

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Research Experience	: 21 years PhD Research Topic: <i>Genealogy as a Source for Writing Social History- Case of Chalukyan Families</i> , (University of Hyderabad- 2005) M.Phil Research Topic: <i>Formation and Consolidation of Ruling Elites: A Case Study of Eastern Chalukyas of Vengi</i> . (University of Hyderabad- 1996).

CURRENT POSITION

-  Currently Head & Assistant Professor, Department of History, Nizam College, Osmania University, Hyderabad (from 3rd January 2018 onwards).
-  Former Head & Assistant Professor, Department of History, Nizam College, Osmania University, Hyderabad. (25th September, 2013 – 2nd January 2018.)
-  **Academic Counsellor** for MA History, Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), Hyderabad Regional Centre.
-  **Academic Counsellor** for MA History, Dr. G. Ram Reddy Centre for Distance Education, Osmania University, Hyderabad.

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 🏠 **Research Fellow**, Center for Gandhian Studies, GITAM University, Visakhapatnam from June 2012 to June 2013.

- ✚ **Secondary School Teacher**, Oakridge International School, Tagarapuvalasa, Visakhapatnam from June 2010 to June 2012.
- ✚ **Guest Lecturer**, Department of History, University of Hyderabad, from January 2008 to November 2009.
- ✚ **Expert**, Ford Foundation funded Project on “**Historical Atlas of South India**” in association with the Institute of Francais, Pondicherry from 2005 to 2006 September and 2007 February to 2008).
- ✚ **Research Assistant**, Salarjung Museum- 2001 (March) 2001 (July).
- ✚ **Teaching Assistant**, IIIT (International Institute of Information Technology, Gachibowli-Hyderabad), from July 2000 to December 2000.
- ✚ **Research Assistant**, Ananda Buddha Vihar Trust from March 1999 to 2000 March.

RESEARCH PROJECTS:

- **UGC- MRP on “Monumental Heritage of Telangana State”, 2015. (Completed)**
 . Duration Period- 2years.
 Total Amount Sanction : Rs. 1,40,000/-
 Amount Released as 1st Installment : Rs. 90,000/-
 Amount Released as 2nd Installment : Rs. 36,000/-
- **Research member in the project on “Quality of Higher Education in India: A Study of External and Internal Quality Assurance at the Institutional Level’, A Research Project of CPRHE-NUEPA,- under Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi. (Completed)**
- **Heritage and Conservation Program of Hyderabad**, for the Centre for Deccan Studies (1997 March- 1997 September).
- **Documentation program of Buddhist sites in Andhra Pradesh** for Ananda Buddha Vihar Trust (March 1999- March 2000).
- **Re-Organization of Galleries**, Salar Jung Museum. Also assisted in preparing the script for the Introductory film on the “**Evolution of Jewelry Traditions in India**”, as a part of the exhibition of “**Nizam Jewelry**”, held at National Museum, Delhi and Salar Jung Museum, Hyderabad, 2001.

ORIENTATION AND REFRESHER COURSES

- Participated in UGC sponsored **78th Orientation Course** organized by **UGC-ASC, Osmania University, Hyderabad** from **10th December 2013 to 8th January 2014.**

- Participated in UGC sponsored **22nd Three Week-Refresher Course in History**, organized by the **UGC-HRDC, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 18th August 2016 to 8th September 2016.**
- Participated in Two Day **Orientation Programme for Academic Counsellors-2016 (M.A. History)** from 21-10-2016 to 22-10-2016 at IGNOU Regional Centre, Bangalore.

SEMINARS/ CONFERENCES/ WORKSHOPS- ATTENDED/ Presented Papers

1. Presented a Paper on 'Hyderabad nagara Nirmanamlo Mir Mohammad Momin Astarabadi patra' in Two day National Seminar on “కాకతీయుల నుండి అసఫ్ జాహీల వరకు - తెలంగాణ” (సమాజం, సంస్కృతి, భాష, సాహిత్యం)” organized by Telangana Sahitya Academy and Vaaradhi on 23rd-24th March, 2018.
2. Presented a Paper on 'Association of Social Groups With Vijayawada During The Eastern Chalukyan Period' in Two day National Seminar on “Vijayawada Through the Ages” organized by The Cultural Centre of Vijayawada and Amaravati (CCVA), Vijayawada on 9th & 10th February 2018.
3. Presented a Paper on 'Sustainable Development of Tourism in Telangana' in Two day International Conference on “Innovations in Commerce and Science” organized by Nizam College, Hyderabad on 29th & 30th November, 2017.
4. Attended 3rd workshop on 'Quality of Higher Education in India: A Study of External and Internal Quality Assurance at the Institutional Level', organized by CPRHE-National University of Educational Planning and Administration (NUEPA), New Delhi, 6th-7th September, 2017.
5. Presented a Paper on 'Culture in Sculpture: A Glimpse of Sculptural Heritage of Telangana' in the National Seminar on 'Cultural Heritage of Telangana', organized by the Department of History, Government Degree College, Medak, 3rd March 2017.
6. Attended **All India Women's Conference on “Women's Issues, Challenges and Opportunities”**, organized by the CASH, Nizam College, OU, Hyderabad on 3rd-4th March 2017.
7. Presented a paper on 'Social and Economic Role of Monasteries in Early Historical Telangana' at Global Conference on 'Buddhist Heritage in Telangana', organized by Buddhavanam Project and Department of Telangana Tourism, 23rd-26th February, 2017.
8. Delivered Lectures on 'Impact of Philosophy and Culture on Society' and 'Philosophical Underpinnings of Religion: India Multiple Religions- One Country', as part of 'Discover India Program' for Six Foreign participants conducted at College of Defence Management, Hyderabad, 7th February, 2017.
9. Attended 2nd workshop on 'Quality of Higher Education in India: A Study of External and Internal Quality Assurance at the Institutional Level', organized by CPRHE-

National University of Educational Planning and Administration (NUEPA), New Delhi, 22nd - 23rd January, 2016.

10. Presented a paper on '**Creating, Forgetting and Retrieving Identity- A Case of Mir Mohammad Momin Astarabadi**', at **One Day International Seminar on Multifaceted Personality of Mir Mohammad Momin Astarabadi**, Organized by the Consulate General of the Islamic Republic of Iran, Hyderabad in collaboration with the Department of History, Nizam College, OU Hyderabad, August 25, 2015.
11. Attended a workshop on '**Quality of Higher Education in India: A Study of External and Internal Quality Assurance at the Institutional Level**', organized by National University of Educational Planning and Administration (NUEPA), New Delhi, 6-7 May, 2015.
12. Presented a paper on '**Rural Settlements and Social Stratification In Telangana**', National Seminar on **Social, Cultural and Political Dynamics of Telangana State (From Earliest Time to 1324 A.D.)**, organized by Itihasa Sankalana Samithi (Bharateeya), Telangana State, Warangal, 14th-15th March 2015.
13. Presented a paper on '**Interpreting History- A Historiographical Survey of Inscriptional Sources of the Deccan**' 35th Annual Session of **South Indian History Congress**, Kakatiya University, Warangal, 20-22 February, 2015.
14. Presented a paper on '**Folk Arts and Crafts of Telangana State as Tourism Products**', National Seminar on **Historical Perspectives and Future Prospects of Telangana**, organized by the Department of History, Nizam College, OU, January 23-24, 2015.
15. Presented a Report on National Workshop on '**The Komagata Maru Incident- Indian Labour Migration**,' organized by the Ministry of Culture and ICHR, OUCIP, Osmania University, November 22-23, 2014.
16. Presented a Paper on '**Neglected Heritage- A Study of Some Ruined Monuments of Telangana Region**,' National Seminar on **Communities, Castes and Cultures in the Deccan**, organized by the Department of History, Osmania University, October, 29-30, 2014.
17. Presented a Report on '**Remembering Professor Bipin Chandra**,' Workshop on **Professor Bipin Chandra**, 21st October 2014.
18. Presented a paper on '**Innovative Teaching Methodologies In History**', National Seminar on **Scenario of Social Sciences in Higher Education, Issues and Challenges and Suggestions**, organized by Dept. of Social Sciences, Pingle Government of College for Women, Waddepally, Warangal, 8th-9th September, 2014.
19. Presented a paper on '**Mapping Local Identities-A Study of Polavasa Chiefs of Medieval Telangana**' 34th Annual Session of **South Indian History Congress**, AVVM Sri Pushpam College, Poondi, Thanjavur, 28 February-2 March, 2014.

20. Presented a paper on '**History Writing in the Early Medieval Deccan**', at National Seminar on ***Interpreting Deccan History***, at Osmania University Centre for International Programme (OUCIP), OU, held on June 28th-29th, 2013.
21. Attended workshop on **Management Development Programme** on '**Emotional Intelligence for Organizational Effectiveness**,' GITAM Institute of Management, GITAM University, 27th & 28th September 2012.
22. Presented a paper on '**Nature of Vengi Chalukyan Polity**', at ***Telugu History Writers Conference***, organized by Potti Sree Ramulu Telugu University, Hyderabad in collaboration with the Department of Culture and State Department of Archaeology and Museums, Government of Andhra Pradesh, July 2008.
23. Attended the Review Meeting of "**Historical Atlas of South India**" as an Expert, held at the Institute of Francais, Pondicherry, April 2008.
24. Attended the Review Meeting of "**Historical Atlas of South India**" as an Expert, held at Hyderabad, January 2007.
25. Presented a paper on '**Migration and Identity- A study of Telugu Dravida Brahmins**', National Seminar on ***Telugu Diaspora through the Ages***, Potti Sree Ramulu Telugu University, Srisailam Campus, 2005.
26. Participated in the National Conference of Young Scholars on "**Indian Philosophy, Science and Culture**", held at Jamia Hamdard University, New Delhi, January 2004.
27. Participated in the International Seminar on "**The Mother and the Yoga of Evolution**", held at Auroville, Pondicherry, February 2004.
28. Presented a paper on '**State and Religion under the Eastern Chalukyas of Vengi**', National Seminar on ***Socio-Cultural Aspects of Religion in Medieval Andhra***, Potti Sree Ramulu Telugu University, Srisailam Campus, 2000.
29. Presented a paper on '**Depiction of Gajalakshmi in Sculptural Art**', National Seminar on ***Sakti Cult, Indian Art History Congress***, Osmania University Campus, Hyderabad, 2000.
30. Presented a paper on '**State Formation in the Early Medieval Deccan**', *Andhra Pradesh History Congress*, Hyderabad, 1998.

ORGANIZATIONAL ACTIVITIES

- ❖ **International Conference Coordinator**, for the Two Day International Conference on **'Innovations in Commerce and Science' ICICS-2017**, organized by Nizam College, on 29th-30th November 2017.
- ❖ **Seminar Joint Convener for the International Seminar** organized by Consulate General of the Islamic Republic of Iran, Hyderabad in collaboration with Departments of History and Persian, Nizam College, Hyderabad on **'Multifaceted Personality of Mir Mohammad Momin Astarabadi' on 25th August, 2015.**
- ❖ **Seminar Organizing Secretary** for the National Seminar on **'Historical Perspectives and Future Prospects of Telangana,' 23rd-24th January, 2015**, organized by the Department of History, Nizam College, Osmania University.
- ❖ Seminar Co-coordinator for National Workshop on **'Women From Ancient Ages To The Present,' 6th-7th March 2014**, organized by University College of Arts and Social Sciences, Osmania University, Hyderabad.
- ❖ Assisted in organizing 95th Annual Conference of **The Indian Economic Association**, 27th-29th December, 2012, GITAM University, Visakhapatnam.
- ❖ Assisted in organizing National Seminar on **'Mahatma Gandhi and the Current Scene of Corruption in the Country,'** organized by Centre for Gandhian Studies, GITAM Institute of Management, GITAM University, 28th -30th August, 2012.
- ❖ Assisted in organizing an Exhibition on **"Parasher Perspective"**- Paintings of S. L. Parasher, organized by Sarnir Foundation at India Habitat Center, New Delhi, August 2004.
- ❖ Assisted in organizing an Exhibition on **"Evolution of Building Technology"**, IIT, August 2000.
- ❖ Assisted in organizing **"National Seminar on Women"**, organized by IAWS and ASMITA held at NISIET, Hyderabad, January 2000.
- ❖ Assisted in organizing **National Workshop on Women"**, held at University of Hyderabad Campus, August-September 1999.
- ❖ Assisted in organizing Exhibition on **"Sources of Indian History"**, at Andhra Pradesh History Congress, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad, 1998.

MEMBERSHIP IN ACADEMIC BODIES

- Life member of South Indian History Congress
- Annual member of Indian History Congress

MEMBER IN COLLEGE / ACADEMIC BODIES

- Former Member of Academic Council, Nizam College
- Former Member IQAC, Nizam College
- Former Member, Purchasing Committee, Nizam College
- Former Member, Anti-Ragging Committee, Nizam College
- Former Member, Mentoring Committee, Nizam College
- Former Member, Grievance Redressal Committee, Nizam College
- Former Member, CPE Committee, Nizam College
- Former Member, Women Empowerment Cell, Nizam College
- Assistant Editor of the “**Shodhana**” Social Science Journal (Bi-Annual Telugu) of ICSSR, Southern Regional Centre, Hyderabad.
- Member, Board of Studies in History (UG), Faculty of Social Sciences, OU.
- Member, Board of Studies in History (PG), Faculty of Social Sciences, OU.

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

1. ***Genealogy, Time and Identity: Historical Consciousness in the Deccan- Sixth Century CE to Twelfth Century CE***, Primus Books, New Delhi, 2015.

Reviews on the Book

- i. Reviewed by Uthara Suvrathan, in Online ***Journal of South Asian Studies***, 16th June 2016. Link: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/02666030.2016.1191788>
- ii. Reviewed by Shatrupa Bhattacharya, *Indian Historical Review*, Vol.43, Issue-2, December, 2016, pp.330-332.
- iii. Reviewed by Romila Thapar, *Studies in History*, Vol. 33, Issue -1, February, 2017, pp. 117-119.

2. ***State Formation in the Eastern Deccan- 6th century AD to 13th century AD***, Bharatiya Kala Prakashan, New Delhi, 2000.

ARTICLES

1. Contributed **Chapters** in the Book on ***History of India (From the earliest to 1526 CE) (English & Telugu)***, Telangana State Council of Higher Education and Telugu Akademi, Hyderabad, 2017.

2. Contributed **Chapters** in the Book on **Bharatadesa Charitra- Samskruti (Charitra purvayugam nunchi 1526 varaku (Telugu))**, Telangana State Council of Higher Education and Telugu Akademi, Hyderabad, 2016.
3. Contributed **Chapters** in the Book on **Telangana History and Culture (English)** published by Telugu Akademi, Hyderabad, 2016.
4. Contributed **Chapters** in the **Intermediate Second year History Text book on Telangana History, (Telugu & English)** published by Telangana State Board of Intermediate Education and Telugu Akademi, Hyderabad, 2015.
5. '**Vedic Sacrifices in Chalukyan Inscriptions- An Analysis**', in K. Krishna Naik and E. Siva Nagi Reddy (eds.) *Cultural Contours of History and Archaeology, In honour of Snehasiri Prof. P. Chenna Reddy*, Vol. III on Epigraphy, B. R. Publishing Corporation, Delhi, 2015, pp. 1-9
6. '**Metaphors as Symbols of the Past: Looking at the Itihasa-puranic Traditions in Royal Eulogies**,' in K. Krishna Naik and E. Siva Nagi Reddy (eds.) *Cultural Contours of History and Archaeology, In honour of Snehasiri Prof. P. Chenna Reddy*, Vol. III on Epigraphy, B. R. Publishing Corporation, Delhi, 2015, pp.94-107.
7. '**Local Identities-A Study of Polavasa Chiefs of Medieval Telangana**', in D. Daniel (ed) *South Indian History Congress 34th Annual Session Proceedings*, Poondi, 2014, pp. 274-278.
8. '**Ideology and Identity: An Analysis of Vedic Sacrifices In The Chalukyan Inscriptions**' in R. Varalakshmi and B. Lavanya (eds.) *Facets of Indian Society and Culture*, Department of History, Osmania University, Hyderabad, 2014, pp. 81-93.
9. Compiled a Report on '**Mahatma Gandhi's Ideas on Education- Extracts from his Original Writings**', as part of the ICPR funded project on **Application of Gandhian Ideas on Higher Education**' submitted to the ICPR on behalf of The Center for Gandhian Studies, GITAM University, Visakhapatnam, June 2013.
10. A Report on National Seminar on '**Mahatma Gandhi and The Current Scene of Corruption In The Country**' *GITAM Journal of Gandhian Studies*, January-July, 2012, Vol. 2, No.1.
11. '**Badami Chalukyulu and Vengi Chalukyulu**' (in Telugu): *Telugu Vani* ,(4th World Telugu Conference Pratyeka Sanchika, Tirupati, 2012.) Publication Division, Potti Sree Ramulu Telugu Visvavidyalayam, Hyderabad. pp. 38-48
12. '**Writing History: A Study of Military Eulogies of the Chalukyan Families**'. In P.Chenna Reddy (ed.), *Recent Researches in Archaeology, History and Culture- Festschrift to Prof. K. V. Raman*, (ed.) Agam Kala Prakashan, Delhi, 2010.pp. 489-97.

13. **'Society and Economy in Vengidesa and Telangana' (1000 AD-1300 AD)**, in C. Somasundra Rao (ed.) *Medieval Andhradesa (AD 1000-1324)- Comprehensive History and Culture of Andhra Pradesh*, Vol. IV, Tulika Books, New Delhi, 2011., pp. 232-251.
14. **'Urbanization'** in C. Somasundra Rao (ed.) *Medieval Andhradesa (AD 1000-1324)- Comprehensive History and Culture of Andhra Pradesh*, Vol. IV, Tulika Books, New Delhi, 2011., pp. 278-297.
15. **'Society and Economy in Vengidesa and Telangana'**, in B. Rajendra Prasad (ed.) *Early Medieval Andhra Pradesh (AD- 624-1000)- Comprehensive History and Culture of Andhra Pradesh*, Vol. III, Tulika Books, New Delhi, 2009, pp. 177-200.
16. **'Evolution of Genealogical Patterns in the Eastern Chalukyan Inscriptions**, in R. L. Hangloo and A. Murali (eds.) *New Themes in Indian History- Art, Politics, Gender, Environment & Culture*, Black & White Publishers Ltd., Delhi, 2007, pp.20-40.
17. **'Women Patrons of Jainism: Glimpses from Chalukyan Inscriptions'**, *Journal for Deccan Studies*, Vol. IV, No. 2. July-December 2006.
18. **'State and Religion under the Eastern Chalukyas of Vengi'**, in P. Chenna Reddy (ed.) *Readings in Society and Religion of Medieval South India*, Research India Press, New Delhi, 2006.
19. **'History and Identity- A Study of the Genealogies of Chalukyan Families'**, *Journal for Deccan Studies*, Vol. III, No. 2, July-December 2005.
20. Book Notes on Aloka Parasher et.al. (eds.), *Kevala Bodhi- Buddhist and Jaina History of the Deccan*, Bharatiya Kala Prakashan, Delhi, in *Journal for Deccan Studies*, Vol. III, No. 1, January-June 2005, pp. 143-147.
21. Book Notes on Cynthia Talbot's, *Pre-Colonial India in Practice: Society, Region and Identity in Medieval Andhra*, OUP, Delhi, in *Journal for Deccan Studies*, Vol. I, No. 1, June-December 2003, pp. 98-99.
22. **'Religious Patronage and Identity Consciousness- A Study of Jaina Inscriptions (6th-12th Century AD)'**, in Aloka Parasher et.al. (eds.), *KEVALA BODHI- Buddhist and Jaina History of the Deccan*, Bharatiya Kala Prakashan, Delhi, 2003
23. **'Depiction of Gajalakshmi in Sculptural Art'**, in C. P. Sinha and U. C. Dwivedi (eds.), *Proceedings of the 9th Session of Indian Art History Congress*, Sundeep Prakashan, New Delhi, 2002.

Field Trip Activities undertaken for Under Graduate students:

3. BA 1st year 2014-2017 batch, students visited the Department of Archaeology and Museums, Government of Telangana, and YSR State Museum as part of the Lessons on **Prehistory** (22nd July 2014) and **Buddhism and Jainism** (12th September 2014) and as Heritage activity.
4. BA 1st year 2016-2019 batch, students visited the Department of Archaeology and Museums, Government of Telangana as part of the Lessons on **Prehistory** (July 2016) and as Heritage activity.
5. BA 1st year 2016 (batch students) visited Koti Women's College for **Heritage Walk** conducted by the State Department of Archaeology and Museums, Government of Telangana, (9th August 2016).
6. BA III year 2014-2017 batch students visited **Lepakshi Emporium** and **UP Handicrafts** to study various handicrafts and handlooms as part of the lesson in the Course on *Tourism and Culture in Andhra Pradesh*, (19th January 2017).
7. BA 1st year 2017-2020 (batch students), students visited the Department of Archaeology and Museums, Government of Telangana as part of the Lessons on **Prehistory** (July 2017) and as Heritage activity.

Radio Talks

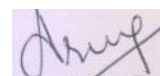
1. Topic: 'Golkonda Fort' National Programme, broadcast from AIR, New Delhi, Dt: 09.05.2017.
2. Topic: 'Political Structures of India' IGNOU, IRC Gyan Vani Programme, Dt. 10.08.2017.
3. Topic: 'Political Structure in Early Medieval Period' IGNOU, IRC Gyan Vani Programme, Dt. 16.09.2017.
4. Topic: 'Prehistoric Cultures' IGNOU, IRC Gyan Vani Programme, Dt. 25.10.2017.

Non-Academic Activities:

- First Prize in Caroms (Women Doubles), Nizam College 2016
- Second Prize in Table tennis (Women Doubles) Nizam College 2016.

Date: 05.05.2018

Place: **Hyderabad**



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