

Faculty Profile



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9. Qualifications: M Sc. and Ph.d from University of Calcutta
10. Areas of Interest/Specialization: Environmental Regulation and Non-Market Valuation, Public Policy Evaluation, Public Economics and Applied Econometrics
11. Experience :

Teaching experience: 11 years of undergraduate and postgraduate teaching and supervision of masters, M.Phil dissertations .

Research Experience:

- Principal Investigator in 1 International project funded by SANDEE and 2 University Grants Commission Projects. Co-Investigator in Calcutta University, Department of Economics, DRS funded projects.
- Attended 03 Refresher Courses in Economics and 01 Orientation Course.
- Participated in various training workshops funded by South Asian Network for Development and Environmental Economics (SANDEE) and Faculty Upgradation

Programme in Environmental Economics organized by Department of Economics, Jadavpur University

12. Awards and Honours:

- Qualified UGC NET in 2000
- UGC travel grant to present at the 17th Annual Conference of the European Association of Environmental and Resource Economists (EAERE) held at the VU University in Amsterdam, the Netherlands from 24-27 June 2009
- **Travel Grant from SANDEE** to present in the International Association for the Study of the Commons Conference 10 - 14 January 2011, Hyderabad, India
- **Travel Grant from SANDEE** to present in the conference Planet under Pressure, London 26-29 March, 2012

13. International/National Collaboration/Consultancy

- Co-Investigator in Calcutta University, Department of Economics, DRS funded project “**Municipal Governance practices in Solid Waste Management**” with Prof. Sarmila Banerjee as the Principal Investigator (2011-12)
- **South Asian Network for Development and Environmental Economics (SANDEE)** funded research project “Reducing Vulnerability against Natural Disasters: A Study of Risk Coping behaviour of Coastal Communities in Sundarban, India”(2007-2009) Funding amount: INR. 6,68,362.50
- **University Grants Commission** funded minor research project “Impact Evaluation of National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (NREGA)” (2009-2011) Funding amount : INR. 1,02,000.00
- University Grants Commission funded research project “Estimating Willingness To Pay for Improved Waste Management : A Case Study of Bally Municipality Howrah” Funding Amount: INR 50,000. 00

14. Best Peer Reviewed Publication/Books

- Employment Guarantee and Natural Vulnerability: A Study of MGNREGA in Indian Sundarbans (2013) in Sarmila Banerjee and Anjan Chakrabarty eds. Development and Sustainability: India in a Global Perspective, Springer India, ISBN 978-81-322-1123-5
- Municipal Solid Waste Management in India: Policies and Institutions (2012) in Sacchidananda Mukherjee and Debasish Chakraborty eds. Environmental Scenario in India: Success and Predicament, Routledge, ISBN: 0415666554, EAN: 9780415666558
- Municipal Solid Waste Management, Source-Separated Waste and Stakeholder's Attitude: A Contingent Valuation Study (2010) with Sarmila Banerjee, *Environment Development and Sustainability*, 12:611-630, doi: 10.1007/s10668-009-9215-2 ISSN: 1387-585X (print version)
- Source Separation and Organic Waste Disposal: Policy options for Household Waste Management in Developing Countries (2009), *Arthaniti*, 8(1-2), 50-63, ISSN-0976-7479

- The Problem of Solid Waste Disposal in Kolkata: A Theoretical Analysis of Alternative Policy Options (2008) in Debashis Chakraborty and Smitha Nath (eds.) Collected Essays on Economic Development: Essays in Honour of Prof. Asok Barman , BookWell, New Delhi. ISBN13: 9788189640583