

GENDER PLANNING AND ANALYSIS IN NEPAL: A SELECT BIBLIOGRAPHY

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1. INTRODUCTION

This bibliographic search was prepared by BRIDGE for the Overseas Development Group, School of Development Studies, University of East Anglia. The bibliography is intended to support a Nepal Gender Project Identification Consultancy.

The databases searched included the British Library of Development Studies; CAB Abstracts; Academic Index; Sociological Abstracts; Econlit; Geobase; PAIS; IntelEc; UNBIS; and Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) materials at the Institute of Development Studies (IDS). A number of people working on gender issues in Nepal were also contacted: Anna Robinson Pant, Juliette Siebold and Sheelagh Stewart.

The entries are ordered under main and sub-headings as listed in the table of contents. The entries vary in both content and format due to the different sources searched. A few abstracts are provided in cases where they were readily available. Section 2 identifies theoretical and conceptual literature covering institutionalisation of gender issues. Search terms included gender/women and institutions/gender policy, analysis and planning. Sections 3, 4 and 6 specifically cover literature on gender in Nepal. Section 5 has a wider focus looking at South Asia, in particular, Nepal, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka and India. The bibliography includes unpublished literature from women's organisations as well as published sources.

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2. INSTITUTIONALISING GENDER: THEORETICAL AND CONCEPTUAL ISSUES

2.1 Institutional Issues

Getting institutions right for women in development.//IN: IDS Bulletin Vol. 26 No. 3 (1995)

PERSONAL AUTHORS: Editor, Anne Marie Goetz

CORPORATE AUTHORS: INSTITUTE OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

SHELF CATEGORY: [RESERVE COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: (32) RESERVE IDS IDS

Record Number: 33095

Institutions, relations and outcomes : framework and tools for gender -aware planning. Brighton : The Institute, 1996. ii, 60 p. - (Discussion paper / Institute of Development Studies ; 357). -- ISBN 1-85864-100-4

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Kabeer, Naila; Subrahmanian, Ramya

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Institute of Development Studies (Brighton, England)

DESCRIPTORS: /economic and social development/ /development planning/women/ women's role/ women's participation/ policy making/institutional framework/planning methods/

SHELF CATEGORY: [RESERVE COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: (32) IDS. IDS discussion papers, 357.

Record no: 160032

Engendering organizational change: the BRAC case.

PERSONAL AUTHOR: Rao,-A.; Kelleher,-D.

SOURCE: IDS-Bulletin. 1995. 26(3), pp 69-78.

AB: This article analyses the first phase of an ongoing structural intervention which works at the nexus of gender relations, organizational change, and quality improvement, with a large rural development NGO (the Bangladesh Rural Advancement Committee) in South Asia. The article discusses some critical dilemmas: expanding parameters versus boundary maintenance, the prerequisites for innovation versus institutional bargaining, and change options versus change realities. The latter involves distinguishing between what is theoretically desirable and what is programmatically possible at what costs and with what effect in a socio-political environment wherein demand for changing gender relations is weak, fundamentalist forces are increasingly dominant, and where existing structural realities ensure that the process of women's empowerment is both non-additive and non-linear. -from Authors AN: (1135618); 96V-00628

2.2 Integrating gender concerns/gender planning

Effective mobilization and integration of women in development : gender issues in macroeconomic policy - making and development planning. -- New York :

UN, 1995. -- 32 p. -- A/50/399

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): United Nations. Secretary - General, United Nations. General Assembly

DESCRIPTORS: /economic development/economic policy/women's participation/women/ /development planning/ /policy making/ /development/ theory/ /economic theory/

SHELF CATEGORY: [INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: U.N. A/50/399

Record no: 153181

Women's interests and empowerment : gender planning reconsidered. // IN:

Development and change (NL) 25,no.4 (1994): 829-48.

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Wieringa, Saskia

DESCRIPTORS: /women/ /development planning/ /sex roles/ /women's status /social inequality/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL SERIALS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: (333) DEVELOPMENT AND CHANGE. - 25,no.4 (1994): 829-48.

Record no: 134259

The politics of integrating gender to state development processes: trends, opportunities and constraints in Bangladesh, Chile, Jamaica, Mali, Morocco and Uganda.

PERSONAL AUTHOR: Goetz,-A.-M.

SOURCE: Occasional-Paper,-United-Nations-Research-Institute-for-Social-Development. 1995. 2, 62 pp.

AB: This paper reflects work carried out under the UNRISD/UNDP project, Technical Co-operation and Women's Lives: Integrating Gender into Development Policy . The activities of the project include an assessment of efforts by donor agencies and governments to integrate gender issues into their activities (Phase I); participating countries included Bangladesh, Chile, Jamaica, Mali, Morocco, Uganda and Vietnam. The action-oriented part of the project (Phases II and III) involves pilot studies in five countries (Bangladesh, Jamaica, Morocco, Uganda and Viet Nam). The goal is to initiate a process of policy dialogue between gender researchers, policy makers and activists aimed at making economic policies and productive processes more accountable to women. This paper provides an assesment of efforts in six of the seven countries to improve public accountability to women in the development process. The paper begins with a brief theoretical discussion of feminist perspectives on the developmentalist state. It provides an overview of some of the more prominent political, economic and social trends of the past two decades, against which efforts have been made to institutionalize gender in state development processes. The author provides a historical and comparative analysis of efforts in the six case study countries to institutionalize gender concerns. The picture that emerges is one of extraordinarily

fractured trajectories of institutionalization within the public administration. -from
Author
AN: (1155120); 96H-05864

Gender planning in development agencies : meeting the challenge : a report of a
workshop held at the Cherwell Centre, Oxford, England in May 1993 / edited by
Mandy Macdonald. -- Oxford : Oxfam Publications, 1994. -- 229 p. --
ISBN 0-85598-263-2

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Macdonald, Mandy

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): OXFAM

DESCRIPTORS: /development aid/ /development projects/ /aid programmes/ /aid
institutions/ /women/ /sex roles/ /women's participation/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: OXFAM. Gender planning in development agencies ...

Record no: 127153

Gender planning methodology: three papers on incorporating the gender approach in
development co-operation programmes. Lund universitet, 1992 50p

PERSONAL AUTHORS: Hannan-Andersson, Carolyn

CORPORATE AUTHORS: Lunds universitet. Insitutionen flr kulturgeografi och
ekonomisk geografi

DESCRIPTORS: /development aid/ /aid programmes/ /development planning/ /project
design/ /women/ /women's role/ /women's participation/methodology/

SHELF CATEGORY: [BRIDGE COLLECTION ROOM 165]

SHELVED AT: HANNAN-ANDERSSON, Carolyn. Gender planning methodology

Record no: 119034

Gender planning and development : theory, practice and training. -- London:
Routledge, 1993. -- xii, 285 p. -- ISBN 0-415-05621-7

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Moser, Caroline O.N.

DESCRIPTORS: /women/ /sex roles/ /economic and social development/ /social
planning/ /social policy/ /social conditions/

SHELF CATEGORY: [COURSE PROVISION TEMPORARY COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: MOSER, Caroline O.N. Gender planning and development ..

Record no: 110421

Gender analysis in development planning : a case book / editors Aruna Rao, Mary B.
Anderson, Catherine A. Overholt. -- West Hartford, Conn. : Kumarian, 1991. -- viii,
103 p. -- (Kumarian Press library of management for development). -- ISBN 0-
931816-61-0

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Rao, Aruna; Anderson, Mary B.; Overholt, Catherine A.

DESCRIPTORS: /rural women/ /rural development/ /development projects/ /sex roles/
/case studies/ - /Bangladesh/ /India/ /Indonesia/ Philippines/ /Thailand/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: RAO, Aruna. Gender analysis in development planning: a case book.
Record no: 100721

Gender, development, and training : raising awareness in the planning process. // IN:
Development in practice : an Oxfam journal (GB) 1,no.3 (1991): 185-95.

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Kabeer, Naila

DESCRIPTORS: /women's role/ /development planning/ /women's participation/
training/ /development personnel/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL SERIALS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: (32) DEVELOPMENT IN PRACTICE: an Oxfam journal. - 1,no.3
(1991): 185-95.

Record no: 82195

3. GENDER PLANNING IN NEPAL

3.1 Statistics

Statistical profiles : women. country profile. No. 2- New York : UN ESCAP, 1995- Irregular. ST/ESCAP/1546. - ST/ESCAP/1547. ST/ESCAP/1558. - ST/ESCAP/1649
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): United Nations. Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific

DESCRIPTORS: /Asia/ /women/ /statistical data/ - /Bangladesh/ /Philippines/ /Nepal/ /Thailand/

SHELF CATEGORY: [INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: U.N. ST/ESCAP. Statistical profiles: women ... country profile.

Record no: 160744

Statistics on women in Nepal / Social Service National Co-ordination Council, Women Service Co-ordination Committee. -Kathmandu :The Committee, 1986. [12]

p

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Social Services National Co-ordination Council of Nepal. Women Services Co-ordination Committee

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women/ /educational statistics/ /health statistics/ agricultural statistics/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: SOCIAL SERVICE NATIONAL CO-ORDINATION COUNCIL OF NEPAL. Women Services Co-ordination Committee. Statistics on women in Nepal.

Record no: 12646

The statistical profile on Nepalese women : an update in the policy context

Kathmandu : IIDS, 1994. -- 152 p

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Acharya, Meena

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Institute for Integrated Development Studies (Kathmandu, Nepal)

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women/ /women's status/ /women workers/ /women's participation/ /statistical data/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: INSTITUTE FOR INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT STUDIES.

Statistical profile on Nepalese women ...

Record no: 145722

3.2 Development programmes and projects

Women in development : proceedings of seminars and workshops. -- Kathmandu

ActionAid Nepal, 1989. -- 27 p

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Verma, Kanchan

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): ActionAid Nepal Social Services National Co-ordination Council of Nepal

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /United Kingdom/ /private aid/ /aid programmes/ /women/

/economic and social development/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: ACTIONAID NEPAL. Women in development ...

Record no: 66237

Women in development : A.I.D.'s experience, 1973 - 1985. Vol. II, Ten field studies / Paula O. Goddard, editor. -- [Washington, D.C.?] : USAID, 1989. -- viii, 211 p. -- (A.I.D. working paper ; no. 131)

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Goddard, Paula O.

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): United States. Agency for International Development. Center for Development Information and Evaluation

DESCRIPTORS: /women/ /economic and social development/ /development projects/ development aid/ /field research/ /case studies/ - /United States/ /aid institutions/ /Botswana/ /Sri Lanka/ /Thailand/ /Dominican Republic/ /Guatemala/ /Kenya/ /Nepal/ /Bolivia/ Ecuador/ /Morocco/ /Caribbean/

SHELF CATEGORY: [BRIDGE COLLECTION ROOM 165]

SHELVED AT: U.S. Agency for International Development. A.I.D. working papers, no. 131.

Record no: 118934

Women, work and the need for child care : opportunities for programmatic collaboration : a review of UNICEF - supported programmes in Nepal, Ecuador and Ethiopia. -- New York : UNICEF, 1992. -- 89 p. -- (UNICEF staff working papers, ISSN 1013-3178 ; no. 10). -- ISBN 92-806-1076-7

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Landers, Cassie; Leonard, Ann

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): United Nations Children's Fund. Programme Division

DESCRIPTORS: /Ecuador/ /Ethiopia/ /Nepal/ /child care/ /development projects/ /women workers/ /UNICEF/ /project evaluation/

SHELF CATEGORY: [INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: U.N. E/ICEF/. Programme Division. UNICEF staff working papers, no. 10.

Record no: 96652

Rhetoric and reality : a gender analysis. Volume I. -- Kathmandu : Swiss Development Cooperation, 1995. -- xi, 107 p

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Switzerland. Direktion für

Entwicklungszusammenarbeit und Humanitäre Hilfe Dolakaha - Ramechhap Community Forestry Development Project

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /forestry development/ /agricultural projects/ /social participation/ /project evaluation/ /women's role/ /women's participation/

SHELF CATEGORY: [BRIDGE COLLECTION ROOM 165]

SHELVED AT: SWITZERLAND. Direction de la Coop ration au D veloppement et de l'Aide Humanitaire. Rhetoric and reality ...

Record no: 154500

Loans to women under the Small Farmers' Development Program. -- Morrilton, Ark. : Winrock International Institute for Agricultural Development, 1987. -- 9p. (Research paper series ; no. 32)
PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Shah, Ishwari
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Project "Strengthening Institutional Capacity in the Food and Agricultural Sector in Nepal"
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women/ /small farms/ /agricultural credit/ /loans/
SHELF CATEGORY: [GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: NEPAL. Ministry of Agriculture. HMG-USAID-GTZ-IDRC-Ford-Winrock Project [on] Strengthening Institutional Capacity in the Food and Agricultural Sector in Nepal. Research paper series, no. 32.
Record no: 21631

Guidelines to involve women in the Tinau Watershed Project (TWP). -- Kathmandu : IDS, 1986. -- 1 v. (various pagings). -- Photocopy
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Integrated Development Systems (Kathmandu, Nepal)
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /agricultural projects/ /women's participation/ /forestry development/ /livestock/ /soil conservation/
SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT SYSTEMS [NEPAL]. Guidelines to involve women
Record no: 4940

Unsuccessful cases in the women development programme. // IN: Contributions to Nepalese studies : journal of the Research Centre for Nepal and Asian Studies, Tribhuvan University (NP) 19,no.1 (1992): 129-43.
PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Manandhar, Sushila
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women's participation/ /rural development/ /development projects/ /project evaluation/
SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL SERIALS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: (662) CONTRIBUTIONS TO NEPALESE STUDIES - 19,no.1 (1992): 129-43.
Record no: 118367

02684289 CAB Accession Number: 931803356
Women and training for rural gainful activities (TRUGA).
Baidya, B. P. R.; Chaudhari, G.
Discussion Papers-Training Policies Branch, International Labour Office (No. 72): xv + 83pp. 1991
Publisher: Geneva, Switzerland ISBN: 92-2-108034-X
Language: English Document Type: Miscellaneous
DESCRIPTORS: vocational training; methodology; projects; women; rural development
GEOGRAPHIC NAMES: Nepal

02635992 CAB Accession Number: 921802143
Old ways, new sites: power and privilege at a Nepalese women's development project.
Kondos, V.; Ban, I.
Contributions to Nepalese Studies vol. 17 (1): p.25-55 1990
ISSN: 0376-7574
Language: English Document Type: Journal article
DESCRIPTORS: women; projects; crafts; rural development
GEOGRAPHIC NAMES: South Asia; Nepal

Will women be marginalized in development work? The experiences of rural projects in Nepal.

OT: Werden Frauen durch Entwicklungsarbeit marginalisiert? Erfahrungen aus landlichen Entwicklungsprojekten in Nepal.

PERSONAL AUTHOR: Bajrasherya,-S.; Schwank,-O.

SOURCE: Geographica-Helvetica. 1994. 49(1), pp 19-26.

AB: Considers the unintended marginalisation of women in development work through a case study of the Palpa District development project (1987-88), which aimed to improve living conditions in a hilly region. Instead of assuming that benefits will 'trickle down' from men to women, gender aspects must be incorporated into projects at the earliest planning stages. -D.J.Davis

AN: (1084558); 96V-01411

Women and community forestry in Nepal: expectations and realities.

PERSONAL AUTHOR: Tinker,-I.

SOURCE: Society-and-Natural-Resources. 1994. 7(4), pp 367-381.

AB: Community forestry programs in Nepal, based on the erroneous assumption that farming families are the major cause of deforestation, ignore other critical causes. Recent emphasis on the inclusion of women in these programs, based on the recognition of women's subsistence activities and understanding of nature, minimizes fundamental constraints embedded in Nepalese society. A review of community forestry programs funded by international agencies and nongovernmental organizations indicates increasing participation of both women and men at the community level. Exaggerated expectations of the potential of community forestry in solving Nepal's ecological crisis could undermine the fragile gains of Nepali women. -

Author

AN: (1073168); 95V-00593

Community health workers in Nepal.

PERSONAL AUTHOR: McConnell,-C.; Taylor,-M.

ED: Frankel,-S.

SOURCE: in: The community health worker. (Oxford University Press), 1992, pp 102-124.

AB: Following a series of reviews in the 1980s a new programme for training Community Health Volunteers was implemented in 1988. In contrast to past efforts, this programme focuses on the training of rural village women with the aim of addressing maternal and child health. Given the extended scope of the new

programme it is important to examine the successes and failures of past attempts, so what lessons learnt can be applied to the training and support of what will amount to the largest work-force in Nepal's health care system. This chapter describes the way in which CHW programmes in Nepal have developed. It considers the problems that have been encountered, describes the way in which these have been tackled, and considers the way in which international health policies and donor priorities have shaped the development of these programmes. -from Authors
AN: (0981475); 93V-02934

Implementation of the results of scientific research in practical management: a case study from Nepalese forestry.

PERSONAL AUTHOR: Griffin,-D.-M.

SOURCE: Mountain-Research-and-Development. 1991. 11(3), pp 195-201.

AB: This paper discusses the experiences of the Nepal-Australia Forestry Project from 1978 until 1988. The research, aimed at improving the productivity of the forests, was developed in response to the expressed needs of the local people, although there were no qualitative nor quantitative data on forest use. Changes were introduced at the panchayat level by local initiatives. A series of questions were discussed concerning available land, species to be planted, forest protection, and other topics that arose during the course of the project. Examples of this action research are described together with changes in community and private forest species and management practices that result from the direct participation of local mountain communities. It is noted, however, that user groups tend to be dominated by men and by those of higher caste and higher economic status, whereas it is the women and the poor who depend on the forests for fuelwood and fodder products; changes may be needed to ensure sustainable utilization of forests and a reasonable equity in the distribution of benefits. -from Author

AN: (0899918); 92V-01763

Gender and rural poverty in Asia: implications for agricultural project design and implementation.

PERSONAL AUTHOR: Safilios-Rothschild,-C.

SOURCE: Asia-Pacific-Journal-of-Rural-Development. 1991. 1(1), pp 41-61.

AB: In Bangladesh, Pakistan and India, the trends in respect of continuing intra-household gender inequities are reflected in the allocation of scarce resources. Women are less endowed in respect of productive assets that could enhance the returns to their labour. Women constitute the central agents to the success of poverty alleviation efforts since their income must meet basic domestic needs. There is a lack of data regarding women's contribution in agriculture. The government and donor organizations are not mainstreaming women in agricultural and other rural development programmes. In most countries, women farmers are bypassed by agricultural extension. Women's involvement in non-farm employment is restricted to traditional 'feminine' fields, characterized by limited access to credit. In most Asian countries, there persists a lack of apprenticeship and non-formal training programmes for women. Appropriate strategies for poverty alleviation should consider salient gender issues as well as necessary conditions and safeguards for their successful implementation. -from Author

AN: (0893103); 92V-01259

3.3 General

Gender sensitive planning : what, why and how in Nepal. -- Kathmandu : WACN, 1994. -- vi, 72, 17 p
PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Shrestha, Shanta Laxmi
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Women's Awareness Centre Nepal
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /development strategy/ /development planning/ /project implementation/ /women/ /women's role/ /women's participation/
SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: WOMEN'S AWARENESS CENTRE NEPAL. Gender sensitive planning ...
Record no: 145711

Twenty years of women in development in Nepal : an overview. // IN: Economic journal of Nepal : a quarterly publication of the Department of Economics, Tribhuvan University (NP) 18,no.4 (1995): 151-72.
PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Acharya, Meena
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women/ /development policy/ /programme evaluation/
SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL SERIALS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: (662) ECONOMIC JOURNAL OF NEPAL - 18,no.4 (1995): 151-72.
Record no: 153592

02459900 CAB Accession Number: 911898092
Planning with people: decentralization in Nepal. xii + 216pp. 1988
Editors: Gurung, S. B.; Roy, S.
Publisher: Orient Longman Hyderabad, India
ISBN: 0-86131-866-8 (paperback)
Language: English Document Type: Miscellaneous
DESCRIPTORS: Villages; Data collection; Women; Employment; Rural development; decentralization; development planning; panchayats
GEOGRAPHIC NAMES: South Asia; Developing Countries; Nepal

Progress report of the UN Decade for Women in Nepal / Social Service National Coordination Council, Women Service Coordination Committee. -Kathmandu : The Committee, 1985. -- v, 41 p. -- Second half of book bound upside down
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Social Services National Co-ordination Council of Nepal. Women Services Co-ordination Committee
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women/ /economic and social development/ /UN/ /women's organizations/ - /progress reports/
SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: SOCIAL SERVICE NATIONAL CO-ORDINATION COUNCIL OF NEPAL. Women Services Co-ordination Committee. Progress report of the UN Decade for Women ...
Record no: 12636

Children and women of Nepal : a situation analysis 1992. -- Kathmandu :
UNICEF, 1992. -- xvi, 201 p. -- Sales No. E.92.XX.NEP.1. -- ISBN 92-806-1029-5
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Nepal. National Planning Commission United Nations
Children's Fund. Nepal Office
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /children/ /women/ /economic conditions/ /social conditions/
/maternal and child health/ /poverty/ /development policy/
SHELF CATEGORY: [INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: U.N. E/ICEF/. Nepal Country Office. Children and women of Nepal .
Record no: 96514

Children and women of Nepal : a situation analysis. -- [Kathmandu?] :
UNICEF, 1987. -- xii, 201 p
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): United Nations Children's Fund
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women/ /children/ /economic conditions/ /social conditions/
/maternal and child health/ /quality of life/government policy/
SHELF CATEGORY: [INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: U.N. E/ICEF/. Children and women of Nepal: a situation analysis.
Record no: 38270

The current and prospective contribution of women to Nepal's industrial development.
-- [Vienna] : UNIDO, 1988. -- xiii, 137 p. -- PPD.105
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): United Nations Industrial Development Organization.
Regional and Country Studies Branch
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /industrial development/ /industry/ /women's participation/
/women/ /human resources/ /industrial planning/
SHELF CATEGORY: [INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: UNIDO. PPD.105
Record no: 21968

Challenges for democracy in Nepal, Routledge
Louise Brown, 1996

Women, development and democracy: A study of the socio-economic changes in
status of women in Nepal 1981 -93, Kathmandu
Stri Chakti, 1995

Analysis of girls education in Nepal, UNICEF
Grover, D., 1993

4. GENDER, NGOS AND WOMEN'S ORGANISATIONS IN NEPAL

Women NGOs in Nepal. // IN: Mother and child : official organ of Maternity and Child Welfare Association of Pakistan (PK) 29,no.4 (1991): 25-31.

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Sharma, Radha Devi

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women's organizations/ /women's participation/ consciousness raising/ /political participation/ /women's status/ /women's role/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL SERIALS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: (69) MOTHER AND CHILD. - 29,no.4 (1991): 25-31.

Record no: 97651

Policy approaches of NGOs for mobilization and interest representation of rural women in the Nepalese context. -- The Hague : CESO, 1991. -- 23 p. (CESO Verhandelings ; no.49). -- ISBN 90-6443-991-5

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Devkota, Ramesh Chandra

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Centrum voor de Studie van het Onderwijs in de Ontwikkelingslanden (Hague, Netherlands)

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /rural women/ /consciousness raising/ /women's participation/ /women's role/ /employment creation/ non-governmental organizations/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: CENTRE FOR THE STUDY OF EDUCATION IN CHANGING SOCIETIES. Policy approaches ...

Record no: 86977

South Asian Women Workshop : listen to the women, listen to the many voices, spoken and unspoken. -- Bangkok : ACFOD, 1993. -- 65 p. -- ISBN 974-89063-9-6

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): South Asia Women Workshop : 1991 : Kathmandu, Nepal) Asian Cultural Forum on Development

DESCRIPTORS: /Bangladesh/ /India/ /Nepal/ /Pakistan/ /Sri Lanka/ /women/ women's rights/ /women's status/ /women's organizations//social movements/

SHELF CATEGORY: [INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: ASIAN CULTURAL FORUM ON DEVELOPMENT. South Asia Women Workshop, Kathmandu, 1991. South Asian ...

Record no: 125697

Collective powers in common places : the politics of gender and space in a women's struggle for a meeting center in Chitwan, Nepal. // IN: Himalayan research bulletin (US) 12,nos.1-2 (1992): 11-25.

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Enslin, Elizabeth

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /resource centres/ /women's organizations/ /community facilities/ /community power/ /communal land/ /space/

SHELF CATEGORY: [REFERENCE COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: 793(112)321 HIMALAYAN RESEARCH BULLETIN. - 12,nos.1-2 (1992): 11-25.

Record no: 129903

Twenty years of WID and rural women in Nepal. // IN: Asia - Pacific journal of rural development / CIRDAP, Centre on Integrated Rural Development for Asia and the Pacific (BD) 5,no.1 (1995): 59-77.

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Acharya, Meena

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women's status/ /rural women/ /women's participation/ women's organizations/ /economic aspects/

SHELF CATEGORY: [INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: CENTER ON INTEGRATED RURAL DEVELOPMENT FOR ASIA AND THE PACIFIC. Asia-Pacific journal of rural development - 5,no.1 (1995): 59-77.

Record no: 151566

Women, poverty and resources.

PERSONAL AUTHOR: Wignaraja,-P.

SOURCE: (Sage, New Delhi), 1990, 241 pp, index.

AB: Over the past decade, both women's movements and national policy-makers in South Asia and elsewhere have begun to recognise the crucial inter-linkage between gender and equity in poverty alleviation and sustainable development. The author surveys the work of a number of grassroots women's organisations in Bangladesh, Nepal, India and Pakistan, as also related processes in Africa and Latin America. Based on this field experience, he outlines the alternative approach for alleviating the poverty which afflicts both rural and urban women. He argues that the solution lies in collective action by women's groups using primarily local resources and knowledge. In order for these processes to be replicated on a larger scale, they may require the support of sensitive NGOs, banks, government agencies and donors. -from Publisher AN: (0849192); 91V-02195

5. INSTITUTIONALISING GENDER IN SOUTH ASIA

5.1 General

Defining a framework for gender analysis in development planning. // IN: Journal of rural development / India, National Institute of Rural Development (IN) 13,no.2 (1994): 243-57.

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Bhattacharya, B.; Rani, G. Jhansi

DESCRIPTORS: /development planning/ /sex roles/ /division of labour/ /women's participation/ /activity analysis/

OTHER TERMS: [gender]

SHELF CATEGORY: [GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: INDIA. National Institute of Rural Development. Journal of rural development. - 13,no.2 (1994): 243-57.

Record no: 132914

Gender sensitivity in development planning, implementation and evaluation : report of APDC Sub-regional Workshops, 1989 / edited by Rita Raj - Hashim and Noeleen Heyzer. -- Kuala Lumpur : APDC, 1991. -- 167 p. -- ISBN 967-9928-19-5

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Raj - Hashim, Rita; Heyzer, Noeleen

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Asian and Pacific Development Centre. Sub-regional Workshops : 1989

DESCRIPTORS: /South East Asia/ /South Asia/ /Oceania/ /development planning/ /development projects/ /women/ /women's participation/ /project implementation/ /project design/

SHELF CATEGORY: [INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: ASIAN AND PACIFIC DEVELOPMENT CENTRE. Programme on Women in Development. Gender sensitivity in development planning ...

Record no: 89158

Gender analysis and planning : the 1990 IPC - CIDA workshops / edited by Jeanne Frances I. Illo. -- Quezon City : The Institute, 1991. -- vi, 154 p. -- ISBN 971-8610-20-0

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Illo, Jeanne Frances I.

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Institute of Philippine Culture

DESCRIPTORS: /Philippines/ /economic and social development/ /sex roles/ /development planning/ /training centres/ /women/ /men/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: INSTITUTE OF PHILIPPINE CULTURE. Gender analysis and planning ...

Record no: 88640

Question of gender in development planning : women's experiences in a new settlement of the Mahaweli project in Sri Lanka. // IN: Asia - Pacific journal of rural development / CIRDAP, Centre on Integrated Rural Development for Asia and the Pacific (BD) 3,no.1 (1993): 44-63.

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Schrijvers, Joke

DESCRIPTORS: /Sri Lanka/ /development planning/ /development projects/ /women's participation/ /women's role/ /attitudes/ /quality of life/

SHELF CATEGORY: [INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: CENTER ON INTEGRATED RURAL DEVELOPMENT FOR ASIA AND THE PACIFIC. Asia-Pacific journal of rural development - 3,no.1 (1993): 44-63.

Record no: 118429

Gender, economic growth and poverty : market growth and state planning in Asia and the Pacific / edited by Noeleen Heyzer, Gita Sen. -- New Delhi : Kali for Women, 1994. -- iv, 395 p. -- ISBN 81-85107-57-2

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Heyzer, Noeleen; Sen, Gita

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Kali for Women

Asian and Pacific Development Centre

DESCRIPTORS: /Asia and the Pacific/ /economic growth/ /poverty/ /women/ /sex roles/ /development planning/ /economic and social development/

OTHER TERMS: [gender] [poverty alleviation]

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: KALI FOR WOMEN. Gender, economic growth and poverty

Record no: 139036

Women and public power: women in the Indian parliament.

PERSONAL AUTHOR: Rai,-S.-M.

SOURCE: IDS-Bulletin. 1995. 26(3), pp 110-116.

AB: Explores the issue of women's representation in state institutions, in this case the Indian parliament. Based on interviews with women members of parliament, it examines: 1) the profile of women in parliament 2) access points to public life for these women, and 3) the role that they play in parliament. The article argues that cross-cutting loyalties, institutional incentives, and tenuous links with women's movements, limit the potential of women MPs in representing women's interests across a range of areas. -Author AN: (1135623); 96V-00625

'Birds in a cage': institutional change and women's position in Bangladesh.

PERSONAL AUTHOR: Adnan,-S.

SOURCE: Journal-of-Social-Studies. 1989. 46, pp 1-34.

AB: Argues that trends of change in the position of women in Bangladesh in recent years have, in part, been impelled by a number of critical 'parametric' shifts at the macro-level, involving economic, demographic and socio-demographic factors. These shifts constitute elements of an overall process of uneven capitalist development. In the process, structures of family and kinship, social institutions and production relationships have been subjected to specific kinds of economic compulsions,

requiring these to either adapt to the changed circumstances or disintegrate. Summarizes the typical position of women within the traditional structures of family and kinship, as well as the broader social and political arenas, relating these to the critical economic-demographic shifts in recent times affecting women in different classes. This is followed by an assessment of women's participation in production and market-based activities, as well as the 'double-edged' role of capital in making use of female labour. Next, the consequential impact of these changes on women's position in the familial, social and political arenas, as well as related trends in their socio-demographic attributes are discussed. -from Author
AN: (0807123); 90V-01600

A sectoral approach to promoting women's work: lessons from India.
PERSONAL AUTHOR: Chen,-M.
SOURCE: World-Development. 1989. 17(7), pp 1007-1016.
AB: Because government policy makers do not view women as productive workers, women are left out of sectoral economic planning. Donor agencies could help bring women into the mainstream of the planning process and the economy by commissioning studies of women's work by sectors and by supporting sector-based pilot projects that involve women. In India this has been done successfully in at least two fields: dairying and silk production. Nongovernmental agencies working with donor agencies have effectively influenced government policy. This has not, however, taken place in agriculture, where most women work. -Author
AN: (0804325); 90H-01749

5.2 Gender training, services and advocacy

Gender analysis and training for extension workers : Nepal : needs assessment study. -- Kathmandu : Manushi, 1993. -- 20 p
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Manushi (for Sustainable Development) (Kathmandu, Nepal)
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /economic and social development/ /women's participation/ /training methods/ /training programmes/ /needs assessment/ aid institutions/
SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: MANUSHI (For Sustainable Development). Gender analysis training
Record no: 125178

Women of Nepal : partners in development (a special issue). -- [Kathmandu]: The Division, 1987. -- 74 p
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Nepal. Women Development SAARC Division
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women/ /economic and social development/ /women's status/women's participation/ /women workers/ /women's organizations/
SHELF CATEGORY: [GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: NEPAL. Women Development SAARC Division. Women of Nepal ..
Record no: 95172

02994485 CAB Accession Number: 951801696

Nepal: role play - a tool for participatory training. How role play has been used as a training technique and as a means of empowerment.

Smith, A. Rural Extension Bulletin (No. 6): p.36-38 1994

Language: English Document Type: Journal article

DESCRIPTORS: self help; groups; diffusion of information; community development; participation; communication; training; women; rural development

GEOGRAPHIC NAMES: Nepal

02926627 CAB Accession Number: 941810231

Participatory video as a post literacy activity for women in rural Nepal.

Tuladhar, S. Research Centre for Educational Innovation and Development (CERID), Tribhuvan University, Kathmandu, Nepal. Convergence (Toronto) vol. 27 (2/3): p.111-118 1994 ISSN: 0010-8146

Language: English Document Type: Journal article

DESCRIPTORS: video recordings; women; literacy; participation; rural development

GEOGRAPHIC NAMES: Nepal

6. GENDER/WOMEN IN NEPAL

6.1 Labour and employment

He's no good : sexual division of labor and habitus among Nepal's Marpha Thakali. // IN: South Asia bulletin (US) 13,nos.1-2 (1993): 81-89.

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Parker, Barbara; Patterson, David W.

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /sex roles/ /division of labour/ /cultural values/ /traditional culture/ /human relations/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL SERIALS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: (112) SOUTH ASIA BULLETIN. - 13,nos.1-2 (1993): 81-89.

Record no: 130636

Land, livestock and livelihoods : changing dynamics of gender, caste and ethnicity in a Nepalese village. // IN: Human ecology : an interdisciplinary journal (US) 22,no.4 (1994): 467-94.

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Thomas - Slayter, Barbara; Bhatt, Nina

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /rural development/ /rural economy/ /livestock/ ethnicity/ /sex roles/ /division of labour/ /castes/ /ecology/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL SERIALS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: (112) HUMAN ECOLOGY: an interdisciplinary journal - 22,no.4 (1994): 467-94.

Record no: 141651

Motherhood and subsistence work: the Tamang of rural Nepal.

PERSONAL AUTHOR: Panter-Brick,-C.

SOURCE: Human-Ecology. 1989. 17(2), pp 205-228.

AB: Minute-by-minute observation of individual women over the period of a year provides a reliable and valuable description of their daily activities. The extent to which Nepalese rural women vary their subsistence responsibilities during pregnancy and lactation is examined by comparing mothers with a non-childbearing sample. The remarkable behavioral similarity between the two groups of women when workloads are high is explained by reference to childcare practices and labor constraints prevailing in the community. -Author

AN: (0819223); 90V-02539

Author(s): Pokhrel, Bharat P

Title: Female labor force participation in Nepal.

Source title: ECONOMIC JOURNAL OF NEPAL

Vol/Issue/Pps: 14:[44]-51

Date of Issue: 1991-07

City of Pub: KATHMANDU

Country of Pub: NEPAL

Language: English

6.2 Poverty and Nutrition

Work burden of a girl child in Nepal : an analysis by poverty levels. --

Kathmandu : The Division, 1990. -- 35 p

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Singh, Suburna Laxmi

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Nepal. Women Development SAARC Division

United Nations Children's Fund. Nepal Office

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /child labour/ /females/ /sex discrimination/ /poverty/

SHELF CATEGORY: [GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: NEPAL. Women Development SAARC Division. Work burden of a girl child ...

Record no: 100046

Opening the box: intrahousehold food allocation in rural Nepal.

PERSONAL AUTHOR: Gittelsohn,-J.

SOURCE: Social-Science-and-Medicine. 1991. 33(10), pp 1141-1154.

AB: The study examined intrahousehold food behaviour in six villages in a rural hill area of mid-western Nepal. Qualitative and quantitative methodologies taken from both anthropology and nutritional sciences were used to collect data on food belief systems, household allocation of food resources, and the effect of these features on diet and anthropometric status in a sample of 767 individuals in 115 households. Background data were also collected on socioeconomic status and demographic variables such as education levels, occupation, and migration patterns. The results document a variety of mechanisms by which some individuals are favored over others through household food distribution, including serving order, serving method, refusing to serve foods, channeling foods and substituting low status foods for high status foods. No differences were observed in mechanisms of food distribution or nutrient intake between male and female children, but adult women were less likely to meet their nutrient requirements for energy, beta-carotene, riboflavin, and vitamin C than men of the same age. -from Author

AN: (0906392); 92V-02836

6.3 Education

Working with rural communities in Nepal : some principles of non-formal education intervention. -- Paris : UNESCO, 1993. -- 27 p. -- (Action research in family and early childhood monograph ; no. 1). -- ED-93/WS/29

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Reinhold, Amy Jo

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Young Child and the Family Environment Project

Save the Children Fund (U.S.). Education Unit

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /rural areas/ /rural women/ /non-formal education/

/literacy/ /education of women/ /females/ /child care/

SHELF CATEGORY: [INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: UNESCO. ED-93/WS/29

Record no: 132808

Empowering women and families through literacy in Nepal. // IN: Convergence : international journal of adult education / International Council for Adult Education (CA) 27,nos.2-3 (1994): 102-10.
PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Manandhar, Udaya; Leslie, Keith
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women's status/ /literacy/ /non-formal education/ /education of women/ /non-governmental organizations/
SHELF CATEGORY: [INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL FOR ADULT EDUCATION.
Convergence... -27,nos.2-3 (1994): 102-10.
Record no: 133535

2226500 CAB Accession Number: 901876269
From learning literacy to regenerating women's space: a story of women's empowerment in Nepal.
Parajuli, P.; Enslin, E., Convergence (Toronto) vol. 23 (1): p.44-56, 1990
ISSN: 0010-8146
BLDSC
Language: English Document Type: Journal article
DESCRIPTORS: Women; Woman's status; self help; education; literacy; rural development
GEOGRAPHIC NAMES: Nepal

Author(s): Shrestha, Pushpa
Title: Participation of women in higher education in Nepal.
Source title: ECONOMIC JOURNAL OF NEPAL
Vol/Issue/Pps: 9:30-34
Date of Issue: 1986-04
City of Pub.: KATHMANDU
Country of Pub.: NEPAL
Language: English

Literacy in Nepal: Looking through the Literature. Education for Development Occasional Papers Series 1 Number 1
Anna Robinson-Pant, August 1995
University of Sussex

6.4 Other

Nepali women rising. -- Kathmandu : The Centre, 1993. -- 124 p

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Subedi, Prativa

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Women Awareness Centre (Kathmandu, Nepal)

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women/ /maternal and child health/ /women's role/women's status/ /division of labour/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: WOMEN AWARENESS CENTRE [NEPAL]. Nepali women rising.

Record no: 120075

The impact of agricultural commercialization on men's and women's farm labor : evidence from Nepal / Michael Paolisso ... [et al.]. -- Washington, D.C. : International Center for Research on Women, [1994?]. -- 32 p. --

"Collaborative research report" - Cover

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Paolisso, Michael

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Gender and Farm Commercialization Study

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /subsistence farming/ /commercial farming/ /farmers/small farms/ /men/ /women/ /household surveys/ /agricultural projects/ /fruits/ /vegetables/ /industrial crops/ /time budget/ /division of labour/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR RESEARCH ON WOMEN.

Gender and Farm Commercialization Study. Impact of agricultural commercialization on men's ...

Record no: 128041

The urban environment and some gender concerns:the case of Kathmandu.1993? 10p

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Thacker, Prabha; Malla, Umesh

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Manushi (for Sustainable Development) (Kathmandu, Nepal)

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /urban environment/ /women/ /women's status/ /women's participation/ /environmental degradation/ /public services/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT: MANUSHI (For Sustainable Development). Urban environment ...

Record no: 125177

Mothers of the land : Nepalese women today. -- London : Change, 1993. -- 32 p.

(International reports : women and society ; no. 18). -- ISBN 0-907236-26-X

PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Sherpa, Chi'ing Lamu

CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Change (Organization : U.K.)

DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women/ /women's rights/ /women's role/ /rural women/ /women workers/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL SERIALS COLLECTION]

SHELVED AT:(32)CHANGE [U.K.] International reports:women and society, no.18.

Record no: 102579

Hamra chelibetiharu : an analysis of the situation of girl children in

Nepal. -- Kathmandu : UNICEF, 1991. -- 77 p
PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Grover, Deepa
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): United Nations Children's Fund. Nepal Office
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /children/ /women/ /females/ /sex discrimination /maternal
and child health/ /access to education/ /education of women/ /marriage/ /prostitution/
/social conditions/ -/statistical data/
SHELF CATEGORY: [INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: U.N. E/ICEF/. Nepal Country Office. Hamra chelibetiharu ...
Record no: 100044

Gender, caste and power in South Asia : social status and mobility in a
transitional society / editor, John P. Neelsen. -- New Delhi : Manohar, 1991.
-- xxii, 322 p. -- ISBN 81-85425-44-2
PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Neelsen, John P.
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): Università degli studi di Venezia. Dipartimento di studi
eurasiatici Consiglio nazionale della ricerche (Italy). Committee 8
DESCRIPTORS: /India/ /women/ /castes/ /social structure/ /bureaucracy/ /public
administration/ /education of women/ /corruption/ /political development/ /non-
governmental organizations/ - /Nepal/ /Bangladesh/
SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: NEELSEN, John P. Gender, caste and power in South Asia ...
Record no: 95771

Women in Nepal. -- [England : s.n.], 1991. -- 23 p. -- BRIDGE Report No. 1. Prepared
for South East Asia Development Division, British Embassy, Bangkok". PERSONAL
AUTHOR(S): Joekes, Susan
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): United Kingdom. South East Asia Development
Division
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /women/ /women's role/ /women's status/ /women workers/
/women's participation/
SHELF CATEGORY: [GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: U.K. South East Asia Development Division. Women in Nepal.
Record no: 87424

Managing resources in a Nepalese village : changing dynamics of gender, caste and
ethnicity / Nina Bhatt ... [et al.]. -- [Worcester, Mass.] : ECOGEN, 1994. -- 50 p. --
(ECOGEN case study series)
PERSONAL AUTHOR(S): Bhatt, Nina
CORPORATE AUTHOR(S): ECOGEN Research Project
DESCRIPTORS: /Nepal/ /villages/ /hills/ /livestock/ /milk/ /small farms/
/agricultural projects/ /agricultural cooperatives/ /rural women/ /sex roles/ /division of
labour/ /forest resources/ resources management/ /agricultural credit/ /castes/ /ethnic
groups/ /ethnicity/

SHELF CATEGORY: [NON-OFFICIAL MONOGRAPHS COLLECTION]
SHELVED AT: CLARK UNIVERSITY. ECOGEN Research Project. Managing
resources in a Nepalese village ...
Record no: 129038

Hinduism, tribalism and the position of women: the problem of Newar identity.
PERSONAL AUTHOR: Gellner, -D.-N.
SOURCE: Man. 1991. 26(1), pp 105-125.
AB: A dichotomous Hindu v tribal or caste v tribe model is frequently used to analyze the relationship between dominant and peripheral groups in South Asia. Using data from the Newars of Nepal, it is argued that this model reflects indigenous stereotypes, especially concerning the position of women. Historical data and contemporary practice show that the oft-cited freedom of Newar women to divorce and remarry without stigma probably only ever applied to low castes and outlying villages. The mock marriage of Newar girls to a god, while a ritual adaptation to the norms of Brahmanism, does not prevent a Newar woman from experiencing widowhood. A trichotomous model, the components of which are briefly sketched, is proposed that is better able to capture the complexity of current ethnographic fact and of its possible historical antecedents. -Author
AN: (0890745); 92H-00401