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Education

Ph.D. in Economics, University of Surrey, Guildford, U.K., 1996.

M.Phil. in Economics, Centre for Economic Studies and Planning,
Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 1989.

M.A. in Economics, Centre for Economic Studies and Planning,
Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 1987.

B.A. in Economics, Hindu College, University of Delhi, Delhi, 1985.

Academic awards

British Nehru Centenary Fellowship for Doctoral in Economics, 1991.

Junior Research Fellowship for Economics, 1987.

National Talent Search Scholarship, 1980.

Junior Science Talent Scholarship, 1978.

Work experience

Professor, National Institute of Public Finance and Policy, New Delhi,
November 2006 - Current.

Principal Economic Advisor, Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of
Finance, Government of India, New Delhi, May 2014 - December 2015.

Non-resident Senior Associate, South Asia Program, Carnegie Endowment
for International Peace, Washington D.C., 2013.

Visiting Scholar, Research Department, IMF, Washington, D.C.: February-
March 2013, October-November 2013, January-February 2003.

Economics Editor, Indian Express, New Delhi, 2004 – 2006.

Guest Lecturer, International Economics, Indian Institute of Foreign Trade,
New Delhi, 2004.

Senior Fellow, Indian Council for Research in International Economic Relations, New Delhi, 2002 – 2004.

Senior Economist, National Council of Applied Economic Research, New Delhi, 1996 – 2002 and 2004.

Lecturer, College of Vocational Studies, University of Delhi, Delhi, 1990 – 1991.

Lecturer, St. Stephens College, University of Delhi, Delhi, 1989 – 1990.

Lecturer, Sri Venketeswara College, University of Delhi, Delhi, 1987 – 1988.

Professional affiliations

Ministry of Home Affairs *Task Force to Prepare a Plan for Establishing the Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure*, Chaired by Ms. Preeti Saran, 2017-2018.

Ministry of Finance *Task Force on the Financial Redress Agency*, Chaired by Shri D Swarup, 2015-2016.

Ministry of Finance *Task Force on the Financial Sector Appellate Tribunal*, Chaired by Justice N. K. Sodhi, 2014-15.

Ministry of Finance *Task Force on the Financial Data Management Centre*, Chaired by Dr Subir Gokarn, 2014-15.

Ministry of Finance *Task Force on the Public Debt Management Agency*, Chaired by Mr M Damodaran, 2014-15.

Ministry of Finance *Task Force on the Resolution Corporation*, Chaired by Mr Dharendra Swarup, 2014-15.

RBI *Working Group on Taxation Practices for Financial Instruments in India*, 2014-15.

Ministry of Finance *Working Group on Foreign Investment*, Chaired by U. K. Sinha, 2009-10.

Ministry of Finance *Internal Working Group on Internal Debt Management*, Chaired by Jahangir Aziz, 2008.

RBI *Working Group on Economic Indicators*, 2001-2002.

Lead/co-lead for policy projects

NIPFP-DEA Research Program for the Department of Economic Affairs, *Ministry of Finance*

Performance Audit on Hospital Management, Medical Health & Family Welfare, and Medical Education and Training, *Comptroller and Auditor General of India*.

Research and technical support service to the Financial Sector Legislative Reforms Commission, *Ministry of Finance*.

Improving research and policies on Health Financing, *Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation*.

Collaborative Research Programme between TRAI and NIPFP, *Telecom Regulatory Authority of India*.

Research Programme on Capital Flows and their Consequences, Department of Economic Affairs, *Ministry of Finance*.

Research on Business Cycles in India, *India Value Fund Associates*.

Research Programme on Micropayments and Financial Inclusion of UIDAI, *Unique Identification Authority of India*.

Does Foreign Institutional Investment in India Increase Financial Vulnerability? An Empirical Investigation Using an Event Study Approach, *London School of Economics and Political Sciences, International Growth Centre (IGC), UK*.

Foreign Investors Under Stress: Evidence at the Firm Level, *London School of Economics and Political Sciences, International Growth Centre (IGC), UK*.

Study on Foreign Investment in the Indian Government Bond Market, *Securities and Exchange Board of India*.

Foreign Borrowing by Indian Firms: Implications for Growth and Macroeconomic Stability, *London School of Economics and Political Sciences, International Growth Centre (IGC), UK*.

Study for Medium-term Macroeconomic Risks and Opportunities, *Asian Development Bank*.

Study for Asian Development Outlook 2014, *Asian Development Bank*.

Policy analysis in the process of deepening Capital Account Openness, *British High Commission*.

Building Capacity and Consensus for Monetary and Financial Reforms, *British High Commission*.

Business cycle indicators in India, *National Council of Applied Economic Research (NCAER)*.

Assessing the impact of social sector spending in a macro-econometric model of the Indian economy, *NCAER*.

Financial sector modelling: Exchange rates and interest rates in the Indian economy, *NCAER*.

Refereed international journal articles

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Mohit Desai, Ila Patnaik, Joshua Felman, and Ajay Shah. A cross-country Exchange Market Pressure (EMP) dataset. *Data in Brief*, 12:652–655, 2017

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Achim Zeileis, Ajay Shah, and Ila Patnaik. Testing, monitoring, and dating structural changes in exchange rate regimes. *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, 54(6):1696–1706, 2010

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- Ila Patnaik. Asian Crisis Revisited: Book review of the East Asian Currency Crisis by Mihir Rakshit; Oxford University Press, 2002; pp xii+288. *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol. 37(Issue No. 02), 12 2002

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- Supriya Krishnan and Ila Patnaik. Health and disaster risk management in India. In *Public Health and Disasters*, pages 155–184. Springer, 2020
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