**SHORT PROFILE**

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(ii) From April, 2015 to February, 2021- Contractual Lecturer in Geography at Department of Geography, University B T & Evening College, Cooch Behar.

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(iv) From August, 2007 to August, 2010- Part Time Lecturer in Geography at Department of Geography, University B T & Evening College, Cooch Behar.

**Additional Course** : Eight Week Certificate Course in RS & GIS (04/06/2018-27/07/2018) from Geoinformatics and Remote Sensing Cell, Department of Higher Education, Science and Technology and Biotechnology, Government of West Bengal.

**Participation in Academic Seminar/Webinar/Conference/Workshop**-

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| **Sl. No.** | **Seminar/ Webinar/Conference/ Workshop** | **Year** | **Title of the paper presented** | **Organised by** |
| 21 | International workshop on Qualitative and Quantitative Data analysis for social scientist | 2022 | NA | Department of Economics, Geography & Sociology of Raiganj University |
| 20 | Celebration of National Science Day | 28th February, 2022 | Participation only | Science Forum, Mrinalini Datta Mahavidyapith |
| 19 | 2nd Intensive Training Programme for the Young Geomorphologists | 1-2 November, 2021 | Participation only | IGI-Young Geomorphologists Forum |
| 18 | National Webinar on Current Trends in Geography and its Application | 23rd September, 2021 | Participation only | Department of Geography, Rampurhat College |
| 17 | Webinar on Environment and Development-The Contemporary Indian Perspective | 18th September, 2021 | Participation only | Advanced Research Centre in Human Geography, Lady Braboune College |
| 16 | National Webinar on Geospatial Technology Applications | 16th September, 2021 | Participation only | Diamond Harbour Women’s University |
| 15 | Two Days State Level Workshop on Guidelines For NAAC Accreditation & Promotion of College Teachers Under CAS | 21st & 22nd August, 2021 | NA | Teachers’ Council & IQAC, Basirhat College |
| 14 | One Day International Webinar on Environmental Disaster: Issues, Impacts and Mitigation | 14th July, 2021 | Participation only | Post Graduate Department of Geography, Krishnagar Government College |
| 13 | Two days National Seminar on Recent Trends in Anthropological Research | 1st & 2nd July, 2021 | Ecological Change & Ethnic Identity Problem- A study of Garo People in Cooch Behar District of WB | Mrinalini Datta Mahavidyapith, Kolkata & Dera Natung Govt. College, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh |
| 12 | One Day State Level Webinar on Remote Sensing and GIS | 25th June, 2021 | Participation only | Department of Geography, P.N.Das College |
| 11 | Webinar on Two Days Virtual Celebration of 47th World Environment Day | 5th & 6th June, 2021 | Participation only | Department of Geography, Naba Barrackpur Praffulla Chandra Mahavidyalaya |
| 10 | Celebration of National Science Day | 28th February & 1st March, 2021 | Participation only | Science Forum, Mrinalini Datta Mahavidyapith |
| 9 | Two Day International Webinar on Pandit Iswar Chandra Vidyasagar: An Erudite Social Reformer and Educationist | 25th & 26th September, 2020 | Participation only | B. Ed Section, University BT & Evening College |
| 8 | District Level Workshop on Yoga Education. | 18th & 19th April, 2018 | Participation only | University B T & Evening College |
| 7 | National Seminar on The World of Geography | 23rd & 24th March, 2018 | Ecological Change and Ethnic Identity Problem- A Study of Garo People in Cooch Behar District of West Bengal. | Foundation of Practising Geographers. |
| 6 | 4TH International Seminar on Population, Urbanization and Environment: Contemporary Issues and Challenges | 21st & 22nd March, 2018 | Ecological change and livelihood challenges of Garo people in Cooch Behar District of West Bengal | Dept. Of Geography, University of Gour Banga. |
| 5 | ICSSR-NERC Sponsored National Seminar on Indigenous Communities of North-East India: Issues and Challenges Towards Sustainability. | 13th & 14th October, 2017 | Work Participation and Status of Women in Garo Society- A study in Garopara and Jamadarerbash Villages in Cooch Behar District of West Bengal. | IQAC, Sonapur College, Sonapur, Assam. |
| 4 | International Seminar on Glocal Issues in Contemporary Art, Culture and Society. | 30th & 31st March, 2017 | Participation only | IQAC, Birpara College, West Bengal. |
| 3 | West Bengal Govt. Sponsored National Seminar on Livelihood Challenges and Spatial Transformation in India. | 24th & 25th March, 2017 | Social Change among Garo People: A case study in Garopara and Jamadarerbash villages in Cooch Behar District, W.B. | Department of Geography, Raiganj University. |
| 2 | National Level Seminar on The Rituals of Bengal | 2016 | Participation only | Dept. Of Bengali, University B T & Evening College in collaboration with Folklore Congress Association of India. |
| 1 | UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Rural out-migration in India; Problem and Prospects. | 22nd & 23rd November, 2013 | A Study on the Migration Population of India | Dept. Of Political Science, Sital Kuchi College in collaboration with Mathabhanga College. |

**Published Articles in Journal, Edited Book**-

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| **Sl. No.** | **Title of the Book/ Journal** | **Title of the Article/ Chapter** | **ISBN/ISSN** | **Year** |
| 13 | Recent Trends in Anthropological Research | Ecological Change & Ethnic Identity Problem- A study of Garo People in Cooch Behar District of WB | 9789391952372 | 2022 |
| 12 | International Journal of Society and Humanities  Vol-12/2018 No.-1 | Work participation and Status of Women in Garo Society –A study in Garopara and Jamadarerbash villages in Cooch Behar District of West Bengal. | 2319-2070 | 2018 |
| 11 | GEOGRAPHY OF CHANGE contemporary issues in Development, Environment and Society | Editorial | 9789385503214 | 2016 |
| 10 | International Research Journal of Multidisciplinary Studies.  Volume 2 Issue 7 | Biodiversity of Terai and Duars- its present status and future prospects | 24548499 (online) | 2016 |
| 09 | International Journal of Applied Research  Volume 1 Issue 11 | A Study on the changing characteristics and Elements of Surface Soil of Coastal Plain Areas in Digha, West Bengal | 23945869 (online)  23947500 (print) | 2015 |
| 08 | Asian Journal of Multidisciplinary Studies  Volume III Issue 5 | Role of Brick Industry in the Degradation of Land and Environment- A Case study of Daluadashgir Village in Cooch Behar District | 23218819 (online)  23487186 (print) | 2015 |
| 07 | Women Empowerment in India Issues and Challenges | Work participation and Women Empowerment: An Appraisal in Cooch Behar District of West Bengal | 9788186772782 | 2015 |
| 06 | RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN INDIA Issues and Challenges | Approaches to participation and policies for Rural Development | 9789350741863 | 2015 |
| 05 | HUMAN RIGHTS IN INDIA Issues and Concerns | Status of Slum Dwellers and Their Rights: A Case study of Cooch Behar Municipal Area in West Bengal | 9789350741955 | 2015 |
| 04 | Education in India Issues, Prospects and Challenges | Women Empowerment through Education in India | 9788186772843 | 2015 |
| 03 | Journal of Geo-Environment Observer  Volume 4 No. 1 | Wetland and Human Encroachment: A Case Study of Alipurduar Municipality Area | 22776141 | 2015 |
| 02 | PURVA BHARAT  (Bengali)  Volume 1 Issue 2 | Uttar Banger Nagarayaner Dhara O Falafal | 23198591 | 2014 |
| 01 | RURAL OUT-MIGRATION IN INDIA: PROBLEMS AND PROSPECTS | A Study on the Migration Population of India | 9788192696805 | 2013 |