

Personal Information

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Present Position:

- 1. I have been working as a Commissioned Principal of Guru Nanak College Dhanbad (affiliated to Binod Bihari Mahto Kolyanchal University, Dhanbad) since 1st of April, 1991 (for more than twenty-nine years).**

About the College:

- Guru Nanak College is a Sikh Minority Degree College situated in the coal city of Dhanbad, and having permanent affiliation with Binod Bihari Mahto Kolyanchal University, Dhanbad (previously Vinoba Bhave University, Hazaribag.) The College was started in 1970, and is a multi-faculty institution, imparting teaching up to Honours Degree Level in the faculties of Humanities, Social Science and Commerce to boys and girls.
- Also, the College had got B.Ed programme since 2005 – 2014 recognised by N.C.T.E. and affiliated to Vinoba Bhave University. Finally, B.Ed programme was withdrawn by the college Governing Body.
- Besides, the College has got BCA programme being run since 2011 after having N.O.C. from the Govt. of Jharkhand, and permanent affiliation with the Binod Bihari Mahto Koyalanchal University, Dhanbad.
- The College has got the Study centre of IGNOU (Centre Code :- 3603) as well teaching (a) CIC (b) BCA and (c) MCA programmes of IGNOU

Every year, our Students figure prominently in the merit list of the University in both B.A. and B.Com. examination of the Vinoba Bhave University, Hazaribag as also at the I.A. and I.Com. examination the Jharkhand Academic Council

In sports, games and cultural activation too, our College has earned a distinguished place in the University during the last twenty-five years.

- 2. I was the Dean, Faculty of Education, Vinoba Bhave University, Hazaribag since March 2015 to October 2017.**
- 3. Also, I was the first Dean, Faculty of Education, Binod Bihari Mahto Koyalanchal University, Dhanbad since November 2017 to February 2019.**
- 4. Also, I was the Vice President, Association of Indian College Principals (A.I.C.P.) since 2016 – 2019, an all India registered organization, well-known for distinguished academic activities throughout the country.**
- 5. Also, I am a trained assessor of NAAC, Bengaluru; and have visited many Colleges as Member/Member Co-ordinator of the NAAC Peer Team for accreditation and assessment.**

Personal achievements:

6. Training and participation in Academic Conferences;

- a. I was selected for the orientation programme of Principal by N.I.E.P.A. (National Institute of Education Planning & Administration) New Delhi in June 1993. I participated in that programme successfully. The noted educationist Dr. G. D. Sharma was the programme Director,
- b. Participated in the U.G.C. Seminar on Vocational teaching in June 1999 at Ashutosh College, Kolkata.
- c. Participated in the Executive Development Programme of Principals organized by the A.I.C.P. at Pune in February 2005 (One week programme)
- d. Was the Chairman, Organising Committee of the Annual Conference “Eastern Summit” of the A.I.C.P. at Dhanbad in February 2007.
- e. Participated in the annual conferences of A.I.C.P. at Coimbatore, (2008) Chandigarh, (2010) Mysore, (2011) Surat, (2012) Goa, (2013) Amritsar

(2014) Ahmedabad, (2015), Ranchi (2016), Coimbatore (2017), and Anand, Gujarat (2019). In all these conferences, I have been the Chairperson/Co-chairperson of various the technical sessions.

- f. Have been Co-ordinator/Resource person for evaluation/selection/recruitment of civil service examination conducted by the Jharkhand Public Service Commission, Ranchi in 2010 and 2011.
- g. Have participated in several National Seminars as resource persons/delegates.
- h. Have been Chairman of the six National Seminars organized by Guru Nanak College, Dhanbad between 2014-and 2019.

Positions held:

- 1) Member, Senate, Vinoba Bhave University (1997 to 2005) and since 2015 – 2017.
- 2) Member, Syndicate, Vinoba Bhave University (1997 to 2003)
- 3) Member Academic Council, Vinoba Bhave University (1994 to 1997
& 2002 – 2005, 2015 – 2017)
- 4) Member, Sports Control Board, Vinoba Bahve University (1993 – Continued)
- 5) Member, Art & Culture Board, Vinoba Bahve University (1993 – Continued)
- 6) Member, Affiliation Committee, Vinoba Bahve University (2003 to 2005, and
Again since 2015 continued
- 7) University Representative, Jubilee College Bhurkunda (1998 – 1999)
- 8) Secretary, Coalfield College, Bhaga (2003 – 2004)
- 9) University Representative, Bokaro Mahila College (2004 – 2005)
- 10) Secretary, Bokaro Mahila College (2008 – 2010)
- 11) Was the Convener of the East Zone Inter University Cricket Tournament in 1995
– 96 Organized by the, Vinoba Bhave University, Hazaribag.
- 12) Member, Senate, Binod Bihari mahto Koyalanchal University, Dhanbad since
2017 – Continued)
- 13) Member, Academic Council, Binod Bihari Mahto Koyalanchal University,
Dhanbad since 2017 – Continued)