

BIBLIOGRAPHY OF PSYCHOLOGICAL RESEARCH IN NEPAL

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Psychological research in Nepal began in the 1950s. The Rorschach study by Victor Barnouw in 1956 is considered to be the first psychological study of Nepali men and children (cited in Regmi 1994). One of the earliest publications of psychological research by Nepali psychologist Panna Lal Pradhan was published in *Journal of Experimental Psychology* (Pradhan and Hoffman 1963). Since then, Nepali psychologists have continued to conduct research independently and in collaboration with expatriate psychologists. It is also important to give due credit to some foreign psychologists who have chosen Nepal to conduct their research.

This bibliography has been compiled to inform and guide the researchers and students to trace the resources in literature review for their research work. Most of the works are available online or in print. Some of the books by Nepali psychologists are out of print but can be accessed through personal contact with the authors. Some of the studies included in this compilation are multidisciplinary in nature such as psychological anthropology, health, education, population and so on.

In order to create this bibliography, key terms “psychology,” “behavior,” “self-esteem,” “cognition,” “Nepal,” and “research” were searched in online databases PsycINFO, PsycArticles, PubMed and Google Scholar. Some of senior Nepali psychologists were also personally consulted during the compilation.

This bibliography includes bibliographic entries related to psychological research conducted in and/or related to Nepal published in various forms of print media such as books, book chapters, journal articles, dissertations and other publications. Some of the publications are on the verge of extinction such as Panna L. Pradhan’s (1956?) article “Intelligence test and its use in Nepal” in *Education Quarterly* 1(2). It could not be located anywhere, it is virtually extinct. So, there is urgent need to archive and store the significant works electronically before they get lost.

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