# Gender Related Articles from Major Newspapers (Aug 26 – Sept 8, 2019) & Gender Related Latest Journal Articles

## **NEWSPAPERS**

Violence against Women

#### Abortion

Live Mint - September 1, 2019

Why India needs a new MTP Act, By – Neetu Chadra
Sharma

The Quint - August 30, 2019

 The worrying disappearance of medical abortion drugs in India, By – Saakhi Chadha

#### Rape

The Asian Age - September 4, 2019

Is Sex on the false promise of marriage rape or cheating?
By – Sudhanshu Ranjan

Youth ki Awaaz - September 3, 2019

• Can Laws alone Prevent Rapes in India? By - Mansimital

Times of India - August 27, 2019

MP records highest number of minor rape cases in last
16 years, By – Shuchita Jha

The Quint - August 26, 2019

Need more sensitivity in rape cases: Nirbhaya cop, By –

#### **Advitya Bahl**

#### Surrogacy

India Today - September 4, 2019

Is the Surrogacy Bill regressive? By – Chinki Sinha

#### **Sex Ratio**

Times of India - September 8, 2019

Haryana : Villages that don't want girl child, By –
Vishakha Chaman

India Today - August 27, 2019

• No country for daughters, By - Amitabh Srivastava

#### Gender

Feminism in India - August 29, 2019

 New India at 75 – Where would be stand in terms of gender?

## **Gender Equality**

The Indian Express - September 5, 2019

India has over 2 lakh fewer female teachers than males,
gap wider at top ranks, By – Shyna Kalra

Times of India - September 2, 2019

Poor work hours hit cops of both sexes equally hard, By
Jay Pachchigar

Live Mint - August 29, 2019

Why women are still being treated as unequal to men, By
Biju Dominic

Live Mint - August 29, 2019

 How men and women spend their time, By – Sneha Alexander

### **Women and Law**

The Economic Times - August 27, 2019

 Muslim women's body seeks family law, By – Aanchal Bansal

## **Women Rights**

Live Mint - August 26, 2019

Nature and extent of daughters' rights to HUF property
still unclear, By – Soumya Rajan

#### **Reproductive Rights**

The Quint - September 4, 2019

Reproductive Rights of Women Matter – Just Ask
Population Experts, By – Vikas Choudhary

## <u>Transgender Rights / Bill</u>

Times of India - September 2, 2019

Why India's laws are still not LGBT+inclusive, By –
Ketaki Desai

The Pioneer - August 29, 2019

Pitch still queered, By – Akshat Agarwal

The Quint - August 27, 2019

 Beyond Section 377: Making laws inclusive for the LGBT Community, By – Akshat Agarwal, Diksha Sanyal & Namrata Mukherjee

## Women & Work

The Himalayan Times - August 26, 2019

• Female workers subjected to forced labour

#### **Unpaid Work**

The Hans India - August 26, 2019

• The unequal balance of unpaid work

## **Women Entrepreneurs**

Financial Express - September 2, 2019

How women-led SMEs are more reliable in repaying loans
than small businesses headed by men, By – Monish
Anand

**Economic Times - September 2, 2019** 

• 6 lessons from a women's entrepreneurial journey from cook to caterar

## Self Help Group

The Economic Times - August 28, 2019

• Self help groups to reach out to Jammu and Kashmir's rural women, By – Nidhi Sharma

## **Migration**

Scroll.in - August 29, 2019

 Indian states rarely give back anything to the internal migrants who help them flourish, By – Varun Aggarwal, Priyansha Singh & Rohini Mitra

**Business Standard - August 26, 2019** 

 Low interstate migration is hurting India's growth and states are to blame, By – Varun Aggarwal, Priyansha Singh & Rohini Mitra

## **Informal Workers**

The Wire - September 6, 2019

 Why are so Few Delhi Women Participating in the Workforce?, By – Shiney Chakraborty

**Economic Times - September 4, 2019** 

 View: Social security has to be a whole lot more than writing cheques for beneficiaries, By – T.K.Arun

Times of India - September 4, 2019

Where have all the working women gone?, By – Amulya
Gopalakrishnan

Feminism in India - September 3, 2019

Emotional Labour: What is it? And why do women bear
the brunt of it, By – Isha Sengupta

The Hindu Business Line - September 1, 2019

Where are the women in the workplace?, By – M.Muthiah
& Aparna Vasanth

The Economic Times - August 27, 2019

Domestic help, others may get PF benefits, By – Yogima
Sharma

#### Wage Code / Minimum Wage

Zee Business - August 26, 2019

How code on wages 2019 will benefit workers across
India

#### **Employment / Unemployment**

The Indian Express - September 8, 2019

The Problem of Skilling India, By – Christophe Jaffrelot
& Vihang Jumle

India Today - September 8, 2019

• From auto to real estate: The curious case of vanishing jobs, By – Koustav Das

Hindustan Times - September 7, 2019

• <u>Unemployment rate in Haryana three times national</u> <u>average, says Report, By – Sunil Rahar</u>

The Hans India - September 6, 2019

New job roles for best career development, By –
Gudipati Rajendra Kumar

The Indian Express - September 5, 2019

 Unemployment @three-year high : What are experts making of India's rising joblessness? By – Sunitha Natti **Business Today - September 5, 2019** 

• Unemployment rate hits three-year high of 8.4% in August : CMIE

**Business Standard - September 3, 2019** 

More than 260,000 people in danger of losing jobs over
lapsing mines, By – Jayajit Dash

Times of India - September 1, 2019

 Punjab has 2.1 lakh jobs in private sector, but most are low-paying, By – Vinod Kumar

Financial Express - August 31, 2019

 Gender gap in Indian workplaces: Unemployment rate among educated women more than double of men, reveals study

The Economic Times - August 31, 2019

• <u>Unemployment rate among Indian women more than</u> double of men : Study

Live Mint - August 31, 2019

• <u>92% Indian youth unaware of e-placement services :</u> Survey

Financial Express - August 30, 2019

Explained: How mining sector can create lakhs of jobs,
By - RK Sharma

The Tribune - August 27, 2019

• Unemployment rate in Haryana highest among big states

#### : Yadav

Millennium Post - August 27, 2019

• A leap of faith, By - Nantoo Banerjee

The Indian Express - August 27, 2019

 In a first, Telangana launches exclusive mobile app for unemployed youth

## **Education**

The Hindu Business Line - September 7, 2019

• Why girls drop out of higher education, By – Usha Rai

Financial Express - September 2, 2019

National Education Policy: The human and technology
impact, By - Shagata Mukherjee

India Today - September 2, 2019

• This is how digital education is fixing education system in India?

The Telegraph - September 1, 2019

• Hindi gets a new label: Voice of integration

Daily Pioneer - August 30, 2019

<u>'34% children below 6 yrs don't go to pre-school', By –</u>
Saurav Roy

#### **HEALTH**

Daily Pioneer - August 27, 2019

Half-baked reforms won't work, By – Soumitro
Chakraborty

## **Child Development / Well-Being**

The Hindu - August 30, 2019

• Karnataka stands fourth in child development : Report

The Indian Express - August 28, 2019

Unequal sex ratio, juvenile crime, child labour :
Maharashtra lagging on child well-being, By – Abha
Goradia

#### **NREGA**

**Economic Times - September 2, 2019** 

 Under NREGA, workers to get Rs.250 daily allowance for skill training, By – Nidhi Sharma

Times of India - August 26, 2019

NREGA: Soft activities for disabled include childcare

#### **JOURNALS**

Economic and Political Weekly - Vol.54, No.36, September 7, 2019

Matting of Hair Among Women in South-Western India,
By – Govind Dhaske

#### <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Matting of hair is a neglected health problem in India with religious undertones and paucity of research on it. To capture the experiential understanding of matting of hair among women in south-western India, an

interpretive phenomenological study was conducted. The thematic accounts of affected women uncovered the health and human rights marginalisation surrounding the matting of hair, effectively making it a neglected harmful cultural practice.

#### Economic and Political Weekly - August 26, 2019

<u>Sexual Harassment at the Workplace : What Kind of</u>
<u>Change Do Internal Committees Need?</u>, <u>By – Sharvari</u>
Kothawade

Sexual harassment at the workplace and educational institutions is mired in complex power dynamics that often silence women. In order to subvert the power dynamics that hamper the effectiveness of the internal committees, the aims and objectives of these civil redressal mechanisms need to be reassessed.

#### The Indian Journal of Labour Economics - August 31, 2019

<u>Determinants of Home Based Work in Non-Agriculture</u>
<u>Sector of India</u>, <u>Written by – Manik Kumar & Nirpendra</u>
<u>Kishore Mishra</u>

#### **ABSTRACT**

This paper investigates factors which influence any individual to participate in home-based work using two rounds of cross-sectional nationally representative unit-level data of NSS-EU. Along with descriptive statistics, multinomial logistic regression (mlogit) model is used to estimate the probability of participation in home-based work for men and women separately with micro- and macro-characteristics. Result shows that high fixed cost is an important determinant of home-based work. It is also shown that when loss of joint household production by working outside is high, workers prefer to work from home. Social and cultural norms also play an important role in choice of work, especially for women workers.

#### The Indian Journal of Labour Economics - No.2, August, 2019

• Female Participation in NREGA Programme : a

Comparative Study of Two Backward Districts in West Bengal, India Written by – Krishna Singh & Soumyendra Kishore Datta

#### **ABSTRACT**

The paper attempts to analyse female participation in National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (NREGS) across the blocks in Bankura and Birbhum districts. Tabular analysis has been used to show how the scheme influences the livelihood of the rural women. Logit regression model has been used to analyse the factors determining the participation decision of rural women in NREGS. Across the surveyed districts in West Bengal, there exist wide variations in the level of women's participation. It is found that women from Bankura District have higher levels of participation compared to those in Birbhum District.

Indian Journal of Labour Economics - Vol.62, No.2, August, 2019

Does Fertility Affect Female Labour Participation
Differently in Malaysia and Singapore?, Written by Waliu Olawale Shittu, Norehan Abdullah & Habiba
Muhammed Bello Umar

#### **ABSTRACT**

The study examines the relationship between fertility and female labour participation, as a comparative analysis between Malaysia and Singapore—being two countries with relatively robust economies in Southeast Asia. The study covers the period from 1985 to 2015 as a basis for comparison between the countries. The ADF test of unit root and ARDL Bounds test were employed in examining the stationarity properties and long-run relationship among the chosen variables, while also addressing any possible endogeneity. The study equally employs the Two-Stage Least Squares (2SLS) regression in addressing the possible simultaneity problem which may arise in the coefficient estimation, while the Granger causality test was used to observe the direction of causation among the

variables.

#### Indian Journal of Labour Economics - Vol.62, No.2, 2019

Emerging Dynamics of Labour Market Inequality in India:
Migration, Informality, Segmentation and Social
Discrimination, Written by – Ravi Srivastava

#### **ABSTRACT**

Evidence for three decades or more indicates that wage inequality has consistently increased in most labour market segments in India. This paper focuses on how informalisation, migration, segmentation, and social discrimination, which operate most significantly at the lower end of the labour market, have contributed to well-being deficits and rising labour market inequality. There is a large and growing wage gap between formal and informal workers in the organised sector after controlling for other characteristics of the workers. On average, workers who are allocated formal or informal work in the organised sector have very similar characteristics.

#### Feminist Economics - Vol.25, No.3, July, 2019

<u>Time-use Analytics : An Improved Way of Understanding</u>
<u>Gendered Agriculture-Nutrition Pathways</u>, <u>Written by – Sara Stevano and Et.al.</u>

#### **ABSTRACT**

There is a resurgence of interest in time-use research driven, inter alia, by the desire to understand if development interventions, especially when targeted to women, lead to time constraints by increasing work burdens. This has become a primary concern in agriculture-nutrition research. But are time-use data useful to explore agriculture-nutrition pathways? This study develops a conceptual framework of the micro-level linkages between agriculture, gendered time use, and nutrition and analyzes how time use has been conceptualized, operationalized, and interpreted in agriculture-nutrition literature on low- and

middle-income countries (LMICs).

Down to Earth - August 28, 2019

• Early breastfeeding practices in India: Missing link with institutional deliveries, Written by – Sachin Kumar Jain

Down to Earth - August 28, 2019

Abortion in India: Experts call for changes, By – Rohan
Gupta

Down to Earth – September 3, 2019

 Successful project made women water entrepreneurs instead of water carriers, Written by – Sushmita Sengupta

<u>Some Recent Publications – Related to Gender</u>

The India Forum – September 6, 2019

<u>Understanding India's Jobs Challenge</u>, <u>Written by –</u>
Radhicka Kapoor

**Shell Foundation Publication, 2019** 

 Gender Inclusion in Hiring in India: Learning from Shortlist; A Market Leader, Written by – Rachel Levenson & Layla O' Kane

Common Cause & CSDS Publication - August, 2019

• Status of Policing in India Report 2019 : Policy Adequacy and Working Conditions

**UNDP Publication, 2019** 

India Skills Report / 2019 : Say Hello to the Future of

## **Work**

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