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Carrier Summary

I am a young and dynamic development professional associated with the current development trends having experience of working in more than 10 States of India and all the 314 Community Development Blocks of Odisha. During last one and half decade I have made associations with many international agencies, UN agencies, Government Departments, Development Banks and Research Institutions to utilize my skill & knowledge for development interest. I am post graduate in Political Science and also GNiit from NIIT (equivalent to M.C.A.). With the support of Ministry of MSME (formerly ARI) I have successfully completed my Cluster Development Programme from EDII, Ahmadabad and also done management development programme from NIMSME, Hyderabad for management of MSMEs (Micro Medium & Small Enterprises). I have successfully completed Young Researchers Fellowship Programme supported by World Bank Provention Consortium, IFRC Geneva under the guidance of Regional Center for Asia & Pacific, ADPC Bangkok. I have worked on many evaluations, impact assessment studies and research studies in India.



Detailed CV

1.0 Professional Experience

I am a young and dynamic development professional with around one and half decade of catalytic experience in development sector. During these periods, I have made association with Government Departments in India and national/international NGOs/development agencies to institutionalize my knowledge, skill, experience and expertise for development interest.

2.0 Expertise and field of interest

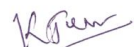
Category	:	A young, committed and dynamic development catalyst, instrumental in institutionalization of experience and expertise with established modern trends & technologies.
Special interest	:	Disaster Risk reduction (DRR), Community Development & participatory planning, health issues, women & child rights, Governance, Micro Enterprise Development, Cluster Development, Peoples Rights and Social Research.
Special Skill	:	Business Orientation in Social Mobilization, Cost Benefit Analysis of Social sector Interventions, impact evaluation of development projects and Value Chain Analysis of both Enterprise and social sector models/projects.
Work areas	:	Assessment/Impact Assessment Study, Evaluation Study, Strategic review and assessment of programmes and policies, Pre-Funding Appraisal, Strategic project intervention planning, Project formulation, Project Monitoring Consultancy (PMC), Process Documentation, Preparation of training module, Developing IECC & BBC concepts, Organizing Training Programmes/ Workshops/ Seminars, Conduct PLE (Participatory Learning Exercises), enterprise diagnostic study in a cluster approach (UNIDO model), and cluster development.
Relevance	:	14 years of experience in the above fields working with different national and international level organizations with repute and Government Departments.
Vision	:	Emerge as a distinct leader in the current development trend
Strategies	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Develop innovative ideas and concepts- Value Addition in to the current trend of development- Institutionalize my experience and expertise

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3.0 Professional Associations

During these 14 years of catalytic experience, I have been associated with different International/National/ Regional level Development Agencies/organizations, Government Departments and eminent personalities in the field of development & Research at my personal capacity, some of them are:

- Consultant Assessment and analysis of Livelihoods Promotion Strategies, JSLPS, Dept. of Rural Development, Govt. of Jharkhand, Ranchi.
- Chief Consultant "NGO mapping in Odisha" for UNICEF, Office for Odisha, Bhubaneswar.
- Chief Consultant for Preparation of DPR and Inventory of Hospitals, Education Institution and Hotel in Bhubaneswar.
- Team Leader " Participatory Situation Analysis from a child rights perspective" – Plan India
- Team Leader "outbreak of Diarrhoea/Cholera in Odisha" – Inter Agency Group (IAG) – Indian Red Cross Society, Odisha Branch, Odisha.
- Chief Consultant "Documentation of good practices in eradication of Child Labour in Odisha" – OARCC – UNICEF, Odisha.
- Training Consultant for imparting training to the project staffs on CRVA model - Concern Worldwide, India
- Consultant Vivekananda Medical Mission Pvt. Ltd.
- Chief Consultant – Environment Impact Assessment Study in Drought affected areas of Bihar and Jharkhand States for CASA, Kolkata.
- Chief Consultant – Environment Impact Assessment Study in Tornado affected areas of Uttar Dinajpur District of West Bengal for CASA, Kolkata.
- Chief Consultant – interim assessment and mapping of Project results for PECUC-TDH India Programme supported by BMZ, Germany.
- Consultant – OACRC (Orissa Alliance on Convention on Rights of the Child), an alliance of more than 200 CSOs working on UNCRC.
- Chief consultant " Kalinga Tribal CFCD Programme – Agriculture & Watershed Study" supported by Holistic Child Development India (HCDI), Pune
- Chief Consultant "Social & Environmental Impact Assessment Study "in the proposed Arcelor Mittal Steel Plant Site at Keonjhar, Orissa for PECUC-TDH-AEI.
- Chief Consultant in environment Assessment Study in Supaul District, Kosi Flood affected areas of Bihar State in India for CASA, Kolkata
- Chief Consultant in environment Assessment study flood affected areas of Baleswar District in Orissa and West Midanepore District in West Bengal for CASA, Kolkata.
- Team leader in assessment study to develop a livelihood cluster in disaster prone areas of Jajpur District, Orissa, supported by Oxfam (I) Trust, Kolkata.
- Team leader in impact assessment study on "Orissa Civil Society and Poverty Programme" supported by DFID-PRIA in (Similipal Range) of Mayurbhanj District.
- Provention Consortium (IFRC-Geneva, University of Wisconsin – USA and ADPC – Bangkok) grantee for the year 2007-08 of "Young Researchers Grant Programme on



Disaster Management (With special focus on traditional knowledge, wisdom, coping mechanism and documentation of best practices).

- Consultant, Cluster Development Programme, *Sakhigopal* and *Alanahat* Coir Clusters under SFURTI programme supported by Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India, Nodal Agency Coir Board, Cochin and programme implementing partner Orissa Cooperative Coir Corporation Ltd. (Cont.)
- Consultant in a study on “alternate livelihoods through sub-sector approach” for Ford Foundation, New Delhi, (Ashakiran Trust).
- Consultant cum evaluator to CASA (Church’s Auxiliary for Social Action), Bhubaneswar.
- Team leader in a multi-state (Orissa, Andhra Pradesh, West Bengal and Chhatish Garh) Socio-Economic study on Women with Disability for UNDP, New Delhi and GOI (Planning Commission)
- Evaluator to Dan Church Aid (**DCA**) New Delhi in Disaster Management Projects (Inclusion of Disability in Disaster Management)
- Consultant to Oxfam GB in India, Eastern Regional Office, Bhubaneswar. I was leading the task for impact assessment study, pre-appraisal, NGO capacity appraisal, assessment of NGO networks, etc. and suggesting appropriate directions for programme intervention, programme and project planning.
- Team leader in Ground Water Governance research (project) of IWMI, Colombo (International Water Management Institute). I was leading the team for understanding the status of ground water utilization in Orissa for agriculture/irrigation and its effect on the environment.
- Associated with Prof. Pardeep Sahni **IGNOU**, New Delhi in an international standard research on disaster preparedness in Orissa, undertaken for Disaster Emergency Committee (**DEC**) to produce **DEC** Document on Disaster Preparedness.
- Evaluator to CDMU, Bhubaneswar an NGO Alliance operating in Orissa, West Bengal, Jharkhand and working for health system management in backward regions.
- As Research Executive in a national level consultancy organization (1997-2000) **CPED** (Centre for Professional Expertise in Development), I have made association with different research/study projects supported by **World Bank, DFID, SDC, UNICEF, CARE, NORAD, IRMA, CIP & CDF and IGNOU-New Delhi**. I have got ample opportunity to work with development experts from different sectors with national and international repute.

4.0 Reports & Documents available with me to review my credibility

- DPR for development of maize cluster in Gajapati District of Odisha, ITDA, Gajapati and NGO Janakalyan Pratisthan. - **2013**
- Process Document “Terminal Evaluation Workshop” – on livelihood promotion strategies – JSLPS, Govt. of Jharkhand - **2013**
- NGOs in Odisha a Data base – UNICEF - **2012**
- Child Focus Development Plan for two Tribal Dominated Districts of Odisha - Plan India - **2012**
- Methodological Report “ Outbreak of Cholera in Odisha” – IAG Odisha - **2012**



- DPR of establishment of a Budget Hotel in Angul and Paradip in Odisha– Vivekananda Group - **2012**
- DPR for Establishment of a International School in Bhubaneswar – Vivekananda Group -**2012**
- Document on “Good Practices for eradication of Child Labour” for OACRC – UNICEF, Odisha - **2012**
- Training Manual on CRVA (Community Capacity, Risk & Vulnerability Assessment) for Concern Worldwide, India - 2011
- Detailed Project Report (DPR) for Vivekananda Multi Specialty Hospital for Vivekananda Medical Mission Pvt. Ltd. - 2011
- Process Document on “State Child Participation Model” for UNICEF – Orissa Alliance on Convention on Rights of the Child. - 2011
- Environment Impact Assessment Report “ Drought affected areas of Bihar and Jharkhand States” – CASA, Kolkata – 2011
- Process Document on “Policing Reaching out to the Minorities” for BPSPA and BPR&D, Ministry of Home Affairs, GOI. - 2011
- Environment Impact Assessment Report on “ North Dinajpur Tornado Rehabilitation Programme” for CASA, Kolkata - 2011
- Process Document Workshop on “Bonded Labour & Child Labour” for Department of Panchayati Raj, Government of Odisha and National Human Rights Commission (NHRC), New Delhi - 2011
- Process Document on “International Workshop on integrating Disability in Community Based Disaster Risk Reduction & Response” for Handicap International India. - 2010
- Project Progress Mapping Report of Poverty Reduction Orissa (PRO) Project, using Value Chain Analysis and enterprise mapping tools for PECUC-TDH India Programme supported y BMZ, Germany. - 2010
- Process Document for Odisha Police and Bureau of Police Research & Development, Ministry of Home Affairs, GOI on “Women Police as Agents of Change” – “4th national conference of women in police” – a programme participated by all state/UTs police and Central Police Organisations. - 2010
- Scope for Agriculture & Watershed Development in Kuchinda block of Sambalpur district of Odisha under Kalinga Child Focused Community Development Programme (CFCD) - HCDI, Pune – 2010.
- Policing in protecting minority rights – Biju Pattnaik State Police Academy and Odisha Police – 2010
- Environment & Social Impact Assessment Report in the propose Arcelor Mittal 12 MTPA Mega Steel Plant site in Keonjhar District of Odisha – 2010 – AEI-Luxemberg through TDH India Programme - 2010
- Detailed Project Report (DPR) for Common Facility Center (CFC) for development of Coir Sector for OCCC Ltd. (Government of Orissa) and Coir Board, Government of India. – 2009
- Report on “The Role of Police in Promotion of Communal Harmony and national integration” for Orissa Police, Department of Home, Government of Orissa and

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national foundation of communal harmony, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India. – 2009

- Report on " Human Rights issues & Anti Terrorist Operations" for Biju Patnayak State Police Academy, Department of Home, Government of Orissa and Institute of Social Science, New Delhi. - 2009
- Environment Assessment Study in Supaul District, Kosi Flood affected areas of Bihar State in India for CASA, Kolkata – 2009
- Assessment study to develop a livelihood cluster in disaster prone areas of Jajpur District, Orissa, supported by Oxfam (I) Trust, Kolkata. – 2009
- Assessment Report on Implementation of Juvenile Justice Act 2006 for Biju Patnaik State Police Academy, Department of Home Government of Orissa, NIRD, Government of India and Department of W& CD, Government of Orissa. - 2009
- Environment Assessment study flood affected areas of Baleswar District in Orissa and West Midanepore District in West Bengal for CASA, Kolkata. – 2009
- Impact assessment report on "Orissa Civil Society and Poverty Programme" in Mayurbhanj District of Orissa - 2008.
- Detailed Project Report (DPR) for Development of a Coir Cluster in Puri district of Orissa and management of coir pith to protect environment. 2008
- Impact Assessment Report of Lymphatic Filariasis programme implemented by CASA in Khurda District of Orissa. – 2008
- Process Documentation "Children Against Child Labour" national level mega events on act of children against child labour in India. - 2007
- Documentation of Women Harassment Cases during Orissa Panchayatraj elections 2007 for THP, New Delhi. - 2007
- "Alternate livelihoods through sub-sector approach" Report for Ford Foundation, New Delhi in association with Ashakiran Trust and Madhyam Foundation. – Year 2007
- Impact Assessment Study of Food for Community Development (FFCD) implemented by CASA in the year 2003 in Orissa. - Year 2007
- A documentary film (Concept) on the success of flood rehabilitation programme in Kandhamal, Orissa for DISA – Save the Children and ECHO. - Year 2007
- "Of abundant hopes" a document on lessons learnt from emergency flood response programme implemented by ECHO-Save the Children (DISA- Kandhamal) in Orissa. - Year 2007
- Diagnostic Study for cluster development of Sakhigopal Coir Cluster under SFURTI programme of Coir Board (GOI), Cochin – year 2007
- Impact Assessment report on Emergency flood response programme in Orissa (Jajpur and Puri Districts) by Oxfam GB, Kolkata – Year 2007
- Status of Women with Disabilities (WWDs) in Orissa, Chhatish Garh, Andhra Pradesh and West Bengal. (UNDP, New Delhi-GOI) – Year 2006-07
- A process document on the findings and recommendations on the draft State Plan of Action for the Children (Department of Women & Child Development, Government of Orissa and UNICEF, Orissa) (Year 2006)



- Study and articulations of the experiences learnt on Disaster Preparedness for CASA, Bhubaneswar (Year 2006)
- Assessment report on the status of inclusion of disability in Disaster Preparedness for Dan Church Aid (DCA) – New Delhi (Year 2006)
- Evaluation report of the status of JFMCs (Joint Forest Management Committees) in Orissa. (A pilot study covering 6 Forest Divisions namely Nayagarh, Puri, Phulbani, Baliguda, Nabrangpur and Rayagada) (Year 2006)
- Vision plan for a NGO Network (Puri District Disaster Mitigation Forum/PDDMF) for the coming 10 years, Supported by Oxfam GB, Kolkata. (Year 2006)
- Schedule Tribes in Orissa – a status report for GRIP, The Netherlands.
- Report on Art & craft of Kandha Tribe of Kandhamal District, Orissa for GOI, Department of Tribal affairs.
- An Assessment report on “Anti Tobacco Awareness and the Role of Youth” for **WHO** (World Health Organisation) in association with Vijaya, Bhubaneswar.
- Assessment of the Status of Exportable Quality Handloom Products in Orissa for Weavers Service Center (Ministry of Textile, **GOI**), Bhubaneswar in association with TK International, New Delhi
- Assessment Report on “The level of vulnerability and Preparedness in the villages and different tiers of Government” for **Oxfam GB** in India, Eastern Regional Office, Bhubaneswar.
- Report on “Learning’s and recommendations on Disaster events responded by Oxfam in India” for **Oxfam GB** in India, Eastern Regional Office, Bhubaneswar.
- Report on “Capacity Building Needs of NGO Networks” in Orissa for disaster management for **Oxfam GB** in India, Eastern Regional Office, Bhubaneswar.
- Assessment Report on “West Orissa Drought 2002” for **Oxfam GB** in India, Eastern Regional Office, Bhubaneswar.
- Report on facilitating community linkage with primary schools for **UNICEF** under Aus-Aid Project in association with CPED (Center for Professional Expertise in Development)
- Restructuring the production and marketing of Ragi and Ragi based products in Orissa for **DFID** – in association with Vikash
- Environmental support for prompting quality seeds in Orissa to enhance production in agriculture sector for IRMA, Anand
- DEC Document on Disaster Preparedness for DEC (Disaster Emergency Committee) - in association with Prof. Pardeep Sahni, IGNOU
- Feasibility report on alternate supply chain management for **CARE-Orissa** - in association with CPED
- Assessment report on household livelihood security for **CARE-Orissa** - in association with CPED

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5.0 Special Achievements

- Participated in expert's discussion on different issues in media. One of my recent appearances was in Prasarat Bharati - DD I (Oriya) channel and the topic was "heat wave in Orissa".
- A trained Cluster Development Executive successfully completed three months of cluster development-training programme by EDII, Ahmadabad and supported by Coir Board, Cochin and ministry of ARI (now MSME) Govt. of India.
- Trained on coir cluster development from National Coir Training and Research Center, Kalavur (Allepey), Kerala.
- Conducted Focus Group discussions with different groups on the issue of Disability in 4 States (Orissa, Chatish Garh, West Bengal and Andhra Pradesh)
- Conducted PLA/E (Participatory Learning Appraisal/Exercise) in more than 350 villages.
- Facilitated preparation of micro plan in 250 villages (150 Disaster Mitigation Plan 100 Village Development Plan)
- Played a major role in post super cyclone relief management by ODMM

6.0 Memberships and Empanelment

- Panel Consultant, CASA (Church's Auxiliary for Social Action) , Kolkata, India
- Empanelled with Practical Action Consulting Group, UK, South Asia Office
- Empanelled with GOPA Consultants, Homburg, Germany
- Member, International DG (Development Gateway) Community
- Member, ALNAP (Active Learning Network for Accountability and Performance in Humanitarian Action)
- Member, International Disaster Grads under University of Colorado Natural Hazard Center



7.0 My Personal Profile

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Technical Education	:	GNiit from NIIT
Professional Training	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Trained Cluster Development Programme from EDII, Ahmadabad.• Management Development Programme from NIMSME, Hyderabad
Research Fellowship	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research Fellow – World Bank Provention Consortium DRR Round III, Successfully completed under the guidance of Regional Center ADPC, Bangkok.
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