Project Title: Minorities and the Indian Press: Marginalization and Exclusion in the News Media

Project Activity:

A. Content Analysis - Total no. of newspaper stories analysed: 1697

• 4 months sample for the months of January, February, April and May 2014 of the following newspapers were collected for content analysis and later analysed on SPSS.

Jammu & Kashmir

S.	Name of the		
No.	Newspaper		
1.	Kashmir Times		
2.	Rising Kashmir		
3.	Greater Kashmir		
4.	Daily Excelsior		

North East Region

S. No.	Name of the Newspaper
1.	The Sangai Express
2.	The Assam Tribune
3.	Nagaland Post

B. Discourse Analysis - Total No. of stories collected and anlaysed: 1347

Sampling notes:

- Four editorials/ articles per newspaper per week are being subject to Discourse Analysis
- This is applicable to all the selected 7 papers being analyzed (as listed above)
- In addition to these 7 papers, the national papers analysed included: Hindustan Times, The Times of India, The Telegraph, The Hindu and The Indian Express.
- Weekly we have analyzed more than 28 stories and hence more than 110 stories per month.

Discourse Analysis Sample:

Jammu & Kashmir

S.	Name of the	Total No. of stories	
No.	Newspaper		
1.	Kashmir Times	121	
2.	Rising Kashmir	137	
3.	Greater Kashmir	134	
4.	Daily Excelsior	90	
Total 482			

North East Region

S.	Name of the	Total No. of stories	
No.	Newspaper		
1.	The Sangai Express	103	
2.	The Assam Tribune	109	
3.	Nagaland Post	113	
Total 325			

National Papers

S.	Name of the	Total No. of stories
No.	Newspaper	

1.	Hindustan Times	101	
2.	The Times of India	113	
3.	The Telegraph	106	
4.	The Hindu	99	
5.	The Indian Express	121	
Total 540			

C. Focus Group Discussions - Total No. of FGDs: 9

Total of 9 focus group discussions in the month of December in Jammu and Kashmir and in the Months of February and March in Assam, Manipur and Nagaland

S. No.	State/City	Location of the FGD	Date	No. of participants
1.	Srinagar (J&K)	University of Kashmir, Hazratbal	December 18, 2014	10-12
2.	Bandipora (J&K)	House of a participant, Sombal (District, Bandipora)	December 21, 2014	18-20
3.	Bharderwah (J&K)	Bhaderwah	January 01, 2015	13-18
4.	Jammu (J&K)	Jammu	January 01, 2015	13-18
5.	Guwahati (Assam)	Dr Bhupen Hazarika Centre for Mass Communication and Journalism, Cotton College (Pan Bazar, Guwahati)	February 26, 2015	16-20
6.	Guwahati (Assam)	Assam Institute of Management & Technology (R.G. Baruah Road, Guwahati)	February 26, 2015	16-20
7.	Imphal (Manipur)	JYL Paona Bazar	March 02, 2015	8-10
8.	Senapati (Manipur)	Senapati District Student's Association Office	March 03, 2015	8-10

9.	Kohima	Sazolie College,	March 05, 2015	20-25
	(Nagaland)	Kohima		
10.	Dimapur	NO FGD DUE TO CURGEW IN DIMAPUR (LYNCH MOB		
	(Nagaland)	INCIDENT)		



FGD organized at Dr. Bhupen Hazarika Centre for Mass Communication and Journalism, Cotton College (Pan Bazar, Guwahati) on February 26, 2015.



FGD in progress in Bhaderwah



FGD in Jammu