

Shri. Ram Lakhan Singh (R. L. Singh)

A. Official and Professional.

1. As Deputy Director General of Training, Government of India, Ministry of Labour and Employment. (Superannuated).

- Made Instructor's training as focus of Directorate General of Employment & Training (DGE&T) institutes. Increased instructors training capacity.
- Upgraded four Model Industrial Training Institutes (MITIs) into Advanced Training Institutes (ATIs)
- Standardized Instructor's training format into semester one.
- Started Private Institute for Training of Trainers (ITOTs).
- Standardized Instructors Training in Women Training.
- Participated in preparing "National Policy for Skill development, 2009."
- Designed basic concepts of National Skills Qualifications Framework (NSQF).

2. As Member Secretary of National Council for Vocational Training (for eight years)

- Introduced semester system in Industrial Training Institute (ITI).
- Introduced third party affiliation/ accreditation in ITI.
- Regularized issue of certificated, overcoming backlog of decades.
- Drafted a bill for making National Council for Vocational Training NCVT a statutory body (but failed).
- Revised Courses for increase employability and increased employer connectivity.

3. As Chairman, Cadre Review Committee of Directorate General of Training (DGT)

- Recommendation has formed the basis of Indian Skill Development Services (ISDS) notified recently.

4. As Member, Committee for Review and Rationalization of Sector Skills Councils (SSCs) Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship Govt. of India.

- This committee has given recommendation on reforms in SSCs in vocational education and training system in the country, in totality.

5. Foreign Visits and Collaboration:

- Dealt with international collaborations with different countries such as Australia, UK, Switzerland and Germany on various projects. Visited Australia, Indonesia, Japan, Sri Lanka, United Kingdom, Germany, Belgium, Italy and Switzerland etc on various official assignment and responsibilities.

6. Personal Details

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Educational Qualification-

- PhD –Thesis Submitted to School of Vocational Education and Training, Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), New Delhi.
- Master of Engineering in Electronics and Communication Engineering.

5. Articles Published:

1. Managing Vocational Training Effectively- Exploring National Vocational Qualification Framework. Indian Journal of Training and Development Oct-Dec 2007 issue published by Indian Society for training and Development, India.

2. Research in skill Development in retail sector: a Research Review. To be published in Indian Journal of Vocational Education and Training by PSS Central Institute of Vocational Education (PSSCIVE), Bhopal, MP, India