

ARHAN STHAPIT'S RESUME (BRIEF CV)
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Brief Profile: Professor/Researcher/Writer/Management Consultant/Professional Editor (English)

Currently -**Professor**, Faculty of Management & Law, Nepal Open University: 16 May 2019 till date
- Involved in **editing** of 10 peer-reviewed journals: 4 Nepali, 6 international journals
- **Writer** of research papers, university textbooks (management) and topical business articles

Formerly -**Asst. Professor**, Faculty of Management, *Tribhuvan University*: 13 Jan 2012 -15 May 2019
- **Senior Associate Editor** of *The Rising Nepal*, Nepal's pioneer English daily (broadsheet) of Gorkhapatra Corporation, Nepal Government's Undertaking: 15 years
- **Part-time Faculty**, Faculty of Management, Tribhuvan University: 15 yrs (1997-2011)
- **Banker (mid-and low-level manager)** at two foreign joint-venture banks: 6-plus years
- **Local specialist** at GTZ (now GIZ) in Development Management (Specialised areas: agro-marketing, financial management and micro-banking management: 8 months)

EDUCATION

PhD (Doctor of Philosophy) in Management, **2014** *Jodhpur National University, Rajasthan, INDIA*
Thesis: *A Strategic Perspective on HRD in Nepal*. Permanent doi:
10.13140/RG.2.2.35359.46245 or <http://202.45.147.21:8080/jspui/bitstream/123456789/312/1/119.%20Dr.%20Arhan%20Sthapit.pdf> of Nepal National Library

M.B.A., 1995

Tribhuvan University, Nepal

INTERNATIONAL AWARD/ PRIZE

The Dean of International Peace Prize (DOIPP), 2019: By WWA, Global Peace Foundation-Nepal, EQ4Peace Worldwide-USA and National Association of Psychological Science, India

NATIONAL RECOGNITION

1. Listed in *Who's Who in Nepal* since 2001 through today as a recognised *Author, English Editor and University Academician* "significantly contributing to the national life"
2. *Nepal Vidyabhushan Class-A* by the President of Nepal for the merit of the award of PhD: 08/09/2016

RESEARCH PAPERS/ ARTICLES IN RECOGNISED JOURNALS/ PERIODICALS

- Thirty-two **research-papers** in peer-reviewed journals (including international); **2 research papers** in international edited volume, and **17 papers** in national journals
- Thirty-seven (37) **research journal papers** (including 25 **international** conferences)
- More than **1,725 general** articles in HRM, Management, Trade and Music in English publications

TEXT BOOKS (Single Author)

Seven (7) textbooks for university syllabi in International Business and Business Environment, Human Resource Management, and Marketing Research; all as a single author, except one book co-authored

REFERENCE/PROFESSIONAL BOOK

"Facilitation Skill Development Training Manual" (Community Forest User Group Formation and Reformulation), 2005 (*Ed*). WATCH, Kathmandu

ACADEMIC FELLOWSHIPS/ GRANTS

- Colombo Plan/Indian Technical & Economic Cooperation, India Govt to study Advanced HRD Course 2011
- University Grants Commission Nepal Fellowship for Ph.D. studies (Awarded 2008)
- IVLP Fellowship on Intellectual Property Rights/ Global trade: USEF/ Fulbright Commission, 2002
- Academic Award, PYC, Tribhuvan University for Campus-Top marks (at Bachelors Level): 1988/89

External Examiner for PHD/ MPHIL THESES/ DISSERTATIONS

- **14 PhD Theses** and **7 MPhil Theses** at universities of Bangladesh, India, Nepal and Sri Lanka

SUPERVISION OF THESIS/ DISSERTATION/ RESEARCH PROJECT

- **131 Masters' theses:** 77 at Tribhuvan University (Nepal), 23 at University of West of England, London (UK), 5 at IGNOU (India), and 17 at Shinawatra Intl University (Thailand)
- **105 Bachelor research projects:** BBA and BIM (Summer Project/Research Project) and BBS Research Project of Tribhuvan University (Nepal)

INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH EXPOSURE

- Editorial Board Member:
 1. Asia Pacific Journal of Management & Education (ISSN: 2685-8835; eISSN: 2655-2035), Association of International Business and Professional Management (AIBPM), Malang, Indonesia. <http://ejournal.aibpm.org/index.php/APJME>
 2. International Journal of Applied Business and International Management (ISSN: 2614-7432; eISSN: 2621-2832). Association of International Business & Professional Management (AIBPM), Malang, Indonesia. <http://ejournal.aibpm.org/index.php/IJABIM>
 3. Global South Studies Series (GSSS), Jindal Centre for the Global South, O.P. Jindal Global University, Sonapat, Haryana, India (since 2020 Jan),
 4. *Indian Journal of Management Science* (ISSN: 2231-279X EISSN: 2249-0280), Educational Research Multimedia, S.N. 21, Plot No 24, Mirza Ghalib Road, Nasik, Maharashtra, India-423203. Web: <http://scholarshub.net/index.php/ijcms/index>
 5. *World Without Anger (WWA) Journal* (ISSN 2091-0398), Research Division, WWA, Publisher: Cambridge Scholar Publishing, Cambridge, UK: since 2010
- Chief Guest Editor, *The Sankalpa: International Journal of Management Decisions*, Utkal University, Bhubaneswar, India; since 2018. www.thesankalpa.org
- Former Associate Editor:
 1. *International Journal of Management Studies* (ISSN: 2249-0302 EISSN: 2231-2528) <http://www.researchersworld.com/ijms/>: Jan 2014-2017;
 2. *Indian Journal of Management Science* (ISSN: 2231-279X EISSN: 2249-0280), <http://www.scholarshub.net/ijms/> Jan 2015-2018
- Foreign peer reviewer (Honorary): in 12 different international journals
- Editorial Advisor (Editorial Advisory Board Member)
 1. Quest Journal of Management and Social Sciences (ISSN 2705-4527; eISSN 2705-4535). [Advisor Since 2019 Jan]. <https://www.nepjol.info/index.php/qjmss>
 2. *PYC Nepal Journal of Management* (ISSN 2091-0258), Public Youth Campus, Tribhuvan University, Kathmandu, Nepal: [Editorial Advisor Since 2019 May]. <https://www.nepjol.info/index.php/pycnjm>
 3. *Journal of Business and Management Research*, Kathmandu School of Management (KUSOM), Kathmandu University, Nepal [Editorial Advisor Since 2016]. <https://www.nepjol.info/index.php/JBMR>

Key Note Speaker at six International Conferences: a) “*Multi-Facets of Business Management.*” Jan 9th-11th, 2014 in Nashik-Mumbai, India, b) “*Management and IT-2017, Transforming India: Initiatives, Challenges and Road Ahead,*” 28th-29th April, 2017, Jaipur, India; c) & d) Key note address at 2 sessions of “*Digital Strategies for Organisational Success*” 5th-7th Jan, 2019, Prestige Institute of Management, Gwalior, India; e) “*Management and IT-2019, Evolving Research Frontiers in Management and Computer Science*” 11th-12th April, 2019, Jaipur, India, f) “*Emergence of New Business Practices for Growth, Competitiveness & Innovation;*” 28-30 Dec 2019: Prestige Institute of Management, Gwalior, India

Key Note Speaker at 12 International webinars

Chair of 9 technical sessions in international conferences, and 4 in national conferences/ seminars