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Research Interests:

- Macro Economics
- Labour Economics
- Health Economics
- Industrial Economics
- Environmental economics
- Entrepreneurship

Academic Qualifications:

- Ph. D. (Economics): Utkal University, India
- M. Phil. (Economics): Utkal University, India
- M.A. (Economics): Utkal University, India
- Specialization: Statistics

Teaching Experience/ Industrial Experience/ Research Experience:

Total Teaching and Research Experience: 23 Years

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Publications

1. **Agasty M.P.**, Determinants of internal rural-urban migration in Odisha: A case study, *Indian Journal of Economics and Development*, 17 (02), 361-368, 2021
2. **Agasty M.P.**, Migration of labour and urban-rural linkages: A case study of rural India, *Indian Journal of Economics and Development*, 6 (10), 1-7, 2018.
3. **Agasty M.P.**, and Rout, B, Determinants of Health Care Expenditure in Odisha, *Problems and Prospects*, , *IOSR Journal of Humanities and Social*

Science 23(6),19-26, DOI 10.9790/0837- 2306051926, 2018.

4. **Agasty M.P**, Migration of Labour and its Impact on Education of Left behind Children: A Case Study of Rural India, *Arthashastra Indian Journal of Economics& Research*, 5(4)48-56, 2016.
5. **Agast, M.P**, Senapati, J. Food Security in Odisha: Problèm and Policy Implications, *Indian Journal of Applied Research*, 6(6),188 - 191, 2016
6. **Agasty M.P**, Migration of Labour and its Impact on Education of Left behind Children: A Case Study of Rural Odisha, *International Journal of Research in Humanities and Social Studies*, 3(4), 57-63, 2016
7. **Agasty M.P**, Senapati, J. Handicraft Industries in Odisha: Problems and Prospects, *International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research and Development*, 2(5), 517-521, 2015.
8. **Agasty M.P**, Mohapatra, G, Patra, R. N, Economic Contribution of Women in Self Help Groups: Village Level Evidence from Odisha, *IOSR Journal of Economicsand Finance*, 6(2).1- 8, 2015.
9. **Agasty M.P**, Patra, R. N, The Quiet Crisis in Higher Education National and Sub-national Perspectives, *Educational Quest*, 5(3), 147- 159, 2014.
10. **Agasty M.P**, Patra, R. N, The Economics of Migrant Remittances: Insight From a Primary Survey in Odisha, India, *Man and Development*, XXXVI (3). 37-64, 2014.
11. **Agasty M.P**, Patra, R. N, Migration, Labour Supply, Wages and Agriculture: A Case Study in Rural Odisha, *Developing Country Studies*, 4(16), 91-109, 2014.
12. **Agasty M.P**, Patra, R.N, Migration of Labour and Left Behind Women: A case Study of Rural Odisha, *American International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences*, 7(1), 28-33, 2014.
13. **Agasty M.P**, Patra,R.N, Migration, Wages and Agriculture: Empirical Evidence and Policy Implications,14(5), 09-20, 2013
14. **Agasty M.P**, Patra,R.N, Growth and Structure of GDP and Employment in the Indian Economy: Performance and Challenges, *Samikshya*, 7(1), 26-38, 2013
15. **Agasty M.P**, Patra,R.N, Cooperatives, Agriculture and Rural Development: Role, Issues and Policy Implications, *IOSR Journal of Humanities and Social Science*, 13(2),14-25, 2013
16. **Agasty M.P**, Patra, R.N, Rural-urban Migration: Selectivity, Determinants and Destination", *Peripex-Indian Journal of Research*, 2(2), 84-86, 2013
17. **Agasty M.P**, Patra, R.N, Gender Dimensions of Work Force in India: Anatomy, Dynamics, Determinants, Discrimination and Policy Implications, *Samikkshya*, 6(1), 22-35, 2011.

Conferences:

1. **Agasty M.P** and R.N.Patra, *Migration, Labour Supply, Wages and Agriculture: A case Study of Rural Odisha*, 45th Annual Conference of

- the Orissa Economic Association, NISER Bhubaneswar, 9th -10th Feb, 2013.
2. **Agasty M.P** and R.N.Patra, *Gender Dimensions of Work Force in India: Anatomy, Dynamics, Determinants, Discrimination & Policy Implications*. UGC National Seminar, Khaira College, Balasore, 24th April 2011.
 3. **Agasty M.P** and R.N.Patra, *Rural-Urban Migration: Macro Theories, Micro Level Evidence and Policy Implications*, 52nd Annual conference of the Indian Society of Labor Economics). Dharwad, Karnatak, 17th Dec. 2010.

Book Chapter:

1. **Agasty M.P.** and Patra R.N, Bgchi K., *Rural-Urban Migration: Macro Theories, Micro Level Evidence and Policy Implications, Internal Migration in India, Nature, Determinants and Consequences*, Abhijeet Publication, New Delhi, 416-443, 2013.

Book Chapters Published**BOOKS PUBLISHED:**

1. **Agasty M.P** : *Engineering Economics and Costing*. Scitech, Chennai, India, 2006
2. **Agasty M.P** : *Engineering Economics and Costing*. Scitech, Chennai, India, 2009
3. **Agasty M.P and Patra R.N.:** *Rural Urban Migration: Theory, Determinants and Impacts*, Abhijeet Publications, New Delhi, India, 2019.

INVITED TALK:

1. Business Plan, Srusty Academy of Management, 9th April 2016.
2. Entrepreneurship and Generation of Ideas, Government College of Engineering, Kalahandi, 10th September 2016.
3. Generation of Ideas, GITA, Bhubaneswar, 31st March 2016.
4. Demonetisation one year after, Press Club of Athagarh, Odisha, Invited talk, 10th December 2017.
5. GITA, Bhubaneswar, Resource person, Faculty Development Programme, 6th Jan 2018.
6. GITA, Bhubaneswar, Resource Person, EAC Programme, 17th March 2018
7. Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, Zonal Institute of Education and Training, Resource person, 5 days Workshop on Content Enrichment: Resource generation for specific topics in economics for PGT (Economics) ZIET, Bhubaneswar, 8th August 2018.

STUDENTS GUIDANCE: Three (In progress)

REVIEWER OF JOURNAL: SAGE Open (IF0.675)

SHORT-TERM COURSE/ TRAINING ATTENDED:

1. Training on "Entrepreneurship Development Programme", MHRD's

- Innovation Cell, ISER, Kolkata, West Bengal, 6th -7th March, 2020.
2. Training Programme on "Mentorship Skill Development on Innovation Entrepreneurship", MHRD's Innovation Cell, New Delhi, 9th -10th September, 2019.
 3. Faculty Development Programme in Teaching Methodology, Shikshak, Silicon Institute of Technology, Bhubaneswar, 28th -29th December, 2012.
 4. Faculty Development Programme in Entrepreneurship, EDII, Ahmadabad, 19th-30th December 2011.
 5. Recent Trends in Human Resources Management, IIT Kharagpur, February 25th-29th Feb. 2008
 6. Faculty Development programme on Managerial Economics, BPUT, Bhubaneswar, 3rd-5th June 2008.
 7. Faculty Development Programme in Entrepreneurship, SEHURD, NSTEDB, DST, 6th-17th March 2006.

CONFERENCES ATTENDED:

1. 52nd Annual conference of the Indian Society of Labor Economics, Dharwad, Karnataka, 17th-19th December, 2010
2. 44th Annual Conference of the Orissa Economic Association, LNS, Mahavidyalaya, Cuttack, Odisha, 11th - 12th Feb, 2012
3. 45th Annual Conference of the Orissa Economic Association, NISER, Bhubaneswar, 9th -10th Feb, 2013
4. 46th Annual Conference of the Orissa Economic Association, Rimuli college, Keonjhar, 9th Feb-10th Feb. 2014
5. 47th Annual Conference of the Orissa Economic Association, Centurian University, Bhubaneswar 14th -15th Feb, 2015
6. 48th Annual Conference of the Orissa Economic Association, GIET, Gunpur, 13th-14th Feb, 2016
7. 49th Annual Conference of the Orissa Economic Association, Ramadevi University, Bhubaneswar 11th-12th Feb. 2017
8. 50th Annual Conference of the Orissa Economic Association, NCDS, Bhubaneswar, 10th-11th Feb. 2018
9. 51st Annual Conference of the Orissa Economic Association, Kendrapara College, Kendrapara, 9th- 10th Feb. 2019
10. 52nd Annual Conference of the Orissa Economic Association, Parala Maharaja Engineering College, 8th Feb - 9th Feb 2020.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP:

- ISTE (Life Member)
- Orissa Economics Association (Life Member)
- Indian Society of Labor Economics