

# RESEARCH REPORT

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2017

| | Papers (I) | Papers (N) | Books | Book Chapters | Other Publications | Conf. (I) | Conf. (N) | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dr. Yogesh P. Singh | | 18 | 1 | 5 | 35 | 5 | 12 | 76 |
| Khalid Anis Ansari | 3 | 5 | | 5 | 26 | 12 | 11 | 62 |
| Ayaz Ahmad | | 4 | | | 5 | 4 | 4 | 17 |
| Amitra S. Chakraborty | | 1 | | | | | 7 | 8 |
| Dr. Parth Sharma | 3 | 2 | | | 1 | 1 | 5 | 12 |
| Sadaf Khan | | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| Avijit Faujdar | | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| Abhijeet Anand | | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| Total | 6 | 32 | 1 | 10 | 68 | 22 | 39 | 178 |

## DR. YOGESH PRATAP SINGH

**Executive Dean and Associate Professor (Law)| MA (University of Allahabad), LLB (Allahabad University), LLM (National Law School of India University, Bangalore), PhD (NLU, Cuttack)**

*Being founding member of three law schools and working with the leading legal luminaries including the judges of the Supreme Court and the High Courts for more than eight years, Dr. Singh has equipped himself with certain specific skills and experience, which might help the newly established law schools. He has also developed some amount of expertise in designing good curricula for institutions. As a team player, he is able to integrate and adapt effectively to people, situations and work environment.*

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Constitutional Theory and Practice, Judicial Behavior, Human Rights, Administrative Law

### CORE PUBLICATIONS

**Papers/Articles (National)**

1. "Dissenting Opinions of Judges in the Supreme Court of India" co-authored with Dr. Afroz Alam and Akash Chandra Jauhari Published in Economic and Political Weekly (EPW), ISSN No. 2349-8846.
2. Nirbhaya Verdict: Issues and Ramifications, published in NLUO Law Journal, Vol. I May 2016, ISSN No. 2348-8913.

3. The Endangered Institution (of Governor): Problems and Prospects" Published in Rostrum Law Review, an Online Journal, Volume 4 Issue II, 2017. ISSN 2321 – 3787
4. Democratic Decentralization in the State of Uttar Pradesh: Experience, Emerging Concerns, Challenges and Prospects Published in RMLNLU Volume 7 (2015). ISSN No.
5. Environmentalism: Conception and Misconceptions published in Journal of Enviro-Legal Research and Advocacy published by National Law University and Judicial Academy Assam.
6. A Critical Study of Debt Recovery Tribunal in India, published in "Journal of Banking and Insurance Law" Vol. I Oct. 2015.
7. Access to Justice: A Critical Study of Supreme Court Rules" published in NLUO Law Journal, Vol. II August 2015, ISSN No. 2348-8913.
8. Fundamental Rights vis-à-vis Private Entities: Demystifying Vertical/Horizontal Dichotomy, published in Colloquium Opus Law Journal. (ISSN- 2348-1277).
9. Supreme Court of India: Leaning in favour of Capitalist Class? Review of Glocal Studies, Vol.2 Issue I, 2015. ISSN No.2347-5072.
10. "Judicial Recusal: Setting Cannons of Governance in Judiciary" accepted for publication in Amity International Journal of Juridical Sciences. (ISSN 2395 -4019).
11. "The Human Right to a Sustainable Environment: Implications and Paradoxes in South Asian Region" published in Journal of Campus Law Center (JCLC) of University of Delhi, Vol. III: 2015. ISSN: 2321-4716.
12. The Essence of Due Process in the Constitutional Jurisprudence: Indian Experience, published in NLUO Law Journal, March 2014, ISSN No. 2348-8913.
13. The Plight and Experience of Chakmas as Internally Displaced People & Refugees: An Investigational and Analytical Perspective, co-authored with Mr. Amit Yadav, published in E-journal of NLSIU, ISSN No. 2348-8913.
14. Comparative Federalism: Testing Indian Constitution on the ten Yardsticks of Ivo D. Duchacek, published in Comparative Constitutional Law & Administrative Law Quarterly (CALQ), published by National Law University, Jodhpur.
15. The President of India: Relocating His Position in the Constitution, published in National Law News, A Quarterly Law Journal (ISSN: 0976-4305), Vol. 13-14, Year 4, April 10-Sep. 2010).
16. Judicial Independence and Accountability in India, published in Legal Mirror (ISSN: 2454-6216), Vol. 1, Issue 4, 4, June 2016).
17. Rameshwar Prasad & Others (VI) v. Union of India (2006)2 SCC 1: A Critique, co-authored with Mr. Kumar Karthik, Assistant Professor of Law at KIIT Law School, Bhubaneswar, published in National Law News, A Quarterly Law Journal (ISSN: 0976-4305), Vol. 13-14, Year 4, April 10-Sep. 2010).
18. Privatization of Higher Education: Constitutional Perspective, published in Journal of Interdisciplinary Policy and Research (JIPR), Nagpur.

**Books**

1. "On Judicial Dissent" (Ph.D. Thesis) accepted for publication by Thomson Reuters (Sweet & Maxwell) Publication.

2. "Protection of Refugee Women in Present International Legal Regime: A Study:" Published by LAMBERT ACADEMIC PUBLISHING HOUSE, GERMANY. ISBN- 978-3-8383-7408-6.
3. "Death of Constitutionalism: Indian Experience" co-authored with Prof. Faizan Mustafa, the Vice-Chancellor of National Law University, Orissa. (In Process).

**Book Chapters**

1. "Schedule Caste & Schedule Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act: An Instrument to bring Social Transformation" published in 2nd International Interdisciplinary Conference proceedings on Inequality, Vulnerability and Violence" organized by IPRA on 1st-2nd February 2015 in Nagpur. ISBN No. 978-81-926818-1-8.
2. Anti-Defection Law: The Need for Reappraisal, co-authored with Prof. Kumar Kartikeya, published in Journal of Christ University, Vol. 1, p. 63. ISBN No. 978-81-922281-7-4
3. Human Rights: A Neverland Published in a Book "Human Rights in 21st Century: Changing Dimensions Edited by Gurdip Singh and V K Ahuja and Published by Universal Law Publishing House Co. Pvt. Ltd. ISBN- 9789350351666 [ Review published in The Hindu appreciated the article] See: http://www.thehindu.com/arts/books/article3675215.ece.
4. Refugee Women: Protection under Present International Legal Regime as a chapter in a Book 'Gender Justice & Women Empowerment' published by Radha Publications Ltd. New Delhi. ISBN-81-7487-702-9, 978-81-7487-702-4
5. "Sustainable Development: Notion and its working: A Comparative study" as a chapter in a Book 'Environmental Law and Climate Change' published by SBS Publishers Ltd. New Delhi. ISBN-13-9789380090160.

**OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

1. "Pitfalls of Revisiting Reservation" published in Deccan Herald on 2nd September 2017. See the link http://epaper.thestatesman.com/1347561/Statesman-Delhi/07-09-2017#clip/21922083/79fa417d-70bf-4356-b4b5-8c02937e72f6/1072:1394.6666666666667
2. "Wider Reform Must Begin" published in Deccan Herald on 2nd September 2017. See the link http://www.deccanherald.com/content/631036/wider-reform-must-begin.html
3. "The Criminal Justice System on Trial" published in The Statesman on 1st September 2017. See the link http://epaper.thestatesman.com/1340270/Statesman-Delhi/01-09-2017#page/9/1
4. "The Beginning of Reform" published in The Statesman on 31st August 2017. See the link http://epaper.thestatesman.com/1338982/Statesman-Delhi/31-08-2017#page/14/2
5. "Should Life Be So Cheap" published in The Statesman on 24th August 2017. See the link http://epaper.thestatesman.com/1330924/Statesman-Delhi/24-08-2017#page/14/1
6. "Against Constitutional Sprit" published in The Statesman on 10th August 2017. See the link http://epaper.thestatesman.com/1314178/Statesman-Delhi/10-08-2017#page/13/1
7. "Withdrawal of Cess Should Not Hit Swachha Bharat" published in The Statesman on 31st July 2017. See the link http://epaper.thestatesman.com/1301725/Statesman-Delhi/31-07-2017#page/9/1

8. "Why Ram Nath Kovind Does Not Have to be a Rubber Stamp" jointly written with Prof. (Dr) Faizan Mustafa published in the Hindustan Times on 25th July 2017. See the link http://www.hindustantimes.com/opinion/why-ram-nath-kovind-does-not-have-to-be-a-rubber-stamp-of-nda/story-OpwekaiSDjxi6fjVygAFGO.html
9. "Making India a Cow Republic" published in The Statesman on 8th June 2017. See the link http://epaper.thestatesman.com/1254258/Statesman-Delhi/22-06-2017#page/14/2
10. "Independent CBI Will Remain a Pipe Dream Till Agency Freed From the Clutches of the Ruling Party" published by Firstpost on 12th June 2017. See http://www.firstpost.com/india/independent-cbi-will-remain-a-pipe-dream-till-agency-freed-from-the-clutches-of-ruling-party-3544767.html
11. "Necessity Knows No Law" published in The Statesman on 8th June 2017. See the link http://epaper.thestatesman.com/1236880/Statesman-Delhi/08-06-2017#page/14/1
12. "A Case for Imposing Income Tax on Rich Farmers" published in Deccan Herald on 16th May 2017. See the link http://www.deccanherald.com/content/611761/a-case-imposing-income-tax.html
13. "Religion and Social Justice" published in The Statesman on 4th May 2017. See the link http://epaper.thestatesman.com/1194360/Statesman-Delhi/04-05-2017#page/14/1
14. "Disregarding International Law" published in The Statesman on 27th April 2017. See the link http://epaper.thestatesman.com/1186144/Statesman-Delhi/27-04-2017#page/14/2
15. February 2016 Issue: "Uniform Civil Code."
16. November 2014 Issue: "Demise of Dissent in the Supreme Court of India."
17. October 2014 Issue: "Council of Ministers vis-à-vis Cabinet: Subverting the Constitution."
18. September 2014 Issue: "National Judicial Appointment Commission: A Critical Evaluation".
19. August 2014 Issue: "Constitutionalism".
20. July 2013 Issue: "Special Status to State of Jammu & Kashmir: Issues and Implications.
21. June 2013 Issue: "Trans-genders in India: The Legal Environment".
22. May 2013 Issue: "Anti-Rape Law: A Welcome Move".
23. April 2013 Issue: "Right to Information: Rebirth of Democracy in India".
24. March 2013 Issue: "Reservation in Promotions: Affirmative Action or Reverse Discrimination".
25. February 2013 Issue: "Abolition of Capital Punishment: A Sincere Request".

26. January 2013 Issue: "Comptroller and Auditor General of India: A Toothless Tiger".

27. December 2012 Issue: "Anti-Defection Law: The Need for Reappraisal".

28. November 2012 Issue: Judicial Activism Vis-à-vis Judicial Adventurism: An Experience of Indian Supreme Court.

29. October 2012 Issue: Assisted Reproductive Techonology Bill, 2010: An Attempt to Legalize Surrogacy.

30. September 2012 Issue: Status of the President in Indian Constitution: A Relook.

31. August 2012 Issue: The Copyright (Amendment) Bill, 2012: Fulfilling a Long Overdue.

32. July 2012 Issue: Right to Food: Realization through Food Security Bill.

33. June 2012 Issue: The Protection of Women Against Sexual Harassment at Workplace Bill, 2010: Milestones and Challenges.

34. May 2012 Issue: Foreign Education Institutions Bill: A Boon or Bane.

35. April 2012 Issue: The Right to Education Act, 2009: Reality or Illusion

**CONFERENCES/TALKS**

**International**

1. Participated and Presented a paper on "Constitutional Vision and Privatization of Higher Education: Twin Issues of Social Justice" in International Conference on Socio-Economic Justice After Seventy Years of India's Independence: Domestic and Global Challenges organized by Delhi University, Faculty of Law held from 18-20th November 2016.

2. Participated and Presented a paper on "The Paradoxes of Indian Saga of Development: The Judicial Perception" in 11th NAPSIPAG International Conference on Asian Governance: Paradoxes of Development" in Dhaka, Bangladesh organized by NAPSIPAG in association with Policy Research Centre, Bangladesh held from 5th -7th Dec. 2014.

3. Participated and Presented a paper on "Schedule Caste & Schedule Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act: An Instrument to bring Social Transformation" in 2nd International Interdisciplinary Conference on Inequality, Vulnerability and Violence" organized by IPRA on 1st-2nd February 2015 in Nagpur.

4. Participated and Presented a joint paper with Prof. Faizan Mustafa (Vice-Chancellor, National Law University, Orissa) on "Abolition of Death Penalty and Failure of Rarest of Rare Doctrine in India" in International Seminar on Relevance of the Indian Penal Code in Combating and Controlling Crime in Modern Age organized by Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia National Law University, Lucknow, from 14-15th Dec. 2010.

5. Participated and Presented a paper on "Telemedicine: Legal Dilemmas" in 6th International Conference of the Telemedicine Society in India organized by SCB Medical College, Cuttack under the aegis of Department of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of Orissa held from 14-16th Nov. 2010.

National

1. Presented a paper on Restorative Justice vis-à-vis Capital Punishment: A Critique of Rarest of Rare Doctrine" in National Seminar on Restorative Justice, organized by Faculty of Law, Jamia Millia Islamia University New Delhi on 18-19 February 2017.
2. Presented a paper on E-Commerce vis-a-vis Consumer Protection: Contemporary Issues, Challenges and Opportunities" in National Conference on Consumer Protection and New Age Challenges, organized by National Law University Delhi on 19-20 February 2016.
3. Presented a paper on "Democratic Decentralization in the State of Uttar Pradesh: Experience, Emerging Concerns, Challenges and Prospects" in National Seminar on Two Decades of 73rd Constitutional Amendment Act (Panchayat Raj): Experiences, Issues, Challenges and Opportunities with Special Reference to Uttar Pradesh, organized by Ram Manohar Lohia National Law University, Lucknow on 5-6th Feb. 2016.
4. Presented a paper on "Privatization of Higher Education: The Constitutional and Pedagogical Paradoxes of the Political Economy of Higher Education in India" in National Seminar on Privatization of Higher Education and Social Justice organized by Baba Saheb Bhimrao Ambedkar Central University, Lucknow on 16-17 Nov. 2015.
5. Presented a paper on "Why Do Judges Dissent: Theoretical Underpinnings" in National Workshop-cum-Conference on Judicial Dissent: A Conceptual and Contextual Audit of Decision Making in the Supreme Court of India" jointly organized by Glocal Law School and Rural Litigation and Entitlement Kendra Dehardun, from 4-5 April 2015.
6. Participated and Presented a paper on "Dissenting Opinions of Indian Supreme Court Judges in Indian Legal System: A Critical Evaluation" in National Conference on Judiciary, Ethics and Justice Delivery in India jointly organized by National Law University, Orissa and Institute of Objective Studies New Delhi, from 21-22nd Jan. 2012.
7. Participated as a delegate of National Law University, Orissa in a three-day Indo-US Education Conclave 2011 organized by The Alliance for US India Business (AUSIB), State Legislative Leaders Foundation (SLLF) & Dr. D. Y. Patil University, Pune (DPU) from 5th -7th December 2011 in Pune.
8. Participated and Presented a joint paper with Mr. Kumar Kartik (Assistant Professor of Law at KIIT Law School, KIIT University) on "Anti-Defection Law: The Need for Reappraisal" in National Conference on Indian Constitution in the 21st Century: A Conceptual and Contextual Audit" organized by School of Law, Christ University, Bangalore, from 24-25th Feb. 2011.
9. Participated and Presented a joint paper with Dr. Afroz Alam (Assistant Professor of Political Science, National Law University, Orissa) on "Social Equality through Affirmative Action: Indian Perspective." In XXXVI All India Sociological Conference organized by Ravenshaw University, Cuttack, Orissa from 27-29 December 2010.

10. Presented a paper on "The Right to Development and Right against Displacement" in a National Conference jointly organized by Indian Economic Association (IEA) and KIIT University Bhubaneswar.
11. Presented a paper on "The Concept of Environmentalism" in a National Seminar organized by State Pollution Control Board, Orissa Govt in 2009.
12. Participated in South Asia Round Table Conference on "Law, State and Contemporary Social Movements" held at NLSIU, Bangalore 30th April – 1st May 2006.

## KHALID ANIS ANSARI

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*Khalid Anis Ansari is director, Dr. Ambedkar Centre for Exclusion Studies & Transformative Action (ACESTA) and Senior Assistant Professor in Glocal Law School, Glocal University (India). He broadly works in the field of social and cultural theory and takes keen interest in both grassroots organizing and scholarly interventions to publicize the history of resistance movements, particularly the social and political aspirations of subordinated caste Pasmanda Muslims. He bagged the HIVOS PhD Fellowship—Pluralism Knowledge Programme (2010-2013) for his doctoral work on caste movements among Indian Muslims with the University of Humanistic Studies (UvH), Utrecht, the Netherlands. After working in the social sector for over 10 years, he switched to active academics (Sociology) in 2010.*

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Democracy and Counterpublics, Social Movements, Caste and Religion, Peace & Conflict Studies, Subaltern Social Histories

### CORE PUBLICATIONS

**Papers/Articles (International)**

1. Ansari, K. A. (Forthcoming, 2018). Post-Minority Politics. *South Asia: Journal of South Asian Studies*. (Peer Reviewed)
2. Ansari, K. A. (Forthcoming, 2017). Beyond "Hindu" and "Muslim": Violence as Restorative Strategy of Caste Elites. *Revue Des Femmes Philosophes, UNESCO International Women's Philosophers Network Review*. (Peer Reviewed)

3. Ansari, K. A. (2011). *Pluralism, Civil Society and Subaltern Counterpublics: Reflecting on Contemporary Challenges in India through the Case Study of the Pasmanda Movement* (Pluralism Working Paper Series No. 9). Utrecht. ISSN: 1879-7172 (Peer Reviewed)

**Papers/Articles (National)**

1. Ansari, K. A. (2009). Rethinking the Pasmanda Movement. *Economic and Political Weekly*, *XLIV* (13), 8–10. ISSN: 0012-9976 (Peer Reviewed)
2. Ansari, K. A. (2012). Analyzing the "OBC-Minority" Sub-Quota. *Mainstream*, *L* (10). ISSN: 0542:1462
3. Yadav, A., & Ansari, K. A. (2011). Notes on Forbesganj Violence. *Mainstream*, *XLIX* (30), 9–12. ISSN: 0542:1462
4. Ansari, K. A. (2010). Debating "Muslim" Reservations. *Mainstream*, *XLVIII* (16), 19–24. ISSN: 0542:1462
5. Ansari, K. A. (2008). Pasmanda Movement and the Question of Secularism. *Mainstream*, *XLVI* (32), 20–23. ISSN: 0542:1462

**Book Chapters**

1. Ansari, K. A. (Forthcoming, 2017). Pluralism and the Post-Minority Condition: Reflections on the "Pasmanda Muslim" Discourse in North India'. In B. de S. Santos & B. sena Martin (Eds.), *The Pluri-verse of the Human in Human Rights*. London: Routledge.
2. Ansari, K. A. (2017). Pasmanda Politics: Ruptures in the Muslim-Minority Discourse in India. In A. Rao (Ed.), *The Difference of Caste*. New Delhi: Women Unlimited.
3. Ansari, K. A. (2016). The "Muslim" Affirmative Action Debate: Post-Sachar Reflections. In Z. Ali & M. Jal (Eds.), *What Ails Indian Muslims?* (pp. 147–166). New Delhi: Aakar. ISBN: 978-93-5002-399-0
4. Ansari, K. A. (2014). When "Bechu" turned into "Abdur Rehman." In Pritha Kejriwal (Ed.), *What the Jaguar Knows we Don't Know (The Kindle Biannual)* (pp. 66–71). Kolkata: Ink Publications. ISBN number: 978-81-930424-0-3
5. Ansari, K. A. (2007). Rethinking the Pasmanda Movement. In A. H. Ansari & T. Salim (Eds.), *Basic Problems of OBC & Dalit Muslims* (2010th ed.), pp. 163–169). New Delhi: Serials Publications. ISBN number: 978-81-8387-393-2

**OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

1. Ansari, K. A. (2017, May 19). A Dangerous Arithmetic. *The Indian Express*.
2. Ansari, K. A. (2017). Towards a Post-Minority Condition. Retrieved October 29, 2017, from http://roundtableindia.co.in/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=8937:towards-a-postminority-condition&catid=119:feature&Itemid=132

3. Ansari, K. A. (2017). Haan, Musalmanon ka Tushtikaran Hua Hai, Lekin Ashraf Musalmanon Ka. Retrieved October 28, 2017, from http://hindi.roundtableindia.co.in/index.php/features/8739-,-----,-----3
4. Ansari, K. A. (2016). Caste and the Aporias of Muslim Theo-Politics. Retrieved October 28, 2017, from http://roundtableindia.co.in/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=8819:caste-and-the-aporias-of-muslim-theo-politics&catid=119&Itemid=132
5. Ansari, K. A. (2016). A Bahujan "Third Space" Beyond Left and Right: Really? Retrieved October 28, 2017, from https://roundtableindia.co.in/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=8779:dialogue-with-bapsa-jnu-part-one&catid=119:feature&Itemid=132
6. Ansari, K. A. (2016, October 31). Samikaran Jo Badal Sakta hai Rajniti. *Dainik Hindustan*. Lucknow.
7. Ansari, K. A. (2015). Can Mandal Politics Look Beyond The Secular-Communal Binary? Retrieved October 28, 2017, from https://thewire.in/16436/can-mandal-politics-look-beyond-the-secular-communal-binary/
8. Ansari, K. A. (2013, June 17). Muslims that "minority politics" left behind. *The Hindu*.
9. Ansari, K. A. (2013). Pasmanda Activism: The Quest for a Post-Minority Politics. Retrieved October 28, 2017, from https://cafedissensus.com/2013/06/25/pasmanda-activism-the-quest-for-a-post-minority-politics-khalid-anis-ansari/
10. Ansari, K. A. (2012, March). 4.5% Sub-Quota for OBCs within Minorities: The Political Dimension. *Forward Press*, 23–27.
11. Ansari, K. A. (2011). "Muslim Quota": Keep it Simple, Silly! Retrieved October 27, 2017, from https://kafila.online/2011/09/02/muslim-quota-keep-it-simple-silly-khalid-anis-ansari/
12. Ansari, K. A. (2011). Ghettos of the Mind: On Minority Status for Jamia Millia Islamia. Retrieved October 29, 2017, from https://kafila.online/2011/03/21/ghettoes-of-the-mind-khalid-anis-ansari-on-minority-status-for-jamia-milia-islamia-university/
13. Ansari, K. A. (2011). Corruption, an Empty Signifier: The Need for a Bahujan Lokpal Bill. Retrieved April 9, 2016, from http://roundtableindia.co.in/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=3572:corruption-an-empty-signifier-initiating-bahujan-lokpal-bill&catid=119:feature&Itemid=132
14. Yadav, A., & Ansari, K. A. (2011). Travesty of Social Justice: The Curious Case of the Inclusion of Upper Caste Syed "Mallicks" in Bihar Backward Classes List. Retrieved October 28, 2017, from http://www.countercurrents.org/ansari040611.htm
15. Azad, M. N. H., & Ansari, K. A. (2011). Backward Muslims are not creating any new caste divisions. Retrieved October 29, 2017, from http://www.countercurrents.org/ansari030111.htm

16. Ansari, K. A. (2011). An Open Letter to Dr. Udit Raj. Retrieved April 9, 2016, from http://roundtableindia.co.in/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=3426:an-open-letter-to-dr-udit-raj&catid=119:feature&Itemid=132
17. Ansari, K. A. (2011, July 16). Pasmanda ko apne Ambedkar ka Intezaar. *Rashtriya Sahara*. New Delhi.
18. Ansari, K. A. (2010). Caste Census and Indian Muslims. Retrieved October 29, 2017, from http://www.countercurrents.org/ansari280810.htm
19. Ansari, K. A. (2010, August). Framing Communalism: A Short Note. *CCRHS Quarterly*, *1*(2).
20. Ansari, K. A. (2009, February). Segregate and Rule. *Communalism Combat*, 23–29.
21. Ansari, K. A. (2009). Rethinking Pasmanda Movement. Retrieved October 28, 2017, from http://www.countercurrents.org/ansari180209.htm
22. Ansari, K. A. (2009, January). A Tale of Two Mosques. *Himal Southasian*, 47–49. ISSN: 1012-9804
23. Ansari, K. A. (2008, August 21). Pasmanda Andolan aur Dharmnirpekshta. *Prabhat Khabar*. Patna.
24. Alam, S., & Ansari, K. A. (2006). *An Engagement with Class and Identity*. Patna.
25. Ansari, K. A. (2002, January 5). Big Lie Underlined by Saffron. *The Pioneer*. New Delhi.
26. Ansari, K. A. (2001, December 3). Can Islam be Liberal? *The Pioneer*. New Delhi.

## CONFERENCES/TALKS

### International

1. 'Pluralism and the Post-Minority Condition' (October 5, 2017), Invited talk organized by the Boston Study Group as part of the Ambedkar Lecture Series, Harvard University, Cambridge MA (US)
2. 'Vocational Discernment in Global Contexts' (September 27, 2017), Keynote Address in NetVUE, Woodworth Chapel, Tougaloo College, Jackson MI (US)
3. 'Post-Minority Politics: Reflections on Pasmanda Muslim Discourse in India' (September 22-23, 2017), Special lecture delivered in the international conference 'Seeking Social Justice in South Asia', Centre for South Asian Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor MI (US)
4. 'Towards a Post-Minority Condition' (December 15, 2016), International conference on 'Democracy against Civility? Majoritarian Politeness and Subaltern Dissent in Contemporary India', Tata Institute of Social Sciences Mumbai (in partnership with UKIERI and the University of Edinburgh)
5. 'Convivialism and the Political' (3 February 2016), Invited talk in international workshop on 'From Anti-Utilitarianism to Convivialism' organized by *Centre de Sciences Humaines* (CSH), New Delhi.
6. 'Pluralism Concerns in India' (6-21 December, 2014), International Summer School on Pluralism, Development and Social Change, Organised by the Institute for Reconciliation and

Social Justice from the University of the Free State, South Africa and the University of Humanistic Studies, the Netherlands, Bloemfontein, South Africa

7. 'Post-Secular Secularizations: Pluralism and Post-Minority Identity Politics in Contemporary India' (7-8 November, 2013), International Conference on 'Pluralism and Secularism' organized by Dept. of Globalization Studies and International Kosmopolis Institute of the University of Humanistic Studies, Utrecht, the Netherlands.
8. 'Difference and Inequality in India: Reflections on the Pasmanda Movement' (5-9 Nov, 2012), International Summer School on 'Managing Diversity in Uganda—Theory and Practice', The Cross-Cultural Foundation of Uganda & Kampala International University (School of Social Sciences), Kampala (Uganda)
9. 'Rights of Dalit Muslims in India' (18-19 Dec, 2010), International Seminar on 'Minority Issues and Social Exclusion in South, South East and East Asia', National Campaign on Dalit Human Rights (NCDHR), New Delhi & Working Group on Human Rights (WGHR), New Delhi
10. 'Pluri-Culture and Interreligious Conflict' (29 Sept-1 October 2010), International Conference on 'Knowledge and Change: Theory and Practice of Development Dilemmas' organized by Hivos, The Hague (the Netherlands)
11. 'Gandhi, Multiculturalism and Communal Violence in India' (3-4 February 2010), International workshop on Peace-building Challenges in 21st Century: Gandhian Perspectives' organized by Malaviya Centre for Peace Research, BHU, Varanasi.
12. 'Indian Notions of Secularism: A Pasmanda Critique' (25-26 May 2009), International Conference on 'Promoting Pluralism through Civic Reason?' organized by Kosmopolis Institute (UvH) and Hivos, Utrecht (the Netherlands).

**National**

1. 'Lived and Political Reality of Pasmanda Muslims' (17 February, 2016), National Conference on 'Dalit Experiences: Everyday Lives, Literature and Politics' organized by The History Society, Ramjas College, Delhi University, New Delhi.
2. 'Affirmative Action Policies for Dalit-Backward Muslims' (18 December, 2015), National Workshop on 'Social, Economic and Educational Status of Dalit-Backward Muslims' organized by Action Aid India, Lucknow.
3. 'Like a Jute Patch on Silk: Reading Ambedkar in the context of Pasmanda Politics'(December 13, 2015), Lecture delivered as part of Dr. Ambedkar Memorial Lectures organized by Goa Arts and Literary Festival 2015 (GALF), Goa
4. 'Development and Identity among the Backward Caste Muslims' (17-18 August, 2015), Workshop on 'Development, Identity and Politics: Margins of the Other Backward Classes', G.B. Pant Social Science Institute, Allahabad, India.
5. 'The Idea of Indian Secularism: Towards a Post-Minority Critique?' (19 November, 2013), National Conference on 'Caste, Religion and Reservation: With Special Focus on Dalit Muslims

and Dalit Christians', Dr K.R. Narayanan Centre for Dalit and Minorities Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.

6. 'Caste and Islam: An Overview' (13-14 March, 2013), National Seminar on 'Caste and Culture in India', Phule-Ambedkar Chair, University of Mumbai, Mumbai
7. 'The Politicization of Muslim Caste: Reflections on the Pasmanda Discourse' (11-12 March, 2013), ICSSR (WRC) sponsored National Seminar on 'Understanding and Resisting Caste', Dr. Ambedkar Centre for Social Justice, University of Mumbai, Mumbai
8. 'Communalism and Caste' (27 Sept, 2008), Invited lecture at Fundação Oriente, Fontainhas', Panjim, Goa
9. 'Best Practises by the Patna Collective' (26 Sept, 2007), National Consultation on 'Harmonising India: Developing Secular Networks for Communal Harmony', IDCR, Loyola College, Chennai
10. 'The Question of Communal Violence: Experiences from Bihar' (18 March, 2007), Discussion on Secularism organized by the All India Secular Forum, Bhopal (MP)
11. 'Contesting Communalism in Bihar: Best Practices' (13-14 December 2006), Workshop on 'Secularism: Best Practices' organized by the CMC (the Netherlands) and CSSS, Mumbai

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### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Constitutional Theory and Practice, Education and Social Justice, Environment Dispute Adjudication

### CORE PUBLICATIONS

**Papers/Articles (National)**

1. Paper titled "*Doctrine of Repugnancy: Evolution, Application and Emerging Trends*", published in Indian Law Review, Volume VIII, 2017, 2229-7960.
2. Paper titled "*Environment Protection Authority, National Green Tribunal and Environmental Governance in India*" published in Rostrum's Law Review, Volume III Issue II, 2017. ISSN: 2321 – 3787
3. Paper titled "*Democratic Decentralization in the State of Uttar Pradesh: Experience, Emerging Concerns, Challenges and Prospects*" published in Dr. Ram Manohar Lohiya National Law University Journal Vol. 7: 2015. ISSN: 0975-9549 (Peer Reviewed Journal)

4. Paper titled *"The Human Right to a Sustainable Environment: Implications and Paradoxes in South Asian Region"* published in Journal of the Campus Law Centre, Vol. III: 2015. ISSN : 2321-4716 (Refereed Journal)

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

1. Article titled "Let's go beyond mere religion" published by The Statesman on July 13, 2017. Available at: http://www.thestatesman.com/features/let-s-go-beyond-mere-religion-1499908482.html
2. Article titled *"Freezing Behind the Wretched Law of Sedition"* published by Livelaw.in on August 17, 2016. Available at: http://www.livelaw.in/freezing-behind-wretched-law-sedition/
3. Article titled *"Judgment on the Minority Character of AMU: A Classical Case of Fallacious Legal Reasoning"* published by Livelaw.in on January 20, 2016. Available at: http://www.livelaw.in/judgment-on-the-minority-character-of-amu-a-classical-case-of-fallacious-legal-reasoning-2/
4. Article titled *"Why So Tolerant?"* published by Mainstream Weekly, VOL LIII No 51 ISSN N0. 0542-1462 New Delhi December 12, 2015. Available at: http://www.mainstreamweekly.net/article6133.html
5. Article on *"Annihilation of Caste & Gender Inequality through Electoral Politics!"* published by Countercurrents.org on 23 November, 2015. Available at: http://www.countercurrents.org/ahmad231115.htm

## CONFERENCES/TALKS

### International

1. Participated & Successfully completed all the requirements for the 2014 *"International Summer School on Pluralism, Development and Social Change"* organized by the Kosmopolis Platform of the University of Humanistic Studies (The Netherlands) in cooperation with Hivos, the Institute for Reconciliation and Social Justice, University of Free State (South Africa), Glocal University (India) and the Global Center for Pluralism (Canada) in Bloemfontein, South Africa, from 5th to 21st December, 2014.
2. Presented a paper titled *"Constitutional Vision & Privatization of Higher Education: Two Issues of Social Justice"* in an International Conference on "Socio-Economic Justice after Seventy Years of India's Independence: Domestic and Global Challenges" organized by Faculty of Law, University Of Delhi at New Delhi on 18-20 November, 2016
3. Paper presented in International Workshop titled *"Liberalism Today - Freedom First"* organized at the International Academy for Leadership (IAF) of the Friedrich Naumann Foundation in Gummersbach, Germany (FNF) from April 15 to April 27, 2012.

4. Paper presented in an International Conference on *"Contribution of International Environmental Law for Sustainable Development: Global and National Perspectives"* organized by Faculty of Law, University Of Delhi at New Delhi on 18th and 19th February, 2012.

**National**

1. Presented a paper titled *"Democratic Decentralization in the State of Uttar Pradesh: Experience, Emerging Concerns, Challenges and Prospects"* in the National Seminar on "Two Decades of 73rd Constitutional Amendment Act (Panchayat Raj): Experiences, Issues, Challenges and Opportunities with Special Reference to Uttar Pradesh" Organized by Centre for Human Rights, Ram Manohar Lohiya National Law University , Lucknow on 5 & 6 February.
2. Presented a paper titled *"Privatization of Higher Education: The Constitutional and Pedagogical Paradoxes of The Political Economy of Higher Education in India"*in two day National Seminar on Privatization Of Education and Social Justice in India organized by Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar Central University, Lucknow on November 16-17, 2015.
3. Presented a paper on topic, *"Justice Delivery in Environmental Matters: Towards a better Future"* in a National Seminar On *"Judiciary, Ethics And Justice Delivery In India"* Jointly Organized By NLUO & Institute Of Objective Studies, New Delhi, Dated 21st and 22nd January 2012.
4. Paper presented in the Indo-Australia Workshop titled "Role of Specialist Environmental Law Courts for the Resolution of Environmental Disputes" held at New Delhi on topic *"National Green Tribunal in India; Prospects and Challenges"* organized jointly by University of Delhi and India Australia Watch on 1st February, 2011.

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Academic qualifications

- Ph.D. (entitled "Creative Role of the Supreme Court in the Enforcement of Directive Principles")
- LLM Lucknow University, L.L.B. Lucknow University

Area of specialization : Constitutional law

- ➢ 31 years of teaching experience in various law subjects at D.S. college (BRA university Agra)
- ➢ Participated in various refresher courses for Law teachers conducted by Indian Law institute, New Delhi
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**Papers/Articles (International)**

1. A paper entitled "China-Pakistan strategic collaboration: Implications for India" was published in the Journal International Journal on multidisciplinary Research Academy. (IJMRA), Volume 4, Issue 4. November 2014. ISSN: 2249-2496
2. A paper entitled "China's military modernization and Quest for Energy: Implications for India" was published in the Global Academic Research Journal , Vol 2, Issue XI, Nov 2014, ISSN: 2347 -3592.
3. Got published paper entitled "China's water diversion projects: Emerging Threats to India" in the Journal named Excellence International journal of Education and Research. (EIJER) Volume: 1, Issue: 3, October 2014.

**Papers/Articles (National)**

1. A paper entitled "China's Development drive and Marginalization of Uyghur's in China" was published in the Journal named Journal of Distance Education and Management Research (JDEMR), AMU, Aligarh, in March 2014. Volume II, ISSN NO. 2278-9251.
2. A paper entitled India and China's quest for Energy Security: challenges ahead have been published in a Shodh Akshra, a bi-annual Journal Of Humanities and Social Sciences, July 2012,Vol 2, No 1, ISSN: 2249-9113.

**OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

1. An article entitled "Rohingya Crisis: The larger geopolitics nobody is talking about was published in Huffington post on 23/September/2017. Available at http://www.huffingtonpost.in/dr-parth-sharma/rohingya-crisis-the-larger-geopolitics-nobody-is-talking-about_a_23219215

**CONFERENCES/TALKS**

**International**

1. Presented a paper entitled "China's military Modernization and quest for Energy Security: Implications for India" in 3rd International Conference on Public Policy and Social Sciences, under the theme "Sustaining the Future: Challenges in Governance, Ethics and development, 15-16 December 2012, Melaka, Malaysia.

**National**

1. Presented a paper entitled "Water: the new battleground between India and China" in a national seminar on "Understanding Contemporary India and the World", Organized by Centre for Nehru Studies Department of Political Science, 31 March -1April 2012.
2. Presented paper entitled "China's Developmental Drive and Marginalization of Uyghurs in China" in International seminar titled "Public Policies and Empowerment of Marginalized Section of the Society" organized by Centre for Distance Education, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh. 4-5 December 2013.
3. Presented paper entitled "China-Pakistan strategic collaboration: Implications for India" in XXXVII Indian Social Science Congress. 27-31 December 2013.
4. Presented paper named "China's Maritime Ambitions in the Indian Ocean: Assessing India's response" in National Seminar on Rising India, China, South Africa and Brazil: Challenges & Strategic Options organized by the Centre for South African and Brazilian studies, A.M.U, Aligarh. 27-28 January 2014.

5. Presented paper entitled "India and China's quest for energy security: Challenges ahead" in an International seminar on Post Modernism: Dimensions and Challenges organized by faculty of Humanities and social sciences, Varshney College, Aligarh.

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**RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Human Rights Law, Right to Information

**Publications**

Chakrabortty, Amitra Sudan. (2010, October 1). How to exercise Your Right To Information. ADVOCACY, 01, 11-18.

**CONFERENCES/TALKS**

1. A paper on the "Role of National Human Rights Commission to protect Human Rights Defenders: A Case Study" in 3rd Rajib Gandhi National University of Law International Congress on Human Rights: Afro-Asian Approach" held on 28th February, 2015.

2. In the Regional Workshop on Right to Information organized by the Administrative Training Institute, Kolkata, West Bengal on 14 th March, 2014 on the issue of "Successful Exercise of Right to Information Act, 2005". This paper has own the RTI award instituted by the Department of Personnel & Training, Government of India.

3. In the National Seminar on Criminal Justice system in India: The issues and Challenges organized by Durgapur Institute of Legal Studies, Durgapur, west Bengal on 28th and 29th September, 2012 on the issue of "Criminal Justice System and the Role of Police: A Critical Study in Human Rights Perspective with Special Reference to The Treatment of the Accused Persons".

4. In the National seminar on Human Rights: Violation Vis-à-vis Socio-Economic System organized by Department of Commerce, G.C.College, silchar, Assam on 6-7 th February, 2012 on the issue of "Protection of Human rights: The Legal system in India."

5. In the National seminar on "Human Rights in 21 st Century: The Issues and Challenges" organised by Dept. Of Law, The University of Burdwan, West Bengal on 30 th -31 st July, 2011 on the issue of "Role of National National Human Rights Institution in protecting Human Rights Defenders: A case study of National Human Rights Commission in India".

6. In the workshop on Rights and Safeguards of Women organized by Tripura Commission for Women for its Junior Panel Lawyers in Sept 2010 as a Resource Person on the issue of "Immoral Trafficking (Prevention) Act, 1956".

7.In National Seminar on Human Rights, Equality and Health: The Role of State and Citizens organized by Dept. Of Law, University of North Bengal titled as " Role Of State In Making Health Services Available To Accident Victims: With Special Reference To Road-Traffic Accident Victims".

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*Constitutional law, and Public International law. His research interests are Company Law, Space Law, Competition Law, Legal Aspects of Business, and Intellectual Property Law.*

**Publication**

Paper titled as *Competition Law and Intellectual Property Rights: Analysing the Interface*. Authored by Sadaf Ali Khan and Smita Tyagi (Assistant Professor in Lloyd Law College).Sent for publication.

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**Publication**

Faujdar, Avijit and Dr. Shankar Uday, *"Smart Grid for Smart Cities – Regulatory Challenges in India",* Journal of Development Management Communication (ISSN 2348-7739 Print), Vol. II, Number 2, April –June 2015 (Smart Cities and Technology Issue) at pp. 166 -174.

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**Publication**

'Dilip Kumar: A Baghban of Pasmanda Movement', published on Round Table India.