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Prof. Ashok Kumar Kaul is a Professor of Sociology at Banaras Hindu University. Recipient of 'Meritorious Award' Baden-Baden Germany; He has thirty years of lecturing and research experience at in India and internationally. He has published five books and produced more than fifty papers. The well-reviewed books are Kashmir: Fractured Nativity, VDM (Germany) 2009, Kashmir: Contested Identity, Rawat2011 and 'Nativity Reclaimed', Authors press, 2017,'Advanced Sociological Theories (In Hindi), Pearson International, 2016. Bharat Ka Samajshaster, Rawat, 2005. Other contributions include chapters on "Ethno-nationalism in India' in Peter Ratchiff's book on Race, Ethnicity and Nation, London University Press, UK (1994), 'Sociology of India' in Langer's book on "Emerging Sociology, published by Aldershot, London, and equally important publications include, „Sustainable Development: A need for comprehensive Human Approach" in Sustainable Development and Global community, Vol.111, edited by G. Laskar and K. Hiwaski in IIASD, 2002, pp.35-40 and "Geographical and social dimensions of Naxal Movement: A micro level observation" in Bangladesh Sociological studies: An International Biannual Journal, Volume 3, Number 2 (published in 2011) pp153-170. 'The Cultural Capital: Loss, Conversion and Prospect of Subjugated Kashmiri Landscape' in 'Marginality, Exclusion and Social Justice' edited by Ashish Saxena, Rawt Publication, 2013. Lived religion in a plural society: a resource or liability in Argument Biannual Philosophical Journal, University of Cracow, volume 4, number 1, 2014, pp89-102. Religious Resurgence: a derivative discourse (co-authored) in Warp And Rags of Religion, Gothenburg University edited by Daniel Enstedt, Larsson et.al. Gothenburg University, 2016, Pp203-2014 'Contemporary youth: change of referent loss of identity' (co-authored) in Handbook of Sociology of Youth in BRICS countries, edited by Dwyer et.al, World scientific, 2017, pp253-266.

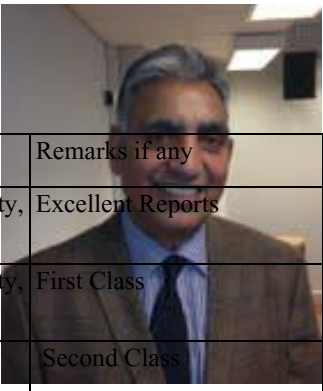
He was associated with the editorial work with the following: Regional Editor international centre of Global Changes, Nautsweza, Poland (90-93), Gandhian Perspective (2004-2006), Referee to Current Sociology, (UK) and a member of Editorial Advisory Committee of Sociological Bulletin (2005-2007). He acted as a Reviewer for the Research journal 'Social Change' ISD, New Delhi and also for 'The Journal of European Legacy', published by Rutledge. Besides being a member of Board of studies in many universities, nationally, he has been also associated with UPSC, UUPSC, Higher Education, UP and ICSSR and UGC activities in some capacity or other, over the years. Under his supervision sixteen students have been awarded their (PhD) doctorate degree. He has also been guide to Post Doctoral ICSSR Fellows.

Prof Kaul was post-doctoral fellow at the University Of Klagenfurt, Austria (1991-92), and the Department of Sociology University of Alberta, Edmonton (1993-94), and has been invited Visiting Faculty at the Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi (2002), at CSS, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi (2005), Central University Tezpur and also at GND University Amritsar (twice). He chaired the workshop on "Cultural Decentring" in 19th IMISE Conference at Oxford University. He has given special lectures on "Ethnicity and nation-state" in Erasmus University, Rotterdam, State University Binghamton, New York, as well as, a special lecture at the International University, Tokyo, Japan. Nationally, he has been a Resource person in many of the Academic staff Colleges (Name changed now) of the country. He was invited to give lectures in IIT, Khargpur, IIT, Kanpur, IIT Jodhpur, Delhi School of Economics, Jawaharlal University, School of Social Systems, Allahabad Central University and Punjab University Chandigarh. He served ICCR Chair Abroad at the University of Gothenburg, Sweden from February to June, 2013, where besides academic presentations, he published two articles in popular journal 'Sydasien' Sweden. He has been bestowed the prestigious KECCS Award, New Delhi (2016). The chairman of the Organizing Committee of the IIAS invited Prof Ashok Kaul to present a Keynote Address on the topic of his choice, at the 38th Annual Meeting of the International Institute for Advanced Studies and at the 30th Anniversary International Conference on Systems Research, Informatics and Cybernetics, to be jointly held July 30 - August 3, 2018 in Baden-Baden, Germany. His presentation hugely appreciated was on 'Rupture of Modern: A Search for New world Order. On August 2nd, 2018, he has been admitted to IIAS Fellow at Baden -Baden, Germany. Banaras Hindu university has appointed him Professor *Emeritus in* sociology, which will take up when his active career comes to close on June 30th, 2019.

1 Academic Qualifications (beginning from the first degree received) :-

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S.No.	Degree/ Course	Year	Name of the University	Remarks if any
01	Ph. D.	1980	Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi	Excellent Reports
02	M.A	1976	Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi	First Class
03	B.A.	1974	University of Kashmir	Second Class




13. Teaching experience (from date of first appointment) :-

S.No.	Position	Duration		Total Duration in years	Remarks if any
		From	To		
01.	Assistant Professor	1980	1988	8 years	Permanent in 1987
02.	Associate Professor	1998	2006	8 years	In-between senior lecturer from 1988 to 1998
03.	Professor	2006	Till date	More than ten years	
04.	Other				

13. (a) Participation and contribution in relevant areas in higher education

	Organization	Area of specialization
Visiting Professor	(1)Delhi School of Economics,(2)Jawaharlal Nehru University, University of Jammu, Tezpur Central University and Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, twice.	Social Theory, Modernization and Indian Studies. Sociology of literature
Resource Person	Academic staff Colleges, UGC sponsored courses, especially on Research methodology, TV talk shows, Symposium panelist in All India Sociological Conferences	As above
Others (Specify)	Invited speaker in Erasmus University, Rotterdam, Alberta University, Edmonton, New York	On Ethnicity, Nationalism and multiculturalism and many other such topics on modernity.

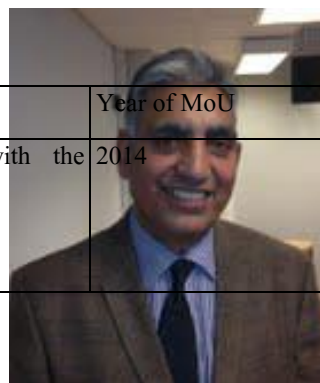
	state University, Binghamton, New York, International University, Tokyo and University of Gothenburg, Sweden.	
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13. (b) Involvement with formulation of academic programmes :

S.No.	Nomenclature of Innovative Academic Programmes formulated	Date of approval by Academic Council	Year of Introduction
01	Board of studies member in different universities	DayalBagh University, Agra, Agra University MGKVP University Himachal University Shimla PoorvanchalUniversiy, Jaunpur Central University of Allahabad, Allahabad RajarshiTandon Open University, Allahabad	From 2005 till date in these universities from time to time
02	Regional Editor	International Center of Global Changes, Nautsweza, Poland, 1990-93	1990-93
03	Conference Panelist in All Indian Sociological Conferences, Aligarh University, Aligarh	17 December 1998	1998
04	Conference Panelist in All Indian Sociological Conferences, University of Jammu, Jammu		2005
05	Conference Panelist in All Indian Sociological Conferences, Rajasthan University, Jaipur, Jaipur		2008
06	Conference Panelist in All Indian Sociological Conferences, MGKVP University, Varanasi		2014
07	Editorial Board Member, Advisory Committee, Indian Sociological Bulletin		

13. (c) Important MoUs formulated for academic collaborations :

S.No.	MoUs formulated	Name of Agencies/ Departments involved	Year of MoU
01	Being ICCR chair and coordinator of centre for social exclusion and inclusive policy	I was instrumental having MOU with the University of Gothenburg, Sweden	2014



13. (d) Position of Chairs :

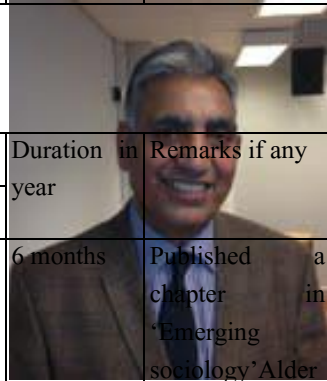
S.No.	Name of Chair	Name of Agencies/ Departments involved	Period of holding the Chair
01	ICCR Chair, Abroad	ICCR, University of Gothenburg, Sweden	2013, Jan to June
02	Coordinator	Centre for Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, BHU, Varanasi	2013-2016
03	Governing Body Member	G. B. Pant Institute of Social Sciences, Allahabad	2015-2017

14. Administrative Experience :-

S.No.	Name of Institution	Position Held	Task/ responsibilities assigned	Duration		Duration in year	Remarks if any
				From	To		
1	Centre for social exclusion and inclusive policy BHU	Coordinator	Responsibilities of a director of centre: Managing, guiding, exploring research and macro-micro interactions.	31.7.2012	12.4.2016	Over three years	During my tenure the NAAC described it one of the best centres of the country, India Today report published.
2	University Club, BHU	Secretary	To manage teachers club	1993	1994	Two years	
3	A.N.D. Hostel, BHU, Varanasi.	Administrative warden	To manage the Hostel	1996	2000	Four years	
4	Faculty Guest House, BHU,	Chief Warden	Management	2000	2003	Three years	

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15. Research Experience :-

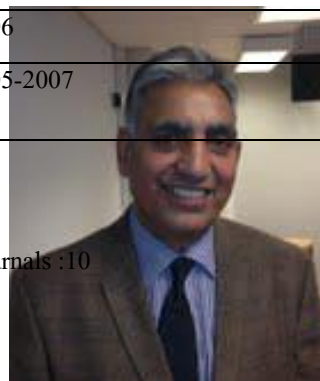


S.No.	Name of Institution	Position Held	Research details	Duration		Duration in year	Remarks if any
				From	To		
01	University of Klagenfurt Austria	Post-doctoral	Indian sociology	October 1991	March 1992	6 months	Published a chapter in 'Emerging sociology' Alder shot, 1994. The Contact professor appreciative testimonial of my research and as a person received.
02	Shastri Indo – Canadian fellowship	Post doctoral	Ethnicity and ethno-nationalism	September 1993	October, 1993	One and a half months	Produced scholarly chapter on Ethno-nationalism in India published by University of London in an edited volume of race ethnicity and nation, by Peter Retcliffe, 1994. The institute has sent the scholarly recognition of the chapter.

16. Special achievement :-

1	Chaired session	19 th IMISE conference	Oxford	1999
2	Editorial role	Gandhian perspective	Varanasi	2003-2005
	Referee	Current	London	2002

		sociology		
	Reviewer	Social Change	New Delhi	2006
	Editorial Advisory committee	Sociological Bulletin	New Delhi	2005-2007



17. Publications output :-

No. of research papers published in national and international journals :10
 Books published : 05
 Chapters : 07
 Training modules : for VM Open University, Kota: 03
 Popular Articles: 40, including two articles in 'Sydasien' Sweden. (2013).
 TV talk shows :25



Awards/ Honors/ Merit Certificates/ Applications/ Fellow etc :

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S.No.	Name of Award	Year	Details of awards/	Contribution for which award/ given
01	The International Institute for Advanced Studies in Systems Research and Cybernetics Meritorious Award	2002	Meritorious Award	'The judges recognized within top 01% of about 500 papers reviewed.' The paper is published.
02	MaitryBhawan, Varanasi		Scholarly contribution in higher educations.	
03	VidwatjanSamman, DharendraMahilaPG College, Varanasi	2014	For the persons contributing for society, education and nation-building.	By the DharendraMahila P.G. College Board.

19. Association with International institutions/ agencies

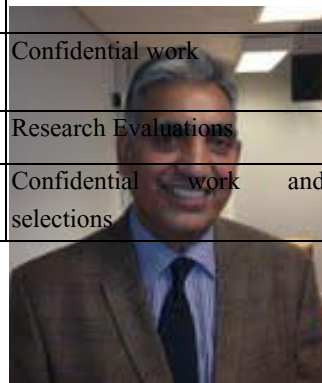
S.No.	Name of Institution	Nature of association	Period with details		Contribution done
			From	To	
01	University of Klagenfurt, Austria	Noth-South Dialogue Fellow	October 1991	March 1992	Contributed a chapter on 'Indian Sociology' in 'Emerging Sociology'; published by Aldershot, London, 1992
	University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada	Shastri Fellow	15 th September 1993	31 st October 1993	Scholarly article in 'Race, Ethnicity and Nation'; UCL Press, 1994
02	Erasmus University Rotterdam	Invited for 'guest lecture' on 'Pluralism,	23 rd January, 1992	---	Invited lecture

		Ethnicity and Natio-State			
03	Center for Research on Social and Educational Equality, State University of New York, Binghamton, USA	'Multiculturalism, Ethnicity and Nationalism	20 th October 1993	---	Invited lecture 
04	Tokyo International University, Japan	'International Relations and Regional Integration in the Asian-Pacific Region in 21 st Century'	January 2003	---	Invited lecture 
05	The International Institute for Advanced Studies in Systems Research and Cybernetics	'International Conference on Systems Research, Informatics and Cybernetics', Baden-Baden, Germany	29 th July 2002	03 rd August 2002	Keynote Speaker, my paper was judged as one of the best received and awarded also.
06	University of Gothenburg, Sweden	ICCR Chair	January 2013	June 2013	Three lectures, two popular articles and one scholarly chapter contributed.
07	IIT, Kanpur IIT, Kharagpur, IIT, Jodhpur	Invited Guest Lectures	2013	2014	Invited guest lecturers

20. Association with National level institutions/ agencies

S.No.	Name of Institution	Nature of association	Period with details		Contribution done Teaching and presentation
			From		
01	Delhi School of Economics, Department of Sociology, Delhi	UGC invited Visiting fellow	2003, three months		
02	Study of Social Systems, JNU	Invited Visiting Fellow	2005, 40 days		Teaching and presentation
03	GND, University Amritsar	Visiting fellow	November 2012 again in March 2018.		Teaching and presentations

04	University Grant Commission	NET	2015	2016	Confidential work
05	UPSC, Delhi	Examinations related	2015		Confidential work
06	I.C.S.S.R., Delhi	Pool Member	2015	2016	Research Evaluations
07	U.P. Higher Education, Allahabad	Expert Member	2016	2017	Confidential work and selections



21. Consulting experience :

List key consulting assignments undertaken :

S.No.	Client/ Organisation's name	Nature of assignment	Duration of assignment
01	Department of Mining, IIT, BHU.	Consultancy and Advisory on a Mining Project	2014-15

22. Guide assignments

S.No.	Level	No. of students guided
01	Post-graduate	General teaching since 1980, P.G.teaching since 1985
2.	M.Phil	Guided 04 students
3.	Ph.D.	16 Ph. D. Degrees awarded
4.	Post Doctorate	ICSSR 4 Post-Doctoral fellows allotted

Few major publications:

1 'Research Methodology: Challenges and directions', co authored, a chapter in Legal Research and Methodology, edited by B.C.Nirma, Rajnish Kumar Singh, Arti Nirmal, Satyam law International, 2019,pp 67-72

2'Nativity Reclaimed', Authors Press, Delhi 2017.(**Book**)

3'Contemporary youth: Change of Referent Loss of Identity' (co-authored) in the 'Handbook of Sociology of Youth in BRICS Countries', edited by Dwyer et.al, World Scientific, 2017, Pp.253-266.

4'Advanced Sociological Theories' (In Hindi), Pearson International, Delhi, 2016(**Book**)

- 5'Religious Resurgence: a Derivative Discourse' (co-authored) in 'Warp and Rags of Religion', Gothenburg University, edited by Daniel Enstedt, Larsson et.al. Gothenburg University, 2016, Pp.203-204.
- 6'The Cultural Capital: Loss, Conversion and Prospect of Subjugated Kashmiri Landscape' in 'Marginality, Exclusion and Social Justice' edited by Ashish Saxena, Rawat Publications, 2013.
- 7'Lived Religion in a Plural Society: a Resource or Liability' in 'Argument', Biannual Philosophical Journal, University of Cracow, Volume 4, number 1, 2014, Pp89-102.
- 8'Kashmir: Contested Identity', Rawat Publications, Jaipur, 2011.**(Book)**
- 9'Geographical and Social Dimensions of Naxal Movement: A Micro Level Observation' in 'Bangladesh Sociological Studies', an International Biannual Journal, Volume 3, Number 2, 2011, Pp.153-170.
- 10'Polity Civil Society and Development' in 'Modernization, Globalization and Social Transformation' edited by Ishwar Modi, Rawat Publications, Jaipur, 2011.
- 11'Kashmir: Fractured Nativity', VDM Publication, Germany, 2009.**(Book)**
- 12'Secularism in Theory and Practice: A derivative discourse in Globalization Development and Culture', Edited by Lakshmana and Sahai, Rawat Publications, 2009.
- 13'Sociology Bridging with Literature: A Convergence' in 'The Journal of Sociological studies', University of Jodhpur, 2007, pp. 53-60.
- 14'Samajshastra Ka Bharateeyakaran', Rawat Publications, Jaipur, 2005.**(Book)**
- 15'Ethno- Nationalism in India' in 'Race, Ethnicity and Nation' edited by Peter Ratchiff, London University Press, UK (1994); republished in 2003 by Routledge 11 New Fetter Lane London, EC4P 4EE, Routledge is an imprint of the Taylor & Francis Group This edition published in the Taylor & Francis e-Library, 2005, pp.130-14.
- 16'Sustainable Development: A need for Comprehensive Human Approach' in Sustainable Development and Global community, Vol.III, edited by G.Laskar and K. Hiwaski in IIASD, 2002, pp.35-40.
- 17'Understanding Gender in Modernity, Feminism, and Women Empowerment' edited By Abha Awasthi and A. K. Srivattava, 2001.
- 18'Sociology of India' in Langer's book on 'Emerging Sociology, International Perspectives' published by Alder shot, London, 1992, pp.93-100.
- 19'Nation State and Necularization in Sociological Bulletin, March 1999.





Since 2017

Publications:

1. , Rising Kashmir, Srinagar, May 20, 2017 11:20 (Popular article)

Honours:

- 1 Visiting professor GND University March 2018
2. The chairman of the Organizing Committee of the IAS has invited Prof Ashok Kaul to present a Keynote Address on the topic of his choice, at the 38th Annual Meeting of the International Institute for Advanced Studies and at the 30th Anniversary International Conference on Systems Research, Informatics and Cybernetics, to be jointly held July 30 - August 3, 2018 in Baden-Baden, Germany. Admitted to the IAS Fellow on 2nd August, 2018 at Baden Baden, Germany.

Lectures:

Modernity its rupture: A search for the alternate world Order, 30.7.2018 at Baden Baden Germany.

(a)University

Since the year 2017, The university lectures were given at:

1. The Academic staff college ,Banaras Hindu university(name changed now)

2. The Central university Allahabad, Allahabad
3. Department of Sociology University of Lucknow, Lucknow
4. The Department of Sociology, Punjab university Chandigarh, Chandigarh.
5. The Human Resource Department and the Department of sociology of the Central University Manipur, Imphal
6. Inaugural address, LN.Mithila University, Darbhanga
7. Resource person presentation of Research Methodology in MNNIT, Allahabad.
8. A special lecture on 'Rupture of modernity and ramifications' in DDU University Gorakhpur, 7th of September 2018.
9. 'Formation and rupture of the Composite Culture: A derivative discourse', a special lecture in the conference on Composite Culture, Department of History, Banaras Hindu university, 14th of September 2018.
10. Classical disputes and new alternatives in research methodology BA University Lucknow, 27 November 2018
11. Introducing Sociology at present times; Banasthali vidyapith, Rajasthan, 30.12.2018
11. Demystification of Human Rights, Academic staff College, BHU, 12.1.2019



(b) Public:

1. Era of crisis: Rotary club, Diamond Hotel
2. Private public partnerships, Taj Gateway, Varanasi

Talk shows:

1. Relevance of Gandhi in modern times, DD Varanasi
2. Reinventing Tradition, Sahara, Varanasi

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