

CANDIDACY STATEMENT FOR IASP ELECTION 2019

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Having graduated in Statistics, Demography and Development Studies from the institutions of repute in India and abroad I got a chance to work with the National Commission on Population (NCP) early on in my career. Some of the initiatives of NCP to which I was part, worth mentioning, are establishment of Demography Chair at CPR and the conceptualization of JSK (NPSF). Having shifted to State of Uttar Pradesh, I worked with the USAID-ITAP (Phase-2) where-in PPP model of health care service delivery was evolved, implemented and transferred to GoUP for up-scaling. Since 2008 I am engaged with Population Research Centre in Uttar Pradesh and carrying out studies that have bearing on the Health and Family Welfare Programs in Uttar Pradesh. I have contributed to books, reports and articles. In 2012 I was invited by the international organising committee of the European Population Conference to Chair session on Infant and Maternal Health / Mortality at Stockholm University in Sweden.

With such diverse experience from having worked at highest policy making body to being part of policy implementation and latter on monitoring of the National Health Mission programs through PIP visits in Uttar Pradesh, I feel I have much to contribute to the India's demographic conglomeration and hence I put forth my candidature for the post of BOARD OF TRUSTEES under IASP 2019 elections.