Gender Related Articles from Major Newspapers (Feb 18 – Feb 24, 2019) & Gender Related Latest Journal Articles

NEWSPAPERS

Violence against Women

The Wire - February 24, 2019

• <u>The Gap between the Feminist Understanding of Sexual</u> <u>Violence and the Law, By – Nivedita Menon</u>

Sex Ratio / Girl Discrimination

Times of India - February 24, 2019

• More aware, Delhi has 913 girls per 1,000 boys now

The Quint - February 24, 2019

India's Inheritance Law Reforms Increased Female
Foeticide, By – Tish Sanghera

Business Standard - February 24, 2019

• <u>Study blames Indian inheritance law reforms for spike in</u> <u>female foeticide, By – Tish Sanghera</u>

Times of India - February 19, 2019

<u>Minister says UP sex ratio at birth improved, experts</u>
<u>rebut claim</u>

Deccan Herald - February 18, 2019

• Sex ratio going South worrisome

Sexual Harassment

The Quint - February 24, 2019

<u>So Many Feminisms : Let's Talk Hatred, #MeToo &</u>
<u>Inclusivity</u>

The Indian Express - February 22, 2019

• In Delhi Today : Over 5,000 survivors of sexual assault

The Indian Express - February 21, 2019

• The Times they are a-Changin', By – Shyam Yadagiri

Marriage and Health

The Indian Express - February 18, 2019

• <u>Timely marriage, spacing pregnancy can slow down</u> population growth : Dr.Kalpana Apte, By – Abha Goradia

Women and Work

The Navhind Times - February 24, 2019

Invest more in new mothers at work, By – Lalitha
Panicker

Live Mint - February 19, 2019

 <u>Great Indian Family doesn't help working women</u>, <u>By –</u> <u>Rukmini S</u>

Entrepreneurship

The Indian Express - February 21, 2019

• What stops rural women from getting involved in

entrepreneurship?, By - Clement Chauvet

Gender Equality / Gender Gap

The Indian Express - February 20, 2019

<u>Report flags gap in India mobile usage : 80% men, 59%</u>
<u>women</u>

Gender Justice

The Indian Express - February 19, 2019

• Ruse of Gender Justice

Women Empowerment

The Hans India - February 24, 2019

Growing women power in Indian Armed Forces

Child Marriage

Times of India - February 23, 2019

• <u>'40% Tamil Nadu girls who marry young are in 11-15</u> group' By – Aditi R

The Hindu - February 23, 2019

• Girls marry early for want of schools : study

Child Labour

The Statesman - February 18, 2019

Nobody's Children

Informal Workers

The Indian Express - February 21, 2019

• Such a basket of pro-labour reforms is unique in recent history

Times of India - February 20, 2019

 Pension Scheme to help over 1 Lakh Workers, By – Shubhra Pant

Hindustan Times - February 19, 2019

 <u>The road to social protection, beyond jobs</u>, <u>By – Michal</u> <u>Rutkowski</u>

Economic Times - February 18, 2019

 <u>Unorganised workers can now subscribe to Rs.3,000</u> monthly pension scheme at common service centres

The Pioneer - February 18, 2019

• Making Old Age more Secure and Safe, By – Moin Qazi

<u>NREGA</u>

The Print - February 22, 2019

 India's rural employment plan has been giving fewer & fewer jobs to the most deprived, By – Ruhi Tewari

Hindustan Times - February 22, 2019

• <u>The promise of Rural Job Scheme, By – Shrayana</u> <u>Bhattacharya, Clement Imbert & Rinku Murgai</u>

Livemint - February 21, 2019

How MGNREGS is used as a political tool, By – Arjun

<u>Srinivas</u>

The Telegraph - February 18, 2019

Minimum wage test for NREGA, By – Basant Kumar
Mohanty

JOURNALS

Economic and Political Weekly - Vol.54, No.8, February 23, 2019

• Workers in their Own Right

Despite their crucial role in welfare services, scheme workers continue to struggle for recognition of their rights.

Economic and Political Weekly - Vol.54, No.8, February 23, 2019

• Employment Terms of Casual Teachers in Higher Education : A Case Study of West Bengal, Written by – Sritama Mandal & Susmita Mukhopadhyay

<u>ABSTRACT</u>

Contractual and part-time lecturers form a substantial chunk of the workforce in India's higher education sector. An in-depth study of the employment terms and conditions of various categories of casual teachers in the higher education sector of West Bengal reveals that discrimination of casual teachers is deeply entrenched within the academic environment. This affects the self-esteem and well-being of the teachers and, in turn, leads to a deterioration in the quality of education imparted. Ensuring decent and equitable working conditions for casual and part-time teachers is essential for strengthening the higher education sector, which is necessary for nurturing a well-trained workforce.

Indian Journal of Human Development - Vol.12, No.3, December, 2018

Women and ICT : A Study on Access and Perceptions in

North India, Written by – Sumanjeet Singh, Surender Singh & Anil Kumar

ABSTRACT

The potential of information and communication technology (ICT) as a tool to reduce gender inequality and strengthen the position of women in a society is increasingly recognized. However, a significant *gender digital divide* is also observed, which is reflected in women's low level of access and use of ICT as compared to men due to socio-economic, structural, psychological and institutional barriers. In this context, this article aims to explore the state of Indian women with regard to access, usage and effects of ICT tools. It analyses respondents' perceptions on ICT in relation to betterment of women's conditions and also explores the reasons for poor access and usage of ICT among Indian women. The article is based on a study of cross-sectional survey data collected from women respondents residing in rural and urban areas of six states of India, namely Haryana, Uttarakhand, Rajasthan, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh. This article argues that it is imperative to make ICT more accessible and affordable for Indian women in order for them to garner its benefits.

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 <u>Crime, Deprivation and Social Sustainability – Evidence</u> across States in India, Written by – Ramprasad Sengupta & Sovik Mukherjee

ABSTRACT

We focus in this article on the dimension of social sustainability of the development process— particularly on the determining factors of social tension which results in social disruption in violent forms of the different types of crime—murder, property-related, riots in the presence of polarization and Left-wing insurgency across major states in India. This article makes an attempt to explore the role of economic deprivation—thus, resulting in economic inequality and poverty in addition to infrastructural

and other socio-economic developmental factors in determining such crimes in this context.

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 <u>Special Category State Uttarakhand : How Inclusive is the</u> <u>Growth Process?</u>, <u>Written by – Suryanarayana, M.H &</u> <u>Rajendra P. Mamgain</u>

ABSTRACT

Uttarakhand attained the status of the 27th state of the Republic of India to secure its independent pursuit of growth and development. This article identifies the dimensions and defines some measures and parameters of inclusive growth for a state in a federation. It examines the growth profile and outcomes for Uttarakhand: It finds empirical evidence of a growth process which is inclusive with respect to the national mainstream. However, the socio-economic and regional profiles of development outcomes by rural and urban sectors do not show such a comforting scenario for the process within the state. The state has a long way to go in pursuit of an inclusive growth process within.

Down to Earth - February 21, 2019

<u>Gender balance in scientific research improving in India :</u>
<u>Study, Written by – S. Suresh Ramanan</u>

The participation of Indian women in scientific publishing is growing in fields like mathematics, economics, obstetrics, gynaecology and dentistry.

Some Recent Publications – Related to Gender

GSMA Publication 2019

<u>Connected Women - The Mobile Gender Gap Report</u>
<u>2019</u>

ILO Publications 2018

 Digital Labour Platforms and the Future of Work : <u>Towards Decent Work in the Online World, By – Janine</u> <u>Berg and Et.al.,</u>

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