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## **Curriculum Vitae**

### **About Me**

Dr. Neetu Agarwal did her initial training in Anthropology from the University of Lucknow and then further training in Prehistory and Quaternary Studies from the Universitat Rovira i Virgili, Tarragona, Spain and Deccan College, Pune. She specializes in Palaeolithic Archaeology, lithic studies and usewear analysis of lithic tools. She has been teaching papers on Archaeological Anthropology, Human Evolution, Indian Culture, Applied Anthropology and supervising laboratory courses on Anthropometry and Human Osteology. She is currently pursuing research on the transition from Middle Palaeolithic to microlithic technologies in the Nimar region of Narmada basin, India. She is a member of various academic bodies and on the editorial board of various journals.

### **Research Interests**

- Palaeolithic archaeology & Quaternary palaeo-environment
- Site formation processes
- Lithic technology
- Microscopic use-wear & residue analysis, post-depositional surface modifications
- Remote sensing and GIS applications
- Ethno-archaeology.

### **Teaching**

- Archaeological Anthropology
- Human Evolution
- Human Genetics
- Human Growth, Development & Nutrition
- Indian Culture
- Applied Anthropology
- Laboratory courses on Anthropometry and Human Osteology

### **Academic**

Ph.D. (Quaternary & Prehistory), Universitat Rovira i Virgili, Tarragona, Spain. 2014  
Master in Quaternary & Prehistory, Universitat Rovira i Virgili, Tarragona, Spain. 2008  
M.A. (Anthropology), University of Lucknow, India. 2000

### **Positions:**

- Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, Avadh Girls' Degree College 2017-present
- Post-doctoral Fellow, Department of Archaeology, Deccan College, Pune. 2015-2017

### **Research**

## **Awards & Honors**

- 2015 Post-doctoral Fellowship (Indian Council for Historical Research).  
2006 Erasmus Mundus Scholarship of European Education Commission for pursuing International Master in Quaternary & Prehistory.  
2002 University Grants Commission – Junior Research Fellowship in Anthropology.

## *Editorial Board*

Associate Editor, *Abhidha – Journal of Art, Archaeology and Cultural Heritage*  
Assistant Editor, *Manav, Journal of Ethnographic and Folk Culture Society*, Lucknow

## *Committees*

National Chair, Specialized Research Forum of Ethnoarchaeology, Core Research Domain –  
Archaeological Anthropology, United India Anthropology Forum  
Member, Executive Committee, Indian Society for Prehistoric and Quaternary Studies, Pune

## **Publications**

## **Conferences/ Seminars/ Talks**

## **Consulting Areas**