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Educational qualifications : M.A (NEHU), NET
Ph.D (N.U)

Work experience : 18 years
(Teaching & Research) :

Area of interest : Social Stratification and Research Methodology

Ph.D Guidance

- a. Ph.D Degree awarded : 4
- b. Thesis submitted : 2
- c. Currently Registered : 8

Book

- Ovung, Athungo; 2012; *Social Stratification in Naga Society*; New Delhi; Mittal publication; ISBN 81-8324-407-6.
- Ao, Lanunungsang & Ovung, Athungo; 2013; *Nagaland the Land of Festival*; Dimapur; Heritage Publication House (ISBN 81-8324-407-6)

Edited Book

- Temjensosang & Ovung, Athungo, 2015; *Historicity, Cultural Diversity and Identities in Northeast India*; Dimapur; Heritage Publication House (ISBN 978-93-80500-39-3)
- Ao, Lanunungsang, Ovung, Athungo and Temjensosang, 2014; *Emerging Gender Voices in Nagaland*; Dimapur; Heritage Publication House (ISBN 978-93-80500-10-2)
- Longkumer, Lanusashi *et al*, 2019; *Climate Change and Sustainable Development: Perspectives from North East India*; Purbayon Publication, Guwahati, Assam (ISBN 978-93-88593-32-8)

Journal Publications:

- Ovung, Athungo; 2009; 'Occupational Stratification: Lotha Naga Getting a Change Slowly'; *The Economic Challenger*; 70-76 (ISSN No.: 0975-1351 & UGC Sl.No.: 45759)
- Ovung, Athungo; 2013 'Indigenous method of dispute resolution in Naga society' *The North Eastern Research Bulletin*; 23: 1-14. (ISSN No.: 0975-8305)

- Ovung, Athungo; 2019; ‘Women Participation in Agriculture among the Lotha Nagas with reference to Jhuming’ *International Journal of Applied and Pure Science and Agriculture*; 1-10 (ISSN-2394-5532)
- Keliveno and Ovung, Athungo; 2023; ‘Cultural Impact on the Development of Entrepreneurship in Nagaland’; *International Journal of Research and Analytical Reviews (IJRAR)*; Volume 10, Issue 2 www.ijrar.o.org (E-ISSN 2348-1269, P- ISSN 2349-5138) 10(2)
- Srikanth Yamsani and Ovung Athungo; 2022; ‘Adaptive Strategies of Indigenous Lotha Community: A Study of Doyang Dam Resettlement Area in Nagaland’; *Anthropo-Indialogs*; Vol.2, No.2.
- Shitiri R Arhoni and Ovung Athungo; 2023; ‘Development and Displacement: plight of the Project Affected Communities in Nagaland’ *ZENITH International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research*, Vol.12 (11)
- Keliveno and Ovung, Athungo; 2022; ‘Youth and Unemployment: Challenges of Entrepreneurship In Nagaland’; *ZENITH International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research*, Vol.12 (07)
- Shitiri R Arhoni and Ovung Athungo; 2022; ‘Project Affected Persons and their Livelihood Strategies: A case study of the Doyang Reservoir in n Nagaland’ (special paper section); *Inclusive A UGC-CARE Listed Journal*, E-ISSN: 2278-9758 Vol.II. No.22
- Yamsani Srikanth and Athungo Ovung; 2023; Socio-ecological Impact of Displacement: A Study of Doyang Dam in Nagaland ; *Indian Sociological Society, A UGC-CARE Listed Journal*; Vol. 7 (1)
- Ovung,Athungo and Ao,Oditola; 2016; ‘Human trafficking in Nagaland: A Socio-cultural perspective’; *The International Journal of Humanities & Social Studies*; 2(9):111-114 (ISSN No.: 2321-9203, UGC SI.No. 44387)
- Odyuo N Mary and Ovung,Athungo; 2016; ‘Horticulture Development and Extension strategy adopted by NGOs in Nagaland, India’ *International Journal of Applied & Pure Science & Agriculture* ; 2(10) (ISSN: 2394-5532, UGC SI.No.44872)
- Suponglila and Ovung,Athungo; 2017; ‘A study on effectiveness of Municipal and Town Councils in Nagaland’; *International Journal of Scientific Research*; 69(4):72-74 (ISSN No.: 2277-8179, UGC SI.No. 49217)
- Odyuo N Mary and Ovung,Athungo; 2017; Successful Development Work of NGOs: A Case Study of Nagaland, India; *International Journal of Research in Social Science*; 7(9):53-63. (ISSN: 2249-2496, UGC SI.No. 48887)
- Boruah,Simanta and Ovung,Athungo; 2018; ‘Social Transformation among the Nagas in Assam: A Case Study in Sivasagar District’; *International Journal of Advance Research, Ideas and Innovations in Technology*; 3(6): 444-452; (ISSN No: 2454-32X)
- Suponglila and Ovung,Athungo; 2018; ‘An Insight into the causes of Human Trafficking in Nagaland’; *EPRA International Journal of Economic and Business Review*; 6(2). (ISBN No: 2349-0187, UGC Journal No:47335)
- Humtsoe,Thungdeno and Ovun,Athung;2018; ‘The Push and Pull Facet of Rural-Urban Migration in Nagaland: A Case Study of the Lotha Naga’; *EPRA International Journal of Climate and Resource Economic Review* ; Vol.7: 12-14. (ISSN:2347-7431)

Chapter in edited book:

- Ovung, Athungo; 2009; ‘Status of Women with Special Reference to Naga Society’ in Kedilezo Kikhi and Narola Dangti Kikhi (eds), *Changing Gender Equation with Special reference to Nagaland*; 94-104; New Delhi; Akansha Publication House (ISBN 97-81-8370-185-3)
-; 2013; ‘NREGA and its Impact on village Economy: An insight from Wokha District of Nagaland’; Kedilizo Kikhi (ed) *The Dynamics of Development in North-East India*; 374-395; New Delhi; Bookwell Publishers. (ISBN 978-93-80574-43-1)

-; 2014; ‘Doyang Reservoir: The Amur ‘Falcon Capital of the World’; Mienam Binota *et al* (eds); *Strategic Interventions in Tourism Development: Regional Perspective*; 315-328, New Delhi; Bharti Publications. (ISBN 978-93-81212-64-6)
-; 2015; ‘Gender Stratification: An insight from Lotha Naga’; in Temjensosang, Athungo Ovung & A.Lanunungsang Ao; *Emerging Gender Voices in Nagaland*; 21-36; Dimapur: Heritage Publication House. (ISBN 978-93-80500-10-2)
- Ovung, Athungo and Ngullie, Nyanthung; 2014; ‘Role of Priest in Nagaland with reference to Lotha Naga Society’ Simanta Boorah; *Jyotimoi*; 130-141; Sivasagar ; Biniyak offset. (ISBN9780143419549)
- Odyuo N Mary and Ovung, Athungo, 2019; ‘Supportive Activities Adopted by NGOS towards Development of Health and Family Welfare: A Case Study of Nagaland, India; in Longkumer, Lanusashi *et al*; *Climate Change and Sustainable Development: Perspectives from North East India*; 208-221; Guwahati : Purbayon Publication. (ISBN 978-93-88593-32-8)
- Odyuo N Mary, Okhyopvui Renjano and Ovung, Athungo, 2022; ‘Issues and Challenges of Online Teaching’; in Ram Krishna Mandal *et al*; *Education Senarion during Covid-19 Pandemic*; Raghan Publication, New Delhi

Research Projects:

- Research Director, in Major Research Project “*Dams and Displacement: Socio-Economic Impact of Doyang Hydro Project in Nagaland*” under ICSSR, Ministry Human Resource Development (MHRD), New Delhi
- Co-Investigator, in Minor Research Project on ‘*Documentation of Naga Tribal Festivals*’ sponsored NEZCC on 2013
- Co- Investigators, in Research Project ‘*Endline Survey on Knowledge, Attitude, and Practices (KAP) of citizens of Nagaland*’ undertaken by Tribal Research Centre, NU Sponsored by Election commission of India on 2020
- Research Associate, in Research Project ‘*Baseline Survey on Knowledge, Attitude, and Practices (KAP) of citizens in the state of Nagaland*’ undertaken by Tribal Research Centre, NU Sponsored by Election commission of India on 2017
- Research Officer in Major Research Project on ‘*Documentation of Customary Laws of North East India*’, undertaken by Law Research Institute, Gawahati High Court sponsored NEC, Shillong from 2003 to 2005
- Research Investigator in Major Project on “*Reproductive and Child Health*” undertaken by Transnational Alternate Learning for Emancipation and Empowerment through Multimedia (TALEEM) sponsored by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, New Delhi on 2002

Contribution towards Academic Activities:

- 2023: Convenor during International Symposium on *Pathways to Peace* organised by the department of Sociology sponsored by Nagaland University
- 2017: Organising Secretary during National Symposium on Human Rights Emerging Paradigms organised by department of Sociology and Geography sponsored by Nagaland University & ICSSR-NER
- 2016: Co-Course Director during Capacity Building Programme for Faculty in Social Science organised by Department of Sociology sponsored by ICSSR-New Delhi
- 2014: Organising Secretary during National Seminar on Historicity, Cultural Diversity and Identities in Northeast India organised by Tribal Research Centre, Nagaland University sponsored by ICSSR-New Delhi & Nagaland University

- 2012: Co-Course Coordinator during A 10 days State Level Workshop on Methodology of Social Science Research organised by Department of Sociology sponsored by ICSSR-New Delhi & ICSSR-NER
- 2012: Member, Organising Committee during National Seminar on Shaping the Future of Indian Agriculture for Sustainable Livelihood: A SWOC Analysis organised by Department of Economics
- 2014: Member, Organising Committee of the XI ITC National Conference Imphal on Strategic interventions in Tourism: Role in Regional Development organised by Imphal College, Imphal and MIMS, Manipur University, Imphal

Resource Person:

- Ovung, Athungo; Delivered a lecture on ‘Case Study’ at Research Methodology Workshop Participants organised by Department of Teachers Education, NU, Meriema held on 23rd February 2023 sponsored by ICSSR
-; Delivered a lecture on ‘Research ethics and Report writing’ at One Day National Workshop on Research Methodology’ organised by Research and Development Cell, FAC, Mokokchung on 14th September 2022
-; Delivered a lecture on ‘Introduction and Report writing of thesis’ at *National Seminar on Research Methodology in Social Science* organised by Zunheboto Government College, Nagaland held on 26th July 2019
-; Delivered a lecture on ‘Techniques of data collection and Report writing at *State Level Workshop on Introduction to Research Methodology*’ organized by Pfutsero Government College, Pfutsero, Nagaland held on 30th March 2019
-; Delivered a lecture on ‘Techniques of data collection, Research design, Sampling method, review of literature and Report writing at *Regional Workshop on Methodology of Social Science Research*’ organized by St.Joseph’s College Jakhama sponsored by ICSSR-North Eastern Regional Centre, Shillong, held on 17 & 18th March 2017
-; Delivered a lecture on ‘Mechanics of writing Research Paper and Report writing *10 Days Workshop on Methodology Course and Applied Research Techniques using SPSS in Social Science* organized by Department of Economics, Nagaland University sponsored by ICSSR held on 23rd May to 1st June 2017
-; Delivered a series of lectures on Research Methodology at *Clark Theological College; Mokokchung*, on 2018 and 2019
- Ovung, Athungo; Delivered a lecture on ‘Applied Research, Field work on PRA and Paper clinic at *National Level Workshop on Research Methodology for Ph.D Students in Social Science* organized by Department of Commerce, Nagaland University, Kohima Campus, sponsored by ICSSR-New Delhi held on 14 & 23rd March 2016
-; Delivered a lecture on ‘Applied Research, Field Work on PRA and Paper clinic at *Capacity Building Program for Faculty in Social Sciences* sponsored by ICSSR-New Delhi, organized by the Department of Sociology, Nagaland University from 21st April to 4th May 2016.
-; Delivered a lecture on ‘Techniques of data collection’ at *Capacity Building Program for Faculty in Social Sciences* sponsored by ICSSR-New Delhi, organized by the Department of Sociology, Nagaland University from 30th May to 13 June 2013.
-; Delivered a lecture on ‘Report Writing’ at 10 Days State Level Workshop on *Methodology of Social Science Research* sponsored by ICSSR NERC, Shillong, organized by the Department of Sociology, Nagaland University from 30th to 9th October 2012.
-; Delivered a lecture on ‘how to formulate a good research proposal/synopsis for Ph.D thesis’ at a State Level Workshop on *Methodology of Social Science Research* sponsored by ICSSR NERC, Shillong, organized by the Department of Sociology, Nagaland University from 22nd to 23rd October 2009.

-; Delivered a series of lecture on ‘Sociology: Basic concepts’ at *Clark Theological College; Mokokchung*, from October 2009-February 2010.
-; Delivered a talk as Resource Person on “*Fundamentals of Research Methodology*” on One-Day Webinar on Basic Fundamentals of Research Methodology, organized by Research Committee, Eastern Christian College, Dimapur held on 27/11/2020, Re
-; Delivered a talk Special invitee on Research Day Programme, organised by Research Cell, Don Bosco College, Kohima held on 29th October 2021

Paper Presented on Seminar:

- Ovung, Athungo; Presented a paper on ‘Contribution of Tribal Heroes towards India’s Independence’ at *International Conference on India’s Extended Neighbourhood: Converging Interests* organised by Fazl Ali College, sponsored by ICSSR held on 23rd March 2023
-; Presented a paper entitled ‘Reinventing and Revisiting Mahatma Gandhi on his 150th Birth Anniversary in the context of Nagaland’ at *National Seminar on Thoughts & Philosophy of Mahatma Gandhi* organised by Govt. of Nagaland held at Raj Bhavan, Kohima, Nagaland on 2nd October 2018
-; Presented a paper on ‘Sustainable Fishery Management of Doyang Reservoir: A Sociological Approach’ at *National Seminar on Shaping the future of Indian Agriculture for Sustainable Livelihoods: A SWOC Analysis*, organised by Department of Economics, NU, held on 9th -10th March, 2017
-; Presented a paper on ‘Family and Marriage among Nagas in Assam: A case study in Hahchara Adrasa Naga Goan in Sivasagar district of Assam’ at *National Seminar on Human Resource and Economic Development in India: Prospects, Challenges and Strategies* organised by Department of Economics, St. Joseph’s College, Jakhama held on 26th -27th August 2016 (Joint paper with Simanta Bourah)
-; Presented a paper on ‘Gender Issues in Agriculture with reference to Jhuming-Wokha Distric’ at *National Seminar on Patterns of Agriculture and Rural Transformation in India: Issues and Challenges (with special reference to North East Region)*, organised by Department of Economics, NU, held on 9th-10th September, 2015
-; Presented a paper on ‘Illegal Bangladeshi Immigrants: A threat to Assam’, at *National Seminar on Historicity, Cultural Diversity and Identities in Northeast India*, organised by Department of Sociology, NU, held on 11th-12th November, 2015 (Joint paper with Simanta Bourah)
-; Presented a paper entitled ‘Development of Health and Family Welfare and Supportive Activities Adopted by NGO’s in Nagaland, India at *National Seminar on Climate Change and Sustainable Development: Perspectives from North East India* organised by Nagaland University Teachers Association Hqrs.: Lumami held on 17th -18th May 2017 (Joint paper with Mary N Odyuo)

Participation

- Ovung, Athungo; Participated in *Two Weeks Capacity Programme for Faculty in Social Science* at Department of Sociology, Nagaland University in 2016
-; Participated in the *Special Summer School* at UGC, Human Resource Development Centre, NEHU, Shillong in 2015
-; Participated in *10 days State Level Workshop on Methodology of Social Science Research* at Department of Sociology, Nagaland University in 2012
-; Participated in *Four week Orientation Course* at UGC, Academic Staff College, Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi, in 2011

-; Participated in the *Refresher Course* from 1st September to 21st September 2009 at UGC, Academic Staff College, NEHU, Shillong in 2009
- ; Participated in *12th Annual Conference of the North Eastern Economic Association (NEEA)* held on 10-11, Nov.2010 at Nagaland University, Hqr. Lumami organised by Department of Economics, Nagaland University.
-; Participated in “One Day International Peace Conference on Building Nations of Peace: Our Shared Responsibility” organised by Department of Political Science, Nagaland University, held on 2nd November 2014
-; Participated in the two-days “*National Seminar on Relevance of Gandhian Philosophy in Contemporary India*” held on Assam 7th & 8th Jan, 2011 at Gargaon College, Simaluguri, Dist. Sivasagar organised by UGC Sponsored Gandhian Studies Centre.
-; Participated in the “*Workshop in Sociology for the College Teachers*” organised by the Department of Sociology, Nagaland University held on 24th -27th July, 2007 at Baptist College, Kohima, Nagaland.
-; Participated in the two-days “*NE Regional Level Sensitisation cum Training Programme for Academics on International Humanitarian Laws and Conflict Reporting*” organized by Department of Communication & Journalism, Gauhati University with the participation of the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC), Regional Delegation, New Delhi held at Guwahati on 1st & 2nd July, 2009.
-; Participated in 7 Day International Professional Development Programme (PDP) on SPSS” Organized by PG & Research Department of Commerce (Shift-I) Patrician College of Arts & Science from 21.06.2021 to 27.06.2021.
-; Participated in One Day National Webinar on “*Model Municipality: A Reflection of Mokokchung Town as the Cleanest City in NE India*” organized by Department of Political Science Association, Fazl Ali College, Mokokchung held on 12/11/2020
-; Participated in One Day National Webinar on “*Building resilience to the Covid-19 pandemic: the Effective and Coherent Role of Public Institutions*” organized by Department of Political Science Association, Fazl Ali College, Mokokchung held on 11/03/2021