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### Education Qualification

Qualification	Organization	Year of award
<b>Undergraduate</b>	B.Sc., St. Anthony's College (NEHU)	2012
<b>Diploma</b>	PGDLAN, Pondicherry Central University	2013
<b>Diploma</b>	PGDCA, Pondicherry Central University	2014
<b>Post-graduation</b>	MLISc., Pondicherry Central University	2014
<b>Ph.D.</b>	Pondicherry Central University	2022

### Areas of Research (Maximum Five Bullet Points)

1. Research ethics
2. Knowledge sharing
3. Cultural informatics
4. Research Methods

### Professional Experience (In Years)

#### Teaching

2021 **Assistant Professor**, Department of Library and Information Science, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University (A Central University), Lucknow, India.

#### Research

Research Experience: 9 years

#### Teaching Assistant

1. Assisted Prof. C.K. Ramaiah in teaching "Research Methods and Information Resources" to MLIS, Pondicherry Central University 2016-2020.
2. Assisted Dr. Mangkholen Singson in teaching "Information Systems & Services" to MLIS, Pondicherry Central University 2017-2018.
3. Assisted Dr. M. Leeladharan in teaching "ICT for Information Management" to MLIS, Pondicherry Central University 2018-2019.

#### Research

2016 -2022 **Ph.D. Graduate Student**, Department of Library and Information Science, Pondicherry Central University, India.

### Publications

#### International

1. **Shimray, S. R.**, Tiwari, S., & Ramaiah, C. K. (2023). Retractions covered by retraction watch from 2017 to 2022: a perspective from Indian researchers. *Global Knowledge, Memory and Communication*. doi:<https://doi.org/10.1108/GKMC-09-2023-0332> (Emerald) (ABDC-B Category)

2. Lund, B. D., Wang, T., Mannuru, N. R., Nie, B., **Shimray, S.**, & Wang, Z. (2023). ChatGPT and a new academic reality: Artificial Intelligence-written research papers and the ethics of the large language models in scholarly publishing. *Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology*, 74(5), 570-581. doi:10.1002/asi.24750 (Wiley)
3. **Shimray, S. R.** (2022). Research done wrong: A comprehensive investigation of retracted publications in COVID-19. *Accountability in Research: Policies and Quality Assurance* 30(7), 393-406. doi:10.1080/08989621.2021.2014327 (Taylor & Francis)
4. **Shimray, S. R.**, & Ramaiah, C. K. (2020). Factors of influence on sharing of cultural heritage knowledge. *VINE Journal of Information and Knowledge Management Systems*, 52(2), 314-331. doi:10.1108/VJIKMS-04-2020-0074 (Emerald) (ABDC-B Category)

### **National**

1. **Shimray, S. R.** (2023). Research Misconduct: A Comprehensive Examination of Retracted Publications in Biomedical Literature. *Journal of Information and Knowledge*, 60(6), 361-370. doi:10.17821/srels/2023/v60i6/171172
2. **Shimray, S. R.** 2023. Perceived Attitudes, Perceptions and Barriers towards Scholarly Publication: A Case Study of Indian Researchers. *DESIDOC Journal of Library & Information Technology*, 43(2), pp. 88-93.
3. **Shimray, S. R.** & Ramaiah, C. K., 2023. Barriers Faced by Youth in Seeking Cultural Heritage Information. *DESIDOC Journal of Library & Information Technology*, 43(2), pp. 119-125.
4. **Shimray, S. R.**, & Ramaiah, C. K. (2022). Information Channel Preference in Seeking Cultural Heritage Information: A Study. *DESIDOC Journal of Library & Information Technology*, 42(2), 98-104. doi: 10.14429/djlit.42.2.17605. [Indexed in Scopus]
5. **Shimray, S. R.**, & Ramaiah, C. K. (2021). Exploring Sources for Seeking Cultural Heritage Information. *DESIDOC Journal of Library & Information Technology*, 41(6), 407-414. doi:10.14429/djlit.41.6.16849. [Indexed in Scopus]
6. Logeswari, A., Ramaiah, C. K., **Shimray, S. R.**, & Deepti, C. (2021). Awareness about Media and Information Literacy among Research Scholars of Pondicherry University: A Survey. *DESIDOC Journal of Library & Information Technology*, 41(4), 250-259. doi:10.14429/djlit.41.4.17187. [Indexed in Scopus]
7. **Shimray, S. R.**, & Ramaiah, C. K. (2021). A study on the relationship between awareness, dissemination and sharing of cultural heritage knowledge among the youth. *Annals of Library and Information Studies*, 68(3), 294-299. [Indexed in Scopus]
8. **Shimray, S. R.**, & Ramaiah, C. K. (2019). Use of YouTube by Students: A Case Study of Pondicherry University. *SRELS Journal of Information Management*, 56(3), 113-121. doi:10.17821/srels/2019/v56i3/144112
9. **Shimray, S. R.**, & Ramaiah, C. K. (2019). Use of Internet through Mobile Devices: A Survey. *SRELS Journal of Information Management*, 56(2), 100-105. doi:10.17821/srels/2019/v56i2/141631
10. Ramaiah, C. K., & **Shimray, S. R.** (2018). Information Seeking Behaviour of Engineering College Students: A Case Study. *DESIDOC Journal of Library & Information Technology*, 38(2), 110-116. doi:10.14429/djlit.38.2.11195. [Indexed in Scopus]

11. **Shimray, S. R.**, & Ramaiah, C. K. (2015). Design and Development of an Online Exhibition on the Tangkhul Tribe Festivals. *DESIDOC Journal of Library & Information Technology*, 35(2), 124-131. doi:10.14429/djlit.35.2.8396. [Indexed in Scopus]
12. **Shimray, S. R.**, Keerti, C., & Ramaiah, C. K. (2015). An Overview of Mobile Reading Habits. *DESIDOC Journal of Library & Information Technology*, 35(5), 364-375. doi:10.14429/djlit.35.5.8901. [Indexed in Scopus]

### Book Chapters

1. **Shimray, S R.** (2022). Gift Authorship as a means of Research Collaboration among Indian Researchers in the 13<sup>th</sup> International CALIBER 2022, on Envisioning Digital Transformation in Libraries for NextGen Academic Landscape organized by INFLIBNET Centre, Gandhinagar, Gujarat in collaboration with BHU, Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh, during November 17-19, 2022.
2. **Shimray, S. R.**, Nongsiej, P. & Shimray, H. R., (2022). Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs): An Overview. In: S. K. Sonker & M. P. Singh, eds. *Libraries and Open Science: Issues, Challenges and Opportunities*. New Delhi: Ess Ess Publications, pp. 41-54. ISBN; 978-93-92594-58-8
3. **Shimray, S R.**, & Ramaiah, C. K. (2018). Digital Preservation Strategies: An Overview in the 11<sup>th</sup> National Conference on Recent Advances in Information Technology (READIT-2018): Reinventing Libraries: Digital Innovations & Technologies organized by Indira Gandhi Centre for Atomic Research on August 08-09, 2018. pp. 46-54. ISBN: 9789387997387
4. **Shimray, S R.**, & Ramaiah, C. K. (2017). Issues in Preservation of Digital Cultural Heritage in the 11<sup>th</sup> International CALIBER 2017, on Re-Envisioning Role of Libraries: Transforming Scholarly Communication organized by INFLIBNET Centre, Gandhinagar, Gujarat in collaboration with Anna University, Chennai, Tamil Nadu during 2-4 August 2017. pp. 146-157. ISBN: 9789381232071

### Project

Title of Project	Funding Agency	Duration	Total Grant	Role (PI/CO-PI)
Barriers to scholarly publication A case study of Indian Researchers	BBAU	6 months	0.50 lakh	PI

### Honors, Recognition and Awards

1. Qualified **UGC-JRF** conducted in June 2014 in Library & Information Science
2. Qualified **UGC-NET** conducted in June 2014 in Library & Information Science
3. Awarded **UGC-RGNF** (Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship) February 2015 in Library & Information Science

### Membership of Professional Bodies

1. Indian Library Association (Life Time Membership)
2. Member of Association for Information Science and Technology (ASIS&T)

### Professional Development

1. Attended 4 days' Workshop on "Ethics in Research" organized by Pondicherry University during July 6-9, 2020.

2. Certificate on “Introduction to the Patent Cooperation Treaty” on May 6, 2018, from WIPO Academy, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO).
3. Completed 10 days National Workshop on Statistical Analysis for Business Research, organized by department of Management Studies, Pondicherry University during March 15 - 24, 2017.
4. Completed 7 days National Workshop on Research Methodology in Social Sciences, jointly organized by Association of Indian University and Pondicherry University during September 18 - 24, 2018.
5. Completed 2 days National Level Workshop on “Statistical Data Analysis through R/R-Studio Programming” organized by Department of Management Studies, Pondicherry University during October 26 - 27, 2018.
6. Completed 2 days National Level Workshop on “Text Analytics” organized by Department of Management Studies, Pondicherry University during November 10 - 11, 2018.
7. Completed 2 days National Level Workshop on “Structural Equation Modeling [AMOS/PLS/LISREL]” organized by Department of Management Studies, Pondicherry University during November 24 - 25, 2018.

### **Orientation/Induction/Refresher**

1. Completed Refresher Course in Library and Information Science organize by UGC-HRDC Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Nagpur during September 11, 2023 – September 23, 2023.
2. Completed UGC-Approved Short-Term Professional Development Programme on Implementation of NEP 2020 for University and College Teachers, IGNOU during October 27, 2022 – November 05, 2022.
3. Completed Faculty Induction Programme (FIP) organized by UGC-HRDC - North-Eastern Hill University, Shillong during August 17, 2021 – September 16, 2021.

### **Seminar/Conference/Workshop Conducted**

1. Conducted national Webinar on **Research Article Writing** on May 31, 2022

### **Research Reviews**

#### **Journals**

1. VINE Journal of Information and Knowledge Management Systems, Emerald
2. Scientometrics, Springer
3. DESIDOC Journal of Library & Information Technology
4. Journal of Hospitality and Tourism Management, Elsevier
5. Information Development, Sage
6. Engineering Applications of Artificial Intelligence, Elsevier
7. Internet of Things and Cyber-Physical Systems, Elsevier
8. Expert systems with Applications, Elsevier
9. International Journal of Educational Development, Elsevier

### **Scientific ID**

1. ORCID ID : 0000-0001-7967-489X
2. Scopus Author ID : 56566717500
3. Web of Science ResearcherID : GQB-4371-2022

### **Administrative Experience**

#### **Institute level**

#### **Present**

1. Warden, Kanishka Boys Hostel, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow from 05/01/2023 – to date.
2. Member, Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow from 31/03/2021 – to date.
3. Member, E-content under MOOC Platforms/NPTEL/NMEICT/e-PG-Pathshala/SWAYAM/CEC and other Institutional LMS from 10/02/2022– to date.
4. Member, Data centre, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow from 12/05/2022 – to date.
5. Member, Anti Ragging Squad, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow from 10/06/2022 – to date.
6. Member, AISHE & CU, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow from 11/08/2022 – to date.
7. Member, National Academic Depository (NAD), Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow from 18/08/2022 – to date.

### **Department level**

#### **Present**

1. Member, Board of Post Graduate Studies (BPGS) Department of Library and Information Science, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow from 01/11/2022 – to date.
2. Coordinator, Department IQAC, Department of Library and Information Science, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow from 08/08/2022 – to date.
3. Coordinator, Department New Education Policy (NEP), Department of Library and Information Science, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow from 17/09/2021 – to date.
4. Coordinator, Department CBCS, Department of Library and Information Science, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow from 01/02/2021 – to date.



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