

Gender Related Articles from Major Newspapers (June 10 – June 16, 2019) & Gender Related Latest Journal Articles

NEWSPAPERS

Violence against Women

Domestic Violence

The Print - June 14, 2019

- [But Where will I Live? The Right to Residence of Domestic Violence Victims in India, By – Pinki Mathur Anurag](#)

Asian Age - June 14, 2019

- [Assam records 12,000 cases of domestic violence in 2018](#)

Times of India - June 11, 2019

- [Women in Assam most unsafe at home, By – Pranjal Baruah](#)

Rape

The Indian Express - June 12, 2019

- [How to prevent crimes like the Kathua rape?](#)

Sex Ratio

The Quint - June 11, 2019

- [Yes, We adopted more girls than boys – but, What about the missing?, By – Urmi Bhattacheryya](#)

Menstruation

The Wire - June 11, 2019

- [#PeriodTalk : High Time We Challenge the Secrecy Around Menstruation, By – N.Abhilaasha and Archita S](#)

Maternal Health

The Pioneer - June 15, 2019

- [Plug loopholes in maternal care, By – Aawanti Singh](#)

Financial Express - June 12, 2019

- [Need to see maternal health from beyond the lenses of safe child delivery](#)

Maternal / Paternal Leave

Times of India - June 15, 2019

- [Is India ready for paternity leave?, By – Ipsita Bhattacharya](#)

The Statesman - June 14, 2019

- [The evolution of maternity, paternity and parental leave, By – Sonica Aron](#)

Gender Equality / Gender Rights

Business Insider - June 14, 2019

- [The Indian government is reportedly planning a 'gender equality' unit, By – Preeti Soni](#)

Youth ki Awaaz - June 13, 2019

- [Feminist Movements will exists as long as Inequality](#)

[exists, By – Sanghamitra Chakraborty](#)

Economic Times - June 13, 2019

- [Bridging the gap : Unit to monitor states' gender targets on cards, By – Yogima Sharma](#)

The Hans India - June 12, 2019

- [No Country is Gender Equal in the World, By – Pradeep Kumar Panda](#)

Live Mint - June 12, 2019

- [How reforms in public transport affect women, Rukmini S](#)

The Telegraph - June 11, 2019

- [Funds, Laws and Political Intent must come together to move the needle on gender equality](#)

India Spend - June 11, 2019

- [What Free Public Transport Means to Delhi's Women, By – Asiya Islam](#)

The Indian Express - June 10, 2019

- [Ladies Rights, By – Leher Kala](#)

[Gender Neutral](#)

The Print - June 10, 2019

- [ICJ suggests decriminalising sex work & making RTE Act gender-neutral in report on LGBTQ, By – Apoorva Mandhani](#)

Feminism (Intersectional)

Feminism in India - June 10, 2019

- [Scratching the Surface : What is Intersectional Feminism?](#)

Gender Budget

The Hindu - June 12, 2019

- [Towards a gender and poverty-sensitive budget, By – Aasha Kapur Mehta](#)

Women Empowerment

Business World - June 14, 2019

- [Barriers and Bias : Women's Growth in Leadership Roles, By – Sabina Chopra](#)

Informal Workers

The Morning Express - June 16, 2019

- ['No More Invisible'](#)

The Indian Express - June 15, 2018

- [Will big-bang labour reforms help workforce?](#)

The Asian Age - June 12, 2019

- [Government to unveil pathbreaking law on labour reforms soon](#)

The Economic Times - June 12, 2019

- [Govt planning new labour legislation by merging 44 laws](#)

under 4 categories

The Telegraph - June 10, 2019

- [Labour data reveal depth of job distress](#)

Live Mint - June 10, 2019

- [India's Workforce is Masculinizing Rapidly, By – Rukmini S](#)

Employment / Unemployment

The Hindu - June 12, 2019

- [Squandering the gender dividend, By – Sonalde Desai](#)

Financial Express - June 15, 2019

- [Where are the jobs? Explained through graphs](#)

World Economic Forum - June 13, 2019

- [Unemployment is down across the world's largest economies, By – Charlotte Edmond](#)

Business World - June 13, 2019

- [79% of Metro Residents Believe Employment will Rise with Digital India](#)

Times of India - June 11, 2019

- [India's low productivity trap : Prosperity and economic transformation require a complete change of mindset, By – Arvind Panagariya](#)

Child Labour

Business Standard - June 13, 2019

- [In India, three out of every four working children denied right to education : NGO](#)

India Today - June 13, 2019

- [World day against child labour : Violators go scot-free as only 25% cases reach conviction in India, By – Mukesh Rawat](#)

The Hindu - June 12, 2019

- [Saving Childhoods, By – Dagmar Walter](#)

[Child Abuse / Girl Child](#)

The Indian Express – June 16, 2019

- [Justice that heals - June 16, 2019](#)

Times of India - June 16, 2019

- [Child abuse cases in district show steady rise : Report](#)

Times of India - June 14, 2019

- [Rising cases of child marriage, child abuse a matter of concern, By – P.Sudhakaran](#)

The Wire - June 11, 2019

- [India, a Killer Country for the Girl Child, By – Rashme Sehgal](#)

[Education](#)

The Economic Times - June 15, 2019

- [How NEP can revolutionise India's education system, By](#)

- Rajendra Pratap Gupta

The Quint - June 13, 2019

- **How Child Labour Menace will be Fought by New Education Policy, By – Anuja Kastia**

Live Mint - June 12, 2019

- **New Education Policy misses a critical chance to address inequalities in system, By – Anjela Taneja**

Financial Express - June 10, 2019

- **New Education Policy : Ushering in a golden era in education, By – Bhamy V.Shenoy**

The Indian Express - June 10, 2019

- **Govt wish list for schools, By – Ritika Chopra**

NREGA

Business Standard - June 11, 2019

- **Will ensure timely payment of MGNREGA workers : Pilot**

JOURNALS

Economic and Political Weekly - Vol.54, No.24, June 15, 2019

- **Alarming Rise of Caesarean Section Deliveries : A case Study of Kulgam, Written by – Nadiya Muzaffar & Mohammad Akram**

ABSTRACT

The phenomenal increase in institutional births in India has been accompanied by a disturbing rise in caesarean section deliveries. The prevalence of, reasons for, and consequences of c-section deliveries in the

town of Kulgam in Jammu and Kashmir are studied. The findings not only reveal an alarmingly high prevalence of c-section deliveries in the town, but also that these deliveries are being largely performed without medical indications, adversely affecting the health of women. In order to monitor and control c-section deliveries in the country, immediate policy interventions are required.

Economic and Political Weekly - Vol.54, No.24, June 15, 2019

- [Ending Violence at Work](#)

South Asia Economic Journal - April 5, 2019

- [Male-Female wage gap and informal employment in Bangladesh : A Quantile Regression Approach, Written by – Mustafizur Rahman & Md. Al-Hasan](#)

ABSTRACT

This article undertakes an examination of Bangladesh's latest available Quarterly Labour Force Survey 2015–2016 data to draw in-depth insights on gender wage gap and wage discrimination in Bangladesh labour market. The mean wage decomposition shows that on average a woman in Bangladesh earns 12.2 per cent lower wage than a man, and about half of the wage gap can be explained by labour market discrimination against women. Quantile counterfactual decomposition shows that women are subject to higher wage penalty at the lower deciles of the wage distribution with the wage gap varying between 8.3 per cent and 19.4 per cent at different deciles

The Indian Journal of Labour Economics, 2019

- [The Paradox of Declining Female Work Participation in an Era of Economic Growth, Written by – Sonalde Desai & Omkar Joshi](#)

ABSTRACT

The past three decades have seen the advent of major transformations in the Indian

economy. The economy has achieved average growth rates of 5–9%, education has risen sharply for both men and women, fertility rates have declined, and infrastructure facilities, particularly access to electricity, cooking gas and piped water, have improved. All these factors are expected to reduce the demand for women's time spent in domestic chores and increase their opportunities for paid work. Paradoxically, however, the National Sample Surveys document a substantial decline in women's work participation rates (WPRs), particularly for rural women. Optimistic interpretation of these trends suggests that increasing prosperity accounts for women's labour force withdrawal. For young women, rising school and college enrolment is incompatible with demands of the workforce.

Indian Journal of Human Development - April 8, 2019

- [Quality of Informal Jobs in India's Banking Sector : A Primary Study through the 'Decent Work' Framework, Written by – Nitu Jaiswal](#)

ABSTRACT

“Decent Work” is International Labour Organization's (ILO) umbrella strategy to promote the “quality of work/job” for all, which is aimed at more productive, well-remunerative and better quality jobs. However, the prevalence of informal employment and growing “informalization” of jobs indicate a general deterioration in the quality of work. The present study, based on a primary survey of employees in banking sector, shows that the “decent work” framework has had limited influence on the growing non-standard forms of employment (NSFE) in India. Even in a sector like banking, which is considered more formal and regulated, jobs fell short of “decent work” criteria.

Asian Journal of Women's Studies - Vol.25, No.2, 2019

- [Agency, Empowerment and Intra-household gender relations in Bangladesh : Does market-oriented microcredit contribute?, Written by – Md. Al-Amin & Golam M. Mathbor](#)

ABSTRACT

This article seeks to probe the influence of microcredit on the development of agency and empowerment of poor women in rural Bangladesh. The study was conducted on the clients of two leading NGOs—Grameen Bank (GB) and Bangladesh Rural Advancement Committee (BRAC)—in Bangladesh. The qualitative findings of the ethnographic study confirmed that poor women's involvement in microcredit programs does not contribute to the development of their agency and empowerment in a transformative sense due to structural problems in the programs and the patriarchal social structure of Bangladesh.

Asian Journal of Women's Studies - Vol.25, No.2, 2019

- [Discourses of victimhood and agency : A case study of teenage Indian girl negotiating her identity in a gendered world, Written by – Disha Maheshwari](#)

ABSTRACT

In this paper, I report on the case of a young Indian adolescent girl, Anita (a pseudonym), and explore how she constructs and negotiates her various identities. Using discourse analysis, in particular the concept of positioning, I examine how Anita locates herself in the period of transition between childhood and adulthood, while drawing on various notions of gender and sexuality available to her in the specific social context of her school in India. The specific focus of examination is Anita's identity construction in relation to ideas of victimization and agency, which are seen to run parallel with each other.

Indian Journal of Human Development - March, 2019

- [Determinants of Choice of Care Providers During Childbirth in Rural West Bengal, India. Written by – Mampi Bose](#)

ABSTRACT

The article analyses determinants of choice of care providers during childbirth. Public health facilities provide care for free to all women during childbirth in West Bengal. In addition, a cash incentive is also attached with the service package for poor women who give birth at public health facilities. However, a section of women still prefer to give birth at home and some avail services from private facilities. The article attempts to explore the reasons underlying such difference. This analysis is based on primary data collected from four villages of Jalpaiguri district following multistage sampling method. It involved a survey of 251 households having at least one child below 2 years.

Indian Journal of Human Development - April, 2019

- [Developmental Screening of Children of Migrant Construction Workers in Mumbai, Written by – Vrishali Pispati, Asmita Naik Africawala & Shiny Varghese](#)

ABSTRACT

Development of each child is unique to themselves after birth. Socio-cultural factors, parenting behaviour and childhood nutrition are known to influence development during early childhood years. This study aimed to assess whether the development of children of migrant construction workers attending Mumbai Mobile Creches daycare centres was on track and to identify children with a risk of developmental delay. Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) psychosocial screening test was used to screen 792 children. The test measures abilities in five areas of development, namely gross motor, vision and fine motor, hearing language and concept development and social skills and personal skills.

Some Recent Publications – Related to Gender

ICJ Publications - June, 2019

- [LIVING WITH DIGNITY : Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity–Based Human Rights Violations in Housing,](#)

[Work and Public Spaces in India, June 2019](#)

World Bank Publication 2019

- **[The Little Data Book on Gender 2019](#)**

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