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Professional Experience

Program Director, Natural Resources (since September, 2019): Brookings India.

Professor & Research Director (November 12, 2018 – August, 2019): National Council of Applied Economic Research (NCAER), New Delhi.

Senior Fellow, and Senior Research Counsellor (August 2014 – November 12, 2018): National Council of Applied Economic Research, New Delhi.

Senior Fellow (September 2004-July 2014): NCAER, New Delhi.

Associate Professor (August 1986-August 2004): Hindu College (economics), University of Delhi.

Assistant Professor (August 1984-August 1986): Hindu College (economics), University of Delhi.

Assistant Professor (August 1976-August 1984): Swami Shraddhanand College (economics), University of Delhi.

Senior Consultant (August 1993-July 1995): NCAER, on leave from Hindu College, University of Delhi. Continued academic and research interaction with NCAER during July 1995 to August 2004.

Visiting Faculty: IIT, Delhi; IIT, Roorkee; Institute of Economic Growth (IEG), Delhi; Indian Institute of Foreign Trade (IIFT), New Delhi; Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA), New Delhi; and All India Management Association (AIMA), New Delhi.

Visiting Scholar: Universities of Michigan, USA; and Melbourne and Monash, Australia.

GTAP Research Fellow: Nominated by the Purdue University, West Lafayette, 2004-07, https://www.gtap.agecon.purdue.edu/network/member_display.asp?userid=61

Education

- **Ph.D.** Economics, Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Delhi, 1985.
- M.A. Business Economics, University of Delhi, 1976.
- **B.Sc.** (Honours) Physics, University of Delhi, 1974.

Membership of Professional Societies

- Indian Economic Association;
- Indian Econometric Society;
- Indian Society of Agricultural Marketing.

Membership of Editorial Boards/Advisory Boards

- Managing Editor, Margin—The Journal of Applied Economic Research, NCAER, New Delhi (2012 – August 2019;
- Member, Advisory Board, Indian School of Business and Finance, New Delhi;
- Member, Global Trade Analysis Project, Purdue University, West Lafayette;
- Honorary Distinguished Research Professor, Northcap University, Gurugram.

Research Projects

Team leader for research projects sponsored by:

- Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Government of India;
- Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India;
- Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India;
- Ministry of Finance, Government of India;
- Government of the United Kingdom;
- Government of Australia;
- European Union;
- Ford Foundation;
- World Bank;
- ACIAR;
- USAID;
- ESCAP;
- FAO.

Select Publications

- 1. US-China Trade War: Impact on India and its Policy Choices, (co-author), NCAER Working Paper WP-119 (November 2019) and HLAG IIFT WTO Centre Report (September 2019).
- 2. "Rising consumer incomes are creating bigger markets for processed foods", *Qruis*, online journal, December 7, 2017.
- 3. "Living with Mega-Trade Blocs: India needs a Strategy", co-author, *Review of Development and Change*, MIDS, 20(2), July December, 2015, re-published in "India's Economy: Preliberalisation to GST", Kapila, Uma (ed.), 2017, Academic Foundation.
- 4. "India: Escaping low-income traps and averting middle-income traps", co-author, chapter 6 in Asia and the Middle-Income Trap, editors Francis E. Hutchinson and Sanchita Basu Das, pacific Trade and Development (PAFTAD) Conference Series, Routledge, 2016.
- 5. "A Simulation Analysis of India's Duty-Free Trade Preference Scheme: A focus on African LDCs", co-author, International Centre for Trade and Sustainable Development (ICTSD), Geneva, 2014.
- 6. "Fiscal Issues in India's Transport Sectors", co-author in Rakesh Mohan (Chair) National Transport Development Committee Report (NTDPC), 2014.
- 7. "Moving to goods and services Tax in India: Impact on India's Growth and International Trade", co-author, Working Paper 103, 2010, NCAER and presented at 13th Annual Conference on Global Economic Analysis, GTAP, Penang, June 2010.
- 8. "FDI in India and its Growth Linkages", Report submitted to the Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India, NCAER, 2010.

- 9. "Liberalising Border Trade: Implications for Domestic Agricultural Markets", co-author, Chapter 9 in "*Economic Development through World Trade: A Developing World Perspective*", Editor Y.S. Lee, 2008, Kluwer law International.
- 10. "Titanic FTAs: Is it Time to Establish a Pan-Asia FTA?", co-author, *Margin*, NCAER, January-March 2007.
- 11. "GSTP: The Dynamics", co-author, Margin, NCAER, January-March, 38 (2), 2006.
- 12. "Growth Interdependence among Indian States: An Exploration", co-author, *Asia-Pacific Development Journal*, 12(2), December 2005.
- 13. "FTAs and Doha Development Round: Asian Response to EEU and FTAA", co-author, *Global Economy Journal*, 5(4), 2005, Berkeley Electronic Press.
- 14. "Sectoral Initiatives: A Paradoxical Component of NAMA!", *Trading Up*, 1(3), October-December 2005, Centre for Trade and Development, OXFAM GB, New Delhi.
- 15. "Toward Indo-Japan economic cooperation" co-author, co-author, *Margin*, NCAER, 37(2), January-March, 2005.
- 16. "Liberalising Indian Agriculture", co-author, Margin, NCAER, 37(3), April-June, 2005.
- 17. "Indian Textiles: Weaving a Success Story", co-author, *Margin*, NCAER, 37(4) July-September, 2005.
- 18. "The Temporary Movement of Workers GATS Mode 4", co-author, Chapter 3 in L. Alan Winters and Pradeep S. Mehta, *Bridging the Differences: Analysis of Five Issues of the WTO Agenda*, CUTS, EUIAS and University of Sussex, 2004.
- 19. "Should a US-India FTA Be Part of India's Trade Strategy?" co-author, *India Policy Forum*, NCAER, New Delhi and Brookings Institution Press, Washington, DC, 2004.
- 20. "Andhra Pradesh: Engines of Growth", co-author, *Margin*, NCAER, July-December, 36 & 37 (4, 1), 2004.
- 21. "India-Singapore Cooperation", co-author, *Margin*, NCAER, July-December 36 & 37 (4, 1), 2004.
- 22. "External Sector", chapter in the *Mid-Year Review of the Indian Economy*: 2003-2004, NCAER, Shipra India International Centre, 2004.
- 23. "Services Issues and Liberalization in the Doha Round", Chapter 4 in *India and the WTO: A Strategy for Development*, editors Aaditya Mattoo and Robert M. Stern, Trade and Development Series, the World Bank and the OUP, 2003.
- 24. "Computational Analysis of the Impact on India of the Uruguay Round and the Doha Round of Negotiations", co-author, chapter 2 in India and the WTO: A Strategy for Development, editors Aaditya Mattoo and Robert M. Stern, Trade and Development Series, the World Bank and the OUP, 2003.
- 25. "Canada-India Trade: Retrospect and Prospect", Canada in Asia, NCAER, New Delhi and Asia Pacific Foundation of Canada, September 2003.
- 26. "Expanding the Bangkok Agreement", co-author, *Margin*, NCAER, July to September 35 (4), 2003.
- 27. "Indo-Pak Trade: More Butter, Fewer Guns", co-author, *Margin*, NCAER, April-June, 35(3), 2003.
- 28. "Export Credit Delivery System in India: How Satisfied are Exporters?" *Margin*, NCAER, January-March, 35 (2), 2003.

- 29. "External Sector", Chapter 4 in the *Mid-Year Review of the Indian Economy*: 2002-2003, NCAER, Shipra India International Centre, 2003.
- 30. "Liberalising India's Trade Regime: The Need and Experience of the 1990s", in Bajaj, J.L. (ed.), *The Indian State in Transition*, NCAER, New Delhi, 2001.
- 31. "The Decade of India's Economic Transformation: Impact Analysis of Unilateral and Global Changes in Trade Policy", *Economic Developments in India* (42), Academic Foundation, 2001.
- 32. "Trade Reforms and Trends", in India: New Economy Old Economy, 2001, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Government of Australia.
- 33. "GATS and Developing Countries: A Case Study of India", in Stern, Robert M. (ed.) Services in the International Economy, University of Michigan Press, Ann Arbor, 2001.
- 34. "Developing Countries and the Next Round of the WTO Negotiations", co-author, World Economy, 23(4), April 2000.
- 35. "Exim Policy Changes: Let's Do It Right This Time", *Economic and Political Weekly*, April 15-21, 2000.
- 36. "The Impact of Trade and Domestic Policy Reforms in India: A CGE Modelling Approach", co-author, University of Michigan Press, Ann Arbor, 1998.
- 37. "Rationalising tariff and Non-Tariff Barriers on Trade: Sectoral Impact on India's economy", *Tariff Commission*, Ministry of Industry, Government of India, 1998.
- 38. "India's Export Performance: Are There Lessons from East Asia?", paper published in Agarwal, Manmohan, Alokesh Barua, Sandwip K. Das and Manoj Pant (eds.), *Indian Economy in Transition: Environmental and Development Issues*, Har-Anand, New Delhi, 1998.
- 39. "Trends in Nominal Protection to Selected Commodities", in Economic Reforms: The Next Step, Rajiv Gandhi Foundation for Contemporary Studies, 1998.
- 40. "Analysis of India's Policy Reforms", co-author, World Economy, 21, 235-59, March 1998.
- 41. "Should India Join A Free Trading Bloc?", Foreign Trade Review, IIFT, 31(4), 1997.
- 42. "India's Exports: Direction and Composition", Foreign Trade Review, IIFT, 31(4), 1997.
- 43. "India Poised for Take-off? Reforms in Trade Industry and Agriculture: Stock taking and Future Challenges", co-author in Uma Kapila (ed.), *Recent Developments in Indian Economy: After Four Years of Economic Reforms*, Academic Foundation, Delhi, 1995.
- 44. "Industrial Recession in India: Causes, Impact and Remedies", *Economic and Research Foundation*, New Delhi, December 1993.
- 45. "Economic Liberalisation in India; Agriculture-Industry Nexus", co-author, Asian Studies Review, 17(2), November 1993.
- 46. "Sources of Growth and Inter-Industry Linkages in Indian Economy with Special Reference to the Manufacturing Sector", *Indian Economic Review*, July-December, 1991.
- 47. "A Key Sector of Indian Economy: Systems View of Steel Industry", Ph.D. thesis published, Concept Publishers, New Delhi, 1989.
- 48. "A Pilot Study on Private Educational Spending in North Delhi", co-author, Background study for "India: Poverty, Employment and Social Services", World Bank Country Study, 1989.
- 49. "A Global Model of Steel Consumption in India" (1984), *Journal of Engineering Production*, 5(3), September 1984.

Presentation of Research Work in India

- 1. Panellist, "Rethinking Models of growth and Development", 4th India Think Tank Forum, ORF-TTCSP, New Delhi, January 13, 2020.
- 2. Seminar, "RCEP: Options and Strategies", Indian School of Public Policy, New Delhi, December 12, 2019.
- 3. Seminar, "Living with Mega-Trade Blocs: India needs a Strategy", ICAR-NIAP Summer School, New Delhi, October 4, 2019.
- 4. Panellist, "RCEP: Options and Strategies", Department of Business Economics, University of Delhi, September 28, 2019.
- 5. Panellist, "The Future of Work", at Think 20 Mumbai, hosted by the Gateway House: Indian Council on Global Relations, Mumbai, March 12, 2018
- 6. Participation in a discussion vide telephone, on 'The Indian Economy' in a programme titled 'The Big Debate', on BBC Asian Network Radio, UK, January 23, 2018. This discussion was held as a precursor to Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to the World Economic Forum in Dayos.
- 7. "Growth, Investment and Trade Challenges: India and Japan" NCAER, December 13, 2017.
- 8. "Farm Revenue and Sustainability", NASC Complex, Pusa Campus, New Delhi August 31, 2017.
- 9. "Human Resource Planning and Development", NILERD, Narela, Delhi, August 28, 2017.
- 10. "Living with Mega Trading Blocs: India Needs a Strategy", RIS, Delhi June 22, 2017
- 11. Free Trade and Rising Tide of protectionism: How should South Asia respond?, Hindu College, Delhi June 9, 2017.
- 12. "Investment Climate, Trade, and Development Trade Wars: Back to Geneva?" Neemrana, Rajasthan, December 17, 2016.
- 13. "GTAP Database and Model: Some Aspects of India's Trade Strategy", RIS Summer School International Trade Theory and Practices, New Delhi, June 9, 2016.
- 14. "Booming Service Sector: From Achievements to Growth Prospects", Delhi School of Management, Delhi Technological University, February 4, 2016.
- 15. Achieving Accelerated Manufacturing Growth: The Promise and Challenges", Delhi School of Management, Delhi Technological University, November 15, 2015.
- 16. "Indirect Tax Rationalisation (GST): Impact on Growth & International Trade", the 13th Finance Commission New Delhi, September 26, 2015.
- 17. "Moving to Goods and Services Tax in India: Impact on India's International Trade", International Summer School Jamia Milia University, New Delhi, July 22, 2015.
- 18. "Living with Mega Trading Blocs: India Needs a Strategy", Chennai January 2-3, 2015.
- 19. "Fiscal Issues and Allocative Efficiency: Transport Sectors in India", Planning Commission New Delhi, September 17, 2013.
- 20. Emerging Patterns of Regional Trade Policy: Implications for India, Indian Institute of Management, Lucknow NOIDA Campus, August 20, 2013.
- 21. "Emerging Patterns of Regional Trade Policy", Symbiosis Institute of International Business Pune, February 23, 2013.

- 22. "India-Canada Economic Cooperation: Trade and Macroeconomic Issues", New Delhi, February 12, 2013.
- 23. "FTAs and the WTO Doha Development Round: Asian Response to EEU and FTAA", Institutions for Asian Integration: Toward an Asian Economic Community, Hotel Taj Mansingh, New Delhi, July 28, 2010.
- 24. "Pan-Asia Free Trade Agreement", a lecture delivered to the IES students at IEG, September 19, 2008.
- 25. "EU-India FTA", presentation at Observer Research Foundation, New Delhi, Seminar January 11, 2008.
- 26. "FDI and Indian Economy" presentation at the Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, New Delhi, February 29, 2008.
- 27. "Government Procurement" project presentation at the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, New Delhi March 3, 2008.
- 28. "Changes in World Economy since July 2007", presentation made in Quarterly Review of the Economy Seminar at NCAER, October 31, 2007.
- 29. "India's Trade Policy: Current International Perspective", presentation delivered to the TCO Swedish Delegation, Hotel Imperial, New Delhi, October 9, 2006.
- 30. "GATS and its Implications for India and other South Asian Countries", presentation made to senior civil servants at IIPA, New Delhi, December 29, 2006.
- 31. "India China Trade Relations", presentation made to a joint meeting of the Indo-China JTF with teams from both sides, Delhi, January 5, 2007.
- 32. "Titanic FTAs: Is this Time to Establish A Pan-Asia FTA?", presented at "7th Annual NBER-NCAER Neemrana Conference Rajasthan", 16 January 2006.
- 33. "Agriculture Trade Liberalisation and Domestic market Reforms in Indian Agriculture", "Competition Advocacy Seminar for State Governments", Competition Commission of India, New Delhi, May19, 2005.
- 34. "NAMA Negotiations in DDA: Gains for Developing Countries", presented at "South Asia Conference on Trade and Development: Run up To Hong Kong", CENTAD, New Delhi, October 27, 2005.
- 35. "NAMA Negotiations in DDA: Gains for Developing Countries", presented at "Hong Kong WTO Ministerial Meeting: Outlook for India", ASSOCHAM, New Delhi, November 25, 2005.
- 36. "Achievements of Economic Reforms in India: Challenges for the New Government", Seminar to MBA students and faculty, IIT, Roorkee, October 14, 2004.
- 37. "WTO- It's Role in Trade Liberalisation & Emerging Issues", Seminar to MBA students and faculty, IIT, Roorkee, October 14, 2004.
- 38. "GATS and its Implications for India and Other South Asian Countries", Seminar to Senior Civil Services Officers, IIFT, New Delhi, September 30, 2004.
- 39. "Achievements of Economic Reforms in India: Challenges for the New Government", Seminar, Hindu College, University of Delhi, Delhi, August 19, 2004.
- 40. "Markets and Failure: Cotton in India", Panel Discussion, IIPA, New Delhi, July 30, 2004.
- 41. "India's Foreign Trade Policy and Export performance", presentation to the National Defence College, New Delhi, March 29, 2004.

- 42. "Dinosauric Blocalisation versus Multilateral Liberalisation: Stakes for India!", presentation in a Conference on WTO: Its Role in Trade Liberalisation and Emerging Issues, Allana Institute of Management Sciences, Pune, February 9-10, 2004.
- 43. "Assessing the Poverty Impact of the Doha Development Agenda", Discussant on the UNCTAD Study, NCAER-UNCTAD Conference, IIC, New Delhi, January 8, 2004.
- 44. "Economic and Trade Relations: India and Korea", presentation to Business Delegation from South Korea, NCAER, September 19, 2003.
- 45. "NCAER Studies for Tariff Commission", Tariff Commission, New Delhi, September 11, 2003.
- 46. "India's Trade Policy in 1990s: General Equilibrium Analysis", Summary of Work Accomplished at the NCAER, New Delhi, NIPFP, May 30, 2003.
- 47. "India's Trade Policy in 1990s: General Equilibrium Analysis", Summary of Work Accomplished at the NCAER, New Delhi, ICRIER, May 14, 2003.
- 48. "Temporary Movement of Natural Persons: The Health Sector", EINTAD Project Mid-term Review Meeting, December 20-21, 2002.
- 49. "GATS and its Implications for India and Other South Asian Countries", presentation made to the Senior IAS officers at IIPA, New Delhi, November 14, 2002.
- 50. "Using Neoclassical CGE Models: A Case Study of India", presentation made to the IES trainees at the IEG, Delhi, October 25, 2002.
- 51. "Competitiveness of Services Sectors in South Asia: Role and Implications of GATS", presentation made during WTO Negotiations in Services: Issues and Implications for SAARC Countries, FICCI, August 20, 2002.
- 52. "Developing Economies and WTO: Options and Strategies for Trade in Services", National Conference on WTO and Sustainable Development, Department of Business Economics, University of Delhi South Campus, September 29, 2001.
- 53. "Computational Analysis of India's Post-1991 Economic Reforms and the Impact of the Uruguay Round and Forthcoming WTO-2000 Trade Negotiations" paper presented at the WTO-2000 South Asia Workshop organized by NCAER-WORLD BANK, New Delhi, December 20-21, 1999.
- 54. "GATS and the Developing Countries: A case study of India" paper presented at the World Services Congress I, November 1-3, 1999, Atlanta and at the WTO-2000 South Asia Workshop organized by NCAER-WORLD BANK, New Delhi Dec 20-21, 1999.
- 55. "Analysis of India's Reforms: A CGE Modelling Exercise", presented at the Winter meeting of South and Southeast Asia Chapter of Econometric Society, Delhi School of Economics, December 20-23, 1997.
- 56. "India's Export Performance: Are There Lessons from East Asia?", paper presented at NCAER (Discussant: Dr. Manmohan Singh), May 9, 1997.
- 57. Presentation of the India CGE Model results to Prof Arvind Panagariya and the invited audience at NCAER, July 1996.
- 58. "Impact of Trade policy Reforms on the Indian Economy", presentation made to the Minister of State for Commerce Mr. P. Chidambaram, the Commerce Secretary and other senior officers of the Ministry of Commerce at the Ministry of Commerce, New Delhi on November 13, 1995.
- 59. "Presentation of the major findings of the study on Cement Demand Forecasting to the Managing Director of Gujarat Ambuja Cements at Bombay on December 23, 1993.

Presentation of Research Work (International)

- 1. "Growth, Investment and Trade Challenges: India and Japan" in Tokyo, Japan, October 31, 2017
- 2. "South Asia opportunities and challenges of a global growth hot spot", Tokyo, Japan, June 6, 2017.
- 3. "Free trade and the rising tide of protectionism", Tokyo, Japan, June 5, 2017.
- 4. "India's New Political Economy: Challenges and Opportunities" Griffith University Brisbane, June 26, 2015.
- 5. "India: Escaping Low-income Traps and Averting Middle-income Ones", Australian National University, June 22, 2015.
- 6. "A CGE model for India with an application on the effects of eliminating agricultural subsidies", presented at the 18th Annual Conference on Global Economic Analysis, GTAP, Melbourne, Australia, June 18, 2015.
- 7. "India: Escaping Low-income Traps and Averting Middle-income Ones" PAFTAD37 Conference Institute of Southeast Asian Studies Singapore, June 3-5, 2015.
- 8. "The Recent Slowdown of Indian Economic Growth: A Policy Agenda for the New Government to Revive High Growth", House of Estates, Snellmaninkatu, Bank of Finland, Helsinki, June 9-10, 2014.
- 9. "ACIAR Project Workshop Melbourne Specification of India CGE Model", Monash University, Caulfield Campus, July 9, 2013.
- 10. "India in the Asian Century How to avoid the middle-income and other traps", 3rd Asia Macroeconomic Forum, National Development Reforms Commission (NDRC) and the Chinese Academy of Social Science (CASS), Beijing, May 24-25, 2013.
- 11. "Efficient Transport Services Growth and Environmental Implications Case Study of India", presented at the 16th Annual Conference on Global Economic Analysis, GTAP, Shanghai Institute of Foreign Trade Shanghai, China, June 12-14, 2013.
- 12. "India: Trade in Services International Linkages", Ministry of Commerce Beijing, September 19-20, 2012.
- 13. "Emerging India: International Trade Policy", Policy Research Institute Ministry of Finance Tokyo, March 2, 2012.
- 14. "Moving to goods and services Tax in India: Impact on India's Growth and International Trade", co-author, Working Paper 103, 2010, NCAER and presented at 13th Annual Conference on Global Economic Analysis, GTAP, Penang, June 2010.
- 15. *Trade Protectionism: Threat to the Crisis Revival:* Presented in the Global Institute Conference, 5th International Conference, Moscow, 23-24 October 2009.
- 16. "Key Services Sectors for Liberalization in South Asia", Regional Conference on Broadening Economic Integration in South Asia: Incorporating Services Liberalization, Taj Samudra Hotel, Colombo 30 31 March, 2009.
- 17. "Mainstreaming International Trade into National Development: Some Perspectives from South Asia" Sheraton Hotel, Dhaka, February 1-2, 2009
- 18. "Emerging India: Challenges Ahead", Department of Economics, University of Melbourne, Australia, October 30, 2008.

- 19. "India China Economic Cooperation: Trade in Goods", presentation made at the 4th Meeting of the China-India Joint Task Force, Beijing, China, June 4, 2008.
- 20. "EU-Asia Trade Initiatives: Indian Perspective", presentation made during the European Union in the Global Economy: Fit to Meet 21st Century Challenges" Wilton Park, West Sussex, U.K., February 13, 2008.
- 21. "Trilateral Trade Cooperation: Russia-India-China (RIC)", Third Annual China-Russia International Conference, Beijing (September 29-30, 2007)
- 22. "General Equilibrium Results of India-China Trade Liberalization", discussion during the 5th Meeting of the China-India Joint Task Force, Beijing, China September 27, 2007.
- 23. "Liberalising Border Trade: Implications for Domestic Agricultural Markets of India" presented at the 10th Annual Conference on Global Economic Analysis, GTAP, Purdue University, West Lafayette, USA, June 7-9, 2007.
- 24. "Indian Agriculture: Liberalising Border Trade", proceedings of the 51st Annual Conference of the Australian Agricultural and Resource Economics Society, held in Hotel Rydges Lake Resort, Queenstown, New Zealand, February 13-16, 2007.
- 25. "Competition Policy Reform in Agriculture: A Comparison of BRICs Countries", "Australian Agricultural and Resource Economics Society (AARES), co-author, 53rd Annual Conference, Cairns, North Queensland, 10-13 February 2009" and "Achieving Food security in India: Improving Competition, Markets and Efficiency of Supply Chains, NCAER Workshop, New Delhi, November 24, 2009.
- 26. Three Presentations on work progress in the ACIAR project presented at the Project Workshop held in at the Downing Conference Room, Alan Gilbert Building, Gratton Street, Parkville, Melbourne February 8, 2007.
- 27. "Competitiveness of Exports of India and China: A Comparison", presentation made to a joint meeting of the Indo-China JTF with teams from both sides, Beijing September 18, 2006.
- 28. "FTAs and Doha Development Round: Asian Response to EEU and FTAA", presented during the Conference on "Perspectives on the WTO Doha Development Agenda on Multilateral Trade Negotiations", University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan October 21, 2005.
- 29. Titanic FTAs: Is this time to establish Pan-Asian FTA? Presented at the 8th Annual Conference on Global Economic Analysis, GTAP, Lübeck, Germany, January 1, 2005.
- 30. "India's Experience with Improving Policies to Attract Foreign Investment", OECD Global Forum on International Development, New Delhi, October 20, 2004.
- 31. "India: It's Global Reach Past and Future", Sidney Myer Asia Centre, University of Melbourne, July 5, 2004.
- 32. "Achievements of Economic reforms in India: Challenges for the New Government", Department of Economics, Australian National University, Canberra, July 6, 2004.
- 33. "Indo-Pakistan Trade in the Era of Dinosauric Blocalisation versus Multilateral Liberalisation", WTO/GATS The State of Preparedness of South Asia, Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan, Lahore, August 8, 2003.
- 34. "Indo-Korea Trade in the Era of Dinosauric Blocalisation versus Multilateral Liberalisation", Korea-India Economic Forum, Seoul, July 29-30, 2003.
- 35. "Mobility of Labour", presentation at the EU-India Network on Trade and Development Conference, Washington, DC, April 21, 2003.

- 36. "Commitments and Implementation on Doha Agenda", Conference on Pre Mexico WTO Ministerial, SAARC Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Colombo February 7, 2003.
- 37. "Foreign Direct Investment: The Need and Role of Developing Countries", paper written for Scope Workshop on WTO Issues, Brussels May 21-22, 2002.
- 38. "Panel Discussion on the World Trade Order", Chair: Jagdish Bhagwati, the Second NBER-NCAER Conference, Neemrana Fort Palace, Rajasthan, India, December 18-20, 2000.
- 39. "The Impact of Changing Global Trade Policies on India", paper presented during The Second Conference of the South Asia Network of Economic Research Institutes, Kathmandu, August 28-29, 2000.
- 40. "Similarities and Differences among South Asian Countries in GATS Commitments", lecture delivered during the Launch Workshop of South Asian Regional Co-operation on International Trade (SARCIT)", CUTS-SAWTEE, Kathmandu, July 14-15, 2000.
- 41. "Computational Analysis of the Impact on India of the Uruguay Round and the Forthcoming WTO Trade Negotiations", paper presented at the 3rd International Conference on Global Economic Analysis, GTAP, Melbourne, Australia, June 27-30, 2000.
- 42. "Phasing Out the Multi-fibre Arrangement: Implications for India" presented at the 2nd Annual Conference on Global Economic Analysis, GTAP, Copenhagen, Denmark, 1999.
- 43. "Industrial Policy and the WTO" (by Bora et al) Discussant's Comments, Developing countries and the next Millennium Round, Geneva Sept 20-21, 1999.
- 44. "Analysis of India's Reforms", presented at the 1st Annual Conference on Global Economic Analysis, GTAP, Department of Economics, Purdue University, June 8-10, 1998.
- 45. "India in the Globalised World", Seminar delivered at Wayne State University, Detroit, October 22, 1997.
- 46. "Final Results of India CGE Model", NCAER-University of Michigan Collaborative Study, India International Centre, New Delhi, May 1996.
- 47. "India Poised for Take-off?" Conference on Liberalisation in South Asia (November 30 to December 2, 1994) at Australia South Asia Research Centre, Australian National University, Canberra.