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1. *Assistant Professor of History (Part-Time)*, from 2016-2017 academic year to onwards.

Academic Qualifications:

1. **Ph.D. in History (2014):** *History, Art and Architecture of the Temples of Karimnagar District*, Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, 506009, Telangana.
2. **M. Phil. in History (2012):** *History and Culture of Vemulawada (From 6th to 16th Century A.D.) (Telugu)*, School of History, Culture and Archaeology, Potti Sreeramulu Telugu University, Hyderabad, 500004, Telangana.
3. **M.A. History (2010):** University College, Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, 506009, Telangana.
4. **PGDCA (2013):** UICT, Warangal, The Directorate of Employment, Hyderabad.

Research Publications:

Books Published as Author:

1. Raju Balgoori, **History, Art and Architecture of the Temples: Karimnagar District, Telangana**, B.R. Publishing Corporation, Delhi, 2018, ISBN 9789387587434.

Articles Published in Books:

1. Raju Balgoori & T. Dayakar Rao, *Chain Link Tanks in Telangana*, pp.159-164, **Mission Kakatiya and Sustainable Rural Development**, Editor: Prof. T. Srinivas, Co-Editors: S. Sahiti & K. Subhash, Citadel Publishers, Hyderabad, 2017, ISBN: 978-93-84845-28-5.
2. Raju Balgoori & T. Dayakar Rao, *The Role of Women's in Kakatiya Administration: As Gleaned from the Inscriptions*, pp.153-158, **Recent Trends in Historical & Cultural Studies**, Festschrift in Honour of Prof. G. Venkata Ramaiah, Editors: Dr. M. Srinivasa Rao & Dr. L. Atchamamba, Published by Scholars of Prof. G. Venkara Ramaiah, Potti Sreeramulu Telugu University, Srisailam, 2016, ISBN 978-81-9211-675-4.

3. T. Dayakar Rao & Raju Balgoori, **Kakatiyula Kalamunati Nitiphowrudhala Sowkaryalu – Oka Parishilana.**, pp. 362-370, Editors: A. Umamaheshwara Sastry, G. Sambhashiva Reddy & D. Suryakumar, **Konda Srinivasulu Shashtyabhdi Abhinandana Sanchika**, Published by Konda Srinivasulu Shashtyabhdi Abhinandana Sangam, Addanki, 2016.
4. T. Dayakar Rao & Raju Balgoori, *The Group of Kakatiya Temples of Nagunuru – A Study*, pp.106-117, **Facets of Indian Society and Culture** (Commemorative Volume in Honour of Late Prof. Ramayanam Narasimha Rao), Editors: Prof. R. Varalakshmi & Dr .B. Lavanya, Published by Department of History, Osmania University, Hyderabad, March, 2014, ISBN 978-81-921167-5-4.
5. T. Dayakar Rao & Raju Balgoori, *Irrigation Development under the Kakatiyas (1000 to 1323 A.D)*, pp.62-67, **Irrigation Technology of Kakatiyas, (As a part of Kakatiya Festivals 2012-2013)**, Editors: Prof. M. Panduranga Rao & Prof. K.V. Jayakumar, Published by the District Administration Warangal INTACH Warangal Chapter and National Institute of Technology, Warangal, November, 2013.

Papers Published in Journals:

1. Raju Balgoori, *Temple as Nucleus of Social Life: A Study on Medieval Telangana Temples*, **Education Times, A Peer Reviewed Journal of Education & Humanities**, Vol. VIII, No. 4, (Special Issue) July-August, 2018, pp.156-163, APH Publishing Corporation, New Delhi, ISSN 2319-8265.
2. Raju Balgoori, *The Kakatiyan Temples at Godisala in Karimnagar District: A Study on History, Art and Architecture*, **Kakatiya Journal of Historical Studies**, Vol.12, No.1, May 2017, pp.127-133, Published by Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, ISSN 0976-2345.
3. Raju Balgoori, *Temples of Polasa in Jagityal District of Telangana: A Study on Art and Architecture*, **Kakatiya Journal of Historical Studies**, Vol.11, No.1, May 2016, pp.111-119, Published by Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, ISSN 0976-2345.
4. Raju Balgoori & T. Dayakar Rao, *Temples of Manthani in Karimnagar District – A Study*, **Kakatiya Journal of Historical Studies**, Vol.10, No.1, May 2015, pp.137-142, Published by Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, ISSN 0976-2345.
5. Raju Balgoori & T. Dayakar Rao, *The Kakatiyan Temples: A Study on Temple Management, Architecture and Iconography through the Inscriptions*, **Kakatiya Journal of Historical Studies**, Vol.9, No.1, May, 2014, pp.193-200, Published by Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, ISSN 0976-2345.
6. T. Dayakar Rao & Raju Balgoori, *Temple as Nucleus of Social Life: The Case Study of Karimnagar District Temples*, **Kakatiya University Journal of Social Sciences**, Vol.9, No.1, January-June, 2013, pp.88-95, Published by Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, Kakatiya University, Warangal, ISSN 2277-8144.
7. T. Dayakar Rao & Raju Balgoori, *The Vaishnava and Shaivite Temples at Dharmapuri – A Study*, **Kakatiya Journal of Historical Studies**, Vol.8, No.1, May, 2013, pp.22-28, Published by Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, ISSN 0976-2345.

8. T. Dayakar Rao & Raju Balgoori, *Megalithic Cultures of Warangal District – An Overview*, (Telugu), **Telugu Quarterly Journal**, Vol.42, No.1, January-March, 2013, pp.93-103, Published by Telugu Academy, Hyderabad.
9. Raju Balgoori, *Art and Architecture of the Temples of Vemulawada*, **Kakatiya Journal of Historical Studies**, Vol.7, No.1, May, 2012, pp.108-118, Published by Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, ISSN 0976-2345.

Papers Published in Conference & Seminar Proceedings and Souvenirs:

1. Raju Balgoori, *The Jain Temples and Basadis during the Chalukyas of Vemulawada in Telangana – A Study*, Proceedings of the **Andhra Pradesh History Congress**, (ISSN 2320-057X), 43rd Annual Session, Rajamundry, Andhra Pradesh, January, 2019, pp.102-107.
2. Raju Balgoori, *The Kakatiyan Temples of Peddapalli District, Telangana – A Study*, Proceedings of the **Telangana History Congress**, 4th Annual Session, Warangal, Telangana, January, 2019, pp.102-107.
3. Raju Balgoori & K. Jayapal, *The Chalukyan Temples at Peddapalli District in Telangana – A Study*, Proceedings of the **South Indian History Congress**, (ISSN 2229-3671), 39th Annual Session, Hyderabad, Telangana, February, 2019, pp.388-392.
4. Raju Balgoori, *A Chalukyan Trikota Temple at Raikal in Jagtial District (Telangana): A Study of History, Art and Architecture*, Proceedings of the **Andhra Pradesh History Congress**, (ISSN 2320-057X), 42nd Annual Session, Narsapur, Andhra Pradesh, January, 2018, pp.81-84.
5. Raju Balgoori & K. Jayapal, *The Kakatiyan Temples of Warangal Urban District: A Study on History, Art and Architecture*, Proceedings of the **South Indian History Congress**, (ISSN 2229-3671), 37th Annual Session, Salem, Tamilnadu, February, 2017, pp.604-610.
6. Raju Balgoori, *The Narasimha Temple at Bejjenki in Siddipet District: A Study on History, Art and Architecture*, Proceedings of the **Andhra Pradesh History Congress**, (ISSN 2320-057X), 41st Annual Session, Anathapuram, January, 2017, pp. 141-145.
7. Raju Balgoori, *The Shiva Temple at Kaleshwaram: A Study on History, Art and Architecture*, Proceedings of the **South Indian History Congress**, (ISSN 2229-3671), 35th Annual Session, Warangal, February, 2015, pp.386-388.
8. Raju Balgoori, *Jaina Culture in Karimnagar District, Telangana – A Study*, Proceedings of the **Indian History Congress**, (ISSN 2249-1937), 74th Annual Session, Cuttack, Odisha, 2013, pp.167-177.
9. T. Dayakar Rao & Raju Balgoori, *The Kakatiyan Temples of Karimnagar District, Special Souvenir on the Accretion of Kakatiya Festivals 2012-2013*, Published by Gangadhara Kishan, Chairmen, District Level Committee Kakatiya Festivals 2012-2013 and District Collector and District Magistrate, Warangal, 2013, pp.292-300.

Papers Presented in International Conferences:

1. International Conference on **The Politics of Difference: (Re) Locating Subalternity/Marginality**, at Department of History, Assam Central University, Diphu Campus, Diphu, Karbi Anglong, Assam, India, attended and presented paper on entitled *Dakhni Culture – A Symbol of Multiculturalism in Telangana*, on 22nd & 23rd September, 2017.
2. International Conference on **History: Seen and Unseen – Thinking Historically**, at Environmental Advisory for Sustainable Trust (EAST), Tirunelveli, held at YMCA

International Guest House & Programme Centre, Kanyakumari, Tamil Nadu, India, attended and presented paper on entitled *Temple as Nucleus of Social Life: A Study on Medieval Telangana Temples*, on 6th, 7th and 8th July, 2017.

Papers Presented in National Conferences, Seminars, Workshops and Symposia:

1. **Indian History Congress**, 79th Annual Session, held at Department of History, Barkatullah University, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh, attended and presented paper on entitled *Temples of Kolanpaka in Yadadri Bhongir District, Telangana - A Study*, on 26th - 28th February, 2019.
2. **South Indian History Congress**, 39th Annual Session, held at Department of History, Osmania University, Hyderabad, Telangana, attended and presented paper on entitled *The Chalukyan Temples of Peddapalli District in Telangana - A Study*, on 8th - 10th February, 2019.
3. **Telangana History Congress**, 4th Annual Session, held at Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, Telangana, attended and presented paper on entitled *The Kakatiyan Temples of Peddapalli District in Telangana - A Study*, on 27th & 28th January, 2019.
4. **Andhra Pradesh History Congress**, 43rd Annual Session, held at Department of History, Sri Kandukuri Veerasalingam Theistic College, Rajahmundry, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh, attended and presented paper on entitled *The Jain Temples and Basadis during the Chalukyas of Vemulawada in Telangana - A Study*, on 5th & 6th January, 2019.
5. National Seminar on **Agrarian and Artisan Communities in Telangana (Late Medieval and Modern Period)**, at Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, attended and Presented paper on entitled *Agricultural Conditions during the Velamas of Rachakonda and Devarakonda - A Study*, on 27th & 28th March, 2018.
6. National Seminar on **Temple Cultures in Telangana - A Historical Perspective**, at Department of History, Osmania University, Hyderabad, Telangana, attended and presented paper on entitled *The Western Chalukyan Temples of Vemulawada - A Study*, on 16th & 17th March, 2018.
7. **South Indian History Congress**, 38th Annual Session, held at Department of History, University of Calicut, Calicut, Kerala, attended and presented paper on entitled *The Early Historical Culture in Peddapalli and Jagitial Districts of Telangana - A Study*, on 28th - 30th January, 2018.
8. **Andhra Pradesh History Congress**, 42nd Annual Session, held at Department of History, Sri Y.N. College (Autonomous), Narsapur, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh, attended and presented paper on entitled *The Chalukyan Trikuta Temple at Raikal in Jagitial District of Telangana: A Study on History, Art and Architecture*, on 6th & 7th January, 2018.
9. **Indian History Congress**, 78th Annual Session, held at Department of History, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, West Bengal, attended and presented paper on entitled *The Chalukyan Temples of Vemulawada in Rajanna Siricilla District, Telangana - A Study*, on 28th - 30th December, 2017.
10. National Seminar on **Status of Scheduled Tribes in Telangana State - Problems and Perspectives**, at the Society for Public Welfare and Initiatives, Mulugu, Jayashankar Bhupalpally District, Telangana, attended and Presented paper on entitled *Problems and Perspectives of Scheduled Tribes in Mahabubabad District, Telangana - A Study*, on 30th & 31st March, 2017.

11. National Seminar on **Social Formation and Regional Identity in Medieval Telangana**, at Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, attended and Presented paper on entitled *The Velamas of Rachakonda and Devarakonda in Medieval Telangana (From 1324 to 1475 A.D.)*, on 24th & 25th March, 2017.
12. **South Indian History Congress**, 37th Annual Session, held at Department of History, Periyar University, Salem, Tamil Nadu attended and presented paper on entitled *The Kakatiyan Temples of Warangal Urban District: A Study on History, Art and Architecture*, on 10th - 12th March, 2017.
13. **Andhra Pradesh History Congress**, 41st Annual Session, held at Department of History, Government College (UG & PG), Anathapuram, Andhra Pradesh, attended and presented paper on entitled *The Narasimha Temple at Bejjanki in Siddipet District: A Study on History, Art and Architecture*, on 6th & 7th January, 2017.
14. National Seminar on **Mission Kakatiya: A New Hope for Sustainable Rural Development in Telangana State**, at Department of Sociology & Social Work, University Arts & Science College, Kakatiya University, Warangal, Telangana, attended and Presented paper on entitled *Chain Link Tanks in Telangana - A Study*, on 25th & 26th November, 2016.
15. National Seminar on **History of Krishna River**, at Department of Archeology & Museums, Govt. of A.P., Srisaila Veebhudi Lingeswara Trust and Srisaila Satra Sanghamula Sankshema Samakhya, Srisailam, Andhra Pradesh, attended and Presented paper on entitled *Narasimha Temples in Nalgonda District: on the Banks of Krishna River*, on 4th to 6th August, 2016.
16. National Seminar on **Social Justice and Marginalized in South India Experiences and Challenges** at C.S.R. Sarma College, Ongole, Prakasham District, attended and presented paper on entitled *Kakatiyula Kalamunati Nitiphowrudhala Soukaryalau - Oka Parishilana*, on 30th -31st July, 2016.
17. **Andhra Pradesh History Congress**, 40th Annual Session, held at Department of History, Government College for Women, Srikakulam, Andhra Pradesh, attended and presented paper on entitled *The Narasimha Temple at Mattapalli in Nalgonda District - A Study*, on 9th & 10th January, 2016.
18. National Seminar on **Problems and Perspectives of Modern Historiography with Reference to Indian Culture and Heritage**, (Sponsored by ICHR, New Delhi), at Department of History, CKM Arts & Science College, Warangal, Telangana, attended and Presented paper on entitled *Problems and Perspectives of Regional History and Culture: A Study Telangana Region*, on 21st & 22nd August, 2015.
19. **South Indian History Congress**, 35th Annual Session, held at Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, Telangana, attended and presented paper on entitled *The Shiva Temple at Kaleshwaram: A Study on History, Art and Architecture*, on 20th - 22nd February, 2015.
20. **Andhra Pradesh History Congress**, 39th Annual Session, held at School of History, Culture and Archeology, Potti Sreeramulu Telugu University, Srisailam Campus, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh, attended and presented paper on entitled *Historical Forts in Telangana: A Study on Khammam Fort*, on 31st January & 1st February, 2015.
21. National Seminar on **Communities, Casts and Cultures in the Deccan**, at Department of History, Osmania University, Hyderabad, Telangana, attended and Presented paper on entitled *Jaina Monasteries (Basadies) in Karimnagar District - A Study*, on 29th & 30th October, 2014.

22. **Andhra Pradesh History Congress**, 38th Annual Session, held at Department of History, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupathi, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh, attended and presented paper on entitled *Telangana Statehood Emergence of TRS - Historical Perspective*, on 4th & 5th January, 2014.
23. **Indian History Congress**, 74th Annual Session, held at Department of History, Raevashaw University, Cuttack, Odisha, attended and presented paper on entitled *Jaina Culture in Karimnagar District, Telangana - A Study*, on 28th - 30th December, 2013.
24. National Seminar on **Deccan States and Their Relations with Iran (Diplomatic, Economic and Cultural) during 16th - 18th Centuries**, at Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, attended and Presented paper on *Deccan Culture in Telangana - A Study*, on 29th & 30th November, 2013.
25. National Seminar on **Irrigation Technology of Kakatiyas**, (As a part of Kakatiya Festivals 2012-2013), at District Administration Warangal INTACH Warangal Chapter and National Institute of Technology, Warangal, Andhra Pradesh, attended and Presented paper on entitled *Irrigation Development under the Kakatiyas (1000 to 1323 A.D)*, on 9th & 10th November, 2013.
26. National Seminar on **History, Culture, Art and Architecture of Kakatiyas**, at Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, Andhra Pradesh, attended and Presented paper on entitled *Art and Architecture of the Kakatiyan Temples at Manthani Region - A Study*, on 29th & 30th October, 2013.
27. National Seminar on **Water Management in Andhra Pradesh through the Ages**, at Department of History & Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, Andhra Pradesh, attended and Presented paper on entitled *Agricultural Water Management Issus in Andhra Pradesh*, on 25th & 26th February, 2013.
28. **South Indian History Congress**, 33rd Annual Session, held at Department of History, University of Kerala, Thiruvanthapuram, Kerala, attended and presented paper on entitled *Megalithic Cultures of Warangal District - An Overview*, on 15th - 17th February, 2013.
29. **Indian History Congress**, 73rd Annual Session, held at Department of History, University of Mumbai, Maharashtra, attended and presented paper on entitled *Art and Architecture of the Temples of Vemulawada in Karimnagar District, Andhra Pradesh*, on 28th - 30th December, 2012.
30. National Seminar on **Social Movements in India - Issues and Challenges**, at Department of Political Science, Kakatiya University, Warangal, Andhra Pradesh, attended and Presented paper on entitled *Micro Movements and its Role in Reinventing Participatory Democracy in India*, on 2nd & 3rd March, 2012.

Participated in Workshops/Refresher/Orientation Courses:

1. Participated in the **ICSSR Sponsored Two-Week Capacity Building Workshop for Young Social Science Faculty**, Organized by School of Management, National Institute of Technology, Warangal, from 23-05-2019 to 03-06-2019.
2. Participated in the **ICSSR Sponsored One-Week Refresher Course in Research Methodology for Social Science Faculty and Research Scholars**, Organized by the Department of Political Science, Kakatiya University, Warangal, from 11th to 17th September, 2017.

3. Participated in the **TSCHE Sponsored Two Day National Workshop on Employment Opportunities in Tourism & Hospitality Industry - Skill Development for the Youth**, Organized by the Department of Commerce & Business Management, Chaitanya P.G. College (Autonomous), Warangal, Telangana, on 7th & 8th September, 2017.
4. Participated in the **ICHR Sponsored Three-Day Orientation Course on Research Methods in History**, Jointly organized by the ICHR Regional Centre, Bengaluru and Department of History and Tourism Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, from 11th to 13th January, 2015 at Warangal.
5. Participated in the National Level Workshop on **ICSSR Sponsored 10 Days Research Methodology in Social Sciences**, Organized by the Department of History, Assam University (Central University), Diphu Campus, Diphu, Assam, from 19th to 28th February, 2014.
6. Participated in the National Level Workshop on **ICSSR Sponsored 10 Days Research Methodology Course in Social Sciences**, Organized by the Department of Economics, Satavahana University, Karimnagar, Andhra Pradesh, from 16th to 25th November, 2013.
7. Participated in the **Workshop on Research Methodology**, Organized by the Research & Development Center, Kakatiya University, Warangal, during 2nd to 5th May, 2012.

Membership of Professional Bodies:

1. Life Member (LM-2364), **Indian History Congress**, New Delhi.
2. Life Member (LM-2017003), **South Indian History Congress**, Madurai.
3. Life Member (LM-92), **Telangana History Congress**, Hyderabad.
4. Life Member (LM-679), **Andhra Pradesh History Congress**, Guntur.
5. Life Member, **Deccan History Society**, Hyderabad.

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