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Education

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| 2023 (expected) | Ph.D., Rural Sociology (current GPA: 3.9/4)
The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA |
| 2017 | Master's in Urban and Regional Planning (GPA: 3.9/4)
Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI |
| 2009 | Master's in Business Administration (GPA: 3.5/4)
Kathmandu University, Kathmandu, Nepal |
| 2005 | Bachelor of Arts in Geography
Doti Multiple Campus, Doti, Nepal |

Research interests

Gender development in low-income countries, mixed-methods, qualitative research methods.

Relevant Courses

Qualitative Research Methods, Method of Survey Data Analysis, Feminist Research Methods, Global Feminism, Spatial Analysis, GIS, Feminist Theory

Academic Awards

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| 2016-2017 | Honor's Award for academic excellence |
| 2007-2009 | Dean's List (3 out of 6 trimesters) |
| 2005 | Gold Medal for securing the highest scores in Geography in Nepal |

Research Experience

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| 2022- | Research Assistant
Women's Gender and Sexuality Studies, Penn State University
Key tasks: Social media data scraping, Assist in IRB application
Study title: Digital Queer Activism: Tracing Nepal's Second Generation of Queer Activists, PI: Jessica Birkenholtz |
| 2017-2018 | Research Assistant
Social Science Research Institute, Penn State University
Key tasks: literature review and synthesis, data analysis, map making |
| 2016-2017 | Research Assistant
Department of Urban and Regional Planning, Eastern Michigan University
Key tasks: literature review and synthesis, conducting interviews, qualitative data analysis |

Publication

1. Joshi, S. Chhaupadi practice in Nepal: A literature review (2022). *World Medical & Health Policy*. 14(1), 121-137.
2. Joshi S., & Acharya Y. Women's Seclusion during Menstruation and Children's Health in Nepal (2022). *PLOS Global Public Health*. 2(7), e0000355.
3. Joshi S. (2022). [Review of the book: naked agency: Genital Cursing and Biopolitics in Africa, by Naminata Diabate, Duke University Press Durham London, 2020. 259 pp. \$26.95 (paper). ISBN: 9481478006886]. Book Review in *Rural Sociology*. 87 (2), 642-645.

Manuscripts under Preparation

1. Jackson J.& Joshi S. Son Preference and Violence against Women in India, Pakistan and Nepal.
2. Joshi S. Extreme weather conditions and violence against women: evidence from Nepal.
3. Ghimire, R., Joshi, S. Women in Water Resource Management: A Review of Water Policies of Nepal.

Presentation

1. Poster presentation in Population Association of America, April 2022.
2. Guest lecture in undergraduate class Doti Campus, Doti Nepal, June 2022.
3. Paper Presentations in Rural Sociological Society (RSS), (August 2022)

Reviewer

World Medical & Health Policy

Other Skills

Data analysis software: Stata, ArcGIS, GeoDa, NVivo
Languages: English, Nepali, Hindi

Previous Work Experiences

2016	Intern Hamburg Township, Michigan. Key tasks: Assisted in reviewing site plans and applications
2010-2012	Human Resource Officer Buddha Air Pvt. Ltd., Kathmandu, Nepal Key tasks: Designed and conducted training programs for staff
2007-2010	Coordinator Vice Chancellor's Office, Kathmandu University, Nepal Key tasks: Managed the Vice Chancellor's Office
2006	Assistant Administration International Committee of the Red Cross, Doti, Nepal. Key tasks: Administrative and logistics; translations from Nepali to English
2005-2006	Program Assistant CARE International-Nepal, Doti, Nepal Key tasks: Administrative and logistics