

#### **Brief Profile**

Prof. (Dr.) Pramod Kumar Naik is a distinguished educationist, administrator, researcher, and author. He holds a Master's Degree in Education and a B.Ed from Kurukshetra University, Haryana, an M.Phil and Ph.D in Education from Sambalpur University, Odisha, and an M.A. in English from Pt. Sundarlal Sharma Open University, Bilaspur.

With a remarkable **34 years of teaching experience** at undergraduate, postgraduate, M.Phil, and Ph.D levels, Dr. Naik has contributed significantly to higher education across Odisha, Chhattisgarh, and Jharkhand. His academic career began in 1991 as a Lecturer in Education at I.M.P.S. College, Sundargarh, Odisha. He went on to serve as Head of the B.Ed Department at Disha College, Raipur, and later held key leadership positions at Dr. C.V. Raman University, Bilaspur, including Professor & Dean (Education), Director of Research, AIU Coordinator, Pro Vice Chancellor, and Director of IQAC. Since April 2021, he has been serving as **Vice Chancellor of AISECT University**, Hazaribag, Jharkhand.

# Leadership & Administrative Roles

Dr. Naik has held numerous important administrative roles, such as:

- Chairperson, Council for Teacher Education Foundation (CTEF) Chhattisgarh & Jharkhand Chapters.
- Nodal Officer, B.Ed Practical Examinations Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur.
- AIU Coordinator, Director, IQAC, and Pro Vice Chancellor Dr. C.V. Raman University
- Chatra Sangh Prabhari and various university-level committees.

He is actively engaged with the **National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC)**, Bangalore, serving as a Chairperson of Peer Team Visits, and is a **Visiting Team Member** of **NCTE**, New Delhi.

Additionally, he has served as a subject expert for interview panels under Section 28 of Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur.

#### **Research Contributions**

A prolific researcher and academic mentor, Dr. Naik has:

- Supervised 40 M.Ed, 30 M.Phil, and 22 Ph.D scholars (with 4 currently pursuing research)
- Published 127 research papers in reputed national and international journals.

#### **Publications**

Dr. Naik is an accomplished author, having published:

- 12 books on topics such as Statistical Methods, Research Methodology, Advanced Educational Psychology, Parenting, Organizational Effectiveness, Girls' Empowerment, Teacher Effectiveness, and Tribal Home Environment.
- 3 educational guidebooks and 7 chapters in 6 edited volumes.
- 1 research tool: Attitude Towards Transgender (ATTS-NKPSS), published by the National Psychological Corporation, Agra.
- Editorial roles: Member of Editorial Board for 6 journals and Chief Editor of one journal
- Editor of the book *Teacher Education*.

#### Invited Talks & International Engagements

Dr. Naik has delivered keynote addresses and lectures at several national and international forums, including:

- International Conferences in Malaysia, Kathmandu, and Sri Lanka
- Panelist and speaker at events such as the:
  - o 2nd Higher EdTech Innovation Conclave (2022) by APAC News Network
  - o World Education Summit & Awards (20th, 22nd, and 23rd editions) by Elets
  - Webinar on Rejuvenating Rivers with Shri G. Asok Kumar, IAS
  - iNature Education Panel Discussion on "Making Quality Education Affordable and Accessible"



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## Awards & Recognition

Dr. Naik has been the recipient of numerous awards, including:

- Bal Gaurav Award Government of Chhattisgarh
- International Academic Leadership Award Kasetsart University, Bangkok
- Distinguished Professor Award Auropath
- Excellence in Research Award The Progress Global Society, Auropath
- International Achievement Award South Asian Education Awards 2021

### Memberships

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- Life Member, Council for Teacher Education Foundation (CTEF)
- · Life Member, Scholars Academic and Scientific Society

Prof. (Dr.) Pramod Kumar Naik is a dynamic force in shaping the future of Indian higher education. His lifelong commitment to teaching, research, and academic leadership continues to inspire faculty, researchers, and students alike. He remains a torchbearer for academic integrity, innovation, and inclusive education.