerala, India”** a paper presented at a National Seminar on *Public Private Partnership in Health* organized by St. Joseph College, Kozhenchery, Pathanamthitta, Kerala in association with National Rural Health Mission, Kerala and Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Biotechnology, Thiruvananthapuram during 25-26 August 2011 at Kozhenchery, Pathanamthitta, Kerala.
- 15. Resource Person**, Workshop on “Teaching of Indian Economy” organized by Pearson Publishing House in Thiruvananthapuram on 24th September 2011.
- 16. “Health Challenges of Urbanisation in Developing Societies”** at a National Seminar on “Environmental Concerns of Rapid Urbanisation with Special Focus on Kerala Economy” organized by Department of Development Economics, Government College, Mananthavady, Wayanad during 14th and 15th February 2012.
- 17. Resource Person**, Second National Conference of Indian Health Economics and Policy Association (IHEPA) on *Better Health Access: The Rough Road Ahead* organised jointly with Institute of Social and Economic Change (ISEC), Bangalore and Azim Premji University, Bangalore at ISEC, Bangalore during 20-21 December 2012.

18. **“Issues and Challenges of Health Financing in India”** at a National Conference on *Challenges in Health Issues and Public Healthcare System in India* organized by School of Economics, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai during 21-22 February 2013.
19. **“Health Financing in India”** at a National Seminar on “Emerging Challenges and Prospects of Twenty Years of Economic Reforms in India” organized by Government College, Kattappana, Idukki during 31st October and 1st November 2013.
20. **Resource Person**, Third National Conference on *Health For All to Universal Health Coverage: Journey So Far and Challenges Ahead* jointly organized by Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, Pune and Azim Premji University, Bangalore at GIPE, Pune during 6 – 7 January 2014.
21. **Resource Person**, Edusat Live Lecture on Indian Economic Structure in the 1950s organized by the Directorate of Collegiate Education, Government of Kerala at Edusat Studio, Thiruvananthapuram on 23rd January 2014.
22. **“Service sector statistics in India”**, presentation in the National Statistics Day organized by National Sample Survey Office (NSSO), Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala on 29th June 2014.
23. Delivered a **Lecture** on Health Economics at Department of Demography, University of Kerala on 5th August 2014.
24. **“Health care transition in Kerala: current status and emerging issues”**, at a National Seminar organized by EKNM Govt. College, Elarithattu, Kasaragode, Kerala 16 - 17 October 2014.
25. **“Locating fiscal scenario and social sector spending in Indian States: A case of Kerala (Is social sector spending a liability for the State?)”** at a National Seminar organized by SN College, Varkala, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala during 23 – 24 October 2014.
26. **“Kerala Budgets and Social Sector”** at a National Seminar on *Financial Crisis in Kerala: An Overview* organized by Government College, Kattappana, Idukki during 17-18 December 2014.
27. **“Health care financing in Kerala”** at a National Seminar on *Trends in Kerala State Finance* organized by KNM Government Arts & Science College, Kanjiramkulam, Thiruvananthapuram during 30-31, December 2014.

- 28. Social Sector and Social Exclusion in India Linking Ambedkar's Social Philosophy with his Economic Philosophy: A risky jump??** at a National Seminar organized by Avinashilingam Institute for Home Science and Higher Education for Women, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, India during 20 - 21 January 2015.
29. **“Reinventing Kerala Model of Health: Good health at what cost??** at a National Seminar on *Sustainability of Kerala Development: An Alternate Approach in the Context of Emerging Kerala Model* organized by Department of Economics, Christain College, Chengannur, Alappuzha, Kerala during 4-6 Feb 2015.
30. **“Romancing with the shadow of ‘Kerala Model’ of Health: How long, How costly???”** at a National Seminar on *Public Health in India: Challenges for the 21st Century* organized by Department of Economics, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala 27-28 March 2015.
31. Delivered a **Lecture** on Health Economics at Department of Demography, University of Kerala on 27th June 2016.
32. **“Public Financing of Healthcare in Developing Countries: A Comparative Perspective”** at *Young Scholars' Conference on Government Finance and Public Policy Issues* organised by Centre for Budget and Governance Accountability (CBGA) on 23rd July 2016 at IIC in New Delhi.
33. **“Enhancing equity and efficiency of Indian health system: Reviewing some perennial questions?”** at 14th Annual Conference of *Indian Association for Social Sciences and Health (IASSH)* at Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, Pune during 23-25 September 2016. <http://iassh.org/conf14/oral.htm>
34. **“Health Sector Reforms in Kerala”** at a National Seminar on *Emerging Challenges of Health Sector in Kerala* organised by Department of Economics, University College, Thiruvananthapuram on 10th January 2017.
35. **“Health System Dynamics of Kerala: Are the Policy Responses Sporadic or Paralytic”** at Dr. John Mathai Memorial National Seminar on *Puzzles of Kerala's Development Experience* organised by Department of Economics, University of Calicut, Thrissur on 11th January 2017.
36. **“Health Sector Reforms in India”** at a National Seminar on *Economic and Non-Economic Perspectives on India's Development Experience since Independence* organised by Department of Economics, Government College, Kattappana, Idukki during 19-21 January 2017.

37. A talk on *Pradhan Mantri Matrutva Surakhsha Abhiyan* in All India Radio, Thiruvananthapuram on 4th October 2017.
38. Invited lecture on *Social Science Research: Some Ethical Concerns* at National Workshop on Social Science Research organised by Department of Political Science, Government Brennen College, Thalassery, Kannur during 16-18 November 2017.
39. "*Indian health care financing at crossroads: Is the sunshine far off?*" at a National Seminar "Health and Poverty" organised by NMSM Government College, Kalpetta, Wayanad in association with Directorate of Collegiate Education and Indian Council of Medical Research during 28,29 November 2017.
40. Resource Person on *Budget Allocation and Fiscal Policy* at a National Seminar on the The Destination of India's Fiscal Policy: The Critical Gap organised by the Research & PG Department of Economics, Panampally Memorial Government College, Chalakkudy, Trichur during 6-7 December 2017.
41. Discussant, National Seminar on "Macro Economic Contradictions: In Theory & Practice" organized by the Department of Economics, Government College for Women, Thiruvananthapuram with financial assistance from the Directorate of Collegiate Education, Government of Kerala during 12-13 December 2017.
42. Resource person, National Seminar on "Demography and Development: The Missing Link" organized by Government Arts & Science College, Kozhikode, Kerala during 15-17 October 2019.
43. Resource person, National Workshop on "Structuring outcome based post-graduate syllabus in Economics" organized by IUCAE, University of Kerala during 17-19 February 2020.
44. Resource person, National Conference on "Cooperatives, Mutual Aid and Solidarity Economies: Experiences from around the world" organized by the Department of Economics, University of Kerala during 1-3rd December 2022.

Policy level

45. Resource person, Pre-Budget discussion with Minister of Finance, Government of Kerala on 29th November 2022

International

46. **“Willingness to Participate and Pay for a Rural Community Health Insurance in Kerala, India”** a paper presented in the International Health Economics Association (iHEA) Biennial Conference in Barcelona, Spain during July 10-13 2005. Abstracts of the 5th World Congress of the International Health Economics Association (iHEA); 10-13th July: 221.
47. **“Role of government and competition in drug price differential for 12 common drugs in Kerala, India”** a paper presented in the International Health Economics Association (iHEA) Biennial Conference in Barcelona, Spain during July 10-13 2005 (with Dr. D. Varatharajan). Abstracts of the 5th World Congress of the International Health Economics Association (iHEA); 10-13th July: 46.
48. **“Equity in Distribution of Health Finances: A Brief Analysis of Health Services in Kerala, India”**, World Epidemiological Congress 2005 organized by International Epidemiological Association during August 2005 in Bangkok, Thailand. Abstracts of the 17th World Congress of the International Epidemiological Association, Bangkok, 21-25th August 2005: 272.
49. **“Political decentralisation and community health insurance: Protecting from cost of treatment induced poverty”**. Global Forum for Health Research, Mumbai, 12-16th September 2005. Abstracts of the Global Forum of Health Research, Mumbai, 12-16th September 2005: 213.
50. **“Equity dimensions of road traffic accidents in Kerala, India”**. Abstracts of the Asia-Pacific Consortium for Public Health, Taipei, Taiwan, 19-23rd November 2005
51. **“A framework for financing emergency health care in Kerala, India”**. International Conference on Fifty Years of Kerala’s Economic Development (1956-2006): Issues, strategies & options, Thiruvananthapuram, 15-17th February 2006. Abstracts of the International Conference on Fifty Years of Kerala’s Economic Development (1956-2006): Issues, Strategies and Options, Thiruvananthapuram, 15-17th February 2006: 88.
52. **“Linking Poverty and Vulnerability in Road Traffic Accidents in Kerala, India”**. 8th World Conference on Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion held in Durban, South Africa from 31st March-5th April 2006. Abstracts of 8th World Injury Congress, Durban, South Africa Abstract Ref No 1572.
53. **“Interlinking economic development and road traffic accidents: An inter-country analysis”**, a paper presented at 10th Annual Conference of Global Forum for Health Research (Forum10) held in Cairo, Egypt from 29th October to 2nd November

2006. Abstracts of the Global Forum of Health Research, Cairo 29th October - 2nd November 2006: 88.

54. **“Minimising Household ‘Welfare Losses’ in Financing Health Care Expenditure: A Decomposition Analysis”** a paper presented at International Health Economics Association (iHEA) biennial Conference held in Copen Hagen, Denmark during 8-11th July 2007 (with Dr. D. Varatharajan). Abstracts of the 5th World Congress of the International Health Economics Association (iHEA); 10-13th July.
55. **“Health care market in Kerala, India: defining characteristics”** a paper presented at International Health Economics Association (iHEA) biennial Conference held in Copen Hagen, Denmark during 8-11th July 2007. Abstracts of the 5th World Congress of the International Health Economics Association (iHEA); 10-13th July.
56. **“Cross cutting issues in road traffic accident prevention and management: policy concerns”**, a paper for presentation in the 9th World Conference on Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion held in Merida, Mexico during 15-18 March 2008.
57. **“Supplier-induced demand and financial burden of treatment of non-fatal road traffic injuries in Kerala, India”**, a paper presented at the 6th World Congress of the International Health Economics Association (iHEA); 11-15th July 2009 held in Beijing, China.
58. **“Burden of road traffic accidents: Analysis of temporal and spatial distribution in Kerala, India”** a paper accepted for presentation at the 10th World Conference on Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion held in London, England during 21-24 September 2010.
59. **“Decomposing road traffic injury care utilisation in Kerala, India”** a paper accepted for presentation at the 10th World Conference on Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion held in London, England during 21-24 September 2010.
60. **Discussant, How Do High-Cost Patients Fare under the Global Budget Policy? --- Evidence at 4th International Conference on Social Science Research, Gaylord Opryland Resort, Nashville, the USA December 9 – 11, 2009.**
61. **“Health care and human rights: an economic perspective”** International Conference on Investment in Human Capital held on 8-9 February, 2010 at Loyola College, Chennai, India.
62. **Are the SC/STs outliers in the Kerala Health model?** International Conference (Theme SC/SCs in Kerala) organized by AKG Centre for Research & Studies during 9th March 2015 at Kalpetta, Wayanad, Kerala, India

63. “User fees and means testing in public sector tertiary hospitals in Kerala” at 3rd Conference (*EPHP 2016 – Equitable India: All for Health and Wellbeing*) organized by Institute of Public Health Bangalore and Institute of Tropical Medicine, Belgium held at Bengaluru, India during 7-9 July 2016.
64. “Public Financing of Healthcare in Developing Countries: A Comparative Perspective” at an International Seminar on *Changing Patterns of Fiscal and Monetary Policies in India: Boon or Bane to Development* organised by Department of Economics, University of Kerala during 14-16 March 2017.
65. Resource person, Is the choice of menstrual products free? Period poverty and asymmetrical choice of menstrual products among young women in Kerala in the International Webinar on Women and Reproductive Health organised by Department of Demography, University of Kerala during 20-22 January 2022.
66. Resource person, “Tying women to unfreedom: benevolent sexism and gender orthodoxy among young women in Kerala, India” in the International Seminar organised by the organised by Department of Economics, University of Kerala during 8-10 November 2022.

Participation in seminars/workshops:

1. International workshop on **Ethical Issues in Health Research** held during 26-31st March 2003 at AMCHSS, Thiruvananthapuram organized by Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Indian Council of Medical Research and World Health Organisation.
2. **Mainstreaming Gender in Medical Curriculum:** A Short course for medical educators organized by Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Thiruvananthapuram during 25th October – 5th November 2004.
3. Workshop on **Social Capital & Health** organized by University of Berkeley, United States on 8th July 2005 at University Pombu Fabra, Barcelona, Spain.
4. **Skills Development of Research in Road Traffic Injuries** organized by Suez Canal University, Egypt and Road Traffic Injuries Research Network, Sri Lanka on 28th October 2006 in Cairo, Egypt.
5. **National Workshop on Disaster Management** jointly organized by Confederation of NGOs of Rural India & Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and

- Technology and Kerala Educational Development and Employment Society at SCTIMST, Trivandrum during 30-31 December 2007.
6. **State Level Seminar in *Sociology of Environment*** organized by Department of Sociology, KNM Arts & Science Government College, Kanjiramkulam during 21-22 February 2007.
 7. **National Seminar on *Neo-Liberal Era of Indian Economy*** organized by VTMNSS College, Dhanuvachapuram, Thiruvananthapuram during 28-29 June 2007.
 8. Workshop on **National Health Accounts** organized by Institute of Health Economics & Lund University during 6th & 7th July 2007 in Lund, Sweden.
 9. CDS-UNCTAD Refresher Course cum Research Training Programme in Economics on **Contemporary Issues in International Trade** held during 10- 30, October, 2008 at the Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum.
 10. Workshop on **Restructuring and Grading of UG Course in Economics** organised by University of Kerala during 2 – 6 March 2009.
 11. Sixth Global NHA Symposium on **National Health Accounts** organized by Chinese Health Economics Association, iHEA & WHO during 8th & 9th July 2009 in BICC, Beijing, China.
 12. **Chairman**, Private Sector session in iHEA's **World Congress in Health Economics**, held in Beijing, China during 11-15th July 2009.
 13. **Faculty Development Programme (FDP)** on "**Business Data Analysis Using SPSS & E-Views**" from 27th July - 8th August 2009 at IILM-GSM, NCR Delhi sponsored by AICTE, New Delhi
 14. **Orientation Programme for College Teachers on *Informatics Skills*** conducted by Institute of Human Resource Development & Kerala State Higher Education Council on 14.12.2009 – 18.12.2009.
 15. **Moderator** in a Seminar on **Development Issues in Kerala Economy** organised by Department of Economics, KNM Arts & Science Government College, Kanjiramkulam during 19th January 2010.
 16. **Orientation Programme** (IT Oriented) conducted by UGC-Academic Staff College, University of Kerala, Karyavattom from 02.06.2010-29.06.2010 with **A Grade**
 17. **FOUR** week Refresher Course in **PUBLIC ECONOMICS FOR SOUTH ASIA** organised by NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR PUBLIC FINANCE & POLICY, NEW DELHI during 23 MAY-18 JUNE 2011.

18. **National Seminar** on *Interest-Free Institutional Mechanism for Banking, Finance and Insurance* jointly organised by Department of Islamic Studies, University of Kerala and Chamber of Commerce and Industries, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala on 4th July 2011.
19. **Panelist**, discussion on various year's Kerala State Budget organised by Gulati Institute of Finance and Taxation, Government of Kerala in Thiruvananthapuram on 16th January 2012.
20. **Workshop** on *Central Budget Analysis* organised by Department of Economics, Government College for Women, Thiruvananthapuram on 10th October 2013.
21. First Indian Health Economics and Policy Association (IHEPA) Conference on *Knowledge-Evidence-Action: Striving Towards Better Health Outcomes* organised jointly with Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi at IEG, Delhi during 18-19 November 2011.
22. **Seminar cum Workshop** on *Re-accreditation of the College by NAAC* organised by Government College for Women, Thiruvananthapuram in Thiruvananthapuram on 4th December 2013.
23. **National Workshop** on *Statistical Computing using SPSS* organised by Department of Statistics, Government College for Women, Thiruvananthapuram in Thiruvananthapuram during 4-5 December 2014.
24. **Panel Discussion** on *Trends in Centre-State Relations* organised by Indian Institute of Public Administration and Department of Economics, Government College for Women, Thiruvananthapuram on 25th September 2014.
25. Fourth Indian Health Economics and Policy Association (IHEPA) Conference on *Health System Strengthening and Reforms in Indian: Retrospect and Prospect* organised jointly with Department of Economics, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur and Azim Premji University, Bangalore at UoR, Jaipur, Rajasthan during 13-14 February 2015.
26. Refresher Course in **ECONOMICS** organised by JAWAHARLAL NEHRU UNIVERSITY (JNU) NEW DELHI during 20 JULY-14 AUG 2015.
27. **EIGHT** days **Global Congress and Youth Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights** (14th Dec 2015 – 22nd Dec 2015) at National Law University, New Delhi and Institute of Industrial Development Studies, New Delhi.

28. **International Conference on *The Development Question in a Developing Economy: Can Strategies of the Present give a Future*** organised by Inter University Centre for Alternative Economics, Department of Economics, University of Kerala during 4-6 April 2016.
29. **Summer School on *Health Policy Research: Theory and Applications*** jointly organised by Indian Health Economics and Policy Association (IHEPA) and Azim Premji University, Bangalore at Bangalore during 6-10 June 2016.
30. Fifth Indian Health Economics and Policy Association (IHEPA) Conference on ***Health Economics and Policy*** organised jointly with Institute of Development Studies, Kolkata and Azim Premji University, Bangalore at IDS, Kolkata, during 15-17 December 2016.
31. K N Raj Training & Fellowship Programme, organized by Centre for Development Studies, an ICSSR Institution with financial assistance from Government of Kerala during 18th March-12th April 2019.
32. Six week online course on **Contract Tracing of Covid19** offered by John Hopkins University during May-June 2020.
33. Nine week online course on **Essentials of Global Health** offered by Yale University during June-July 2020.
34. Eleven week online course on **Political Economy of Institutions and Development** by Universiteit Leiden University during August-October 2020.
35. Four week online course on **Game Theory** by University of Tokyo during September-October 2020.
36. Seven week online course on **Financial Markets** by York University during July-September 2020.
37. Five week online course on **Microeconomics Principles** by University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign during August-September 2020.
38. Three week online course on **Behavioural Finance** by Duke University during September 2020.
39. Six week online course on **Introduction to Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis** by Johns Hopkins University during July-September 2020.
40. Four week online course August-September 2020 on **Intellectual Property in the Healthcare Industry** University of Pennsylvania through Coursera

41. Six week online course October-November 2020 on **Epidemiology: The Basic Science of Public Health** by The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill through Coursera
42. Six week online course September-October 2020 on **Healthcare Market Place** by University of Minnesota through Coursera
43. Five week online course August-September 2020 on **Microeconomics: The Power of Markets** by University of Pennsylvania through Coursera

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