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AREA OF SPECIALIZATION:

Pedagogy of English, Multilingualism, Inclusive Education, Tribal Education, Sociology of Education, Environmental Education and Climate Change

ACADEMIC PROFILE:

Ph.D. (Education)-Pursuing from Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi; **UGC NET/JRF** (Education); **M.Ed.** from RIE Ajmer, NCERT; **M.A (English Literature)** from IGNOU, Maidan Garhi, Delhi; **B.Ed.** from SCERT, Delhi; **CTET Paper-1 & 2** (CBSE); **B.A(Hons.) (Geography)** from University of Delhi; **Class X & XII** from CBSE Board, Delhi.

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS:

- रिचा, कि.(2023). उत्तर-प्रदेश में बालिकाओं के माध्यमिक विद्यालयों की अवस्थिति, सुविधाएँ और उपलब्धियों का अध्ययन. शिक्षा संवाद, 10, 77-93. ISSN 2348-5558.

- Richa, K. (2024). The study of the relationship between happiness and psychological well-being of middle level school students. *Contemporary Dialogue*, 44, 63–82. ISSN 2348-8697.
- Chandoria, V., Pooja, & Richa, K. (2024). Language Policy of India and Schooling: Theorising Multilingualism. *Library Progress International*, 44, 24236–24244. ISSN 0970-1052 / 2231-707X. retrieved from <https://bpasjournals.com/library-science/index.php/journal/article/view/3068/2878>
- Richa, K., & Lal, D. (2025). Socio-cultural practices and educational status of the Gond tribe in Bihar: Insights from government policies and initiatives. *Carmelight-Tribal Culture, Heritage & Indigenous Practices*, Special Volume 27, I (A & B). retrieved from <https://mccblr.edu.in/wp-content/uploads/2026/01/JULY-2025-SPECIAL-VOL27.pdf>
- Richa, K. (2026). Understanding teachers' educational values and beliefs: A theoretical perspective. *EPRA International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research (IJMR)*, 12(2), 448. <https://doi.org/10.36713/epra26242>

SEMINAR/CONFERENCES:

- Presented an online paper on 'Understanding the Challenges and Opportunities Faced by Tribal Women in Bihar through Socio-Cultural and Educational Contexts' at a National Conference organized by the department of Education, Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur, on 5th and 6th August, 2025.
- Presented an online paper on 'Women's Empowerment in 21st Century India: The Role of Education, issues and Challenges' at a national Conference organized by IITS College, Guna (M.P), India, on 4th Jan, 2026.
- Presented an online paper on 'Embedding Tribal Knowledge in Formal Education: Insights from NCERT Textbook Analysis' at an International Conference organized by Maulana Azad National Urdu University & University of Hyderabad, on 5th Feb, 2026.
- Presented an online paper on 'ITEP in the context of Structural Reforms: Opportunities and Challenges for Teacher Education' at a national conference organized by Department of education, Sikkim University, Gangtok, Sikkim, India, on 13th March, 2026.
- Presented an offline paper on 'Understanding the Lived Experiences of Distance Mode Students in Higher Education: A Case Study' at a national Young Scholars Conference organized by Department of Teacher Training and Non-formal Education, IASE, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi India, on 25th March, 2026.

INVITED TALK/LECTURE / RESOURCE PERSON:

- Delivered an invited lecture on "Realizing the Vision of Inclusion: Insights from NEP 2020" in the Faculty Development Programme (FDP) titled 'Ideas, Issues, People and Inclusive Education in India', organized by Sri Ram Institute of Teacher Education (SRITE), Dwarka, New Delhi, 16–23 January 2025.

RESEARCH AND FIELDWORK EXPERIENCE:

Position	Project	Organization	Duration
Field Investigator	National Evaluation of Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya (KGBV)-2022	National Council of Educational Research and Training, Ministry of Education, Government of India	November 2022

ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP AND PROFESSIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS:

- **Academic Event Leadership (2026):** Served as Organizing Secretary for the Young Scholars' Conference at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.
- **Research Capacity Building (2026):** Co-ordinated and organized an Academic Writing Workshop for research scholars at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.
- **Academic Mentorship & Scholarly Engagement (2026):** Chaired technical sessions at the Young Scholars' Conference, facilitating academic discussions and research dissemination at JMI, New Delhi.

DECLARATION

I hereby declare that the details given above are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated: 03/08/2026

Place: Santiniketan, W.B

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