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#### **Skills**

Friendly, Positive Attitude

Teamwork and collaboration

Computer skills

Leadership

Program Development

Building Organisational Capabilities

Strategic Planning

Monitoring and Control

Administration & HR

Promoting MSME, Startups Mentoring,

## CV of Dr Sukamal Deb

**Membership**: Appointed Member to **23** Committees of the Government of India, Government of Assam, Government of Arunachal Pradesh and other Organisations.

**Departmental Training**: Received training in 12 Courses from the Govt. of India, Govt. of A.P., IIT, Guwahati and other reputed institutions.

**Organisations that hired me:** Various Overseas, Central and State Governments, Universities, Banks, Financial Institutions and Developmental Institutions for Consultancy, imparting Training and sharing Expertise.

Paper Presented: 23 in National and International seminars.

Publication: Book -1(one), Edited Book - 10 (ten), Research Papers - 20 (in reputed International/National Journals).

**Media interviews and talks**: Interviewed by Govt media Prasar Bharati/ DDK, Pvt media and Podcast.

The Team accomplished a few works of National Importance I led as Head of KVIC, North East Region, KVIC, Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India (2018-22):

- 1. Partnering with Govt. of Assam, rehabilitated 26 Women Ceasefire Cadres of various factions in Assam;
- 2. Created 2.5 Lakh employments in the non-farm sector in North East Region;
- 3. Around 700 Traditional Potters assisted in enhancing skills and providing financial support;
- 4. KVIC created a world record at Kaziranga, Assam, in the implementation of the Beekeeping Scheme;
- 5. Transformed Boro Nianglo, a disturbed remote tribal village in Dima Hasao, Assam, through community work, livelihood and beekeeping development;
- 6. 100 women potters at Simen Sapori, a resettled village, Dhemaji, Assam, empowered under pottery scheme;
- 7. A Khadi unit at Kawali, Baksa Assam, vandalized by militants in 1987, was revived in 2021, providing livelihood to 65 women,
- 8. A Unique Business Model under Atmanirbhar Bharat was rolled out, providing livelihood to 70 tribal Women Agarbatti Artisans in Assam;
- 9. Under Project RE-HAB, elephant attacks on human inhabitants were brought under control in Goalpara, Assam, without harming the elephant in 2021.

Formation of MSME Clusters, CSR

Training and Skill Development

Working with Government, Institutions and Communities

Date of birth: 28.12.1964

## Language:

Bengali (Bilingual or proficient)

English (Advanced) Hindi (Upper Intermediate)

Assamese (Advanced)

## Work History (37 years of experience):

Dec 2023 - Lead

Continued Anant Centre for Documentation,
Development of Crafts, Anant National
University (India's First DesignX University),
Ahmedabad.

Sept 2023 - Mentor, Startups

Jul 2024 IIM Calcutta, Innovation Park, NE Entrepreneurship Development Program.

May 2023 - Senior Consultant

Dec 2023 Foundation for MSME Clusters, New Delhi

Dec 2022 - CEO

May 2023 Khadi & Village Industries Board, Dept. of Industries, Government of Arunachal Pradesh

Jan 2018 - Dy. CEO, Head NER

Dec 2022 Khadi & Village Industries Commission, Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India

May 2010 - **CEO** 

Dec 2017 Khadi & Village Industries Board, Dept. of Industries, Government of Arunachal Pradesh

Jun 2015 - OSD

Dec 2017 State Council for IT & E-Governance, Govt. of A.P. (additional charge)

Oct 1997 - Executive Officer

May 2010 Khadi & Village Industries Board, Dept. of Industries, Government of A. P.

Dec 1995 - Asstt. Executive Officer

Oct 1997 Khadi & Village Industries Board, Dept. of Industries, Government of A. P.

Jun 1991 - Technical Officer

Nov 1995 Khadi & Village Industries Board, Dept. of Industries, Government of A. P.

Sep 1987 - Extension Officer

Jun 1991 Department of Industries, Government of Arunachal Pradesh

Jan 1987 - Site Engineer

Aug 1987 Krebs & Cie (India) Pvt. Ltd, Kolkata

Educati	ion:		
2022	Climate Action Fellowship		
1 yr	Anant National University Ahmedabad.		
2020	Age of Sustainable Development		
6 m	Colombia University, NY.		
2016	<b>Social Sector Leadership</b> (Non-profit, Global Social Entrepreneurship, Leadership, Social Impact,		
1 yr	Fund Raising, Financial Modelling, Capacity Building), Haas School of Business, University of California.		
2015	PhD, Rural Development		
3 yrs.	IGNOU, National Open University, Government of India, New Delhi.		
2009	MA, Rural Development		
2 yrs.	IGNOU, National Open University, Government of India, New Delhi.		
2007	Bachelor of Social Work		
3 yrs.	IGNOU, National Open University, Government of India, New Delhi.		
2007	Diploma in Business Entrepreneurship,		
1 yr.	EDII, Ahmedabad.		
1986	Diploma, Electrical Engineering		
3 yrs.	State Council for Technical Education, Assam.		
1982	Pre University (Science)		
2 yrs.	Gauhati University, Government of Assam		
1979	HSLC Examination Board of Secondary Edn. Government of Assam		
	icate Courses:		
	Acumen Academy (www.acumenacademy.org)		
2024	How to Stretch & Achieve more with fewer Resources		
2023	Fundamental of Leadership		
2022	Environmental Sustainability & Social Impact		
2021	Social Impact Analysis		
2018	Storytelling for Change		
2017	Social Enterprise Business Model		
2016	Human-Centred Design		

# 2015 Lean Start-up Principles for Social Impact

### **Accomplishments:**

**Awards** (4):

<u>Year</u>	<u>Award Title</u>	Organisation who awarded
2024	<b>Social Development</b>	SUNFO (a body of UN & Sri
	Hero	Lankan Parliament), Colombo

2024 SDGs Accelerator -do-

2024 International Life -do-Fellowship

2022 Leader of the Decade WICCI, New Delhi in Community (https://wicci.in)
Leadership

2022 Distinguished Sadhana Sahitya Samaj Social Worker (NGO) Guwahati, Assam

## **Recent Accomplishments:**

Mar 2024: MSME Ecosystem, a Project of Guidepoint, NY.

**Jul 2024**: Assessing the impacts of Climate Policies on MSMEs in Delhi, Imperial College London (a University in London).

**Aug 2024**: Inducted to Editorial Board Member, International Journal of Economics, Finance, and Management Sc. NY

**Aug 2024**: Inducted to a Committee of Delhi Skill & Entrepreneurship University, Govt. of Delhi NCT

Oct 2024: Peer Reviewer for the Journal of Advances in Biology & Biotechnology, London. Certificate of Excellence issued on 15.10.2024.

**Nov 2024:** Book Reviewer for BP International, London, UK. Certificate of Excellence issued on 15.11.2024 for book review.

### **Publication Details:**

## **Book** (1):

**2017**: Poverty and Deprivations - the Story of Arunachal Pradesh, ISBN 978-3-330-35327-5, LAP, Germany.

# Edited Books (10, in each book, contributed one Chapter):

**2024:** "Narrative of How to Scale Social Impact, Extreme Poverty - Initiatives" in Development in India Problems &

Solutions, ISBN 789939365572 - I, Raghav Publication, New Delhi - 41.

**2023**: "Indigenous Knowledge of Tribes in AP - A Panorama of Traditional Crafts" in Indigenous Handloom & Handicraft Practices of NE India, ISBN 10-978-8183706544, Akansha Publishing House, New Delhi.

**2019:** 13<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference on Entrepreneurship, EDII, Ahmadabad, Pottery at Nandan Nagar, Tripura - a Case Study, *l*ibrary.ediindia.ac.in:8181/xmlui/handle/123456789/8037.

**2017:** "Relevance of V. I. in the Socio-economic Dev. of Tribal People in AP" in Human Development & Sustainability: Challenges and Strategies, ISBN 978-81-269-2307-6, Atlantic Publications & Distributors, N. Delhi - 27

**2015:** "AP Women Entrepreneurs: Trends & Issues, a Ref. to Textile Industries" in Sustainable Development and Livelihood Strategies in India with special ref. to N E States, ISBN: 978-93-83204-42-3, ALP Books, New Delhi.

**2014**: Five in 150 Stories of Women Achievers Entrepreneurship: Against All Odds, FICCI Ladies Organization, New Delhi - 01.

**2013:** "Role of VI in Socio-Eco. Dev. in AP with Ref. to West Siang: A Study" in 10<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference on Entrepreneurship Vol.-I, ISBN 978-93-80574-48-6, EDII, Ahmedabad, Bookwell, New Delhi.

**2012:** "Problems of KVI in Arunachal Pradesh" in KVI in NER Challenges & Opportunities, ISBN 13: 978-81-8069-8804, Concept Publishing, New Delhi - 02.

**2011**: "Status of Vocational Program for KVI: With Special Reference to AP" in Industry, Trade & Economic Development, ISBN 81-8324-331-2, Mittal Publications, New Delhi.

**2009**: "NER: Problem & Prospects of Entrepreneurship" in Entrepreneurship and Rural Dev. in NE States: A Roadmap ISBN 978-81-86307-31-1, DVS Publishers, Guwahati.

## Research Papers (19):

**2024**: A Day with Paatikar in Barak Valley- Anant National University Outreaches to North East, Education World, https://www.educationworld.in/a-day-with-paatikar-in-barak-valley-anant-national-university-outreaches-to-north-east/, Feb 2024 issue.

2024: Ntuma - the Cotton Village of Nagaland, North East India

https://doi.org/10.1956/jge.v19i4.708, Journal of Global Economy (JGE), Mumbai, ISSN, E: 2278-1277, P: 0975-3931, V 19, No.4.

**2023**: Unravelling the Threads of Ultra-Poverty: A Closer Look at Applique Artisans at Ghoradia, Orissa, JGE, Mumbai, ISSN, E: 2278-1277, P: 0975-3931, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1956/jge.v19i3, V 19, No.3.

**2023**: Revival of Khadi Industry in Assam: Adversities and Challenges - a Study, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1956/jge.v19i1 JGE, Mumbai, ISSN, E: 2278-1277, P: 0975-3931, V 19, No.1.

**2021:** Prospective Khadi Industry in Assam Faces Adversity - A study, International Journal of Management Issues and Research, ISSN: 2320-1177, V 10, No.1.

**2021**: On His 150th Birth Centenary, Remembering Gandhiji & Revising His Spinning Wheel, P II, Jagriti, KVIC, ISSN 0447-2500, V 65, No.2.

**2020**: COVID-19, Anthropocene & Sustainable Development, Jagriti, KVIC, Mumbai, ISSN 0447-2500. V 64, No.6

**2019**: On His 150th Birth Centenary, Remembering Gandhiji & Revising His Spinning Wheel, P-I, Jagriti, KVIC, Mumbai, ISSN 0447-2500, V 64, No.1.

**2018:** Beekeeping and Importance of KVIC's Honey Mission (P - I), Jagriti, KVIC, Mumbai, ISSN 0447-2500.V 62, No.5

**2018:** Beekeeping and Importance of KVIC's Honey Mission (P - II), Jagriti, KVIC, Mumbai, ISSN 0447-2500, V 62, No.6.

**2018**: NER and AP, India - Looking Beyond & within in Pursuit to Promote Entrepreneurship, Advances in Economics & Business, USA ISSN: 2331-5059, P, ISSN: 2331-5075, E, V 6, No. 3.

**2017:** Social Enterprise Models, Contemporary Thoughts and Global Initiatives, Jagriti, KVIC, Mumbai, ISSN 0447-2500, V 61, No.2.

**2016**: Poverty and Deprivations in Rural India with Reference to Women in A.P. Resarun, Journal, Directorate of Research, Govt. of A.P., V.40.

**2015**: Conflicting Policy Perspectives of Indian Handicrafts Industry in the Post Independent India, JGE, Mumbai, ISSN, E: 2278-1277, P: 0975-3931, V 11, No.2.

**2015:** National Youth Policy, 2014 - Skill Development & Entrepreneurship a Perspective with reference to AP, Arunachal Review, Govt. of A.P. V-VII, No.4.

**2014:** Entrepreneurship, A Perspective, 54/12 Jagriti, KVIC, Mumbai, ISSN 0447-2500, V 54, No.12.

**2013**: Traditional Industries – Its Impact on Socio-economic Development of Monpa in A.P. JGE, Mumbai, ISSN, E: 2278-1277, P: 0975-3931 V 9, No.4.

**2013**: The Monpa Tribe of Tawang and West Kameng, A.P. are Amazing Traditional artisans, Jagriti, KVIC, Mumbai, ISSN 0447-2500. V57, No.2.

**2012:** "NER: Problem & Prospects of Entrepreneurship Rural Entrepreneurship, a Perspective with Special Reference to AP: an Empirical Study, JGE, Mumbai, ISSN, E: 2278-1277, P: 0975-3931, V 8, No.2.

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