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1. Details of the Teacher/ Academic:

Name & Date of Birth:	Vishal Warpa & 16 th October, 1975
Date of Joining in IGNOU:	26 th May, 2011
Current Designation:	Assistant Professor (Stage II)
Pay Scale as on date:	Basic 87300/-
Qualifications:	PhD, JNU and PGDDE, IGNOU

2. Honour/Award/Fellowship/Membership of Professional body/ Statutory body (internal/ external) received by the Teacher/ Academic:

Name of the recipient,	Honour /Award/ Fellowship name	Agency name /Name of statutory body/ institution/ Apex body	Period
Vishal Warpa	JRF-SRF	University Grants Commission (UGC)	October 2003 to July 2007
Vishal Warpa	Life Member	Journal of Indian Society of Remote Sensing	2010 onwards
Vishal Warpa	Life Member	Institute of Indian Geographers (IIG)	2015 onwards
Vishal Warpa	Life Member	National Association of Geographers (NAGI)	2015 onwards
Vishal Warpa	Life Member	Hill Geographer	2015 onwards
Vishal Warpa	Member	School Board, School of Sciences, IGNOU	03 rd September, 2011 to 25 th July, 2012
Vishal Warpa	Member	School Board, School of Translation Studies and Training, IGNOU	12 th January, 2018 to 11 th January, 2020
Vishal Warpa	Member	School Board, School of Sciences, IGNOU	2019-2021
Vishal Warpa	Member	Standing Committee School Board, School of Sciences, IGNOU	03 rd June, 2019 to 10 th January, 2021

3. Books/Book Chapter:

- Co-author/co-editor if any, title, place of publication, publisher, Year, page (no) s, ISBN

S. No.	Name of Author/ Editor 1, & Co-author (s) / Co-editor (s)	Title of chapter/book	Place of publication	Publisher	Year	Total Pages	ISBN No.

	(if any)						
1.	Warpa, V. & Singh, H.	Environmental Constraints and Changing Agricultural Economy in a High Altitude Region – A Case Study of Lahaul-Spiti District, Himachal Pradesh/ Management Strategies for the Indian Himalaya: Development and Conservation	Garhwal, Uttarakhand	Transmedia Publications	2009	165-192	978-81-904778-4-0
2.	Warpa, V.	‘Data Quality Issues’, a unit in the course titled ‘Global Navigation Satellite System and Geographic Information System’	New Delhi	Post Graduate Certificate in Geoinformatics, SOS, IGNOU	2013	59-71	978-81-266-6319-4
3.	Warpa, V. & Singh, H.	Irrigation and Role of Traditional Knowledge in Integrated Irrigation Development in the Cold Desert Environment of Lahul-Spiti, North-western Himalaya/Resources Environment and Development of the Indian Himalaya	Garhwal, Uttarakhand	Transmedia Publications	2014	397-406	978-81-904718-6-6
4.	Warpa, V. & Singh, H.	Cultivable Land and the Nature of Its Distribution in Cold Desert of Lahaul-Spiti District of Himachal Pradesh/ Landscape Ecology and Water Management, Vol. 2 Series: Advances in Geographical and Environmental Sciences	Japan	Springer	2014	115-128	978-4-431-54870-6

5.	Warpa, V.	Earth: A Living Planet	New Delhi	IGNOU	In Press
6.	Warpa, V.	Interior of the Earth: Structure and Composition	New Delhi	B.Sc. General in Geography Programme, IGNOU	In Press

4. Research Articles/Publications:

S. No.	Author/ Co-author (if any)	Title	Name of Journal	Volume	page no. (s)	Year	ISSN No
1.	Alam, S., Baraik, V.K. and Warpa, V.	Learning about Data to Learn with Data	National Geographical Journal of India	Vol. 58, 1	63-68	2012	0027-9374/2012/1418-1430
2.	Warpa, V.	GIScience for Planet Earth	Hill Geographer	XXXI, No. 1	89-92	2015	0970-5023
3.	Swarna Latha, P., Nageswara Rao, K. and Vishal, W	Urbanization process in Anantapur district, Andhra Pradesh - a demographic review	Transactions Institute of Indian Geographers	38(2)	257-266	2016	0970-9851

5. Policy Documents Reports/ Mimeos: Nil

S. No.	Title	Institution/ Agency	Year

6. Book Review published : Nil

S. No.	Author/ Co-author (if any)	Title	Name of Journal	Volume	Page no. (s)	Year	ISSN No

7. Presentation/Invited talk/Chair in National or International Seminar/Conference/ Workshops (Please do not mention if it is only participation without presentation)

S. No.	Author / Co author	Title of presentation, /Talk/Lecture	Name Organizing institute	Conference	City	Date and Year

	(if any)					
1.	Author	Population Characteristics and Distribution of Land Holdings in Cold Desert of Lahaul-Spiti District of Himachal Pradesh	Maharishi Dayanand University	IGU International Conference titled 'Geoinformatics for Biodiversity and Climate Change'	Rohtak, Haryana	14 th to 16 th March, 2013
2.	Author	Environmental Constraints and/or Advantages: Sustainable Horticultural Practices in a Cold Desert Environment of Lahaul-Spiti Region, North-Western Himalayas, India	Institute of Mountain Environment, Bhaderwah Campus, University of Jammu, Bhaderwah, Jammu & Kashmir	International Conference on Change in Cryosphere and Impact on Ecosystem Services and Rural Livelihood: Understanding Local Adaptation in The Himalayan Region	Bhaderwah, Jammu and Kashmir	13 th to 14 th October, 2014
3.	Co-Chaired	Climate Change, Adaptations Strategy and Environment Issues	Institute of Mountain Environment, Bhaderwah Campus, University of Jammu, Bhaderwah, Jammu & Kashmir	International Conference on Change in Cryosphere and Impact on Ecosystem Services and Rural Livelihood: Understanding Local Adaptation in The Himalayan Region	Bhaderwah, Jammu and Kashmir	13 th to 14 th October, 2014
4.	Author	Disparities in Literacy Levels between Non-Slum and Slum Population of National Capital Territory, Delhi (2011)	Department of Geography, University of Jaipur, Rajasthan	36 th Indian Geography Congress	Jaipur, Rajasthan	17 th to 19 th November, 2014
5.	Author, Deliver	IGNOU Outreach Programme and	Indian Institute of	Third User Interaction	Dehradun,	26 th to 27 th

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	ed Invited Lecture	Capacity Building with special focus on Geospatial Technologies	Remote Sensing (IIRS), Dehradun	Meet (IUIM- 2015)	Uttarakh and	February, 2015
6.	Author	Prospects of Teaching Geography through Distance Education in India	Department of Geography, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi	UGC-SAP- DRS III National Seminar	Delhi	20 th to 21 st March, 2015
7.	Author	Practices pertaining to the use of Educational Technologies in Higher and Distance Education: A Study in the perspective of IGNOU Programmes	Staff Training and Research Institute of Distance Education, Indira Gandhi National Open University, Maidan Garhi, New Delhi	National Seminar titled 'Open and Distance Learning in India: Present Status & Future Prospects'	Delhi	29 th to 30 th Septembe r, 2015
8.	Author	Geography and Geoinformatics	Department of Geography, University of Jammu, Jammu and Kashmir	37 th Indian Geography Congress, Jammu, 2015	Jammu	2 nd to 4 th December , 2015
9.	Co- Chaired a Session	Resources	Department of Geography, University of Jammu, Jammu and Kashmir	37 th Indian Geography Congress, Jammu, 2015	Jammu	2 nd to 4 th December , 2015
10.	Chaired a Session	Livelihood: Spatialities, Patterns and Challenges	Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi	National Conference titled 'Water, Sustainability, Livelihood and Climate Change	New Delhi	14 th to 16 th March, 2019

8. Study Tour Organised/ Participated/ Attachment Organized/Internship: Nil

S. No.	Details of the tour	Name of coordinating body	Duration

9. Consultancy assignment (if any): Nil

S. No.	Organization/ agency	Cost, title of	Duration

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		consultancy	

10. Details of Institution/ Government/ Industry / own Institution Sponsored Research Projects (including Programme Evaluation) and Amount (Both completed and ongoing): Nil

S. No.	Agency	Amount	Duration with dates	Status i.e. ongoing/ completed

11. Details of PhD and MPhil Scholars (including those awarded degree):

S. No.	Name and enrolment no:	Year of registration	Year of completion/ award
1.	Indraj (173101854)	January 2017	PhD – Pursuing
2.	Karma Rinchen T Wangmo (179342366)	July 2017	PhD – Pursuing
3.	Amit Kumar Chaurasia (179342491)	July 2017	MPhil – Pursuing
4.	Umesh (188500141)	July 2018	MPhil – Pursuing
5.	Saumya Singh (188500127)	July 2018	PhD – Pursuing
6.	Ashwani Parmar (188500134)	July 2018	PhD – Pursuing

12. Details of Programmes/ Courses coordinated/ written/ edited/ translated:

S. No.	Programme	Course	Unit (print)/ Audio/ Video/ eSLM	Coordinated/Written/ Edited (content/ language/ format)/ Translated	Period
1.	B.Sc. General in Geography	I. General Cartography II. General Cartography Laboratory III. Remote Sensing and GPS IV. Geography of India V. Economic Geography	-	Coordinator	2015 till present
2.	B.Sc.	I. Cartographic		Coordinator	2015

	Honours in Geography	Techniques (Practical) II. Thematic Cartography (Practical) III. Remote Sensing and GPS (Practical) IV. Geography of India V. Agricultural Geography VI. Economic Geography VII. Research Methods VIII. Resources Geography	-		till present
3.	M.Sc. in Geography	I. Regional Geography of India II. Cartography III. Economic Geography IV. Field Survey Methods: Physical and Socio-Economic Natural Resources Management V. Natural Resources Management	-	Programme and Course Coordinator	2017 till present
4.	M.Phil. in Geography	I. Research Techniques II. Research in Human Geography	-	Coordinator	2017 till present
5.	Ph.D in Geography	III. Research Techniques IV. Research in Human Geography	-	Coordinator	2013 till present
6.	Note: Member, Programme and Course Design & Development Committees (sr. no. 1 to 5)				

13. Training programmes designed and conducted, duration and dates: Nil

S. No.	Programme	Dates	Place	Number of Participants

14. Details of Counselling sessions conducted:

S. No.	Programme	Course	Place	Dates	Duration	Mode (Specify- Face to Face Radio counselling Teleconferencing Web conferencing Any Other)
1.	B.Sc. General in Geography	Prospects and Career Options in the Subject of Geography	New Delhi	30 th May, 2017	One Hour	Radio counselling
2.	B.Sc. General in Geography	Physical Geography	New Delhi	30 th July, 2017	One Hour	Radio counselling
3.	Ph.D. in Geography	General	New Delhi	20 th June, 2017	One Hour	Radio counselling
4.	B.Sc. General in Geography	Nature of Geography	New Delhi	17 th July, 2018	One Hour	Radio counselling
5.	B.Sc. General in Geography	Understanding Geography	New Delhi	07 th May, 2019	One Hour	Radio counselling

15. Details of Patents granted (if any): Nil
16. Contribution to IGNOU's corporate life:

S. No.	Chairperson/ Member of Committee	Name of the Committee	Date/ period
1.	Joint Secretary	IGNOU SC/ST Teacher's Welfare Association	2012-14
2.	President	IGNOU SC/ST Teacher's Welfare Association	2016-18
3.	Member	Organising Committee, National Seminar titled 'Thoughts and Ideology of Bharat Ratna Dr. B.R. Ambedkar: Acceptance, Deviations and Relevance, India 2025	16 th to 18 th November, 2016
4.	Member	31 st Foundation Day, IGNOU	2016
5.	Member	22 nd Prof. G. Ram Reddy Memorial Lecture, IGNOU	2017
6.	Member	23 rd Prof. G. Ram Reddy Memorial Lecture, IGNOU	2018
7.	Member	Institutional Ethics Committee, IGNOU	20 th April, 2017
8.	Member	Investigation Committee, CMD, IGNOU	10 th October,

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			2017
9.	Member	Swatantra Parv Celebration, IGNOU	2017
10.	Member	Opening of Small Gate adjacent to Radhakrishan Block, IGNOU	01 st April, 2017
11.	Member	Organizing Committee, National Seminar titled "Human Rights in the Indian Perspective: Concerns and Priorities" organized by School of Law, IGNOU	28 to 29 th July, 2017
12.	Special Invitee	Management and Administration of IGNOU Employees Welfare Fund	28 th December, 2017
13.	Co-opted Member	33 rd Foundation Day, IGNOU	2018
14.	Member	Guest House Management Committee, IGNOU	06 th May, 2019
15.	Co-opted Member	24 th Prof. G. Ram Reddy Memorial Lecture, IGNOU	June 2019

17. Administrative position/s held in the University (even as in charge):

S. No.	Designation	Period
1.	Discipline Group Coordinator	2016-17 and 2017-18
2.	Research Programs Coordinator	08 th February, 2019 to 07 th February, 2021

18. Any other contribution/information:
a) Academic

S. No.	Capacity	Activity	Organizing Institution	Year
1.	Member	Cultural Committee, School of Sciences	IGNOU	2013
2.	Observer and Flying Squad Member	Term End Examinations	IGNOU	2012 till present
3.	External Examiner	Viva-Voce Examination for a course on 'Post Graduate Diploma in Digital Cartography'	Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi	2014-17
4.	Reviewer	International Journal of Arid Land Research and Management	Taylor and Francis	2015
5.	Subject Expert	Workshop for the Development of E-Content in Geography (Upper Primary Stage)	NCERT, New Delhi	6 th to 8 th June, 2016

6.	Evaluator	M.Phil Dissertations titled: a) Socio-Economic Transformation of the Dokpa Community of Lachung Valley, Sikkim b) Agriculture in Trans-Himalayan Sikkim in Thangu and Adjoining Areas: Issues and Challenges	Sikkim University, Gangtok, Sikkim Sikkim University, Gangtok, Sikkim	2015 2017
7.	External Expert	Viva-Voce Examination for Evaluation of Dissertation in Post Graduate Programme in Geography Students	Sikkim University, Gangtok, Sikkim	5 th to 6 th June, 2017
8.	Examiner	M.Phil Dissertation	Sikkim University, Gangtok, Sikkim	7 th June, 2017

b) Academic Training

S. No.	Capacity	Activity	Organizing Institution	Year
1.	Participant	Induction Programme on 'Distance Education Theory and Practices' for Newly Recruited Teachers	STRIDE, IGNOU, New Delhi	21 st to 25 th November, 2011
2.	Participant	Refresher Programme in Distance Education	STRIDE, IGNOU, New Delhi	16 th January, 2012 to 09 th February, 2012
3.	Participant	Author Workshop	Delhi University Library System, University of Delhi in Collaboration with Springer (India) Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi	23 rd August, 2012
4.	Participant	Training Programme on "Multimedia E-Content Development Using Open Source Tools"	Inter University Consortium (IUC), IGNOU, New Delhi	15 th to 18 th October, 2012

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5.	Participant	99 th Orientation Programme	UGC Academic Staff College, Panjab University, Chandigarh	03 rd to 30 th September, 2013
6.	Participant	17th Refresher Course' on 'Geography and Environmental Studies'	UGC, ASC-JMI, New Delhi	02 nd to 22 nd July, 2014
7.	Participant	Workshop titled "Research Methodology in Distance Education"	STRIDE, IGNOU, New Delhi	08 th to 09 th July, 2015
8.	Participant	First Knowledge Conclave for Colleges and Universities on "Green Educators Network"	Centre for Science and Environment, New Delhi	28 th to 29 th January, 2016
9.	Participant	Course on ArcGIS I: Introduction to GIS	ESRI India	23 to 24 th July, 2018

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