



Centre for Research & Development

Research Supervisor (Guide) Profiles

Discipline of Supervision: **Psychology**



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Dr. Diganta Baishya is an Assistant Professor of Psychology with research interests in Social Psychology, Organizational Psychology, Positive Psychology, Social Media/Social Networking, Mental Health, Well-being, Gender Studies, Cross-Cultural Studies, Stress and Coping, and multidisciplinary research. His work focuses on understanding the psychological and social factors that influence individual, organizational, and community well-being while integrating interdisciplinary perspectives to address contemporary societal challenges. He also have expertise in psychological test construction and psychometric evaluation. He was awarded the prestigious NCERT Doctoral Fellowship during his Ph.D. in recognition of the quality and potential of his doctoral research. He has published different Scopus-indexed research papers, including publications in Q1 and Q2 journals, along with additional peer-reviewed publications and book chapters, and hold one patent, reflecting his commitment to research innovation and knowledge dissemination. He contributes to academic publishing as the Chief Editor of ISBN-edited book and Managing Editor of conference proceeding. He actively supervises postgraduate research dissertations and mentor students in research methodology, academic writing, Paper publication and scientific inquiry, with the aim of advancing impactful, evidence-based, and interdisciplinary psychological research.

Selected Publications:

1. **Baishya, D.**, & Maheshwari, S. (2020). WhatsApp Groups in Academic Context: Exploring the Academic Uses of WhatsApp Groups among the Students. *Contemporary Educational Technology*, 11(1), 31-46. <https://doi.org/10.30935/cet.641765>
2. KUMAR, AMIT; **Baishya, D.**; and Deka, Manashjyoti, "Open Educational Resources (OER) Issues and Problems Experienced by Social Scientists of Select Higher Educational Institutions in India" (2021). *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*. 5625. <https://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libphilprac/5625>
3. Thomas, P. D., & **Baishya, D.** (2026). Self-efficacy and Impostor Phenomenon Among Employees in IT Organization. In *Empowering Business Through Technology: Innovations Shaping Our Future* (pp. 1035-1045). Cham: Springer Nature Switzerland. 10.1007/978-3-032-02056-7_85