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### **Brief Academic/Professional Biography**

Dr. Tapas Kumar Sarangi holds a PhD degree in Economics from Sambalpur University, Odisha. He joined NILERD on 1<sup>st</sup> October 2014. Before joining NILERD, he worked as ‘Think Tank Initiative Fellow’ at Institute of Economic Growth (IEG), University of Delhi. He has earlier worked as ‘Senior Researcher’ and as ‘Visiting Fellow’ at Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad. He has also worked as ‘Senior Research Officer’ (DGM Rank) with the NABARD- Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow and as Consultant at Xavier Institute of Management (XIM), Bhubaneswar. He was the recipient of the ICSSR Doctoral Fellowship to pursue his PhD during 2007-10. He was also the recipient of the ‘Visiting Fellowship’ (supported by Jamsetji Tata Trust) during 2012-13 from RULNR-CESS, Hyderabad and ‘IEG-Think Tank Initiative Post Doctoral Fellowship’ (supported by IDRC Canada) in 2014 from Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi. He has published around 30 research articles in various professional journals, edited volumes, monographs and working papers. He has presented wide range of research papers at various national and international seminars/ conferences in India and abroad. His research interest includes Natural Resource Economics, Rural Livelihood and issues relating to Tribal and Marginalized Communities.

### **Academic/Professional Affiliation**

1. Life Member Indian Society of Ecological Economics (INSEE), New Delhi.
2. Member International Society for Ecological Economics (ISEE), West Allis, USA.
3. Member International Commission on Legal Pluralism, The Netherlands.
4. Member Asia Initiatives for Legal Pluralism (AILP).
5. Reviewer for Springer Journals, Sage Journals, Routledge Journals, Taylor & Francis Groups Journals, International Journal of Biodiversity Watch, International Journal of Development & Social Research, etc.

### **Research/Assignment/Project involved in**

1. “Determinants of Access to Formal Credits by Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise (MSME) Units in India”, Sponsored by NITI Aayog, Government of India.
2. “Employment, Productivity and Output Growth of Labour Intensive Manufacturing Industries in India”

Sponsored by NITI Aayog, Government of India.

3. “Manpower Planning in Odisha”, Sponsored by Planning and Coordination Department, Government of Odisha.

## **Publications**

### **A. Research Articles**

#### **Journal Articles**

1. (2013) “Implementation of Forest Rights Act 2006 in Odisha: Process, Constraints and Outcome”, Economic and Political Weekly, September 7-14, Vol-48, No-36, pp-61-67. (with Kailas Sarap & Jogindra Naik)
2. (2013) “Institutional Reforms in Forest Governance in Odisha: Is there any Impact on Livelihood?”, International Journal of Biodiversity Watch, July-December. Issue-2, No-2, pp-103-119.
3. (2013) “Rural Indebtedness and Practices of MFIs in Andhra Pradesh, India”, International Journal of Development and Social Science Research, Vol-2, Issue-1, June, pp-15-30, XIM, Bhubaneswar.
4. (2013) “Implementation and Outcome of Forest Rights Act 2006: Evidence from Two Indian States”, International Journal of Biodiversity Watch, January-June, Issue-1, No-1, pp-79-99.
5. (2010) “An Analysis of Working of Forest Institutions in Orissa”, Journal of Social and Economic Development, Vol-12, No-2, July-December, pp-193-210, ISEC, Bangalore. (with Kailas Sarap)
6. (2009), “Malfunctioning of Forest Institutions in Orissa”, Economic and Political Weekly, September 12-18, Vol-44, No-37, pp-18-22. (with Kailas Sarap)
7. (2008), “Evolution of Forest Policies in Orissa: A Historical Analysis”, The Political Scientist, January Issue, Vol-3, No-3, pp-58-68.
8. (2007), “Participatory Forest Management- Its Impact on Livelihood of Forest Dwellers in Orissa”, Financing Agriculture, May-June, Vol-39, No-3, pp-29-32, Agricultural Finance Corporation Limited (AFCL), Mumbai.

#### **Chapters in Edited Volumes**

1. (2016) “Issues on Forest Governance in Contemporary Odisha” in an Edited Volume titled “Nature, Economy, and Society: Understanding the Linkages”, Edited by N. Ghosh, P. Mukhopadhyaya, A. Shah & M. Panda, Indian Society for Ecological Economics (INSEE), Springer Publication, New Delhi. (with Kailas Sarap).
9. (2013) “Non-Timber Forest Products and Rural Livelihoods with special reference to the Policy & Markets in Orissa”, in Somnath Hazra (Editor) “Environmental Issues and Challenges in India”, REGAL Publications, New Delhi.
10. (2012) “Land Alienation and Vulnerable Tribal Livelihood in Odisha” in K. Suman Chandra, V. Suresh Babu & P.K. Nath (Editors), Agrarian Crisis in India: The Way Out, (Seminar Proceeding),

Centre for Agrarian Studies & Disaster Mitigation, National Institute of Rural Development (NIRD), Hyderabad.

11. (2012) “Land, Forest & Tribal Rights: Cycles of Exploitation in Odisha” in Amalendu Jyotishi, Sushanta Kumar Mahapatra & Maarten Bavinck (Editors), Legal Pluralism in Natural Resources Management- South and South-East Asian Perspectives, Excel India Publishers, New Delhi.
12. (2012) “Participatory Institutions and Sustainable Governance of Forests in Orissa” in Raj Kumar Sen (Editor), Forest Management and Sustainable Development, Deep & Deep Publication, New Delhi.
13. (2011) “Non-Timber Forest Products and Rural Livelihoods with special reference to the Policies & Markets in Orissa”, in First Indian Forest Congress, Volume- II, Compendium of Papers, Forest Research Institute, Indian Council of Forest Research and Education, Dehradun, Ministry of Environment and Forest (MoEF), New Delhi.
14. (2011) “Decentralised Forest Governance and Its Functioning in Orissa”, Proceeding of the National Seminar on “Community, Institutions and Participation in Natural Resource Governance”, Published by Department of Sociology, University of Hyderabad. (with Kailas Sarap)
15. (2010) “Working of Community Forest Management and Livelihood Impact of Forest-dependent Communities in Orissa”, in Mohan K. Balla & Abadhesh K. Sing (Editors) PROCEEDINGS- National Conference on Forest-People Interaction, Published by NUFU-HIMUNET Project, Institute of Forestry (IOF), Pokhara, Nepal.
16. (2010) “Tribal Development in Rural India: Issues & Concern” in Bishnu Mohan Dash (Editor) “Rural Development in India”, New Delhi Publishers, New Delhi.
17. (2010) “Factors Contributing to Erosion of Access to Forest and Private Land in Contemporary Tribal Orissa” in Kailas Sarap (Editor) “Institutions, Livelihood and Natural Resource Management”, Bookwell, New Delhi. (with Kailas Sarap)
18. (2009), “Forest Resource and Forest Based Livelihood: A Case Study of Western Orissa”, in G.P. Guru (Editor), “West Orissa: Past & Present”, Western Odisha Development Council (WODC), Rajeeb Bhaban, Bhubaneswar, Odisha.

## **B. Working Papers**

1. (2015) “FRA 2006 in Protected Area of Odisha, India: Contextualizing the Conflict between Conservation and Livelihood”, Institute of Economic Growth, University of Delhi, (IEG-Working Paper No- 355).
2. (2013) “Legalising Rights through Implementation of Forest Rights Act 2006: A Critical Review on Odisha and Jharkhand”, CESS Working paper No- 126, RULNR Working Paper No-20, May 2013, Research Unit for Livelihoods and Natural Resources (RULNR), Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad.
3. (2010), “Forest & Livelihood- The Tribal Scenario in Orissa”, Working Paper No-1, UGC-DRS Programme, Phase-II, P.G. Department of Economics, Sambalpur University, Odisha.
4. (2010) “Decentralised Forest Governance and Its Functioning in Orissa, India”, Working Paper No-

2, UGC-DRS Programme, Phase-II, P.G. Department of Economics, Sambalpur University, Odisha.

5. (2010) “The Implementation of Institutional Reform (FRA 2006) in Orissa Forested Landscapes”, Working Paper No-3, UGC-DRS Programme, Phase-II, P.G. Department of Economics, Sambalpur University, Odisha.

### **C. Books/ Reports/Monographs**

1. (2016) “Employment, Productivity and Output Growth of Labour Intensive Manufacturing Industries in India” (Report submitted to NITI Aayog, Government of India), NILERD Report No-1/2016, National Institute of Labour Economics Research and Development (NILERD), Delhi. (with P.C. Parida & K.C. Pradhan).
2. (2014) “Working of Forest Rights Act 2006 and Its Impact on Livelihoods: A Comparative Study on Odisha and Jharkhand”, CESS Monograph- 36, RULNR Monograph- 21, December 2014, Research Unit for Livelihoods and Natural Resources, Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad.
3. (2012) “Rural Indebtedness and Practices of Microfinance Institutions (MFIs) in Andhra Pradesh”, India, LAMBERT Academic Publishing, Germany, ISBN: 978-3-659-19581-5.
4. (2011) “Rural Indebtedness and Practices of MFIs in Andhra Pradesh”, Funded by MCID, NABARD, Centre for Microfinance Research (CMR), Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow.

### **Workshops/Conferences**

#### **(A) Paper Presented in the Seminars and Conferences (*Last five years only*)**

1. “Reform in Forest Tenure: Implementation of Forest Rights Act 2006 in Odisha and Jharkhand”, National Workshop on “The Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006: A Revisit”, Sponsored by Department of Land Resources (DoLR), Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD), Government of India, Centre for Rural Studies at Lal Bahadur Shastri National Academy of Administration (LBSNAA), Mussoorie, 20-21, April 2015.
2. “Working of Forest Rights Act 2006 and Its Implication for Livelihoods: A Comparative Study of Two Indian States”, International Conference on South Asian Economic Development: The Way Forward, South Asian University, New Delhi, 9-10<sup>th</sup> April 2015.
3. “Decentralised Forest Governance, Livelihood and Forest Rights in Odisha”, Third ICSSR Northern Regional Social Science Congress, Doon University, Dehradun, 26-28 February 2015.
4. “FRA 2006 in Protected Areas of Odisha, India: Contextualising the Conflict between Conservation and Livelihood”, TTI-Post Doctoral Seminar, Institute of Economic Growth, University of Delhi, 19<sup>th</sup> December 2014.
5. “Decentralised Forest Governance in Contemporary Odisha, India”, 16th Annual BIOECON Conference on Biodiversity, Ecosystem Services and Sustainability, Kings College, University of Cambridge, U.K, 22-23 September 2014.

6. "Forest Tenure Reforms through Implementation of Forest Rights Act (FRA) 2006: Evidence from two Indian States", 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, 22-23 November 2013.
7. "Institutional Reforms in Forest Tenure: Implementations of FRA 2006 in Forested Landscape of Odisha", 6<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference of Indian Society for Ecological Economics (INSEE), Tezpur University, Assam, 5-8 December 2013.
8. "Issues on Tribal and Forest Rights in Odisha", Silver Jubilee Conference on Human Development, Organised by the Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research (IGIDR), Mumbai, 26-28 September 2013.
9. "Agriculture in Tribal Area of Odisha", One Day Workshop on Agriculture in Tribal Areas: A Study of Seven States in India, Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad, 30 August 2013.
10. "Land Alienation and Vulnerable Tribal Livelihood in Odisha", National Conference on Agrarian Crisis in India: The Way Out, Organised by Centre for Agrarian Studies & Disaster Mitigation, National Institute of Rural Development (NIRD), Hyderabad, 5-7 November 2012.
11. "Rural Indebtedness and Practices of Microfinance Institutions (MFIs) in Andhra Pradesh", National Conference on Regulatory Aspects of Financial Inclusion, Organised by Council for Social Development (CSD), Hyderabad, 23-24 August 2012.
12. "Land, Forest & Tribal Rights: Cycles of Exploitation in Odisha", International Conference on Legal Pluralism in Natural Resource Management, Jointly Organised by Amrita School of Business, Amrita University, Coimbatore & Asian Initiative on Legal Pluralism, Supported by Commission on Legal Pluralism, The Netherlands, 30-31 March 2012.
13. "Community Forest Management and its impact on livelihoods of forest Dwellers in Orissa", 4<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Environmental Research (ICER-2011) conference at Sardar Vallabhbhai National Institute of Technology (SVNIT), Surat, Jointly organised by Journal of Environmental Research and Development and Gujarat Pollution Control Board, 15-17 December 2011.
14. "Non- Timber Forest Products and Rural Livelihoods with special reference to the Policies & Markets in Orissa", First Indian Forest Congress held at the National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (NASC), New Delhi & Organised by Indian Council of Forestry Research & Education (ICFRE), Ministry of Environment & Forest, Government of India, 22-25 November 2011.
15. "Forest Governance in Orissa: Working of Participatory Institutions and Impact on Livelihood", Sixth Biennial Conference of the Indian Society for Ecological Economics (INSEE), "Nature, Economy and Society: Understanding the Linkages", Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad, 20-22 October 2011.
16. "Decentralised Forest Governance and Its Functioning in Orissa", in the UGC-SAP sponsored National Seminar on Community, Institutions and Participation in Natural Resource Governance, Organised by Department of Sociology, University of Hyderabad, 3-4 March 2011.
17. "Decentralised Forest Governance and Its Functioning in Orissa, India", Sustaining Commons:

Sustaining our Future, The 13<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference of the International Association for Study of the Commons (IASC), Foundation for Ecological Security (FES), Hyderabad, India, 10-14 January 2011.

18. “Working of Community Forest Management and Livelihood Impact of Forest-dependent Communities in Orissa”, National Conference on ‘Forest-People Interaction’, ComForm/Institute of Forestry (IOF), Pokhara, Nepal, 7-8 June 2010.
19. “Participatory Institutions and Sustainable Governance of Forest Resources in Orissa” International Seminar on ‘Forest Management and Sustainable Development: Economic & Environmental Issues’, CSEDS, Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata, 27-28 February 2010.
20. “An Analysis of Decentralised Forest Governance in Orissa” International Symposium on ‘Decentralization, Power & Tenure Rights of Forest-Dependent People, Organised by Wageningen University (the Netherlands), held at Sadguru Foundation, Dahod, Gujarat, 27-28 October 2009.
21. “An Analysis of Working of Forest Institution in Orissa” Fifth Biennial Conference of INSEE on ‘Environmental Governance’, Organised by The Indian Society for Ecological Economics (INSEE), held at Gujarat Vidhyapeeth, Ahmedabad, 21-23 January 2009.

**(B) Training Programmes and Methodology Courses Attended/Participated**

1. United Nations Environment Program (UNEP) Training Workshop on “Economics of Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services: Building Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services into National Policy”, Organised by UNEP at Kings College, University of Cambridge, United Kingdom, 20-21 September 2014.
2. “Fifth Gender, Water and Equity” Training Workshop, Jointly Organised by South Asia Consortium for Interdisciplinary Water Resources Studies (Saci-WATERs), Hyderabad, Society for Promotion of Participatory Ecosystem Management (SOPPECOM), Pune, Gender and Water Alliance (GWA), The Netherlands, Water Supply and Sanitation Collaborative Council (WSSCC), Switzerland, UN-Habitat, Kenya & Cap-Net (UNDP), South Africa held at Kathmandu, Nepal, 14-18 June, 2010.
3. Advanced Refresher Course on “Macro Economics with Special Reference to Indian Economic System”, Sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi. Organised by Sardar Patel Institute of Economic and Social Research (SPIESR), Ahmedabad, 12-25 May, 2008.
4. Training Workshop on “Computer Applications in Social Sciences (using SPSS)”, Sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi, Organised by Madhya Pradesh Institute of Social Science Research (MPISSR), Ujjain, 9-18 January 2008.
5. Course on Qualitative Methods in Labour Research at V.V. Giri National Labour Institute (VVGNI), Noida, 19-26 March 2007.
6. National Training Programme on Research Methodology for Rural Social Sciences, Sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi, Organised by Rural Development Centre, Indian Institute of Technology (IIT),

Kharagpur, 17-23 July 2006.

7. Small Industries Management Training Programme based on “Basic Managerial Skill” for small and medium enterprise. Organised by Xavier Institute of Management Bhubaneswar (XIMB), Sponsored by Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI), December 2002.

**(C) Invited Lectures (As Resource Person)**

1. Delivered Special Lecture at an ICSSR Sponsored Orientation Programme for ST and other Marginalized Groups Organised by Institute of Economic Growth, New Delhi, 4<sup>th</sup> May 2016.
2. National Workshop on “Forest Scenario vis-à-vis – The Scheduled Tribes & Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act 2006” for the Indian Forest Service (IFS) Officers, Centre for Forest and Natural Resource Management Studies (CEFARM), Telangana State Forest Academy, Dulapally, Hyderabad, October 2015.
3. P.G. Diploma Course on Human Resource Planning & Development for International Participant from LDCs, NILERD (under NITI Aayog, Government of India), Delhi, June 2015.
4. Master Course on Human Resource Planning & Development for International Participant from LDCs, NILERD (under NITI Aayog, Government of India), Delhi, June 2015.
5. Training Programme for Bankers on “Formation and Financing of Self Help Groups”, Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow, February 2011.
6. Training Programme for Bankers on “Sustainable livelihood approach through JFM”, Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow, January 2011.
7. Training Programme for Bankers on “Sustainable livelihood approach through JFM”, Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow, December 2010.

**Awards/Honours**

1. “IEG-TTI Post Doctoral Fellowship”, Institute of Economic Growth (IEG), University of Delhi, Sponsored by Think Tank Initiative (TTI) Programme of IDRC Canada, 2014.
2. “Visiting Fellowship”, (Jamsetji Tata Trust), Research Unit for Livelihoods and Natural Resources (RULNR), Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad, 2012-13.
3. “Doctoral Fellowship”, (Centrally Administered Open category), Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi, 2007-10.