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EDUCATION

Ph.D in Japanese Studies, Department of Chinese & Japanese Studies, University of Delhi (1996).

MA (History), Miranda House, University of Delhi (1964).

CURRENT & PAST POSITIONS

Daulat Ram College, University of Delhi (1964 to 1997).

Department of East Asian Studies (1998 to 2007).

Guest Faculty in the Deptt. of East Asian Studies since 2007.

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Narsimhan, Sushila, (1999), Nineteenth Century Japanese Perceptions of China: Influence of Fukuzawa Yukichi (Phoenix Publishing House, New Delhi).

Co-edited

Narsimhan, Sushila and G. Balatchandirane (2004), *India and East Asia: Learning From Each Other* (New Delhi: Manak Publications).

Narsimhan, Sushila and Do Young Kim (2005), *Korea and India: A Forging Relationship* (New Delhi: Manak Publications).

Narsimhan, Sushila and Kim Do-young (2006), *Korea in Search of a Global Role* (New Delhi: Manak Publications).

Narsimhan, Sushila and Do Young Kim (2007), *India and Korea: Bridging the Gaps* (New Delhi: Manak Publications).

Narsimhan, Sushila and Kim Do Young (2014), *Growing Synergy between India and Korea* (New Delhi: Manak Publications).

Narsimhan, Sushila and Kim Do Young (2015), *Deepening India-Korea Relations: Towards a sustainable future* (New Delhi: Manak Publications).

Forthcoming

Narsimhan, Sushila. Japan and China: From admiration to antagonism (in progress).

Published Papers

Narsimhan, Sushila (2014), 'Research Trends in Japanese Studies in India' paper presented in the *Workshop*, Dept of East Asian Studies Golden Jubilee celebrations (October 31, 2014).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2014), **'Buddhism – Japan's soft power tool towards India'** in Srabani Roy Choudhury (ed.) *Japan-SAARC Partnership: A Way Ahead* (New Delhi: Pentagon Press).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2011), 'Indian Studies of Prewar Japan: Continuity and change' in Changing Perception of Japan in South Asia in the New Asian Era: State of Japanese Studies in India and Other SAARC Countries (Kyoto: Nichibunken).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2010), 'Japanese Studies in India: Major Trends and Challenges' in P. A. George (ed.) *Japanese Studies: Changing Global Profile* (Northern Book Centre, New Delhi).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2009), 'Plants and human civilization: Indian Spices' in *Comparative Civilizations Review* (Spring 2009) No.60.

Narsimhan, Sushila (2007), **'India and Japan: Historical and Cultural Linkages'** in Rajaram Panda and Yoo Fukazawa, (eds.) *India and Japan in Search of Global Roles* (New Delhi: The Japan Foundation).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2005), **'India's 'Look East' Policy: Past, Present, and Future'** in K. Raja Reddy, (ed.) *India and ASEAN: Foreign Policy Dimensions for the 21st Century* (New Century Publications, New Delhi).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2004), 'Influence of Japan in China's Educational Development, 1896-1911' in *Journal of Educational Planning and Administration*, Vol.XVIII, No.4, New Delhi.

Narsimhan, Sushila (2004), **'India and Japan: Discovering Each Other'** in S. R. Bhatt, (ed.) *Buddhist Thought and Indian Culture* (New Delhi: L. P. Publications).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2001), 'China's 'Hundred Days' Reform (1898) and Japanese Connections' in *The Japan Foundation Bulletin*, No.36, New Delhi.

Narsimhan, Sushila (1998), **'Fukuzawa Yukichi's Changing Perceptions of China'** in Kawahara Hiroshi (ed.), *Nihon Shiso no Chihei to Suimyaku* (Tokyo: Perikansha).

Papers presented in Conferences/Seminars since 2001

Narsimhan, Sushila (2015), **'Major contours of India-Japan relations'**, Paper presented in Seminar, Dept of English, University of Delhi February 19, 2015).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2014), 'Research trends in Japanese Studies in India', Workshop on East Asian Studies, University of Delhi (October 31, 2014).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2013), **'Buddhism – Japan's soft power tool towards India'**, paper presented in *Japan-SAARC Partnership: A Way Ahead*, organized by JNU-Sasakawa Peace Foundation (November 13-14, 2013).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2013), 'An integrated approach to the study of East Asia', Keynote address in Workshop on *Teaching Methods in the History of East Asia* Department of East Asian Studies (January 18, 2013).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2012), **'The Lure of Spices: Impact on human civilization and world history'**, Power-point paper presented in the *International Conference on Asian Studies* (26-27th July 2012), Negombo, Sri Lanka.

Narsimhan, Sushila (2011), 'Japanese Studies in India', Paper presented in the Indian Congress of Asia-Pacific Studies: Asian Studies in India, September 4-5, 2011, Institute of Development Studies, Jaipur.

Narsimhan, Sushila (2011), 'A New Interpretation of China's Hundred Days' Reforms', paper presented in the *Seminar*, Hansraj College, University of Delhi, Delhi (March 17, 2011).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2011), 'Japanese Studies in India: Trends and Challenges', Paper presented in the Workshop for East Asian Studies, March 5, 2011, Institute of Chinese Studies, Delhi.

Narsimhan, Sushila (2010), 'China's Disasters – Opium Wars and Taiping Rebellion: Lessons for Japan', paper presented in the Institute of Chinese Studies, Delhi (March 10, 2010).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2010), '**Plants and human Civilization: The Lure of Spices'**, Power Point presentation, University Popular Lecture Series, University of Delhi (February 18, 2010).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2009), **'Indian writings of prewar Japan: Continuity and change'**, Paper presented in *International Seminar on Changing Perception of Japan in South Asia in the New Asian Era: State of Japanese Studies in India and Other SAARC Countries* organised by International Research Center for Japanese Studies (Nichibunken), Kyoto, Japan (November 3-4, 2009). Narsimhan, Sushila (2009), **'Doing field work in Japan'**, paper presented in Colloquium on '*Research trends and field research in East Asia*,' Institute of Chinese Studies (28 March, 2009).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2009), 'Japanese Studies in India: Major trends and challenges', Paper presented in an international conference on *Changing status of Japanese Studies in the age of Globalization*, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi (March 2009).

Narsimhan, Sushila (2008), **'Plants and human civilization: Indian spices'**, Paper presented in an international conference on *International Society for Comparative Study of Civilization*, in the University of New Brunswick, St. John, Canada (June 2008).

Narsimhan, Sushila (March 2008), 'Prospects of Japan-China Reconciliation?: "Taking History as a Mirror, Looking to the Future', International Conference on Japan in Resurgent Asia, University of Delhi, Delhi – 110007, India.

Narsimhan, Sushila (November 2007), 'Japanese Studies in India', Symposium, Chonnam National University, Kwangju, South Korea.

Narsimhan, Sushila (May 2005), 'Seeds of Globalization: Indian Plants and Human Civilization' in International Conference on 'Globalizing Experiences of Asia', Cheju National University, Jejudo, South Korea.

Narsimhan, Sushila (May 2005), **'Nineteenth Century Japanese Perceptions of East Asia: An Indian Perspective'**, Pusan University of Foreign Languages, Busan, South Korea.

Narsimhan, Sushila (March 2005), **'India and Japan: Historical and Cultural Linkages'** in International Conference, The Japan Foundation, New Delhi.

Narsimhan, Sushila (October 2003), 'Relevance of Area Studies in the Era of Globalization: Case Study of Delhi University' in National Seminar, Centre for Latin American Studies, Goa University, Goa.

Narsimhan, Sushila (November 2002), **'India and Japan: Mutual Perceptions'** in International Conference, Indo-Japan Academic Educational Conference, New Delhi.

Narsimhan, Sushila (March 2001), **'An Integrated Approach to the Study of China and Japan'** in Seminar, Department of Chinese & Japanese Studies, Delhi University, Delhi.

Participation in Seminars/Workshops/Conferences

2013 – *The Japan Foundation Lecture Series*, 'The survival of Japanese Monozukuri (Manufacturing): Comparison between Apple and Sony' by Prof. Shozo Saegusa (February 26, 2013) at FICCI, New Delhi.

2013 – Workshop on 'Materials related to modern China in Indian Archives' organiSed by the Institute of Chinese Studies, CSDS Bldg., Rajpur Road, Delhi (February 8, 2013).

2013 - *The Japan Foundation Lecture Series*, 'Justice Radhabinod Pal and India-Japan Relationship: The Voices of Asian Intellectuals' by Dr. Ashis Nandy (January 18, 2013).

2013 - Workshop on **Teaching Methods in the History of East Asia** Department of East Asian Studies (January 18, 2013).

2012 - International Conference on India-Japan Bilateral Portrayals: Mutual Perception and Image Formation organised by the Observer Research Foundation (ORF) and the Japanese Embassy (December 6, 2012).

2012 – International Conference on **The Changing Paradigm of India-Japan Relations** (December 17-18, 2012), ICRIER, New Delhi.

2012 – Lecture by Tomohiko Taniguchi on 'Strategic Convergence of Indo-Japanese relations and the Emergence of China' organised by the ORF, New Delhi (February 9, 2012).

2011 - Indian Congress of Asia-Pacific Studies: Asian Studies in India, Institute of Development Studies, Jaipur (September 4-5, 2011).

2010 - International Conference on India-Japan China Dialogue on East Asia Summit Process (April 6-7, 2010), ICRIER, New Delhi.

2011 - History Seminar, Hansraj College, University of Delhi, Delhi (March 17, 2011).

2010 – Seminar organized by the Institute of Chinese Studies, Delhi (March 10, 2010).

2009 - International Seminar on Changing Perception of Japan in South Asia in the New Asian Era: State of Japanese Studies in India and Other SAARC Countries held in JNU organized by International Research Center for Japanese Studies (Nichibunken), Kyoto, Japan (November 3-4, 2009).

2009 - International conference on **Changing status of Japanese Studies in the age of Globalization**, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi (March 2009).

2008 - International conference on **International Society for Comparative Study of Civilization**, in the University of New Brunswick, St. John, Canada (June 2008).

2008 - International Conference on Japan in a Resurgent Asia, University of Delhi, Delhi – 110007, India (March 2008).

2007 – History Symposium on Japan-Korea Relations, Chonnam National University, Kwangju, South Korea.

2007 – International Seminar on India-Japan: A New Era of Relationship, CEAS, JNU, New Delhi (November 15-16, 2007).

2005 - International Conference on **Globalizing Experiences of Asia**, Cheju National University, Jejudo, South Korea (May 2005).

2005 - Symposium held at the Pusan University of Foreign Languages, Busan, South Korea (May 2005).

2005 - International Conference, The Japan Foundation, New Delhi (March 2005).

2003 - National Seminar, Centre for Latin American Studies, Goa University, Goa (October 2003).

2002 - International Conference, Indo-Japan Academic Educational Conference, New Delhi (November 2002).

ORGANISATIONAL ACTIVITIES

2004-2007: Organized 'Korea Week': Academic & Cultural Events (Annual feature).

2004: Convener, International Conference on *India and East Asia: Learning from Each Other*, Department of East Asian Studies, University of Delhi, Delhi – 110007.

1969-1975: Organized National Integration Day: Event held annually on Gandhi Jayanti Day.

- 1975: Co-Convener, International Women's Day, University Women's Association, University of Delhi, Delhi – 110007. (Convener, Mr. Frank Thakurdas)
- 1967: Organized Fashion Show: Traditional dresses of India, under the patronage of Smt. Durgabai Deshmukh, Patron, Delhi University Women's Association, Delhi.

AWARDS/HONOURS

Life Member: Mombusho Scholars' Association of India (MOSAI), Delhi.

Life Member: Japanese Language Teachers' Association of India (JALTAI), Delhi.

Life Member: Ajia Bunka Kaikan (Institute of Asian Culture), Tokyo, Japan.

2001 - Member, Advisory Committee, The Japanese Journal of Political Science, Tokyo, Japan.