

FACULTY PROFILE

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Academic Qualifications

- Ph.D. from Jadavpur University, Kolkata in the year 2014.
- M.A [Sanskrit] from University of Calcutta in the year 2008
- B.A. [Sanskrit Hons.] from Govt. Sanskrit College, affiliated to University of Calcutta in the year 2006

Awards:

- **NET** : December 24, 2011
- **Bhupendra Nath Smrititirtha Scholarship** (offered by University of Calcutta) for the **Highest Marks in Smṛti Paper in B.A. Examination in 2006.**
- The financial assistance of **Kyoto University Foundation** for attaining and presenting a paper on **14th World Sanskrit Conference in Kyoto, Japan in 2009.**

Research Details:

Title of the Ph.D. Thesis: *Studies in the Process of Law-Making in the Dharmaśāstras*

List of Publication

1. “**Interpretation of Law: Its Tradition and Modernity**” into the UGC sponsored conference proceedings namely “Influence of Sanskrit in Modern Literature” (ISBN: 978-93-81631-119), 2012.
2. “**A Unique Dharmaśāstric Interpretation of the Periphery of Yajñīya-Deśa—the Sacrificial Land**” in the journal *Vedic Studies* (Vol. VI), 2011-12, [ISSN: 2278-4373].
3. “**The Role of King in the Dharmaśāstras: A Tension Between his Judicial Power and Directives of the Dharmaśāstra**” in “Puṣpitāgrā: A Collection of Essays on Indology” [ISBN:978-93-83368-89-1], 2014 Published from Sanskrita Pustak Bhandar.
4. “**Practice of Textual Interpretations in Indian Tradition**” in “American Philosophical Association’s Newsletter for Asian-American Philosopher’s and Philosophies (Vol. 16: 1)” [ISSN: 2155-9708]: Fall 2016: USA
5. “**Law of Prohibition: A Link Between Mīmāṃsā & Dharmaśāstra**” in “ Sūtra, Smṛti and Śāstra: Selected Papers Presented in “Sūtra, Smṛiti and Śāstra Section at the 16th World Sanskrit Conference (28th June – 2nd July, 2015) Bangkok, Thailand” Edited by Shashi Prabha Kumar, Uma C. Vaidya [ISBN 9788193231920]. New Delhi: DK Publishers Distributors Pvt. Ltd.

Other Popular Writings

1. “**Dharmaśāstrīya Vidhi-Vyākhyā Paddhati: Paramparā o Ādhunikata (in Bengali)**” in Trināṅkur, edited by Kalyan Mitra in 2013.
2. “**Prācin Liṅgāntarer Kāhini**” in Samasāmayik Bānlā (Puja Samkhya) in 2013.

Seminars/Conference Attended:

SL No.	Nature of Seminar	Name of the Conference/Organizing Institution	Title of Paper Presented	Date
1.	International Seminar	Institute for Oriental Study, Thane	<i>Rereading Viṣṇārman: Multiple Interpretation</i>	27 th December, 2008
2.	UGC Sponsored National Level Seminar	Department of Sanskrit, Kanchrapara College, Kanchrapara, 24 Parganas. West Bengal	<i>Co-existence is the Ideal of Ancient Indian Culture</i>	13 th – 14 th February, 2009
3.	International Conference	14 th World Sanskrit Conference, Kyoto, Japan	<i>Multicultural Nature of Smṛti Law</i>	1 st – 5 th September, 2009
4.	International Conference	First Asian Philosophy Congress, ICPR, New Delhi	<i>Philosophical Roots of the Dharmaśāstra</i>	6 th – 9 th March, 2010
5.	National Seminar	Department of Sanskrit, Jagannath Sanskrit, Puri	<i>Ātmatuṣṭi: Prācinarvācinaparampara</i>	30 th April, 2015 – 1 st May, 2015
6.	UGC Sponsored National Level Seminar	Department of Sanskrit, Women's College, Agartala, Tripura	<i>Interpretation of Law: Tradition and Modernity</i>	20 th – 30 th August, 2011
7.	International Conference	15 th World Sanskrit Conference, New Delhi	<i>The Role of King in the Dharmaśāstras: A Tension Between his Judicial Power and Directives of the Dharmaśāstra</i>	5 th – 10 th January, 2012
8.	UGC Sponsored National Level Seminar	Department of Sanskrit, Godavaris Mahavidyalaya, Nachuni, Odisha	<i>An Attempt For Corruption Free Administration in Kauṭilya</i>	21 st – 22 nd February, 2012
9.	International Seminar	Department of Ancient Indian History and Culture, University of Calcutta	<i>A Unique Piece of Art: The Dhār Praśasti of Arjunavarman</i>	27 th - 28 th February, 2013
10.	International Seminar	Department of Sanskrit, Jadavur University	<i>Dharmaśāstriya Vidhi-vyākhyā Paddhati: Parampara o Adhunikatā</i>	21 st February, 2014
11.	UGC Sponsored National Level Seminar	Department of Sanskrit, Women's College, Agartala, Tripura	<i>A Critical Analysis of the Authority of Atharvaveda as a Source of Dharma</i>	8 th – 9 th August, 2014
12.	International Conference	16 th World Sanskrit Conference	<i>Law of Prohibition: A Link Between Mimāṃsā and Dharmaśāstra</i>	28 th June – 2 nd July, 2015

Areas of Interest:

- Dharmaśāstra & Arthaśāstra (Ancient Indian Law and Society)
- Mīmāṃsā Philosophy
- Hindu & Jaina Personal Law

Extra Curriculum Activities:

Directed Documentary Films on—

1. *Rād (a) Bānglar(a) Patuā*, on Tarasankar Bandyopadhyay Produced by Gauḍi Devī
2. *Sāhityik(a) Prasange: Banaphul(a)* Produced by Debjani Banerjee
3. *Kalparupe Kalyani* produced by Kalyani Municipality

Hobbies:

Reading Books, Watching Movies, Travelling, Listening Music & making documentary films.

Experience in Teaching:

- a) 12 Lectures on Sanskrit Poetics in Post Graduation Class at **Dinavandhu College**, Bongaon, 2008-09.
- b) Guest lecturer in **Ranaghat College** from September 2009-2011.
- c) Guest lecturer in **Rishi Bankim College**, Naihati from July 2011 to November, 2012.
- d) Guest faculty of the department of **Physical Education (P.G.)**, **Jadavpur University** from July 2011 to June 2012.
- e) 12 Lectures on Sanskrit Poetics in Post Graduation Class at **Dinavandhu College**, Bongaon, 2011-12.
- f) Guest faculty of the **Department of Sanskrit (P.G.)**, **Kalyani University** from July 2012 to December, 2012.
- g) **Contractual-Fulltime, Department of Sanskrit (P.G.)** at **Balurghat College (Under University of Gour Banga)**, Balurghat, Dakshin Dinajpur from November 2012 to February, 2014.
- h) **Contractual Full-Time Teacher & Coordinator**, **Department of Sanskrit**, **Kalyani University** from February, 2014 to 11th December, 2014.
- i) **Assistant Professor, Department of Sanskrit**, Khatra Adibasi Mahavidyalaya, Khatra, Bankura, West Bengal from 18th December, 2014 to 22nd July, 2015.
- j) **Guest Lecturer, Department of Sanskrit (P.G.)**, **Belur Vidyamandir**, Belur, Howrah from January, 2015 to June, 2015.
- k) **Guest Lecturer, Department of Sanskrit (P.G.)**, **Kalyani University** from January, 2015 to June, 2015.

- 1) Assistant Professor, Department of Sanskrit (P.G.), University of Kalyani from 23rd July, 2016 to till date.

Invited Lecture:

1. Cānakya & The History of Ancient India, delivered at 7th March, 2012 on the Workshop of the third production of the **Minarbha Repertory Theatre**, namely **Candragupta**.
2. Dharmaśāstriya Vidhi-vyākhyā Paddhati: Parampara o Adhunikatā (in Bengali) in one day **International Seminar** on “**Dharmaśāstras: Their Relevance to Modern Society**”, organized by the **Department of Sanskrit, Jadavpur University**, on 21st January, 2014.
3. Value Education in Sanskrit Literature in one day **National Seminar** on “**Value Education in Sanskrit**”, organized by **Berhampur K. N. College** on 12th September, 2015.
4. “Position of women in Hindu Civilization” in one day **UGC sponsored International Seminar**, Organized by **Jiagunj College, Murshidabad** on 26th February, 2016
5. “Can Parent of a Legitimate Child Adopt or Not?” — A **Hermeneutic Reply on Pre & Post-Colonial Law of Adoption in India**” in one day **National Seminar** on “**Revisiting Indian Social Norms: Its Source and Prospect in Smṛti Literature**” at **Scottish Church College, Kolkata** on 29th February, 2016.
6. “Position of Śūdra in Ancient India” at **Shubhash Chandra Centenary College, Lalbag, Murshidabad** on 15th February, 2016.

Workshop Attained:

- 1) Three Days Workshop on ‘**Handling of Manuscripts**’, Conducted at **Calcutta University Manuscript Resource Centre** (under **National Mission of Manuscripts**, Govt. of India) under the guidance of the Coordinator, MRC, CU.
- 2) A special lecture series on ‘**Mīmāṃsā System of Indian Philosophy**’ delivered by **Professor B. K. Swain, Professor of Dharmaśāstra, Sri Jagannath University, Puri** in **Bhairab Ganguly College, Belgharia** from 4th June to 9th June, 2012.

- 3) A special lecture series on '**Mīmāṃsā Rules of Interpretation**' delivered by **Professor B. K. Swain, Professor of Dharmaśāstra, Sri Jagannath University, Puri** in Bhairab Ganguly College, Belgharia from 16th to 18th October.

International Project:

Worked on the project for the critical edition of *Yājñavalkya-smṛti*, under the supervision of **Professor Patrick Olivelle, Jacob and Frances Sanger Mossiker Chair in the Humanities, Department of Asian Studies College of Liberal Arts, UT Austin, Texas, USA**, from May, 2012 to June, 2013 with the financial assistance of UT Austin, Texas.

Date: 16th November, 2016