



NEVILLE D'CUNHA
Curriculum Vitae (Revised 20-08-2019)

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

- ✓ Expert **PSIR university professor** with more than **14 years** (2004-2018) of experience teaching at the college level.
- ✓ **Commitment** to enabling university students develop their full potential in their studies and careers.
- ✓ Strong philosophy of teaching and knowledge of many different methods to **motivate students** to develop their expertise in specific areas.
- ✓ Dedicated **partner** to university programs and outreach events that help promote learning and support community.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- **2019 (6th February) ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR**
International Relations & Diplomacy
Tishk International University
- **2015 - 2019 (3.4 Years) PROFESSOR**
Political Science (Democratic Politics & Civics)
UNIVERSAL TUTORIALS, New Mumbai, India
- **2013-2015 (02 years) SENIOR ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**
Civics & Ethical Studies (CES), Philosophy & Logic
ADIGRAT UNIVERSITY, Ethiopia
- **2010-2013 (04 Years) ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**
Political Science & International Relations (PSIR), Philosophy & Logic
AKSUM UNIVERSITY, Ethiopia

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS/PRESENTATIONS

International Publications: 10	Conference Presentations: <u>07</u>
Adigrat University Publications: <u>02</u> Modules	Aksum University Publications: <u>03</u>
Tishk International University: 02	
Reviews 02 / National Publications: <u>05</u>	Total = 29

ARTICLES: PEER- REVIEWED INTERNATIONAL SCIENCE JOURNALS

1. *Africa's Political Underdevelopment: Is Europe Responsible*, International Journal of Multidisciplinary Educational Research (IJMER), Volume 6, Issue 12(5), December 2017, ISSN: 2277-7881. (Impact Factor: 6.014).
2. *Political and Socioeconomic Development of Africa: Potential and Challenges*, International Journal of Multidisciplinary Educational Research (IJMER), Volume 6, Issue 11(5), November 2017, ISSN: 2277-7881. (Impact Factor: 6.014).
3. *Third Millennium Academic Pedagogy: Reengaging with Plato's Philosophical Ideas*, Sucharitha: A Journal of Philosophy & Religion (Under Print), ISSN: 2319-4235.
4. *The Biotech Century: Exploring the Frontiers of Biotechnology*, Global Journal of Bio-Science and Biotechnology (GJBB), Volume 2(1) 2013:128-131, ISSN: 2278-9103.
5. *The Brave New World of Biophysics: A Working-ground to understand the Micro-world*, International Journal of Science and Nature (IJSN), Volume 4(1) 2013:158-164, ISSN 2229-6441.
6. *Religions in Globalizing India: The Fundamental Values for Reconstructing Religions from Prevalent to Relevant*, Vidyajyoti Journal of Theological Reflection, Volume 74(9), Sept. 2010, ISSN: 0970-1079.

BOOKS - INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATIONS (TEXT BOOKS)

7. *International Law: Introductory Text in International Relations*, Germany: Lambert Academic Publishing, 2013, ISBN: 978-3-8465-9175-8.
8. *Religions in Globalizing India*, Germany: Lambert Academic Publishing, 2013, ISBN: 978-3-8473-4670-8.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:

✓ *International Conferences*

9. *Policy Analysis and Debate in IRD (TIU) Classroom: A Collaborative Teaching/Learning and Assessment Strategy*. Paper Presented at **10th VESAL International Conference @ Tishk International University-Erbil, Iraq. (DOI: 10.23918/vesal2019.a9)**.
10. *The Quest for Peace: A Thematic Analysis of the International Architecture for Preventing Violent Political Conflicts*. Paper Presented at **ICABEP 2019 @ Tishk International University-Erbil, Iraq. (DOI: 10.23918/ICABEP2019p29)**.

11. *Greatest Challenge Facing Indian Higher Education: Quality of Education Enhancement*. Paper Presented at *International Multidisciplinary Conference on Teaching Language, Literature and Culture through Multimedia* @ University of Mumbai, India, 2018.

12. *Teachers CPD for Sustainable Ethiopian Universities*. Paper Presented at *International Conference on National Development @ ESC (Ethiopian Education Strategy Center)*, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, 2015.

13. *Religions in Globalizing India: Prevalent to Relevant*. Paper Presented at *Indian Philosophical Congress (International Conference)* @ Mumbai, India presided by Nobel Laureate Professor Amartya Sen, (Harvard University/MIT) 2009.

✓ *National Conferences*

14. *A New Model of Instructional Innovation to improve Students Results*. Paper Presented at *National Conference at AASTU (Addis Ababa Science & Technology University)*, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, 2015.

15. *Improving Teachers Classroom Performance as per HDP Criteria*. Paper Presented at *National Conference* at Adwa Teachers College, Ethiopia, 2012.

NATIONAL SCIENCE JOURNALS

✓ *Book Reviews*

16. *Yoga Sutra Brilliantly Illuminated*. Yoga and Total Health, Volume No. 1(7), April 2014, ISSN: 0970-1737.

17. *Awakening our Chakras: Finding Joy Within (Book Review: Integral Chakra Psychology)*. Yoga and Total Health, Volume No. LXI (16), November 2017, ISSN: 0970-1737.

AKSUM UNIVERSITY PUBLICATIONS (Writer and Editor)

18. *Outlook: Accent on Progress 2012*. (5-Years Assessment), Aksum University, Ethiopia.

19. *AkU now: Aksum University Newsletter*. Issue 01, May 2012, Aksum University, Ethiopia.

20. *AkU now: Aksum University Newsletter*. Issue 02, May 2013, Aksum University, Ethiopia.

ADIGRAT UNIVERSITY PUBLICATIONS (Modules: Writer & Editor)

21. *African Philosophy: New Awakening* (Teaching & Learning Material), Department of Civics & Ethical Studies, Adigrat University, Ethiopia, 2014.

22. *Transforming Teachers into Educational Researchers* (Training Module for Teaching Assistants), Higher Diploma Programme, Adigrat University, Ethiopia, 2015.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Ethiopia

- Served Aksum and Adigrat Universities multiple stakeholders by conducting Workshops, Trainings and Seminars and facilitated the organizing of conferences related to Teaching/Research and National Development.
- Additionally, shouldered sole responsibility of promoting funding opportunities. Successfully achieved collaborations and fundraising for both Universities with North American (MSU Denver) and European Higher Educational Institutions

ACADEMIC - CUM - CPD QUALIFICATIONS: India & Ethiopia

1. (2006-09) Ph.D. (Philosophy), University of Mumbai
2. (2002-04) M.A. (Philosophy), University of Mumbai
3. (1998-2002) B.A. (Political Science, Philosophy & Sociology),
University of Mumbai
4. (2010-11) HDP (Higher Diploma Programme), Aksum University, Ethiopia/UK
5. (2012) GPW (Grant Proposal Writing), IFESH, Aksum University, Ethiopia/USA
6. (2013) KAIZEN Practitioner, Ethiopian Kaizen Institute, Ethiopia/Japan

ACADEMIC SKILL SETS **PROFICIENCY IN**

INTERNATIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION SYSTEM **CORE COMPETENCIES**

Internationally Certified Higher Education Skills ~ Teaching & Research
Students Management ~ Module/Course Design ~ Magazine/Paper/Book
Publication ~ Conducting Training ~ University Administration Expertise
Guest Relations ~ Fundraising/*Foreign Collaboration* ~ etc.

PROFESSORIAL EXPERIENCE- Ethiopia & India (Post PhD)

1. 2019 (6th February)

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

International Relations & Diplomacy, Tishk International University

2. (8th September 2015- 31st Jan. 2019) 04 Academic Years

VISITING PROFESSOR

POLITICAL SCIENCE & INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (PSIR)

AHIRE UGC- NET/SET GUIDANCE CENTER, Mumbai, India

3. (2nd October 2015 - 31st Jan. 2019) 04 Academic Years

FULL-TIME PROFESSOR

POLITICAL SCIENCE

UNIVERSAL TUTORIALS, New Mumbai, India

4. (2013-2015) 02 Academic Years

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR
CIVICS AND ETHICAL STUDIES (CES), PHILOSOPHY & LOGIC
ADIGRAT UNIVERSITY, Ethiopia

4. (2009-2013) 04 Academic Years

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR
POLITICAL SCIENCE & INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (PSIR),
PHILOSOPHY (CES & LOGIC)
AKSUM UNIVERSITY, Ethiopia

COURSES TAUGHT AT & ADIGRAT UNIVERSITIES

AKSUM UNIVERSITY	AKSUM UNIVERSITY
✓ INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY	✓ SOCIAL REVOLUTIONS
✓ <i>INTERNATIONAL LAW</i>	✓ POLITICAL THOUGHT I & II
✓ <i>RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN SOCIAL SCIENCES</i>	✓ SENIOR ESSAY PROJECTS FOR GRADUATING STUDENTS
✓ INTRODUCTION TO CIVICS & ETHICAL STUDIES (Common Course)	✓ INTRODUCTION TO LOGIC (Common Course)
✓ AFRICAN PHILOSOPHY (Module Prepared)	✓ INTRODUCTION TO PHILOSOPHY

COURSES TAUGHT AT TISHK INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY	
<i>SPRING SEMESTER 2019 (February to June)</i>	
<i>SUMMER SCHOOL (August 2019)</i>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. IRD 116 Civilization History 2. IRD 204 History of Political Thought II 3. IRD 306 International Political Economy 4. IRD 402 International Negotiation and Mediation 5. IRD 203 History of Political Thought I (Summer School) 	

**ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP - CUM - ADMINISTRATIVE
EXPERIENCE: Ethiopia (Senior Organizational Leadership Roles)**

1. **03 years (2010-2013)** Served as **DIRECTOR** of **CCMD (Corporate Communication and Marketing Directorate)** - Aksum University, Ethiopia with sole accountability for **Corporate Communications, Publications, Guest Relations (Local & International), Event Management (Graduating Ceremonies, etc.), National and Foreign Collaborations, etc.**
2. **01 year (2014-2015)** **HDL (DIRECTOR)** - **HDP (In-service Teachers Professional Skills Development Program)** of Adigrat University, Ethiopia. Key responsibilities included **collaborating with Ministry of Education (MoE) and University Academic Leaders**, training teachers, program planning, development and execution.
3. **02 Years (2010-2012)** **CRDC (COLLEGE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR)** - College of Social Sciences & Languages of Aksum University with responsibility for coordinating and training teachers to perform research for improving teaching & learning processes; conduct and organize research events.

-----*Professorial Attributes*-----

- ❖ My Teaching philosophy is, “Teach Less, Teach Deeply”
- ❖ My Leadership philosophy is, “Lead only with Active Collaboration”
- ❖ I have accomplished my Higher Education (HE) from the most prestigious *University of Mumbai*, and Teacher Training Diploma (HDP) from *Aksum University* facilitated by *Ministry of Education (MoE) Ethiopia*, training facilitated by **VSO (Voluntary Service Overseas), London.**

❖ I intend to educate the students through ALS (Active Learning Strategies), 1-2-5 Networking, Peer Teaching and Cooperative Learning.

❖ I am conversant with teaching IRD subjects having a strong background in Philosophy, Political Science & Sociology and above all HDP Skills as well as decades of teaching experience across a spectrum of educational domains.

❖ I have experience of working as a part of two Universities Top Leadership and was successful in implementing the Vision-Mission-Objectives of my Institutions. I am conversant with Academic Leadership Skills as well as other responsibilities related to Teaching + Research + Service.

❖ My intention to pitch for appointment is to serve the Institution to the best of my professional abilities. I aim to work for the Institution leading by personal example.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full Name	NEVILLE LAWRENCE D'CUNHA	
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I, the under signed, have completed the above information in good faith and is true to the best of my knowledge and I can provide authenticated documents on request.

Sincerely

DR NEVILLE D'CUNHA