

P R E F A C E

The researcher is having a lot of happiness in presenting this dissertation entitled "A Study of Educated Unemployment and Employment Opportunities in Wai Taluka."

The present study highlights the major developments took place in the field of education and employment and semi-employment in the Satara district in general and Wai Taluka in particular. This study tries to relate educational development with educated unemployment. It also studies the changes that took place in other fields such as agriculture, industry and allied services.

The first chapter of this study deals with the introduction and review of literature on employment and unemployment in India. The second chapter deals with the research methodology. The third chapter deals with the physical, demographic and socio-economic background of the Wai tehsil. Chapter fourth reveals the educational development that took place in India, Maharashtra, Satara district and Wai tehsil. It also includes the major developments in the field of education in Wai Taluka. The fifth Chapter deals with the analysis and interpretation of the data so collected through primary and secondary sources of data collection. The sixth Chapter deals employment opportunities in Wai tehsil. The last chapter

summerises the findings and recommends some suggestions. The bibliography and appendices are endorsed at the last.

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