



# TILAK MAHARASHTRA VIDYAPEETH

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## NEHRU INSTITUTE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES (A Post-graduate Department and Research Centre)

### Research Projects Completed

1. Major Research Project title “Environment and Development” funded by the Government of Maharashtra in the year 1998. Principal Investigators-Dr. Hira Adyantaya, Dr. B.D. Kulkarni and Dr. Kshire, Co-Principal Investigators-Dr. Kunda Damle, Dr. R.B.Kolhe, Dr. S.R. Kakde, Dr. Anupama Keskar, Dr. Sharad Khare, Dr. Shraddha Kumbhojkar, Dr. Jagan Karade and Dr. Praveen Jadhav
2. Major Research Project titled “Evaluation of the Implementation of Integrated Rural Development Programme in Pune District” funded by University Grants Commission, New Delhi, was completed in the year 1998. Principal Investigators-Dr. Hira Adyantaya, Dr. Laxminarayan and Dr. B.D. Kulkarni.
3. Major Research Project title “Socio-economic and Political Aspect of Co-operative Sugar Factories in Pune and Ahmednagar Districts” funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune was completed in the year 2001. Principal Investigator-Dr. B.D. Kulkarni
4. Major Research Project titled “Impact of Debt Redemption on Landless and Marginal Farmers in Pune District” funded by Maratha Chamber of Commerce, Pune was completed in the year 2001. Principal Investigator-Dr. B.D. Kulkarni
5. Major Research Project titled “Yelmar Community in Maharashtra” funded by Yelmar Community Organization, Pune, was completed in the year 1999. Principal Investigator-Dr. B.D. Kulkarni
7. Major Research Project titled “Scheduled Castes Lady Teachers and Social Change” funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune was completed in the year 1996. Principal Investigator-Dr. Kunda Damle

8. Major Research Project titled “Poverty and Violence in Maharashtra” funded by University Grants Commission, New Delhi was completed in the year 2006. Principal Investigator- Dr. R.B.Kolhe
9. Major Research Project titled “Voting Behaviour of the Youth in Pune City in 1989 Elections (A Study of the 18-21 age group youth” funded by University Grants Commission, New Delhi, was completed in the year 2006. Principal Investigator- Dr. S.R. Kakade
10. Major Research Project titled “Political Attitudes of Neo- Buddhists in Western Maharashtra” funded by Indian Council for Social Science Research , New Delhi, was completed in the year 2008. Principal Investigator- Dr. S.R. Kakade
11. Major Research Project titled “A Study of Differential Development in Marathwada Region” funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune, was completed in the year 2009. Principal Investigator- Dr. R.B.Kolhe
12. Major Research Project titled “Memory, Textbooks of History and Communalization of Identity” funded by UGC, New Delhi (2006-2009), was completed in the year 2009 Principal Investigator- Dr. Shraddha Kumbhojkar
13. Major Research Project titled “Minority Institutions in Maharashtra” funded by UGC, New Delhi (2009-2011), was completed in the year 2011. Principal Investigator- Dr. Jagan Karade
14. Minor Research Project titled ‘An Analysis of the Expenditure in construction and Maintenance of Roods by the Pune Municipal Corporation (1985-86 to 2008-09)’ funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune was Completed in 2010. Principal Investigator- Dr. Jyoti Patil
15. Major Research Project titled “Intersectional Exclusions and Poverty and Poverty Alleviation Legislations: A case of the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MNREGS) and the National Security Act” (Joint project with Dr. Sujata Patel) funded by Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum was completed 2014. Principal Investigator- Dr. Vishal Jadhav
16. Major Research Project titled “Construction of Masculinities through sports: A case of the Talims in Maharashtra” funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune was completed in 2016 Principal Investigator- Dr. Vishal

Jadhav

17. Major Research Project titled “Social capital, Caste Politics and Poverty Reduction- BHAU -DIDEE : An evaluation’ for the Municipal Corporation of Aurangabad” funded by Municipal Corporation of Aurangabad, Aurangabad was completed in 2012. Principal Investigator- Dr. Vishal Jadhav
18. Major Research Project titled “Social and Cultural Contribution of Varakaris” funded by Indian Council for Social Science Research, New Delhi, was completed in 2018. Principal Investigator- Dr. Swarali Kulkarni
19. **Minor Research Project titled** “Adjustment to the Changing Status and Role of Old Age - A Study of Aged Persons in Pune City” funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune, was completed in 2009. Principal Investigator- Dr. Anupama A. Keskar
20. Minor Research project titled “The Study of Economic Status of Scheduled Castes in Agriculture Sector” funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune, completed in 2010 -Principal Investigator- Dr. Praveen Jadhav
21. Minor Research project titled “Caste and Occupation among Scheduled Castes: An Analysis” funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune, completed in 2010 -Principal Investigator- Dr. Praveen Jadhav
22. Major Research Project Titled, “Social, Cultural and Economic Reality of Scheduled Castes: An Analysis Based on the Dalit Literature (Autobiographic)” Funded by University Grants Commission, New Delhi submitted in 2012- Principal Investigator- Dr. Praveen Jadhav
23. Major Research Project Titled , “Contract Labour in Agriculture Sector: Measuring the Deprivation: (With Respect to Solapur District in Maharashtra)”, Funded by University Grants Commission, New Delhi submitted in 2015- Principal Investigator- Dr. Praveen Jadhav
24. Minor Research Project titled, Labour Market Discrimination: A Study Of Security Guards In Pune City” funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune, completed in 2020 -Principal Investigator- Dr. Praveen Jadhav
25. Minor Research Project titled, **Private Security Industry in India: An Analysis**” funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune, completed in 2024 -Principal Investigator- Dr. Praveen Jadhav



26. Major Research Project titled **“Socio-economic conditions of Bidriware Artisans in Bidar District”** funded by Indian Council of Historical Research (ICHR) New Delhi, completed in 2015- Principal Investigator- Dr. Nalini Waghmare
27. Minor Research Project titled **“Vachanakars”** funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune. completed in 2017- Principal Investigator- Dr. Nalini Waghmare
28. Major Research Project titled, **“Impact of Vachana Sahitya on Indian Society”** funded by Basava Samithi, Bangalore was completed in 2020. Principal Investigator- Dr. Nalini Waghmare
29. Minor Research Project titled **“Documentation and Preservation of Folklore Culture of Bidar District”**, funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune, was completed in 2020. Principal Investigator- Dr. Nalini Waghmare
30. Minor Research Project titled **“Vachana Movement and Emancipation of Women”** funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune, was completed in 2021. Principal Investigator- Dr. Nalini Waghmare
31. Major Research Project titled **“Contribution of Lingayat Women: Historical Perspective”** funded by Maharashtra Basava Parishad, Bhalki, was completed in 2023. Principal Investigator- Dr. Nalini Waghmare
32. Major Research Project titled **“Social & Cultural Warkari Sect”** funded by Indian Council for Social Science Research, New Delhi, was completed in 2020. Principal Investigator- Dr. Swarali Kulkarni
33. Minor Research Project titled, **“A Case Study of Puntamba Farmers Strike & its Effect on Maharashtra State”** funded by Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune was completed in 2020. Principal Investigator- Dr. B.D. Kulkarni
34. Major Research Project titled **“A Comprehensive study of the Public Health and Healthcare system in Rural Maharashtra”** funded by Indian Council for Social Science Research, New Delhi, was completed in 2024. Principal Investigator- Dr. Manik Sonawane