

Curriculum Vitae



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M.A. in Political Science (University of Calcutta)

M.Phil & Ph.D in International Relations (Jadavpur University)

P.G Diploma in Human Rights (Indian Institute of Human Rights, New Delhi)

Date of Joining at University of Kalyani: 05.4.2006

Present Position: Professor, Dept. of Political Science, University of Kalyani, Kalyani-741235, West Bengal.

Course Coordinator, M.A in Public Administration (Distance Mode), University of Kalyani.

Former Head in the Department of Political Science, University of Kalyani (2006-2008 & 2010-2012).

Presently External Member of the P.G Board of Studies, West Bengal State University, Barasat, West Bengal.

Former Member of the P.G Board of Studies, K.N.U, Asansol & GBU, Malda.

Former Invitee teacher of West Bengal State University, Barasat and Tripura Central University, Agartala.

Members of professional bodies:

West Bengal Political Science Association (Life Member),

Indian Political Science Association (Life Member)

Indian Institute of Public Administration, New Delhi (Life Member)

Member, Conflict Studies & Human Rights

Member, Association for Asian Studies & Political Science Group.

Books Published: (1) Politics of Land Reform: The Changing Scene in Rural Bengal, Minerva Publishers, Kolkata, 1994, ISBN: 81-85195-64-1.

- (2) Upajati Bhabna (in Bengali; as co-author), Bangladesh Publications, Kolkata, 2001.
- (3) Amra Sabai Raja (We, all are Kings), Joint author in Bengali Monograph, Murshidabad District Total Literacy Expansion Committee, Berhampore, 2003.
- (4) Regionalism and National Security: Bangladesh and SAARC, Sujan Publications, Kolkata, 2005, ISBN: 81-85549-43-5.
- (5) Comparative Politics (Ed), Pearson, New-Delhi, 2011, ISBN: 978-81-317-6033-8.
- (6) Public Policy and Systems(Ed), Pearson, New Delhi, 2012, ISBN: 978-81-317-6172-4.

Articles Published :

- *SAARC: Security Compulsion of Bangladesh*, Rabindra Bharati Journal of Political Science, Vol.8, 2006.
- *Human Rights: Problems of Governance*, West Bengal Political Science Review, Vol.XI, No.2, July-December, 2008.
- *Environmental Agenda in SAARC Countries*, Asian Studies, Vol.XXVII, NO.1, January-June, 2009. ISSN0970-7301.
- *Assertion of Human Rights: Dalits in Journey*, West Bengal Political Science Review, Vol.XII, No.2, July-Dec.2009.
- *Santras, Pratibeshi Rashtra o Bharater Udbeg, in Santrasbader Bahumatikata, Sukanta Pal (ed.),Ashok Prakashan, Kolkata,2009.*
- *Self-help Group in West Bengal: New Dimension of Women Empowerment*,Utkal Historical Research Journal, Vol.XXII, 2009. ISSN 0976-2132.
- *Self-Help Group in West Bengal: Towards Participation, Governance and Human Rights*, Asian Studies, Vol.XXVII, No.1, Jan-June, 2010, ISSN0970-7301.
- *Poverty in South Asia: Inevitability of Common Reddressal Mechanism*, Utkal Historical Research Journal, Vol.XXIII, 2010, ISSN0976-2132.
- *Poverty Alleviation: SAARC's Initiatives*, Socialist Perspective, Vol.38, No.1-2, June-Sept, 2010, ISSN0970-8863.
- *Conservation of Bio-Resources: Role of W.B. Government*, Indian Journal of Landscape System and Ecological Studies, Vol.33, No.2, December, 2010, ISSN0971-4170.

- *Women in Governance: Rural India in Political Process*, Shodh Prerak, Vol.1, No.2, Lucknow, July 2011, ISSN: 2231-413X.
- *Panchayats after 73rd Amendment: In Search of Participatory Orientation*, Sodha Prabaha, Vol.II, No. I, Academic Staff College, Banaras Hindu University, January, 2012.ISSN 2231-4113.
- *Human Rights Education in India: Towards Democratic Order in Society*, Shodh Prerak, Vol.II. No.2, Lucknow, April, 2012, ISSN: 2231-413X.
- *Tenurial Security: Question of Land-Ownership for Women*, Jigyasa, Vol V, No.1, March 2012, BHU, Varanasi .ISSN.0974-7468.
- *Urbanization in West Bengal: Post Colonial Development*, Asian Studies, Vol.XXX, No.2, July-December, 2012, Netaji Institute for Asian Studies, Kolkata .ISSN.0970-7301.
- *Conflict and Democracy: Lessons from Panchayats in West Bengal*, in Buddhadev Mishra and Sachindra Nath Das (ed.) , Politics and Conflict: Lessons from Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Dept. of Political Science, Shibpur Dinabandhu Institution(College), Howrah, 2013(ISBN. 978-81-925519-0-6).
- *Empowering Women in India: Constitutional Safeguards and Beyond* in Jitendra Sahoo (ed.), India's Constitutional Development since the 1950s: Its Socio-Political and Economic Dimensions, New Academic Publishers, New Delhi, 2015 (ISBN: 978-81-86772-80-5).
- *Communalism and Secularism: Conceptual Framework and India's Orientation* in Jitendra Sahoo (ed.), India in Globalized Era, New Academic Publishers, New Delhi, 2015.

Ph.D Supervision: Awarded -2(Two), December, 2010 & February, 2013.

Currently working: 3(Three).

Participation and Presentation of Paper in Seminar and Conferences:

- Acted as Rapporteur in the International Seminar on ‘Human Rights and Security: Refugees in Regional and International Perspective’ on March 27-28, 1997 organized by Center for Refugee Studies, Jadavpur University, Kolkata.
- Presented paper in the UGC sponsored National Seminar on “The Problem of India’s Nationhood and Indian Federation” on 21.03.2005 at Berhampore Girls College, West Bengal.
- Delivered lecture as Chief Speaker in the Regional Seminar on ‘Politics and the Problems of State and Society’ organized by Berhampore Girls College, West Bengal on 31.01.2007.
- Delivered Lecture in UGC Sponsored Seminar on ‘Right to Information’ Organized by Sripat Singh College, Jagun, Murshidabad, 9th February, 2008.
- Delivered Lecture in the National Seminar on Life Satisfaction Vis-à-Vis Mental Stress: A Challenge in Education to Increase Quality of Living’, 18-19 April, 2008, Organized by Simurali B,Ed College.
- Presented Paper in the National Seminar on ‘ Ambedkar and the Nation Building’ in National Seminar organized by Centre For Ambedkar Studies, Utkal University, 6-7 December,2008.
- Delivered Lecture in the UGC Seminar on ‘Development, Civil Society and Human Rights’, 24-25 March, 2009, Organized by Majdia College.
- Presented Paper in the International Conference on Decisions in Management and Social Sciences for Sustainable Development, 14-15 December, 2009, Organized IISWBM, Kolkata.
- Presented Paper in the National Seminar on ‘Democratic Governance and the Subaltern Leadership in India’ on 27-28 March, 2009, Organized by Dept. of History, Utkal University, Bhubaneswar.
- Presented Paper in the National Seminar on Integrated Rural Development and Management: Issues, Strategies and Policy Options, 17-18 December, 2010, Organized by Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda University, Narendrapur, West Bengal.
- Presented Paper in the National Social Science Congress on ‘Panchayats in Post-1993 Period: Efforts of Ensuring Democracy and Human Rights.’ On 27-31 December, at Gauhati University, Organized by Indian Academy of Social Sciences.
- Presented Paper in the International Conference on ‘Management and Social Welfare Issues: Contemporary Perspective’ on 13-14 January, 2011, Organized by IISWBM, Kolkata.
- Acted as panel speaker in Round Table Session on ‘ Indo-Bangladesh Relations : The Way Ahead’ organized by Global India Foundation and Centre for Foreign Policy Studies, University of Calcutta at Jadavpur University on 16 August, 2011.
- Delivered Lecture on UGC Seminar on ‘State and Politics of Development in Late 20th Century’ on 29-30 September, 2011, Organized by Bethuadahari College.

- Delivered lecture on UGC seminar on ‘Inclusive Growth & the role of the Trio’ on 25 & 26 November, 2011 at S.R. Lahiri College, Nadia, West Bengal.
- Participated in a National Level Workshop on Research Methodology in Research Methodology & Local Governments on 13th November at Netaji Institute for Asian Studies, Kolkata.
- Delivered lecture on UGC seminar on ‘Globalization and Socio-Political Change in India: Problems and Prospects’ on 15th & 16th December, 2011 at Kanchrapara College.
- Delivered lecture on UGC seminar on “Engendering Governance: Panchayat shows the way” on 13-14 January, 2012, organized by Kandi Raj College.
- Presented paper in the National Seminar On ‘Ambedkar: Mission & Vision’ on 05-6 February, 2012 organized by Centre for Ambedkar Studies, Utkal University, Orissa.
- Delivered lecture on ‘Conflict and Democracy: Lessons from Panchayats in West Bengal’ in the UGC Seminar on 01.3.2012 -02.3.2012 organized by Sibpur Dinabandhu College, Howrah.
- Participated in an Interactive Session on “Indo-Bangladesh Bi-lateral Trade” on 14.4.2012 organized by Global India Foundation, Kolkata.
- Presented Paper in the National Seminar on “Law, Gender and Social Transformation in India” on 17-18 September, 2012 organized by Indian Sociological Society, Centre for Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy and Centre for Gender Studies, University of Hyderabad.
- Delivered lecture on “Positive Discrimination” organized by Panchakot Mahavidyalaya, Purulia on 28.9.12 sponsored by U.G.C.
- Acted as resource-person in the Refresher Course on Development Studies (06-26 June, 2013) organized by A.S.C, Burdwan University, West -Bengal.
- Delivered Asok Dugar memorial lecture on 01.8.2013 at Sripat Singh College, Murshidabad.
- Delivered speech on “Re-Visiting Communalism and Fundamentalism in the Indian Context’ in the U.G.C sponsored Seminar on 12.11.2013 at Amtala College, Murshidabad.
- Acted as resource-person in the U.G.C sponsored National Seminar on “Rural Development and Women Empowerment: Role of Micro-Credit and Micro-Finance” on 23-24 November, 2013 at Berhampore Girls College, Murshidabad.
- Acted as Resource Person in the U.G.C Sponsored National Seminar on “Decentralized Development and Rural Governance in India: Challenges and Opportunities” on 6-7 December, 2013 at Union Christian Training College, Berhampore.
- Delivered special lecture on “Women in Governance: Problems and Prospects” sponsored by U.G.C at Krishnanagar Government College on 19.2.2014.
- Acted as chair-person in the UGC sponsored National Seminar on “Changes in the Federal Structure of India: Current Factors and Trends” held on 03-04 September, 2014 at Haringhata Mahavidyalaya, Nadia.

- Acted as Chief Speaker in the UGC Sponsored National Seminar on “India’s Constitutional Development since the 1950s: Its Socio-Political and Economic Dimensions” at Dewan Abdul Gani College, Harirampur, Dakshin Dinajpur on 10-11 September, 2014.
- Acted as Resource Person and Chair-Person in the U.G.C sponsored National Seminar on “Human Rights and Human Development: The Current Indian Scenario” at Nahata J.N.M.S college, 24 Parganas (North) held on 29th & 30th November, 2014.
- Acted as Speaker in the Parallel Session in the AAPA International conference on January 08-10, 2015 in Xia’n, Peoples Republic of China.
- Acted as Discussant in the Parallel Session in the AAPA International conference on January 08-10, 2015 in Xia’n, Peoples Republic of China.
- Acted as Resource-person in two sessions of 99 Orientation Programme on 19.2.2015, organized by Academic Staff College, Burdwan University, West- Bengal.

Present Research Interest:

- Governance
- Public Policy
- Human Rights
- Land Reform & Allied Issues