

Postdoctoral Fellows

3 Indian Nationals participated in IIASA's Postdoctoral Fellowship Program between 2007 and 2016.



**Tapas
Mishra**

2007-2008

Studied the consequences of stochastic demographic systems on economic growth and development by exploiting their non-stationary temporal and spatial features. (PhD in Economics [2005] from the Catholic University of Louvain, Belgium).



**Upasana
Sharma**

2009 -
2011

Researched issues related to the communication of uncertainty associated with climate forecasts and climate hazard warnings, particularly, how the target audience of these forecasts and warnings interpret, understand, and respond to uncertainty. Collaboration on micro-insurance in India between IIASA and Sharma has followed since she returned to India where she is now researching at the Indian Institute of Technology in Delhi. (PhD in public policy and climate change [2009] from the School of Management at the Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay).



**Narasimha
Rao**

2011-2012

Researched the relationship between electricity access, livelihoods, and carbon dioxide emissions in India. His methods included economic simulation models of the electricity sector and social welfare, input-output analysis, and carbon accounting. His work emphasized modeling policy and institutional influences such as supply rationing and energy subsidies. He has used his analysis to project the impacts of different urban and rural consumption patterns on carbon emissions. (PhD in Environment and Resources [September 2011] from Stanford University, California, USA).