BIOGRAPHICAL STATEMENT

Rabi Narayan Subudhi, Senior Professor 🖂

Professor Rabi N. Subudhi is a distinguished Senior Professor of Management with an extensive teaching career spanning over 37 years. He is widely recognized for his engaging pedagogy in Applied Statistics and Research Methodology, earning a reputation as a sought-after educator among postgraduate management students.

He holds a Master's and an M.Phil. in Statistics, followed by a Ph.D. in Management, supported by the prestigious Senior Research Fellowship (SRF) from the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR), Government of India. Prof. Subudhi further enriched his academic credentials at the Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad (IIMA), completing the Faculty Development



Program in Management (FDPM) in 2001. He also underwent advanced training in computer applications at IIT Kharagpur and TTTI Chandigarh, under government sponsorship.

Prof. Subudhi began his academic journey at Berhampur University, Odisha, where he served for two decades before joining VIT University in 2006. He returned to Odisha in 2007 to take up a senior academic leadership role at KIIT University, Bhubaneswar, as Professor of Management and Chairperson of the MBA Program (PGP Chair). Over the years, he has served on several academic and administrative bodies, including the Board of Studies (BoS), Staff and Lecturer Recruitment Committees (SLRC), and University Academic Councils.

Currently, he serves as Mentor and Advisor at the School of Management, Centurion University of Technology and Management (CUTM), continuing to guide young scholars and faculty in research and academic development.

A former President of the Operational Research Society of India (ORSI), Bhubaneswar Chapter, Prof. Subudhi played a pivotal role in revitalizing the chapter, leading it to national prominence. He served for over a decade as Chief Editor of *Parikalpana: KIIT Journal of Management*, a UGC-CARE-listed, peer-reviewed journal, and has also guest-edited special issues of international journals.

Prof. Subudhi is a prolific scholar, having authored 17 books and over 100 research papers published in reputed national and international journals and conference proceedings. He has presented his work at more than 60 academic conferences, including 20 international conferences, and has been invited to speak or serve as resource person at over 40 faculty development programs and workshops

sponsored by UGC, AICTE, ICAR, CSIR, and ICSSR. Notably, he chaired a session at the International Sociological Association (ISA) conference at the University of Leicester, UK, on "Research Methods in Social Sciences."

His scholarly books have been published by globally recognized publishers such as Springer and Emerald Publishing. He has successfully supervised 15 doctoral scholars and completed five major funded research projects (national and international) amounting to over USD 120,000 in grants.

Further details of his academic contributions are accessible via the following platforms:

YouTube Educational Channel (Applied Statistics & Research Methodology):

Channel 1 | Channel 2

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