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Academic Appointments

- Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Eastern Michigan University, 2010 – Current.
- Co-Director, India Study Abroad Program, Eastern Michigan University, 2011 – Current.
- Faculty Advisor, Model United Nations Program, Eastern Michigan University, 2011 – Current.
- Research Associate, The Center for the Study of Global Issues (GLOBIS), The University of Georgia, 2009 – 2010.
- Instructor, Teaching and Research Assistant, Department of International Affairs, The University of Georgia, 2005 – 2009.

Education

- Ph.D. Political Science and International Affairs, The University of Georgia, U.S.A, 2010.
- Dissertation: *Globalization and Human Capital Formation: The Increasing Role of Multinational Corporations in Influencing Higher Educational Policies of Developing Countries*.
- M.B.A. (Post Graduate Diploma in Business Administration), K.J. Somaiya Institute of Management Studies and Research, Mumbai, India, 2003.
- M.A. Lucknow University, Lucknow, India, 2001.
- B.A. Lucknow University, Lucknow, India, 1999.

Additional Training

- Attended the North Korea Institute (2008), at the University of Georgia. The objective of this program was to develop a better understanding of the social, political and economic situation in North Korea.
- Summer Workshop on Teaching about Terrorism (SWOTT 2006) at the University of Georgia.

Peer Reviewed Publications

- Nitya Singh. 2012. "How to Tame Your Dragon: An Evaluation of India's Foreign Policy Towards China." *India Review*. Vol. 11. No. 3, pp. 139 – 160.
- Nitya Singh. 2011. "Nigeria's Elusive quest for Democracy: Multinational Corporations and Sustenance of Authoritarianism." *African and Asian Studies*. Vol. 10. No. 2 – 3, pp. 209 – 233.
- Nitya Singh and Wootae Lee. 2011. "Survival from Economic Sanctions: A Comparative Case Study of India and North Korea." *Journal of Asian Public Policy*. Vol. 4. No. 2, pp. 171 – 186.
- Nitya Singh. 2009. "Re-Discovering The New World: The Potential For An Expanded Economic Relationship Between India And Brazil." *The Journal of Developing Societies*. Vol. 25. No. 3, pp. 309 – 337.
- Nitya Singh. 2009. "Multinational Corporations and Their Impact on Educational Policies of a State: The Case Study of India". *Journal of Asian and African Studies*. Vol. 44, No. 5, pp. 517 –

- Nitya Singh and Bhawani Singh. 2009 “Structural Deficiencies within the Indian Economy: Is the Current Model of Economic Development Sustainable?” *Asian Profile*. Vol. 37. No. 6, pp. 573 – 596.

Other Publications

- Nitya Singh. 2012 “The US-India Nuclear Deal of 2005: A Critical Analysis of the Rationale Behind the Agreement.” *Indian Journal of New Dimensions*. Vol 2, No.2, pp. 142 – 151.
- Nitya Singh. 2009. “The Khan Proliferation Network: Intelligence Failure or Realpolitik.” *World Affairs: The Journal of International Issues*. Vol. 13. No. 4.
- Nitya Singh. 2007. “Iran’s Quest for Nuclear Weapons Capability - The Proliferation Puzzle Revisited.” *World Affairs: The Journal of International Issues*. Spring 2007. Volume 11, No.1, pp. 46 – 69.

Invited Talks

- “India’s Position in the New Global Political Economy: Opportunities and Constraints for Indian Businesses” at Calcutta Business School, Kolkata, India, July 2012.
- “Future of India-U.S. Bilateral Relationship”, at Swami Darshanand Institute of Management and Technology, Haridwar, India, January, 2012.
- “Starting a Study Abroad Program in a Developing Country: Challenges and Learning’s.” Eastern Michigan University faculty. Global Learning Seminar. November 2011.
- “Impact of Wal-Mart on India’s Retail Sector: Policy Constraints and Challenges.” Eastern Michigan University Business School. February, 2011.
- “Globalization and Human Capital Formation in India and China.” Globis Center Friday Forum. January, 2010.

Conference Presentations

- “A Break From the Past: Understanding India’s New Strategic Doctrine in the Af-Pak Region.” Presented at the 53rd International Studies Association annual convention, San Diego, April 1st – April 4th, 2012.
- “How to Tame Your Dragon: An Evaluation of India’s Foreign Policy Towards China.” Presented at the 2010 ISA Midwest Conference, St. Louis, MO, November 4 – November 7, 2010.
- “The Cost of Development: MNC’s and Human Capital Formation in India and China.” Presented at the 2009 ISA South Conference, Nashville, TN. October 16- October 17, 2009.
- "The Coming Crisis of the Indian Economy: The Past Sets the Stage for the Future" presented at the 50th International Studies Association annual convention, New York, February 15th - February 18, 2009; with Bhawani Singh
- "Survival from Sanctions: The Case of India and North Korea" presented at the 50th International Studies Association annual convention, New York, February 15 - 18, 2009; with Wootae Lee.
- "Multinational Corporations and Their Impact on Educational Policies of a State: The Case Study of China" at the 2009 Southern Political Science Association Conference, New Orleans,

January 8- January 10, 2009.

- "Nigeria's Elusive quest for Democracy: Multinational Corporations and Sustenance of Authoritarianism" at the 2008 ISA South Conference, Ashland, VA. October 17- October 18, 2008.
- "South-South Cooperation: Another regional cooperative movement or a new pathway for the sustained development of the Third World?" at the 49th International Studies Association annual convention, San Francisco, March 26th - March 29th, 2008.
- "To have or not to have? The question of why states renounce nuclear weapons: An economic perspective" Presented at the 48th International Studies Association annual convention, Chicago, Feb 28th - March 3rd, 2007.

Grants, Awards and Scholarships

- Awarded the 2011 Eastern Michigan University Provost Internationalization Grant (\$5000). This grant has enabled me to develop a study abroad program to India, as well as internship opportunities for EMU students in India.
- Awarded the 2010 Eastern Michigan University Provost Research Award (\$4800). 15 awards were made from a pool of 60 proposals.
- Awarded the Outstanding Teaching Award in 2009 by the Department of International Affairs and the Center for Teaching and Learning at The University of Georgia.
- Received the graduate scholarship in 2009; awarded by the Center for The Study of Global Issues. (GLOBIS) The University of Georgia.
- Awarded the International Affair graduate scholarship at The University of Georgia among 40 applicants for the years 2005, 2006, 2007, and 2008.
- Received the Prestage-Cook Travel Award to attend the 80th annual conference of the Southern Political Science Association, held at New Orleans in January 2009.
- Awarded the certificate of accomplishment for excellent demonstration of leadership skills at GE Capital in 2005 from a pool of 75 Managers.
- Part of the core team at Godrej - Lawkim Limited, which was acknowledged as the best marketing team in 2004.

Professional Activities

- Member Editorial Board, *Advances in Historical Studies*, 2012 – Current.
- Member Editorial Board, *Indian Journal of New Dimensions*, 2012 – Current.
- Reviewer for the following Journals: India Review, Journal of Asian and African Studies and Journal of Asian Public Policy.
- Have served as a Discussant and Chair at numerous conferences such as Midwest International Studies Association conference, Midwest Political Science Association Conference and International Studies Association Conference, within the last two years.

Professional Positions

- Assistant Manager, G.E. Capital International Services Limited, New Delhi, India, Jan. 2005 – June 2005.
- Executive Marketing, Godrej - Lawkim Limited, Mumbai, India, April 2003 – Dec. 2004.

Teaching and Research Interests

- Teaching Interest: International Relations, Comparative Politics, Asian Politics, International Political Economy and Development in the Developing World.
- Research Interests: International Political Economy, South Asia, Naxalite Movements, Democratization, Multinational Corporations and Globalization.

Courses Taught

- International Political Economy.
- Politics of Asia.
- Model United Nations.
- Study Abroad in India.
- Introduction to International Relations/International Politics.
- Introduction to Comparative Politics.
- Introduction to Global Issues/Global Politics.
- Introduction to Global Issues (Online).

Miscellaneous

- Languages: Proficient in Hindi, Urdu and Bhojpuri.