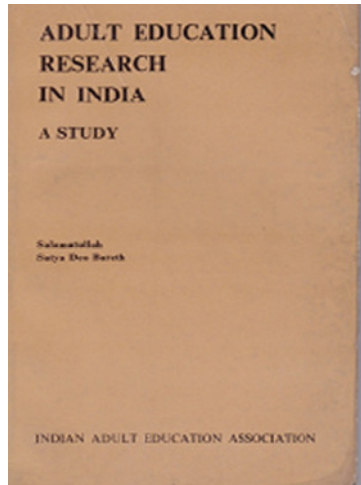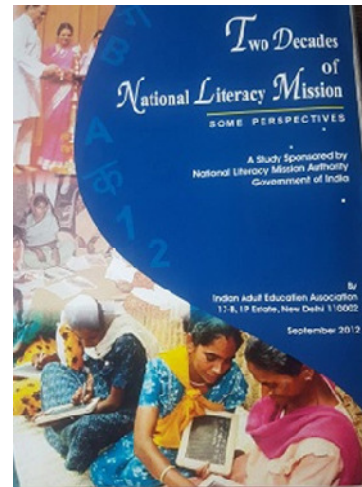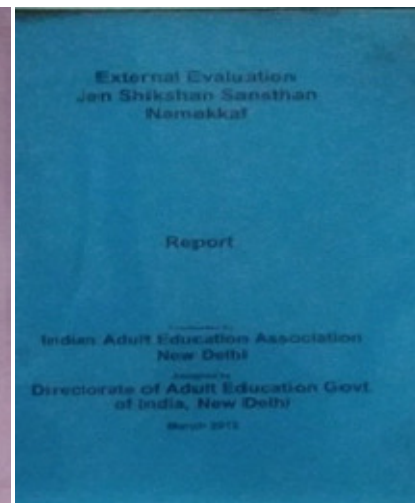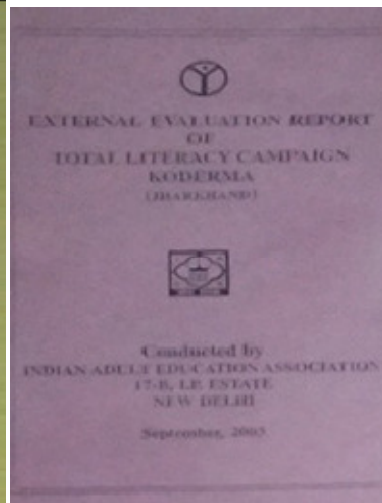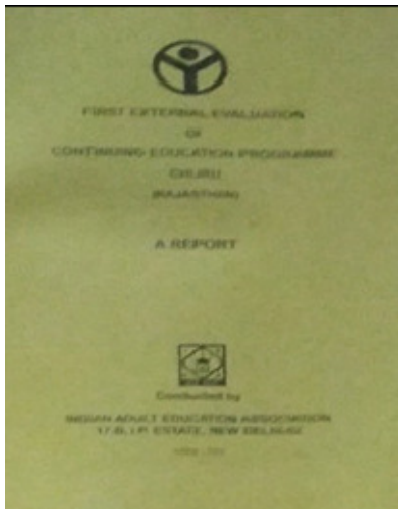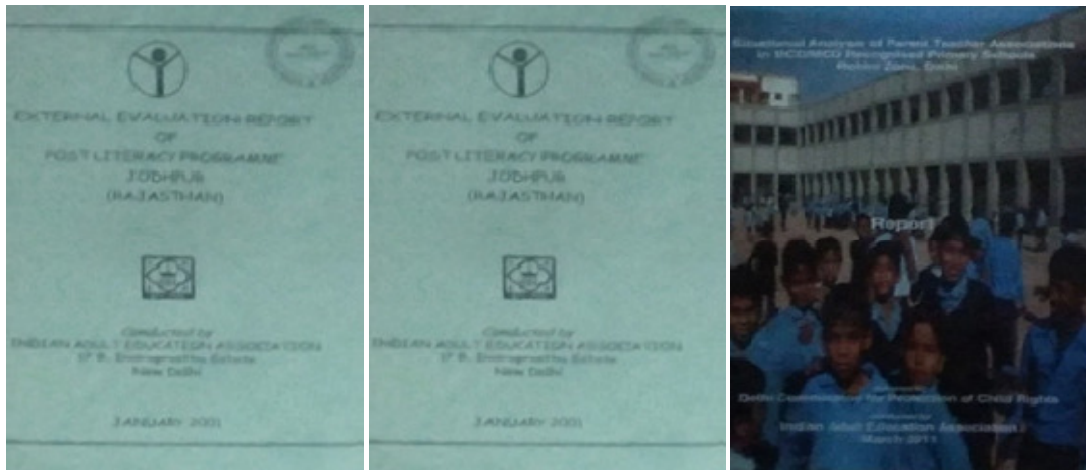# Research and Evaluation

Research

IAEA gives importance to research for strengthening the programmes of adult and lifelong education. It undertakes surveys and research studies on its own as well as in collaboration with other agencies. It also extends financial support to the research scholars working in the area of adult, continuing and lifelong education under Mohan Sinha Mehta Research Fellowship.

IAEA undertook a project to review the achievements of the National Literacy Mission since its establishment. It was sponsored by the NLMA and was designed and coordinated by Prof. S. Y. Shah and undertaken in collaboration with a number of eminent scholars viz; Dr. L. Mishra, Prof. Anita Dighe, Prof. Asoke Bhattacharya, Prof. Vandana Chakrabarty, Prof. C. J. Daswani, Prof. Denzil Saldanha, Prof. Anita Rampal, Prof. Mridula Seth, Dr. A. Mathew, Dr. Anita Priyadarshini, Smt. Nishat Farooq, Shri Prem Chand, Shri Y. L. Das, Dr. V Mohankumar and Shri B. Sanjay.

Evaluation

IAEA has so far conducted 65 external evaluations which include total literacy campaigns, post literacy programmes, continuing education programmes, Jan Shikshan Sansthans, State Resource Centres, Population and Development Education Programmes, Impact of Literacy Campaigns in the state of Haryana, Diagnostic study on Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan in Katihar District, Bihar, Edusat National Network Utilization by the Consortium for Educational Communication/University Grants Commission assigned by Development and Educational Communication Unit (DECU) of the Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO), Ahmedabad, A Situational Analysis of Parent Teacher Associations in MCD/MCD recognized primary schools in Rohini Zone of Delhi given by Delhi Commission for Protection of Child Rights and Impact Study on Awareness and Education Campaigns for Prevention of Drug Abuse and Alcoholism organized by Nehru Yuva Kendras in Manipur and Punjab funded by Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Govt. of India.