All the research outputs would have given new insights to the reliability and survival analysis researchers.

## 7.2 Future Directions

Some of the research works that can be addressed in future is given below:

- New distributions using PGDUS transformation can be introduced based on other existing distributions as baseline distributions like inverse Kumaraswamy, inverse Weibull, KM transformation distributions etc.
- Stress-strength reliability estimation of the proposed PGDUS transformed distributions can be addressed.
- Bivariate and multivariate extensions to the proposed BS distribution can be explored in detail.
- Regression models and diagnostics can be developed based on the  $\nu$ -Birnbaum-Saunders distribution in both uncensored and censored data.
- Bayesian approach to the stress-strength model given can be studied.
- The SSALT models can be designed that utilize type-II Gumbel distributions under censoring schemes such as type-I censoring, hybrid censoring, progressive censoring, etc., using different models such as cumulative exposure model, proportional hazard model, Khamis-Higgins model, etc.
- Inference for the SSALT model in the presence of competing risk model can be introduced.