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Professor Priti Pohekar is working as **Head of the Department of Public Administration** at Rajarshi Shahu Mahavidyalaya (Autonomous), Latur since November, 2019. She has worked in the same institute as Associate Professor (2014-2019), Assistant Professor (2007-2014). Previously she was working as Lecturer at Government College of Arts & Science, Aurangabad. (2001-2007)

She is a reputed academician. She is an innovative researcher with international repute. She is a visionary teacher and research mentor. She has completed her **education throughout merit**. She has worked as **Sub-editor** in newspaper as well as **Casual Announcer and News Reader and Translator at AIR, Aurangabad**.

She has received **Role Model Award-2020** given by the **Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Government of India** by the hands of **His Excellency President of India**. She has received **Rashtriya Dhyeypurti Puraskar-2021** given by the Nutan Gulgule Foundation, Mumbai. She is recipient of **Study Grant Award by ICSSR** Regional Branch, Mumbai. Her Ph.D. thesis is aquired by the **NASSDOC, ICSSR, New Delhi**. She has received **Publication grant from ICSSR, New Delhi** to publish the thesis. She has received **Best Paper Presentation Award 1** in international conference and 1 in national conference, 1 **Best Paper Writing prize** at national level. She has mentored 6 M. Phil, 7 Ph.D. scholars. She has completed 5 research projects.

She has **delivered a speech** in the **UN-Habitat for a Better Urban Future**, Innovative4Cities, on Adapting Sustainable Urban Drainage Systems: Lesson from Indus Civilization, 11-15 Oct. 2021. She has worked as **Consultant in the UN World Food Programme**, Research/Academic Stakeholders Consultation on Strengthening the Humanitarian System in India, 13 Jan. 2022. She has presented research paper in 12 international and 14 national level conferences/seminars. She has delegated research paper as Resource Person in **13 national level, 14 state** and divisional level conference/seminar/workshop. She has delivered **22 guest lectures**.

Her **9 reference books** in Marathi and 1 in English have been published. She has worked as an **Editor** for the study books published by the Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathawada University, Nanded and Yashwantrao Chavhan Maharashtra Open University, Nasik. Her **16 articles** are published in international, national reputed journals. She has contributed 13 chapters in the books. She has published her nearly 50 articles/Stories in Newspaper, Magazines, Diwali Special Issues.

She is always creative and innovative and initiated **Gramsabha Awareness Campaign**. Under the campaign, every year a village is adopted, awareness is created among the villagers for Gamsabha through **Gram Dindi, survey, and door to door campaigning and counseling** by the students. She has successfully arranged in 4 villages and made the villagers to hold the Gramsabha along with **Mahila Gramsabha**.

She involves in **designing curriculum** as the Chairman of Board of Studies, Member of Academic Council, Board of Studies in Music, Geography, Sociology, NCC Studies, Journalism and Mass Communication of RSM, Latur. She has worked as Member of Board of Studies and 32(5) Committee of SRTMU, Nanded.

She has a solid understanding for technology and its proper use for students. Her **YouTube videos** are much popular available on Making Wise Word channel which successfully concentrated the minds of the students and continuously remained them engaged during lockdown period also.

She is a born anchor and **anchoring is her passion**. She has anchored various local/national/international level government/private programs, and documentaries.

She has **translated 2 courses of NPTEL** from English to Marathi.

She has worked as **Programme Officer, National Service Scheme**. (2008-2015)

She has worked as **Coordinator for CoC in Disaster Administration** sanctioned by the UGC, New Delhi (2013-2018)

She delivers lecture on **Soft Skills, Stress Management, and Capacity Building**.

She is closely associated with various social activities.

She is working as the Secretary/Representative of various NGOs.