Curriculum Vitae

Title	**Ms.**	Name	**MEGHA**	Last Name	**JACOB**	
Designation		**Assistant Professor (Regular)**				
Department		**Economics**				
Institutional Email Address		**mjacob@jmc.du.ac.in**				

EDUCATION

Degree	Institution	Year	Details
Pursuing PhD In Health Economics	TERI School of Advanced Studies, New Delhi.	January, 2021- 2026 (expected time to complete her Ph.D.)	• Obtained highest marks during Ph.D. coursework (8 CGPA). • Pursuing Ph.D. in Health Economics under the supervision of Prof. Sukanya Das.
UGC NET	University Grants Commission	January, 2017	Cleared UGC-NET (Economics)
M.Sc. in Economics	Madras School of Economics	2013-15	Second rank holder in her class.
B.A. (Hons.) Economics	Sri Venkateswara College, University of Delhi.	2010-13	
Class 12	All India Senior School	2010	Awarded the All Round Excellence Award of the batch.

	Certificate Examination (C.B.S.E), Loreto Convent School, Delhi.		
Class 10	All India Secondary School Certificate Examination (C.B.S.E),Loreto Convent School, Delhi	2008	
CAREER PROFILE			
Organisation /Institution	Designation	Duration	Role
Jesus and Mary College, University of Delhi	**Assistant Professor (Ad-hoc)**	**July, 2017 to January, 2024**	**Teacher, Mentor and Administration tasks undertaken.** **1.) Faculty Advisor** to the ***Students Council of JMC*** (2019-22) **2.) Convenor** of the *English Debating Society* of JMC (2018-22) **3.) Co-Convenor** of the *Public Policy Cell* of JMC (2018-19) and then member (2019-21) **4.) Member** of the *JMC Webinar Organizing Team* (April 2020-November 2020)

			5.) Member of the *JMC NDMC team* under the information systems (2018-20) **6.) Member** of ***AICUF*** from July, 2017-present and **Coordinator** for **NGO Work** in AICUF till 2024 (with Chetanalaya) **7.) Member** of the *North-East Society* of JMC (2020-21) **8.) Member** of the *Puzzle society* (since 2019-22) **9.) *Economics Department's*** Activities In charge (2019-21) **10.)** Faculty in charge (coordinator) of the *Economics Department's annual Magazine "Contrarian"* of Jesus and Mary College (2018-19) **11.) *Co-Treasurer*** of Economics Department (2021-22) **12.)** Member of the ***JMC NAAC team for Criterion 3*** *(Research),* 2019 onwards till 2021 & Member of *NAAC Peer Team Visit* for Cultural Programmes & Technical Support of College (2021) **13.)** Member of the ***Research and Skill Development Cell***,

			Department of Economics (2018-23) **14.) Faculty Advisor** of *Chanakya cell*, Department of Economics (2021 onwards) **15.)** Member of the ***IQAC Team*** of Junior Faculty Members for 2022-2024 of JMC & Member of *NAAC Team in Criteria 6* (2021 onwards). **16.)** *Ecovantage* faculty in-charge of *Research symposium and Mock Talk* (28th March, 2023) **17.)** Faculty Advisor of the ***Convocation Committee*** of JMC (2022-2024) **18.)** Member and secretary of *AFJM, JMC* (2021 to July 2023).
Jesus and Mary College, University of Delhi.	**Assistant Professor (Regular)**	**January, 2024 onwards**	**Teacher, Mentor and Administration tasks undertaken.** **1.) Faculty Convenor** of *Chanakya cell*, Department of Economics (2021 till now) **2.) Member** of ***AICUF*** *Society* **3.) Staff Association Treasurer**, JMC, (March, 2024 onwards till June 2025)

			4.) Faculty Advisor of ICC (Internal Complaints Committee) in JMC (October, 2024 onwards). **5.) Faculty Member** of XBHEI (Xavier Board of Higher Education in India), JMC till July 2024 **6.) Faculty Member** of Puzzle Society (August 2025 onwards) **7.)** Member of **IQAC NAAC Team (Criterion 6)**
Department of Finance and Business Economics, Delhi University	**Visiting Faculty: Department of Finance and Business Economics, Delhi University**	**January, 2025 to June, 2025**	*Course:* **MBA (Business Economics)** *Semester:* 4 *Papers Taught:* ***Simulation and Modelling in Business Management***

AREA OF INTEREST :

Her areas of specialization are Simulation and Modelling, Quantitative Methods, Development & Health Economics, Econometrics, Macroeconomics and Environmental Economics. Her research interests include the Econophysics, Economics of Health, Tourism, MSMEs and Local Governance.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE (Subjects/Courses taught)

- ***Undergraduate level: At Jesus and Mary College, University of Delhi:***
  - Applied Econometrics,
  - Advanced Mathematical Methods for Economics,
  - Optimization Techniques for Economic Analysis,
  - Quantitative Techniques,

- Basic Statistics,
- Intermediate Macroeconomics-Policy Issues
- Development Economics,
- Principles of Macroeconomics 1 & 2,
- Intermediate Microeconomics,
- Basic Macroeconomics,
- Money and Banking,
- Research Methodology,
- Economic Development and Policy,
- Contemporary Issues in Economics,
- Money & Financial Markets,
- Indian Economy
- Principles of Microeconomics- 1 & 2

- ***Postgraduate Level: At Department of Business Economics: MBA (Business Economics)***
  - Simulation and Modelling in Business Management

PhD (Supervised): N.A.

MPhil (Supervised): N.A

Software Skills:

1. Microsoft Excel
2. E Views
3. SPSS
4. STATA
5. R
6. Tableau (Basics)
7. LATEX

HONORS & AWARDS

1. Recipient of the **SAARC Education Award** for outstanding contribution in the areas of Environmental Education (2007)

2. Awarded the Miss. NEXUS title for all round excellence in NEXUS 2010, an inter-college competition held at Sri Venkateswara College, University of Delhi

3. Awarded the “All Round Excellence certificate of Merit” in class 12th (2009)

4. Topped First Semester Ph.D. coursework (9 CGPA)

5. Received the Certificate of Appreciation from the Ministry of Finance, Government of India, Central Board of Direct Taxes under the " Bronze Category in recognition of the contribution towards building the nation" for the year 2019-20.

PUBLICATION DETAILS:

Books Published (National & International):

1.) Megha Jacob and Jacob John, *Local Governments and Public Health Delivery System in Kerala: Lessons of Collaborative Governance*, **Cambridge Scholars Press, London**, ISBN No. : 9781443899284. 2016. https://www.google.co.in/books/edition/Local_Governments_and_the_Public_Health/Wu9TDgAAQBAJ?hl=en&gbpv=1&dq=+Local+Governments+and+Public+Health+Delivery+System+in+Kerala:+Lessons+of+Collaborative+Governance&pg=PR7&printsec=frontcover

2.) Megha Jacob, *Economic citizenship of Dalits in India,* siddharth books, ISBN : 9789386928047. 2017.

Chapter in a Book Published (National & International):

3.) Megha Jacob and Jacob John, *Empowerment of Marginalized Communities and Tourism: Case Study of Theyyam Dance,* in Bindi Varghese (ed.)*Evolving Paradigms in Tourism and Hospitality in Developing Countries,* **Apple Academic Press** , **New Jersey** 08758 **USA**. 2018. https://www.taylorfrancis.com/chapters/edit/10.1201/b22319-15/empowerment-marginalized-communities-tourism-case-study-theyyam-dance-indian-perspective-jacob-john-megha-jacob

4.) Paper published titled "Financing Micro and Small Enterprises in India through Mutual Credit Guarantee Schemes" in the edited volume "Businesses Resilience and Sustainability (Emerging Market Developing Economies)" by **World Scientific Publisher, Singapore**, 2023. ISBN: 978-981-126-652-2 https://www.worldscientific.com/doi/10.1142/9789811266539_0009 **(Scopus Indexed)**

5.) Jacob, M. (2023). Ascension of Christ. In: Chathanatt, J.(eds) Christianity. Encyclopedia of Indian Religions. **Springer, Dordrecht**, **Netherlands** on January 1 , 2024 . Hardcover ISBN 978-94-024-2240-5. eBook ISBN 978-94-024-2241-2. Series ISSN 2542-7628. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-94-024-2241-2_57

6.) Jacob, M. (2023). Ash Wednesday. In: Chathanatt, J.(eds) Christianity. Encyclopedia of Indian Religions. **Springer, Dordrecht**. **Netherlands** on January 1 , 2024 https://doi.org/10.1007/978-94-024-2241-2_58

7.) Jacob, M. (2023). The Transfiguration of Jesus. In: Chathanatt, J. (eds) Christianity. Encyclopedia of Indian. Religions. **Springer, Dordrecht, Netherlands** on January 1 , 2024 https://doi.org/10.1007/978-94-024-2241-2_104

8.) Chapter titled "Bio-Medical Waste and COVID-19 Pandemic: A State-wise Analysis" published in the edited volume "Pandemic Perspectives: Praxis, Policy and Pedagogies" by **Routledge Publishers**, **Taylor and Francis Group**, 2024. ISBN: 9781032768922. https://www.taylorfrancis.com/chapters/edit/10.4324/9781003480297-9/bio-medical-waste-covid-19-pandemic-mercykutty-jacob-megha-jacob-nicole-srishti-basile-sanaa-munjal

9.) Paper published in a **Scopus Indexed** book series "Contemporary Perspectives in Family Research" a paper titled "Menstrual Hygienic Disparity in India: An inter-state analysis using NFHS indicators" published by **Emerald Publishers**, 2023 on 21st June, 2024. Volume 26. ISSN: 1530-3535. **https://www.emerald.com/insight/content/doi/10.1108/S1530-353520240000026005/full/html**

10.) Published a chapter titled "Exploring Inclusiveness in the Tourism Sector of Uttar Pradesh, India" in an International edited volume "Handbook on Inclusive Business Approaches in Tourism: Stakeholder Engagement" by **Nova Science Publishers**, September, 2024 (**Scopus Indexed**)

Journal Articles Published (National and International Research Papers):

11.) Megha Jacob and Jacob John, *Dalit Art Forms and Tourism Promotion: Case Study of Theyyam Dance*, Atna, J Tour Stud, 10, 2 , 1-15 ISSN 0975-3281. 2015. (***UGC***

Care (First List) Journal). file:///Users/meghajacob/Downloads/1209-Article%20Text-2500-1-10-20170601.pdf

12.) Megha Jacob, *Entrepreneurships and Startup Programmes: Opportunities in Travel and Tourism,* Atna, J Tour Stud*,* **12**, 2, 51-65, ISSN 0975-3281. 2017. ***(UGC Care (First List) Journal***). https://journals.christuniversity.in/index.php/atna/article/view/1605

13.) Jacob John, Naveen Joseph Thomas, Megha Jacob, Neha Jacob (2021). *A Study on Social Security and Health Rights of Migrant Workers in India.* India. **National Human Rights Commission**. https://nhrc.nic.in/training-&-research/research-studies-&-projects/completed-projectss

14.) Jacob, M., Agarwal, A., Gupta, G. ., Raju, K. M. ., & Khurana, R. (2021). Analysing the Differential Performances of Indian States in the Tourism Sector: (1947-early 2020). *Atna Journal of Tourism Studies*, *16*(1). (***UGC Care (First List) Journal***). https://www.researchgate.net/publication/353291661_Analysing_the_Differential_Performances_of_Indian_States_in_the_Tourism_Sector_1947-early_2020

15.) Jacob, M., Joseph, A. M., & Raju, K. M. (2021). Family Planning Policies and Sex Selective Abortions in India: Does the former elevate the latter?. *Artha Journal of Social Sciences*, *20* (4), 85-116. ISSN: 0975-329X. https://journals.christuniversity.in/index.php/artha/article/view/2889

16.) John, J., Jacob, M., & Thomas, N. J. (2021). Dynamics of Finances of Private Higher Educational Institutions in India. **NIEPA**. https://www.niepa.ac.in/OCASSIONAL%20PAPERS.aspx

17.) Jacob, M., Nandini, B., & Sharma, N. (2023). Indigenous Sports of India: Connecting Past to the Present. *Artha Journal of Social Sciences*, *22*(1). https://journals.christuniversity.in/index.php/artha/article/view/4435

18.) Saxena, A. and Jacob, M. (2023). Challenges Encountered by Family Businesses in the Era of Digitalisation and A.I. - A Perspective Article. *HRC Journal of Economic and Finance,* 1(4).

19.) Jacob, M., Chopra , A. ., Goel , A. ., Marwaha , A., & Sharma, B. (2024). Examining the Impact of Climate Change on Tourism Sector of Uttarakhand : An Exploratory

Study. *Atna Journal of Tourism Studies*, *19*(1). https://doi.org/10.12727/ajts.31.1. (***UGC Care (First List) Journal***). https://www.researchgate.net/publication/377855807_Examining_the_Impact_of_Climate_Change_on_Tourism_Sector_of_Uttarakhand_An_Exploratory_Study

20.) Jacob, M., Pandey , S. & Dubey , S. (2024). Impact of the Indian Labour Codes: on small and medium enterprises and the unorganised sector. *Social Action*, 74(4). ISSN: 0037-7627 (***UGC Care (First List) Journal***).

21.) Jacob, M. & Das, S. (2025). Ethical issues in analysing the role of local government institutions in capacity building of public health institutions (PHIs) in India. *Ethics, Medicine and Public Health,* 33. ISSN: 2352-5533 **(Scopus Indexed Q3 Journal in Health Policy).** https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jemep.2025.101194. https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S2352552525001537?dgcid=author

Newspaper Articles Published:

20.) Jacob, M. & Das, S. (2024, February 6). **Bridge Widening Gaps in Health Outcomes, Services**. *Deccan Herald.* https://www.deccanherald.com/opinion/bridge-widening-gaps-in-health-outcomes-services-2881759

21.) Jacob, M. & Das, S. (2024, February 28). **Rising Medical Costs are Eating into Average Household Expenses.** *Deccan Herald.* https://www.deccanherald.com/opinion/rising-medical-costs-are-eating-into-average-household-budgets-2913595

22.) Jacob, M. & Das, S. (2024, June 29). **National Statistics Day| The Problem of 'Missing Data'.** *Deccan Herald*. https://www.deccanherald.com/opinion/national-statistics-day-the-problem-of-missing-data-3085977

23.) Jacob, M., Das, S. & Jacob, N. (2025, March 11). **India Needs to Treat Glaucoma as a Public Health Challenge.** *Deccan Herald*. https://www.deccanherald.com/opinion/india-needs-to-treat-glaucoma-as-a-public-health-challenge-3441333

24.) Jacob, M. & Das, S. (2025, October 18). **Standardised Patients could Improve Primary Healthcare Evaluation across India.** *Deccan Herald*.

https://www.deccanherald.com/opinion/standardised-patients-could-improve-primary-healthcare-evaluation-across-india-3768624

Policy Briefs Published:

1.) **Jacob, M., Rahut, D. B., & Das, S. (2025).** *Role of G20 in Reducing Health Inequities Through the Provision of Public Healthcare Services by Enhancing the Capacity of Local Government Institutions* (T20 South Africa 2025 Policy Brief, Task Force 4). Think20 (T20), G20 South Africa. https://t20southafrica.org/publications/role-of-g20-in-reducing-health-inequalities/

Papers presented in Seminars/conferences (National & International):

1.) **Presented a paper** titled "Public Health Delivery System & Local Government Institutions in India: Experiences from Covid-19 Response" at **Soka University, Japan** South Asia Research Center International Conference on Japan-South Asia Connections on Economy, Health & Education on 31st October 2020.

2.) **Co-presented** a paper on " An Analysis of intersectionality of Developmental Practices across South Asia and its role in evolving the COVID Story" at the Second South Asia Research Center International Conference on Memory and Past in South Asia on 27th November, 2021, ***Soka University, Japan***.

3.) Presented a study at the Annual Research Colloquium, 2020 in the Session on "Health" on the topic " The Role of Local Government Institutions in Capacity Building of Public Health Institutions in India" on 27th December, 2021 at the ***TERI School of Advanced Studies, New Delhi*.**

4.) **Presented a paper** titled " The Role of Mutual Credit Guarantee in Financing Micro and Small Enterprises in India" at the International Conference on Evolving Business Strategies in a Transforming Global Environment, ***Jesus and Mary College*** on 21st January, 2022.

5.) **Co-presented** a paper on " Rising Corporate Interest in Designing and Implementing Environmental Management Frameworks in South Asia and its Impact on reversing the economic trends of the pandemic" at the Third South Asia Research Center International Online Conference on the New Human Family in South Asia- Global and Local on 27th November, 2022, ***Soka University, Japan***.

6.) Presented a paper on "Examining the impact of climate change on Tourism sector of Uttarakhand" at the International Conference on Interdisciplinary Engagement and Social Innovations in Business and Tourism on 5th October, 2023, ***Christ University, Bangalore.***

7.) **Co-presented** a paper on "Understanding the Behavioural Patterns and Management Styles Emanating from South Asia's shared yet Diverse Cultural Backdrop" at the Fourth South Asia Research Center International Online Conference on Writing Each Other: Mutual Representations of South Asia and Japan in History, Literature and Philosophy on 25th November, 2023, ***Soka University, Japan*.**

8.) Presented the paper on "Does Effectiveness of Local Government Institutions Still Improve Vital Health Indicators in Kerala?" at the three-day National-level **2nd MIDS Doctoral Colloquium on Economics and Development Studies** organized by and presented at the **Madras Institute of Development Studies (MIDS), Chennai** from 11-13 November, 2024.

9.) Presented the paper on "Does Effectiveness of Local Government Institutions Still Improve Vital Health Indicators in Kerala?" for the **10th Graduate Research Meet (GRM)** on 9th and 10th December 2024 organised by **IIT Guwahati.**

10.) Presented the paper on "Does Effectiveness of Local Government Institutions Still Improve Vital Health Indicators in Kerala?" at the **Delhi Winter School 2024** organised by the **Centre for Development Economics, Delhi School of Economics and The Econometric Society** from 12th to 14th December 2024**.**

11.) Presented the paper (online) on "Does Effectiveness of Local Government Institutions Improve Vital Health Indicators in Kerala?" at the **International Academic Conference** organised by the **Wayanad Literary Fest, Wayanad, Kerala** on the 28th December 2024**.**

12.) Presented the paper on "Does Effectiveness of Local Government Institutions Still Improve Vital Health Indicators in Kerala?" at the **Indian Institute of Technology (Indian School Mines) Dhanbad, Jharkhand** on 11th February, 2025.

13.) **Presented** the paper on "Does Effectiveness of Local Government Institutions Still Improve Vital Health Indicators in Kerala?" at the ***INET-YSI South Asia Regional International Conference on Social Change*** at the **Institute for Social and Economic Change (ISEC), Bengaluru**, India on 24th February, 2025- 26th February, 2025 ***(Funding received) .***

National Workshops and Seminars Organised & Participated:

1.) **Participated** in the two days FDP on "Emerging Research Methodologies in Social Sciences" organized by IQAC and the Research Committee, Jesus and Mary College, Delhi University on 3rd and 4th May, 2018

2.) Faculty Development Program and workshop **organised** by TROPICSU, funded by International Council for Science (IISER, Pune) at Sri Venkateswara College, Delhi University on "Climate Action Across Curriculum" on 13-14th October, 2018

3.) **Organised** the Faculty Development Program by JMC in collaboration with TROPICSU, IISER Pune at Jesus and Mary College on 28th January, 2019.

4.) **Invited** and Attended a **fully sponsored workshop at IISER Pune** on 18-19th March,2019 on formulating e-lesson plans for TROPICSU in collaboration with the UN bodies and other international organizations.

5.) **Participated & organized** a two days workshop on Tableau Desktop 1: Fundamentals Training organized by Tableau Software, Global Services in JMC on 27th January-28th January 2020.

6.) **Attended** a four days (10 hours) of Certificate Program on "The Economics of Pandemics" by Dr. Abhinay Muthoo, Dean of Warwick, London (10th-13th April, 2020), organized by Meghnad Desai Academy, Mumbai.

7.) **Organized** a seminar by Prof. Indrani Gupta, Professor & Head, Health Policy Research Unit at the Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi on 28th October 2020 on the topic Health sector's preparedness to deal with pandemics in India at JMC for the Economics Department.

8.) She worked towards a teaching and **research collaboration** between Jesus and Mary College and the **Hertie School of Governance, Germany**, which has resulted in a seminar at Jesus and Mary College on 2nd March, 2020, on the topic 'Populism in Europe' and was delivered by Prof. Mark Kayser, Hertie School of Governance.

9.) **Hosted and organized over 20 Webinars** (International & National) as a member of the JMC Webinar Team in the year 2020.

10.) **Participated** in a virtual workshop on "Open Data and Open Knowledge" co-organised by the World Bank and SGTBKS College, university of Delhi on January 20th, 2022.

11.) Participated and **organised** a 5 days' workshop on "Qualitative Research" co-organised by Jesus and Mary college, University of Delhi in collaboration with Knowledge Whiteboard, Mumbai from 11th- 15th July, 2022 at JMC.

12.) **Invited** as a Judge for the CJM OSA Inter-School Debate on 23rd August, 2022 at Convent of Jesus and Mary.

13.) **Organized** a seminar by Prof. Indrani Gupta, Professor & Head, Health Policy Research Unit at the Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi on 28th October 2020 on the topic Health sector's preparedness to deal with pandemics in India at JMC for the Economics Department.

14.) **Organised** a speaker session by Mr. Amlesh Kanekar, Director of Academics, Meghnad Desai Academy, Mumbai on Telling a Data Story using a Visualization Tool (Power BI) on 30th September, 2022 for the Economics Department at Jesus and Mary College.

15.) **Participated** in a 6 day virtual Faculty Development Programme on "Digital Pedagogies for achieving Sustainable Development Goals in Education" co-organised by AIACHE in collaboration with Lady Doak College, Madurai, from 6th October-11th October, 2022 at JMC.

16.) **Participated** in a 3 day XXIVth Triennial Conference of Xavier Board of Higher Education in India on "Journeying with the Synodal Spirit through Networking and Academic Collaborations- Together in Communion, Participation and Mission" Organised by the Xavier Board of Higher Education in India in Goa, from 22nd October-24th October, 2022.

17.) Participated and **completed a One week Faculty Development Programme** on "Indian Knowledge System and Mindfulness: Enhancing Resilience and Emotional Intelligence in Educators" organized by Indian Knowledge Systems Cell, Tecnia Institute of Advanced Studies, Delhi from 13th - 18th January, 2025.

Talks/Lectures:

1.) **Invited** for a webinar as a **speaker** to the Economics Department's Lecture series of ***Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi*** on the topic of " Towards 75 Years of Freedom: Health Policies & Their Role in Preparing India for health Emergencies" on 18th September, 2021.

2.) **Invited** for a Talk as a **Key Note Speaker** at the **International Conference** on Social Work Practice with Migrant Workers and Refugees on the Topic " Health and Social Security of Migrant Workers" on 24th February, 2022 at ***Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru***.

Participation as Resource Person:

1.) Panelist at an international online symposium on New Education During Pandemic 2020 (July 10, 2020), South Asia Research Center, ***Soka University, Japan***.]

2.) **Invited as a Discussant** in the technical session: " Global Economy: Integration V/S Disintegration" at the International Conference on Evolving Business Strategies in a Transforming Global Environment, *Jesus and Mary College* on 20th January, 2022.

3.) Chaired a session **(Healthcare Panel)** at the Third South Asia Research Center International Online Conference on the New Human Family in South Asia- Global and Local on 27th November, 2022, *Soka University, Japan*.

4.) **Chaired** a session at the Fourth South Asia Research Center International Online Conference on Writing Each Other: Mutual Representations of South Asia and Japan in History, Literature and Philosophy on 25th November, 2023, *Soka University, Japan*.

5.) **Invited as a chair** for a seminar on " The Politics of comportment: Theory and Evidence from India's Small Towns presented by Prof. Adam Auerbach" in the GLD work in progress series in the **Governance and Local Development Institute (GLD), University of Gothenburg, Sweden & Cornell Brooks Public Policy, Cornell University, New York** on 8th May, 2025. https://gld.gu.se/en/event/the-politics-of-comportment-theory-and-evidence-from-indias-small-towns

6.) **Resource Person** for a **Hands on Training Session** on **Time Series Regression Analysis on STATA** at the TERI School of Advanced Studies, Delhi on 23rd September, 2025.

OTHER DETAILS:

Reviewer of Journals (National & International)

1.) Reviewer of the UGC Care listed journal, Atna Journal of Tourism Studies.

2.) Reviewer of a Scopus Indexed Journal "Curriculum Studies in Health and Physical Education".

3.) **Reviewer** of Arthniti Journal, Economics (ISSN 2277-1344).

Miscellaneous Academic Activities

4.) **Interview** with Prof. Subodh Mathur (Vidped, A voice for all) on "My Journey in Academics, Research and Teaching" on **29th October, 2024.** https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kNdyNo4zhP8

Preparation of Teaching Material:

E-content Published (Lesson Plan):

1.) Contributed to **IISER, Pune** and **TROPICSU, International Council of Sciences**, an **e-lesson** on "**Shadow Prices and Market Prices"** in the workshop at IISER Pune on 18-19th March, 2019 and published in July 2019. https://climatescienceteaching.org/lesson/carbon-pricing/overview

Research Projects:

As a **Research Consultant** at KDS Delhi (Full time and Part time) Ms. Jacob has worked on several Indian Government Funded Projects. The **following were the projects**:

1.) **Project Title**: Education of children of migrant workers and RTE Act, 2009

Funded by: NIEPA (National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration)
Year of Completion: 2015

2.) **Project Title:** Inter-regional migration from Eastern states to Kerala: a socio-economic analysis
Funded by: Ministry of Labour
Year of Completion: 2016

3.) **Project Title:** A study on Human Rights of Transgender as a Third gender
Funded by: National Human Rights Commission (NHRC)
Year of Completion: 2017

- Here she has worked as a **co-investigator** in the **first study of India** on Human Rights of Transgender.

4.) **Project Title:** Documentation of the Governance Arrangements in Non part-9 areas of North Eastern states
Funded by: Ministry of Panchayati Raj
Year of Completion: 2018-19

5.) **Project Title:** Economic Development and Income Generation through Panchayats in Rural Areas
Funded by: Ministry of Panchayati Raj
Year of Completion: 2019

6.) **Project Title:** Dynamics of Finances of Private Higher Educational Institutions in India
Funded by: NIEPA (National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration)
Year of Completion: 2019-21

7.) **Project Title:** A study on Social Security and Human rights of Migrant Workers in India
Funded by: National Human Rights Commission (NHRC)
Year of Completion: October 2020 (Report published in April 2021)

8.) **Project Title:** An Assessment study on community guarantee/mutual credit guarantee scheme
Funded by: SIDBI
Year of Completion: September 2020 (Report published in August 2021)

Membership in Professional Bodies & Others:

1.) Member of The Econometric Society, 2024
2.) Member of **Community of Practice (CoP) on Health Financing and Fiscal Sovereignty in Post-Aid Health Systems**, Health Systems and Policy Cluster, UCL Global Business School for Health, United Kingdom

Orientation and Refresher Courses:

1.) **Completed** the 2 weeks Online Training Programme (FDP) on "NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Programme" under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme (MM-TTP) of University Grants Commission organised by Mahatma Hansraj Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (MH-MMTTC), Hansraj College, University of Delhi from 1st February, 2024 to 14th February, 2024.

2.) Successfully **completed a 4-Week Faculty Induction/Orientation Programme** organized by the Teaching Learning Centre of Ramanujan College, University of Delhi under the aegis of Ministry of Education , Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme for "Faculty in Universities/Colleges/ Institutes of Higher Education" from 21st February- 19th March, 2024 & obtained Grade A+.

Field Work:

1.) **2015-17:** As a Research officer with KDS Delhi, a socio-economic research Institute in Delhi, Megha has worked in the field. 1.) for a project on "The Need Assessment and Detailed Project Report (DPR) preparation for Backward Grama Panchayat, Tribal Panchayat and Revenue Deficient Municipalities. **Client**: Kerala Local Government Service Del**i**very Project, Local Self Government Department, Government of Kerala. **Methodology** adopted was mainly a participatory approach. The data and information for this exercise were collected both from primary and

secondary sources.

2.) She also did field work while working on a KDS project on Study on Human Rights of Transgender as a Third Gender. **Client**: National Human Rights Commission, Government of India. Project Description: This was a national study of National Human Rights Commission covering Delhi and Uttar Pradesh. The study had a sample size of 1000 respondents.

3.) Since 2024, she is partly working in Kerala in the field in 4 districts: Wayanad, Kollam, Idukki and Ernakulam for her Ph.D. field work in Health Economics.

Research Supervision:

1.) Supervised 4th-year undergraduate dissertation of Ms. Akshita Pratap on Drivers of State wise Variation in Electric Vehicle (EV) Adoption: An Analysis of Select Indian States (2022–2025), JMC, University of Delhi, 2025-26.

2.) Supervised 4th-year undergraduate dissertation of Ms. Ananya Sharma on Is Digital Health a Mixed Blessing for the Rising Elderly Population? A Case Study from India, JMC, University of Delhi, 2025-26.

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