

Dr. Nitish Kumar

PROFILE

A student of Social Science, good at presentation skills and adept at research, analysis and writing activities. Highly motivated to enhance the professional breadth by working in the academics institutions that help in the development of new ways of thinking in the society at large.

EDUCATION

Graduation (Political Science, Hons.) Bihar National College, Patna University. Patna.

M. A in Politics (Spl. In International Relations), Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.

M. Phil in West Asian Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.

Ph. D in Turkish Foreign Policy, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi

PUBLICATIONS & PAPER PRESENTATIONS

- **“Rise of Political Islam in Turkey: A Brief Account”**, in Hedayat Akhtar Nazmi (ed) *Contemporary West Asia: The Emerging Scenario*, (2014). Global Books Organisation, Delhi
- **“Elections and Electoral System in India: Determinants of Voting Behaviors”**, in Rajendra Dayal (ed) *Introduction to Political Process in India*, (2015). Book Age Publications, Delhi
- **“Strategic Depth Doctrine and Turkish Engagement in West Asia”**, in Mujib Alam (ed) *Perspective on Turkey’s Multi-Regional Role in the 21st Century*, (2015). KW Publishers Pvt. Ltd
- Presented a Paper Entitled **“Analyzing Challenges Before Indian Nationalism”** In a National Seminar On “Issues And Challenges To Indian Nationalism” Organized By Department Of Political Science, Central University Of Haryana.
- Presented a Paper Entitled **“Trump’s New South Asia Policy and Its Implications For India”** In a National Seminar On “India and South Asia: Changing Perspective in The 21ST Century” Organised by Department of South and Central Asian Studies (Including Historical Studies), Central University of Punjab.
- Presented a Paper Entitled **“Rise of Islamism in Turkey”** in National Seminar on “West Asia: Between Turbulent Present and Uncertain Future” Organised BY Centre for West Asian

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SKILLS:

Research methods

Data Collection

Data Analysis

Academic Writings

Fluent in English, Hindi

Basic Maghi and
Bhojpuri.

Linguistic Intelligence

Studies & MMAJ Academy of International Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia.

- Presented a Paper Entitled “**Rise of Political Islam in Turkey: A Brief Account**” in a National Seminar on “Contemporary West Asia: The Emerging Scenario” Organised by Centre for West Asian Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia.
- Presented a Paper Entitled “**Strategic Depth Doctrine**” in a National Seminar on “Turkey and the GCC” organized by Centre for West Asian Studies, JNU,
- Presented a Paper entitled “**Gandhiwadi Chintan Thatha Bhartiya Vikas**” in *Rashtriya Samaj Vigyan Parishad Dithiya Adhivashion Avam Rashtriya Sangoshti on Bhartiya Chintan : Vikas aur Niti Nirman*, organised by Rashtriya Samaj Vigyan Parishad & Atal Bihari Vajpayee Hindi Vishwavidyalaya, Bhopal, India, 2014.

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Working as **Assistant Professor** in Department of Political Science, Gargi College, University of Delhi.
- Worked as **Assistant Professor** in Department of Political Science, Kamala Nehru College, University of Delhi.
- Worked as **Assistant Professor** in Department of Political Science, Zakir Husain Delhi College, University of Delhi.
- Worked as **Assistant Professor** in Department of Political Science, Ram Lal Anand College (Eve), University of Delhi.

SPECIALIZATION & INTEREST AREA

My research interests primarily include international relations, comparative politics, politics and foreign policy of Turkey, conflict and peace in West Asia, role of great powers in the region, foreign policy of West Asian states, and India’s relations with regional countries.

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSIGNMENTS

- Served as Programme Officer at NSS Gargi.
- Served as Nodal Officer for No Smoking Zone and Substance Abuse (Drug) Campaign in Gargi College.
- Served as Member of IQAC in Gargi College.
- Served as student advisor of the Political Science Department.

SUBJECTS TAUGHT

- Indian Political Thought
- Comparative Government and Politics
- International Relations