

## Research Scholar Profile

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**Publications& Presentations:**

“A Mining Mediated Development leads to Resistance:A case Study of Niyamgiri, Odisha” titled paper published in UGC Care Listed Group –I Journal on –NIU International Journal of Human Rights, ISSN-2394-0298, Vol-8(VI), 2021.

2. “ Educational Status of PVTGs: A Study among Dongoria Kondh of Rayagada District, Odisha” published in ANVESAK ISSN -0378-4568 Volume -51,No. 1,(XII), January -June, 2021 Pages -170-177.

3. “Indigenous Movement through Indigenous Media: Evidence from Niyamgiri Resistance of Odisha” Titled paper published on Elite Publication, authored by Dr. Tanaya Mohanty, ISSN No-788185531908,71-83, 2021.

**Presentations:**

- Attended National Seminar on Socio-Economic Issues in the Development of Odisha, organised by Sociological Society of Odisha, at Kendrapara, on 13<sup>th</sup> December, 2015.
- Presented a paper on “*Electricity Ways to Rural Development Myth or Reality*” in International Conference on “Odisha 2036: Society and Politics’ in collaboration with Odisha Political Science Association on December 9-10, 2017, organized by the Department of Political Science, Ravenshaw University.



- Attended Seminar on “Tribal Displacement in Odisha” dt. 13<sup>th</sup> April 2019, organized by P.G Department of Sociology, Utkal University, Vani Vihar, Bhubaneswar.
- Presented paper on “*Tribal Movement: A Study in Niyamgiri Resistance*” at International Conference on Interrogating the Trends of Rural Development and Social Transformation in South Asia, organized by Department of Sociology and Global Centre for Rural Studies, Utkal University, Bhubaneswar from 2<sup>nd</sup> -4<sup>th</sup> October, 2019.
- Presented paper on “*Niyamgiri Resistance: Consequences of Collective Actions of Various Actors*” in the National Seminar on Gender, Environment and Sustainable Development on 29<sup>th</sup> February, 2020 organized by P.G Dept. of Gender Studies, Rama Devi Women’s University, Bhubaneswar.
- Participated on 15 Days Course on ‘Researcher Development Programme, Methodology on *Developing Research Ecosystem: An Interface between Researcher and Experts*’ 20<sup>th</sup> July to 7<sup>th</sup> September (Online, 2 sessions per week).