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Educational Qualifications						
Degree	Institution				Year	
<b>PhD</b>	Centre for International Politics, Organisation and Disarmament, Jawaharlal Nehru University				2020	
<b>MPhil</b>	Centre for International Politics, Organisation and Disarmament, Jawaharlal Nehru University				2016	
<b>MA</b>	Politics (With specialization in International Relations), Jawaharlal Nehru University				2013	
<b>BA</b>	Lady Shri Ram College, University of Delhi				2011	
Career Profile						
2023 – onwards: Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi						
2020 – 2023: Assistant Professor (Adhoc), Department of Political Science, Sri Aurobindo College (Day), University of Delhi						
2019 – 2020: Guest Faculty, Political Science, NCWEB, Miranda House, University of Delhi						
Administrative Assignments						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Member – English Debating Club</li><li>• Member – Sugam (Committee for Differently Abled Persons)</li><li>• Member – College Website committee</li></ul>						
Areas of Interest / Specialization						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Culture and International Relations</li><li>• Theory of International Politics</li></ul>						

Subjects Taught
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to the Indian Constitution</li> <li>• Colonialism and Nationalism in India</li> <li>• Introduction to International Relations: Concepts, Debates and Themes</li> <li>• Global Politics</li> <li>• Political Process in India</li> <li>• Indian Government and Politics</li> <li>• Introduction to Comparative Government and Politics</li> <li>• Political Processes and Institutions in Comparative Perspective</li> <li>• Citizenship in Globalising World</li> <li>• Modern Political Philosophy</li> <li>• Introduction to Political Theory</li> </ul>
Publications Profile (Books/Chapters/Research articles, etc.) (Last 10 publications)
<p>Patnaik, Soma (2017), "Bilateral Cooperation Destabilised through Multilateral Agreements in South Asia: SAFTA, Evolution and Challenges", <i>International Journal of African and Asian Studies</i>, 40</p>
Conference Organization/ Presentations (in the last three years)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Patnaik, Soma (2021), "Globalisation and Culture: Homogenisation versus Polarisation", <i>Contextualising Local Realities in Global World</i>, INTERNATIONAL WEB CONFERENCE, JLN Govt. College, Haripur, Manali (Himachal Pradesh).</li> <li>• Patnaik, Soma (2021), "Critical Thinking in International Relations", <i>Critical Thinking Workshop</i>, JLN Govt. College, Haripur, Manali (Himachal Pradesh).</li> <li>• Patnaik, Soma (2017), "Changing National Security Strategies, the National Image: Comparing India and the United States of America", <i>Two Day International Annual Conference</i>, School of International Service, American University, Washington DC.</li> <li>• Patnaik, Soma (2017), "Dealing with Cases of Multiple Exclusion", <i>Rights Based Development and Good Governance Practices in India</i>, UGC SAP DRS -I National Seminar, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi</li> <li>• Patnaik, Soma (2017), "Swinging between securitization and emancipation: The Rising Significance of Islamophobia Studies in Contemporary World Politics", <i>Contemporary Issues in Global Politics</i>, Two day Young Scholars' scholars Conference, Jawaharlal Nehru University.</li> <li>• Patnaik, Soma (2017), "The Clash between Secularism and Islamophobia: Can both co-exist in India?", <i>Indian Democracy at Crossroads: Issues and Challenges</i>, Satyawati College, University of Delhi.</li> </ul>

<b>Awards and Distinctions</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Junior Research Fellowship awarded by University Grants Commission upon clearing UGC-NET in Defense and Strategic Studies (Dec 2015)</li><li>• Junior Research Fellowship awarded by University Grants Commission upon clearing UGC-NET in Political Science (Feb 2015)</li><li>• Junior Research Fellowship awarded by University Grants Commission upon clearing UGC-NET in International and Area Studies (July 2015)</li></ul>
<b>Association With Professional Bodies</b>
International Studies Association (ISA)