Biography

Pundarik Mukhopadhaya is a Professor of Economics, Macquarie University, and has previously taught at the National University of Singapore and served with the ADB, World Bank and UNESCO. His research is focused on measurement of social welfare, economic inequality and poverty. He authored 3 books and more than 60 research papers in journals.

Qualifications

1 Jan 2018 HDR Supervision Orientation 2018-2020, HDR30
22 Jul 2016 HDR Supervision Training (Historic Record), HDR99
28 Sept 2015 HDR Supervision Training (Historic Record), HDR99
22 Aug 2014 HDR Supervision Training (Historic Record), HDR99
7 Aug 2013 HDR Supervision Training (Historic Record), HDR99
2 Aug 2012 HDR Supervision Training (Historic Record), HDR99
31 Mar 2011 HDR Supervision Training (Historic Record), HDR99
8 Sept 2010 HDR Supervision Training (Historic Record), HDR99

Employment

Professor
Professor
Department of Economics
Macquarie University
1 Jan 2020 → present

Centre for Workforce Futures
Macquarie University
Macquarie University, Australia
1 Jan 2011 → present

Research outputs

An investigation of body mass distributional changes in Australia, 1995–2017/18

Do information spillovers across products aggravate product market monopoly? An examination with Chinese data

The Global financial crisis and China’s export in Belt and Road countries: An analysis using product-level data

Does globalization drive long-run inequality within OECD countries? A guide to policy making
Energy poverty

Financial inclusion and poverty: evidence from Armenia

On income inequality in urban areas in China during the period 2002–2013: comparing the case of urban locals with that of rural migrants

Monetary and non-monetary poverty within urban locals and rural migrants in China using inequality-sensitive poverty measures

Multidimensional poverty and the role of social capital in poverty alleviation among ethnic groups in rural Vietnam: A multilevel analysis

On the measurement of health poverty in the case of ordinal variables: The case of 29 European countries in 2009 and 2018

Estimating poverty and vulnerability to monetary and non-monetary poverty: the case of Vietnam

Targeting household energy assistance

A Note on the decomposition of health inequality by population subgroups in the case of ordinal variables

Relationship between city size and firm productivity – A new interpretation using the Chinese experience

Targeting administrative regions for multidimensional poverty alleviation: A study on Vietnam

An evaluation of the changes in wellbeing in China – 2005 to 2015: an exploratory study

Collaboration and innovation: An empirical study of Indian technological enterprises

Is the ADB’s conjecture on upward trend in poverty for China right? An analysis of income and multidimensional poverty in China

The changing texture of the city-size wage differential in Chinese cities – Effects of skill and identity

A Potential rail link between Burma and India

Measurement of poverty in multiple dimensions: the case of Vietnam

Disparities in the level of poverty in China: evidence from China Family Panel Studies 2010


Empirical studies on innovation performance in the manufacturing and service sectors since 1995: a systematic review

City Size and Wage Disparity in Segmented Labour Market in China

Functioning achievements in urban Bangladesh: a comparison with rural areas

China’s war against the many faces of poverty: towards a new long march

"More health for money“ in Vietnam: does operational cost or running cost of health institutions help budgeting for more services and improve the health of the population?

Trends in income inequality in China: The effects of various sources of income

Old-age income insecurity in Singapore: a problem of non-inclusive development

Are women less efficient in converting microcredit into functionings? Evidence from Bangladesh

Women as marginal workers in informal mining and quarrying, India: A preliminary analysis
**Income inequality in Singapore**

**Multidimensional poverty approach and development of poverty indicators: the case of Bangladesh**

**Trends in income inequality in China: The effects of various sources of income**

**The Australia India proposed Free Trade Agreement and trade in agriculture: opportunities and challenges**

**Widening Income Distribution In Post-Handover Hong Kong**

**Education for Child Labour: Evaluating the National Child Labour Policy in West Bengal, India**

**Assessment of multidimensional poverty and effectiveness of microfinance-driven government and NGO projects in the rural Bangladesh**

**Limitations of the Theories of Nonprofits and Benchmarking Services Delivery Dimensions of Poverty-Reduction Programs in Rural Bangladesh**

**Integrating trade in education services between Australia and India: Complementarities and challenges**

**An Account of economic disparity in India**

**Poverty alleviation and service delivery: government and non-government organizations in rural Bangladesh**

**The General Agreement on Trade in Services (GATS), Water, and Human Rights from the Perspective of Developing Countries**

**Economic growth and income inequality in China, India and Singapore: Trends and policy implications**

**Reassessing the relationship between economic growth and inequality**

**Intellectual property and economic development in India**
Economics of gender: Singapore’s older generations

Demographics, incomes and developmental issues amongst Indians in Singapore

Applied welfare economics

Inequality during an economic crisis: evidence from Singapore

An Analysis of severance pay policies in India and Sri Lanka

Earnings inequality

Income disparity trends and data problems in Singapore: some myths and realities

Income inequality

Crisis, social sector and income distribution in Singapore and Thailand

The Internalization of Environmental Capital in a Keynesian Model of Income Determination

World Income Inequality database (WIID) Review

Wage policy and its effect on the social sector in Singapore

Trends in total and subgroup income inequality in the Singaporean workforce

The ordinal and cardinal judgement of social welfare changes in Singapore, 1982-99

Trends in income disparity and equality enhancing (?) education policies in the development stages of Singapore
A generalised social welfare function and its disaggregation by components of income: The method and applications

Earnings inequality in Singapore

Equity, efficiency and social welfare: An application of generalised Lorenz Dominance to New Zealand incomes data 1984-1998


A Method to Analyze Trends in Inequality by Subgroup Decomposition

Education policies as means to tackle income disparity: the Singapore case

Efficiency Criteria and the Sen-type Social Welfare Function

Handbook of Development Policy and Management

Income Inequality

Changing labor-force gender composition and male-female income diversity in Singapore

A Note on the Low Income Inequality Miracle in Taiwan (1976-97)

Distribution of Income and Expansion of Education in Some East Asian Countries

Impact of the economic crisis on higher education in Singapore

The changing pattern of sources of income and its impact on inequality: The method and its application to Australia, 1975-94

The Gini coefficient: A note
Education policies as means to tackle income disparity: the Singapore case

Unfashionable economics selected contributions of Amartya K. Sen: 1998 economics nobel laureate

Population, poverty and employment in India

Activities

Australasian Development Economics Workshop 2023
Kompal Sinha (Chair), Rohan Best (Organiser), Lurion De Mello (Organiser), Olukorede Abiona (Organiser) & Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Organiser)
Jun 2023

An analysis of the gender pay gap in Bangladesh using generalized entropy measures 2010-2017
Md Rafiqul Islam (Speaker), Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker) & Chris Heaton (Speaker)
26 Nov 2021

The long-run relationship between Globalization and Inequality in Developed Countries revisited: New evidence from 25 OECD economies
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker), Rahul Sen (Speaker), Sadhana Srivastava (Speaker) & Gulasekaran Rajaguru (Speaker)
12 Jul 2021

The impact of the coronavirus on the labor market in Armenia
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker), A Grigoryan (Speaker) & K Khachatryan (Speaker)
28 Jun 2021

Mining and Multidimensional Poverty, Micro evidence from Armenia
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker), A Grigoryan (Speaker) & K Khachatryan (Speaker)
25 Jun 2021

Age At Marriage, Contraception Use And Fertility Preferences: The Role Of Linguistic Identity On Women Reproductive Behaviour
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2021 → …

Characteristics of Indonesia’s large and medium scale manufacturing industries: An Exploratory Analysis
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2021 → …

Essays on the Political Economy of Small and Medium-sized Enterprises in Vietnam
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2021 → …

Journal of Development Economics (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2020

The Impact of the COVID-19 on the Labor Market in Armenia
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Consultant)
**Nagoya University**
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Visiting researcher)
Mar 2019 → Jun 2019

**Empowerment of women through an unconditional cash transfer program in Pakistan**
Asma Kashif (Speaker) & Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
Feb 2019

**Inequality and Income Mobilization – Migrants versus Urban People in China**
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker) & Jing Yang (Speaker)
11 Jan 2019

**An Empirical Analysis: Impacts of Remittances on Aggregate Demand, Household Food Security and Housing Investment in Sri Lanka**
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2019 → …

**Income Mobility, Rural Migrants and Urban Inequality in China 2002 to 2013**
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
2019

**Jacques Silber**
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Host)
2019 → …

**Multidimensional Poverty**
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
17 Dec 2018

**Changes in Income Inequality in Urban China: Urban People Versus Migrants**
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker), Jing Yang (Speaker) & Xue Jinjun (Speaker)
27 Oct 2018

**A Potential Rail link between Burma and India**
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker) & Lindsay Stubbs (Speaker)
3 Aug 2018

**China- ASEAN Trade Relations and Trade Potential under China’s Belt and Road Initiative: Based on Intra-industry Trade and Gravity Model**
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
16 Jul 2018

**Firm sorting and productivity distribution in China**
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker), Y Yang (Speaker) & Y Zhuangxiong (Speaker)
15 Jul 2018

**Sino-Australia Economies Towards a New Globalization: A Mutual Learning Curve**
Pundarikaksha Mukhopadhaya (Organiser), Lisa Magnani (Organiser) & Michael Dobbie (Organiser)
27 Mar 2018

**Analysis of health status and vulnerabilities of elderly in India**
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2018 → …
Journal of Urban Economics (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2018 → …

Springer, Springer Nature (Publisher)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2018 → …

Symbiosis Int Deemed Univ, Symbiosis International University, Symbiosis Inst Business Management
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Visiting researcher)
2018 → …

Three essays on changing food consumption patterns in Indonesia
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2018 → …

Xue Jinjun
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Host)
2018 → …

IBS Hyderabad (a Constituent of ICFAI Foundation for Higher Education)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Visiting researcher)
Nov 2017 → Dec 2017

Guangzhou University
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Visiting researcher)
Oct 2017 → …

Weihi Jiang
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Host)
Aug 2017 → Aug 2018

Yang Yang
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Host)
Aug 2017 → Aug 2018

Evaluation of Chinese Housing System Transformation
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
10 Jul 2017

Review and Evaluation of China's Urban Housing System Transformation - From an Urban Housing Shortage to a Backlog in the Centralized Economy
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker) & Shiming Yuan (Speaker)
10 Jul 2017

Multidimensional poverty analysis for Armenia
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker) & A Grigoryan (Speaker)
24 Jun 2017

Bombay Chamber of Commerce (External organisation)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Member)
2017 → …
China Pakistan Economic Corridor and its Possible effect on Pakistan
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Consultant)
2017 → …

Multidimensional Poverty in Armenia
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Consultant)
2017 → …

Scoping Economic Corridor in Pakistan
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Consultant)
2017 → …

Poverty in Multiple Dimensions
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
9 Dec 2016

Pattern of Poverty in China
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
6 Dec 2016

Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Beijing
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Visiting researcher)
Dec 2016 → …

Multidimensional Poverty in China
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
11 Nov 2016

Income Inequality trend in China
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
7 Nov 2016

Multidimensional Poverty in Central and West Asia
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
5 Oct 2016

Xiamen University
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Visiting researcher)
Oct 2016 → …

Jing Ye
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Host)
Jul 2016 → …

Qiong Wang
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Host)
Jul 2016 → …

An Investigation of the Measurement of Inequality and the Causal Effects of the Pro-Poor National Targeted Programs of Inequality in Vietnam
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2016 → …
An Investigation of the Measurement of Inequality and the Causal Effects of the Pro-Poor National Targeted Programs of Inequality in Vietnam
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2016 → …

China Economic Review (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2016 → …

Habitat International (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2016 → …

Multidimensional Poverty in Central and West Asia
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
2016

Strengthening Knowledge Management in Central and West Asia
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Consultant)
2016 → …

Addressing Knowledge and Statistical Gaps in Relation to Poverty Reduction, Inequality, and Inclusive Growth Conceptual and Statistical Gap in Development – Multidimensional Poverty in Southeast Asia
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Consultant)
2015 → …

Chinese Economic Society of Australia (External organisation)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Member)
2015 → …

Economic Modelling (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2015 → …

Empirical Economics (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2015 → …

Essays on Urban Poverty and Micro Entrepreneurship in Sri Lanka
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2015

Journal of Asian Economics (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2015 → …

Journal of Development Studies (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2015 → …

Singapore Economic Review (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Editor)
2015 → …
Multidimensional Poverty in China using CHNS
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
4 Dec 2014

Poverty Trends in China
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
3 Dec 2014

Two Decomposition in Gini and Inequality in China
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Speaker)
30 Sept 2014

Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Visiting researcher)
2014 → …

Essays on Economics of Ageing
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2014

Liqun Pan
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Host)
2014 → …

Pearson (Publisher)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2014 → …

Jing Yang
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Host)
Jul 2013 → Jul 2014

Nanyang Technological University
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Visiting researcher)
Jul 2013 → …

Macmillan (Publisher)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2013 → …

Singapore Economic Association (External organisation)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Chair)
2013 → …

East Asian Economic Association (Event)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Chair)
2011 → …
Multidimensional Poverty in Malaysia
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2011

OUP Oxford (Publisher)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2011 → …

National University of Singapore
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Visiting researcher)
Feb 2010 → Jul 2010

Academic Honesty and Assessment Practices at Macquarie University
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Organiser)
2010

Applied Economics (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2010 → …

Barkley Electronic Journal of Economics and Policy analysis (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2010 → …

Cambridge University Press (CUP) (Publisher)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2010 → …

Journal of Economic Inequality (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2010 → …

Routledge (Publisher)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2010 → …

World Development (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2010 → …

The Economic Record (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2009 → …

An Analysis of Public Transport - the Case in Coimbatore
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2008

The Causes and Consequences of Intra-Household Inequality on Poverty Determination: The Case of Semi-urban Indo-Fijian Households
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2008

Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Member of editorial board)
Corruption and Governance - the Developing World
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Examiner)
2007

Health Care Costs in Pacific Island Countries
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Organiser)
2007

Journal of income distribution (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2007 → …

Severance Pay in South and South East Asia
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Consultant)
2004 → …

Singapore Economic Review (Journal)
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Reviewer)
2003 → …

Economic Crisis and Higher Education in Singapore
Pundarik Mukhopadhaya (Consultant)
2001 → …

Awards

Projects
Analyses of child labour rehabilitation policy and old age income security in South and South East Asia
Mukhopadhaya, P.
2/02/10 → 31/07/10

Australia-India Trade and Investment Relationship: Developing a Framework to Promote Sustainable Economic Development
Mukhopadhaya, P. & Alam, S.
1/08/09 → 31/07/11

Australia's Trade in Medical Goods
Mukhopadhaya, P., Rajaguru, G., Sen, R., Srivastava, S. & Raghavan, M.
1/01/23 → 31/12/25

Exploration of Australia's trade potential with India and the effect of relaxed trade barriers
Mukhopadhaya, P.
1/01/19 → 30/06/19

Migration Influx in Cities in China: An Analysis for Resolving the Spatial Mismatch of Labour and Unbalanced Urban Scale
Mukhopadhaya, P. & Zhongliang, D.
1/02/20 → 31/01/21

PAKISTAN: Supporting Economic Corridor Development through Strategic Planning Frameworks
Mukhopadhaya, P.
1/01/18 → 31/12/19
Supporting Economic Corridor Development through Strategic Planning Framework
Mukhopadhaya, P.
1/01/18 → 1/12/19

The Effect of Anti-poverty Policies on Improving the Health Status of Rural Residents in China – What could be Proposed from the Lessons Learnt in Australia?
Mukhopadhaya, P. & Zhu, F.
1/02/22 → 31/01/23

The Impact of Population Agglomeration and Associated Costs on Economic Growth in China's Seven Megacities: What can be learnt from a Cross Country Analysis
Mukhopadhaya, P. & Zhongliang, D.
1/02/21 → 31/01/22

Web-based Analytical Platform for China Datasets
1/01/16 → 31/12/16