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### Academic Qualifications

Degree	Year	University/Institute
PhD (Philosophy)	2021-2025	Macquarie University, Sydney (QS Ranked 35 in Philosophy)
Master of Arts (Research)	2020-2021	The University of Sydney, Sydney (QS Ranked 21 in Philosophy)
Master of Philosophy (Gold Medalist)	2017-2019	Lady Shri Ram College for Women (Delhi University)
Bachelor of Physiotherapy	2009-2014	Amarjyoti Institute of Physiotherapy (Delhi University)

### Journal Papers accepted

- Arora, S., Hutchison, K., and Rogers, W. (2024)- Epistemic Exclusion: Theorizing Dalit Feminism- Hypatia (Top ranked feminism Journal).

### Work in Progress Article

- Arora, S. (2025)- Microaggressions and Epistemic injustice in the workplaces.
- Arora, S. (2025)- What is Realistic about Putnam’s Scientific Realism?

### Conference and Workshop Proceedings

- Australasian Association of Philosophy (Postgraduate) Conference- “What is Realistic about Putnam’s Scientific Realism”-21 Nov 2021
- Activist Energies- The Australian Women’s and Gender Studies Association – “Dalit feminism and Epistemic Injustice”-28Nov-30Nov, 2022.
- Presented a paper “Epistemic Exclusions- Theorizing Dalit Feminism” in the Race in the Modern World II: Decolonisation and the Future of Race workshop (Macquarie University).
- Presented a thesis chapter on testimonial injustice in the ICT workplaces in the Philosophy of Work workshop (Macquarie University).
- Presented a thesis chapter in the workshop on Gender Bias and Microaffirmations in Careers, (Macquarie University).

## ACADEMIC DISTINCTIONS

Doctoral Thesis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Completed and submitted PhD thesis titled: “Epistemic Injustice and the underrepresentation of women in the ICT workplace”. Awaiting final results</li></ul>
Casual Academic Tutor	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Tutored 50+ students for Happiness, Good, and Justice unit-July’24-Oct’24</li><li>▪ Tutored 50+ students for Critical Thinking unit- Feb- July’24</li><li>▪ Tutored 50+ students for Happiness, Good, and Justice unit- Jul-Nov’23</li><li>▪ Tutored 50+ students for Global Ethics and Logic at the University of Sydney – Jul-Nov’21</li></ul>
Scholarships & Merit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Awarded International Macquarie University Research Excellence Scholarship (iMQRES) PhD Scholarship worth AUD 200, 000</li><li>▪ Awarded Indian Philosophical Congress Medal for securing highest percentage of marks</li></ul>

	<p>in MA examination in Philosophy obtaining 1<sup>st</sup> division (Topper of Delhi University in the field of Philosophy)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Awarded Certificate prize from Lady Shri Ram College for women for the year 2018 for scoring highest marks in MA Philosophy in the entire Delhi University</li> <li>▪ Awarded “South Campus Endowment Scholarship” for the year 2018-2019.</li> <li>▪ Secured Rank 3 in the second year, Rank 1 in the third year and Rank 2 in the fourth year of Bachelor of Physiotherapy from Delhi University</li> </ul>
Competitive Examinations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Secured All India Rank 2 in NET/JRF examination-2018 out of 3000+ candidates –Awarded Scholarship of Rs 35000 per month from Government of India to pursue research in Philosophy for a duration of 5 years (JRF qualified)</li> <li>▪ Secured Rank 24 out of 3000 students in Delhi university MA entrance examination for Philosophy-2017</li> <li>▪ Merit scholarship: Secured Dr. Piyush Trivedi Memorial Scholarship of Rs 12000 in June 2013; only student to get the scholarship for the best all-round performance</li> </ul>

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

Associate Investigator	United Health Group, India	July'14 – July'16
Associate Investigator - United Health Group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Proven track record of successfully handling US providers insurance claims for 2 years in a US based company- UNITED HEALTH GROUP in NOIDA</li> <li>▪ Strong ability to read medical claims of providers and finding out potentialities of fraud, individually deciding whether a claim should be passed or denied</li> <li>▪ Assessed 2.5x the normal claims rate ranging from \$ 100 to \$ 100K, identified as the Top-Performer and assigned to handle escalated claims</li> <li>▪ Independently tutored new joiners in my organization for assessing medical claims-selected to tutor 30 new joiners at Hyderabad location for 2 months</li> <li>▪ Relationship and collaboration champion - have successfully delivered practical solutions of how to assess genuine claims- highlighted key aspects of checking whether a claim is genuine or not</li> <li>▪ Awarded multiple STAR, VENUS and SHALIMAR awards for the best performer in organization</li> </ul>	