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Dr. Kunal D. Jadhav is currently working as Professor in the Department of Lifelong Learning and Extension, University of Mumbai, India. He has worked as In-Charge Heading Departments like Student Development, Department of Lifelong Learning & Extension and Lokkala Academy University of Mumbai, etc and successfully handled high valued administrative responsibilities of various Committees in the University.

He is M.A. in English, M.A. in History, M.A. in Sociology and has also acquired the degrees M. Ed and M. Phil in Education completed five Masters Degrees from University of Mumbai. He has achieved his first Ph. D. degree in Lifelong Learning (Education) from Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Deonar, Mumbai and second Ph. D. in Rural Development from University of Mumbai.

He has teaching experience of twenty years in the field of education and he taught various subjects such as Sociology of Education, Technology in Education, Psychology of Learning, History of Education and Rural Development. He has Three Minor Research Projects of the University to his credit and published fourteen research papers, nine articles and three chapters in National and International publications in various Universities. He has published his four researches, reference and text books in the discipline of Lifelong Learning, Educational Technology, Adult Education and Extension. He is the course writer for education and Rural Development subjects and additionally developed three self interactive computer based course modules of various topics in the Teacher Training Program for learning through the e-Learning mode. He is also Ph. D. Research Guide in Education and three students have completed their Ph. D. and eight students have been awarded Masters Degree of Research under his guidance. He is Faculty for Orientation / Refresher course at HRDC, Govt. of India and ICSSR. Dr. Kunal is also having the responsibility as External Examiner and Chairperson nominated by Vice Chancellor for Ph.D. viva voce examination. He is the member of various administrative and Expert Committees (LIC) of the University for New subject / divisions in the colleges and VC Nominee for the selection and CAS promotions of faculty in the colleges.

Dr. Kunal has been handling extension education programs of University of Mumbai in Mumbai, Thane, Palghar, Raigad, Ratnagiri and Sindhudurg districts of Maharashtra (the jurisdiction of University of Mumbai) spreading the awareness about social issues and problems in the society in which more than 34,000 students of nearly 314 degree colleges are enrolled. He is guiding and conducting training sessions for the teachers and the students for the conduct of these activities in the society. He is counseling Secondary & Senior Secondary Students of National Institute of Open Schooling, MHRD, Government of India in its Accredited Centre at the University. He has responsibility as Student Development Officer for Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education, MHRD, Govt. of India, Nodal Centre at University of Mumbai for Promotion of Rural Entrepreneurship among rural students affiliated to University of Mumbai. Dr. Kunal is also having the responsibility as Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State Election Commission and conducting the programs of awareness about the Elections in the Maharashtra State.

He is also guiding and training university students of distance learning for the subjects of History, Education and English. In addition, he is conducting the sessions in communication skills for the University staff. Dr. Kunal is actively involved in UGC schemes of Remedial Coaching for NET/SET examination and civil services examinations for the benefit of SC/ST, OBC & Minorities. He is also involved in a project of E-Governance of Government of India and Skill Development Project of Govt. of Maharashtra by the University. His academic and scholastic abilities are reflected in his educational qualifications, publications and hard work to reach to the unreached sections of the society.