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## **AREAS OF INTEREST**

Modern Chinese history, Colonialism, Culture and identity, Memory and History, India-China Connections, Transnational History, Second World war

## **CURRENT RESEARCH PROJECTS**

Indian and Chinese ethnic minority policies: Comparing and Contrasting the Indo-Naga and the Sino-Tibetan Cases.

#### **EDUCATION**

2011-2013: Chinese Studies (Master of Philosophy), Department of East Asian Studies, Delhi University

**Dissertation:** "EXPANSIONISM IN EARLY MING FOREIGN RELATIONS: A STUDY OF MING RELATIONS WITH VIETNAM AND MALACCA (1402-1435)".

2008-2010: Masters in History, Vinayaka Missions University, Salem, Tamil Nadu

2005-2008: B.A-History (Hons.), Bharti College, Delhi University.

## **CURRENT & PAST POSITIONS**

2008-2009 - Worked as Volunteer for SSMI "Women economic up-liftment project".

2013 Feb-Dec: Worked as a Research Assistant on "Archives on Modern China-War period 1939-1945" with Institute of Chinese studies, New Delhi, under Dr. Madhavi Thampi Project ended in December 2013.

http://www.icsin.org/DetailProject.aspx?BId=1...

http://www.icsin.org/publications/catalogue-of-materials-related-to-modern-china-in-the-national-archives-of-india-1939-1945

2014 April: Working as a Research Assistant with Dr. Kavita Sivaramakrishnan (Columbia University) on "Evolution of Gerontology in India and China".

# **AWARDS/HONOURS**

2014 John Hopkins-Nanjing University Summer School on Women and Gender in contemporary China.

2014-2015- Huayu Enrichment scholarship (National Taiwan University, CLD, Taipei)

## **LANGUAGES SPOKEN**

English, Hindi, Punjabi, Chinese (Intermediate)