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Personal Details & Contact:

- ❖ Monastic member of Ramakrishna Math and Ramakrishna Mission
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- ❖ Qualification: Ph.D.

Teaching Experience:

- a. Undergraduate Level : 17 years
- b. Post Graduate Level : 12 years (Post Graduate courses in Bengali, Sanskrit and Philosophy)

Area of Interest:

- a. Ramakrishna-Vivekananda Literature and Philosophy
- b. Literature and Spiritualism
- c. Gaudiya Vaishnavism and Vedanta Philosophy
- d. Influence of Sanskrit Literature on Indian Vernacular Literatures
- e. Sanskrit Literary Theories
- f. Modern Western Linguistics including Sociolinguistics
- g. Modern Bengali Literature (19th century and 1st half of 20th century)

Administrative Experience:

- a. Vice Principal : 9 years
- b. Principal : 4 years+

Research Activities:

- a. Minor Research Project under UGC, Theme of the Research Project : Swami Vivekananda O Bangla Kobita, Completed in 2014.

- b. PhD Supervisor : 1 (degree awarded) ; 5 (Registered)
- c. Co-PhD Supervisor : 1 (degree awarded)
- d. MPhil Supervisor : 14 (degree awarded)

Experience as a Member of Different Committees/Bodies:

- a. Former Member of the West Bengal Government District Library Committee
- b. Former Member of the Monitoring Committee of CPE (UGC)
- c. Member of the four Inspection Committees for the Autonomous Colleges
- d. Member, Appeals Committee, NAAC
- e. Advisor, Folklore Congress Association India
- f. Member, State Level Quality Assurance Cell, Higher Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal
- g. Member, Holistic Faculty Development Committee, University of Calcutta
- h. Member, Advisory Board, Sahitya O Samskriti
- i. Vice President, Governing Body, Ramakrishna Mission Shikshanamandira
- j. Member, Advisory Body, KNIDS
- k. Member, Committee for Ekalavya Model Residential School, Jhargram, Tribal Development Department, Govt of West Bengal

Seminars and Lectures:

a. Resource Person in Refresher Course and Orientation Programmes in Universities :

- i) RC organized by Bengali, English and Sanskrit Depts. at ASC of Burdwan University, 06.07.11, Topic : Violence and Literature
- ii) OP at Burdwan University, 03.09.11
- iii) OP at Burdwan University, 16.01.12
- iv) RC organized by Bengali Dept at ASC of Jadavpur University, 20.04.2012, Topic : Modern Bengali Literature and Swami Vivekananda's Poems.
- v) OP at Burdwan University, 06.06.12
- vi) OP at Burdwan University, 14.08.12
- vii) OP at Burdwan University, 05.10.12
- viii) RC organized by Mechanical Engineering Dept at ASC of Jadavpur University, 28 January 2013, Topic : Inner Engineering : Literature of Rabindranath
- ix) OP at Burdwan University, 25.02.13
- x) OP at Burdwan University, 14.01.2014

- xi) Summer School, Topic – Ramakrishna-Vivekananda Literature : A Critical Appreciation, organized by the Dept of Bengali, University of Calcutta
- xii) OP at Burdwan University, 7 June 2014
- xiii) OP at ASC, Calcutta University, 9 September, 2014
- xiv) OP at ASC, Burdwan University, 12 February, 2015
- xv) OP at ASC, Calcutta University, 6 April 2015
- xvi) Valedictory Address at OP at BPS Mahila Viswavidyalaya, Sonapat, Hariyana, 19 May 2015
- xvii) OP at HRDC, Burdwan University, 16 July 2015
- xviii) OP at HRDC, Calcutta University, 3 December 2015
- xix) OP at HRDC, Burdwan University, 19 January 2016
- xx) OP at HRDC, Burdwan University, 17 March 2016
- xxi) OP at HRDC, Delhi University, 8 June 2016
- xxii) OP at HRDC, Burdwan University, 14 July 2016
- xxiii) FDP programme on Research and Pedagogy organized by RCC Engineering College, Kolkata, 6 August 2016
- xxiv) OP at HRDC, Calcutta University, 5 September 2016
- xxv) OP at HRDC, Burdwan University, 13 July 2016
- xxvi) OP at HRDC, Calcutta University, 22 December 2016 (morning Session)
- xxvii) RC at Dept of CIIL (under HRDC), 22 December 2016 (evening session)

b. Resource Persons in different seminars :

- i) UGC National Seminar, Topic - ‘Vivekananda: A Multifarious Personality’, Khatra College, Bankura, West Bengal, 01.02.2012.
- ii) Special Lecture, Topic - ‘Swami Vivekananda’s Influence on Bengali Literature’ organized by Bengali Department, Rabindra Bharati University, 15.02.2012.
- iii) Convocation Address to the 1st Batch Passed out students of Post Graduate Zoology of Srerampur College, Hoogly, 03.03.2012
- iv) UGC National Seminar, Topic - ‘Swadeshbhavana: Rabindranth and Swami Vivekananda’, Chittaranjan College, Chittaranjan, West Bengal, 16.03.2012
- v) UGC National Seminar, Topic – Vivekanander Sahitya Cinta, Bengali Department, Vidyasagar University, 28.03.2012
- vi) UGC National Seminar, Topic - Dwijendralaler Kobita, Bengali Department, Gourbanga University, 25 July 2012
- vii) UGC National Seminar, Topic – Narendrath theke Vivekananda, Bengali Department of Jadavpur University, 24 september 2012
- viii) UGC National Seminar, Topic – Swami Vivekananda and Bangla Kobita, Bengali Department, Calcutta University, 31st December 2012.

- ix) 150th birth Anniversary Celebration by IIT, Kanpur, Topic - The Present Day Youth : Swami Vivekananda's Path, 10 January 2013.
- x) UGC National Seminar, Topic – Swami Vivekananda & Harmony of Mankind, Jadavpur University, 28.01.2013.
- xi) UGC National Seminar, Topic – Swami Vivekananda Ekti Notun Path, Pol Science Dept, Asutosh College, 05.02.2013
- xii) UGC National seminar, Topic – Swami Vivekananda Probab Ekaler Bishleshon, Dept of Sanskrit & Philosophy, Mialni Mahavidyalay, Bajkul, 21.03.2013
- xiii) UGC National Seminar, Topic – Swami Vivekananda & Recent Day Youth, Dept of Pol Sc, Bangabasi College, 23.03.2013
- xiv) One-day seminar on 'Museum and Value Education', Dept of Museology, Gandhian Study Centre of Calcutta University (Gandhi Smarak Sangrahalaya) 31.03.2013
- xv) One-day State Level Seminar, Topic – Commemoration of Prof Asutosh Mukhopadhyay on His 150th Birth Anniversary : A Retrospect, Bethune College, Kolkata, 14 December 2013
- xvi) UGC Sponsored National Seminar, Key-note Speaker, Topic – Philosophy of Swami Vivekananda, Dept of Philosophy, Nisambalananda Girls' College, 31.01.2014
- xvii) Workshop on NAAC Accreditation, organized by Jhargram Raj College, West Bengal, 02.02.2014
- xviii) UGC Sponsored National Level Seminar, Key-note Speaker, Topic – Swami Vivekananda and Modern Thoughts, Raniganj College, 12.02.2014
- xix) State-level Seminar, Topic – Prof Sankari Prasad Basu : A Life Dedicated to Vivekananda Movement, organized by Sahitya Akademi, 12 September, 2014
- xx) UGC Sponsored National Seminar, Topic – Swami Vivekananda and Indian Women, organized by Chittaranjan College, Burdwan, 18 September, 2014
- xxi) State-level Seminar, Topic – Bankimchandra Anandamath, organized by Sahitya Akademi, 24 March 2015
- xxii) Regional Seminar, Topic – Sri Ramakrishna Kathamrita : An Outstanding Example of Classical Literature, organized by Sutanuti Boimela Parishad and Sutradhar Publishing House at Latubabu-Satubabu's House, Shovabazar, Kolkata, 7 May 2015
- xxiii) UGC Sponsored National Seminar, Topic – Adhunik Sanskrita Sahityacarca, Organised by Department of Sanskrit, Gourbanga University, 20 September 2016
- xxiv) Regional Seminar, Topic – Shashibhushan Dasgupta ebong Bangla Sahitye Gurho Sadhon Darshon, organized by Dhrupadi Eshona, Dum Dum, Kolkata, 19 December 2015
- xxv) UGC-sponsored National Conference, Topic – Education and Development, organized by Visva Bharati, 4 March 2016

- xxvi) 'Apala Basu Memorial Lecture' on 'Gouriya Vaishnavism and Ramakrishna Spiritual Ideology', organized by Dept of Philosophy, Visva Bharati, 21 March 2016
- xxvii) ICSSR sponsored National level Research Methodology Workshop on Qualitative Research in Social Sciences, organized by Visva Bharati, 11 April 2016
- xxviii) Regional Seminar, Topic – Bangalir Chittacarca, organized by Sutradhar Publishing House and Sadharan Brahma Samaj, 23 April 2016
- xxix) Regional Seminar, Topic – NAAC Accreditation : Challenges and Preparations, organized by Asutosh College, Kolkata, 16 August 2016
- xxx) Regional Seminar, Sarat Chandra Chattopadhyay Memorial Lecture, Topic – Bangla Sahitye Oltihya O Adhunikata, organized by Sarat Centenary College, Hoogly, 17 August 2016
- xxxii) Regional Seminar, On Bankimchandra, organized by St Xaviers' College, Kolkata, 20 August 2016
- xxxiii) National Level Conference on 'Inter-faith Harmony', organized by Brahma Samaja, New Delhi, 13 November, 2016
- xxxiiii) Regional Seminar, organized by Sutradhar and Bagbazar Palli Samity, Nivedita O Bharatvarsha, 14 November 2016
- xxxv) Swami Ranganathananda Memorial Lecture on 'Message of Vedanta', organized by Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture, Golpark, 12 December 2016
- xxxvi) International Workshop on Development and Politics organized by ISI, Kolkata and University of Manchester, 19 December 2016
- xxxvii) National Seminar (UGC sponsored) on Thoughts of Swami Vivekananda on Philosophy, Literature and Politics organized by Jogesh Ch Chwodhury College, Kolkata
- xxxviii) Gopinath-Prabashiban Memorial Endowment Lecture organized by Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture, Golpark, Kolkata on 'Characteristics of Indian Philosophical Discourses', 30 March 2017

List of Articles published in

Journals/Periodicals and Books:

1. 'Role of Parents, Teachers and Society in Moral Development of Students', 'Proceedings of In-Service Education Programme' published by Ramakrishna Mission Shikshanamandira, 2007
2. Karmayoga, Cultivation of Human Values for Betterment of Society - Karmayoga of the Bhagabat Gita and Swami Vivekananda, UGC National Seminar Proceedings Vivekananda College for Women, Kolkata, West Bengal,, 2007

3. Spirituality in the Pilgrimage of Modern Bengali Literature, Prabuddha Bharata, November & December 2009, P 599-605 & P 670-673.
4. Ekhono Onek Poth Baki, Samprotik Bangla Natok Bibortoner Gotimukh, UGC National Seminar Proceedings of Deshabandu Mahavidyalaya, Chittaranjan, West Bengal, 2009, P 5-6.
5. Rabindranath O Vivekananda : Sakkhate-Asakkhate, Nillohit, Vol. V-VI, Special Rabindranath Volume, P 154-161, 2010
6. Sadhonar Bedipithe Kobi O Sonnyasi, Tabu Ekoloby, BiShesh Sankhya, Rabindra Abiskar, 6th Yr, Issue 1, 1417 (Bnegali Year) / 2010, Kolkata, P 106-131.
7. Jago Doshoprohoronodharini, Tabu Ekoloby, Sharadiya 2011, Kolkata, P 8-10.
8. Swami Vivekanander Ramayan Vabona, Dhrupadi Esona, January, 2011, Kolkata, P 101-119.
9. Kathamriter Kendriya Coritro : Simar Majhe Osim, Smorone Monone Shri Ramakrishna, (Ed By Swami Ritananda), Udbodhan, 2011, Kolkata, P
10. Onyo Rabindrasadhona, Rabindranath : Onyo matray, Onyo Borne, UGC National Seminar Proceedings of Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira, Belur Math, West Bengal, 2011, P 220-223
11. Kobitar Kolom Hate kobi O Sonnyasi, Rabindra Kabyocorrcar Nana Digonto (Ed. By Anandamoy Bhattacharya), Dey's Publishing, Kolkata, January, 2012, Kolkata, P 87-106.
12. Kobi Dwijendrolal, Tabu Ekoloby, Sharadiya 2012, Kolkata, P 135-141.
13. Poet in Vivekananda, Vivek Chinta, Ed. By Jagopal Mandal, published by Kamalini Prakashan, Kolkata, May 2012, P 165-170
14. Lokasamskriti theke Lokasanskritibijnan : Ekti Onyo Pothe Dekha, Ioksanskrititr Field Work : Ekti Somikkha, (Ed by Prof Sk Makbul Islam), Udar Akash, Kolkata, 2012, P 13-18.
15. Ekti Bitashok Jibon, Ebong Mushayera, 19th yr, Issue 2, July-Sep, 2012, Kolkata, P 14-16.
16. Jibonzoddha Vivekananda, Bibek-Arghya, ed. Purnendu Basu & Anandaprasad Roy, Sahityika, Newbarackpur, North 24 pgs, January 2013, p15-18
17. Ekal, Sedesh : Se Vivekananda, Bibek Rashmi, ed. Rakhal Ch Nath, Pragatishil Prakashak, January 2013, Kolkata, P 7-12
18. Kathay Kathay 'Kathar Katha' (A critical appreciation of Ramkumar Mukhopadhyay's Novel), Ramkumar Mukhopadhyay : Kathazatrar Tin Doshok, ed Debarati Mallick & Dipankar Mallick, Diya Publications, February, 2013, P 160-164
19. Bibekanonder Shikkhacinta, Bibekanonda 150th Anniversary Publications, (Ed by Rajat Subhra Majumder) , Progressive Publishers, February, 2013.
20. Jibanadorshe O Jibonpothe Kobi O Sonnyasi : Ekti Tulonamulok Dristipat, Sardhoshotoborrsheshe Swami Vivekananda : Smorone O Monone, ed Sucharita

- Bandyopadhyay, Dept of Bengali Language and Literature, University of Calcutta, August 2013, P 65-74
21. Bibekanonder Charti Bangla Kobita, Swami Vivekananda : Kale Kalantore, ed Biplab Chakraborty, Pustak Biponi, Kolkata, October, 2013, P113-118
 22. Anirban Ek Sadhonjibon Prodip : Swami Kalyanananda, Swamijir Aloke Udvasito Onuragibrindo, Ed by Swami Vamanananda, Ramakrishna Math, Baranagar, P 106-121, 2013
 23. Swadesher Unnoyoner Kolpona O Porikalponay Kobi O Sonnyasi, Ekabingsho Shotabdite Rabindranther Prasongikota, ed Sagarchandra Bandyopadhyay, Dept of Bengali, Deshabandhu Mahavidyalaya, Chittaranjan, Burdwan, January 2014, P 19-65
 24. Swami Vivekananda and Modern Education, Vivek Jivan, Akhil Bharat Yuva Mahamndal, January, 2015, P 16-21
 25. Sri Ramakrishna O Manobatabad, Jagabandana, ed Swami Suparnananda, Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture, Golpark, West Bengal, January 2015.
 26. Kathamukh, Sri Ramakrishna by Syed Mujtaba Ali, Sutradhar, Kolkata, September 2015, Page 1-6
 27. Amader Chittacarca, Ed. Suman Bhoumik, Sutradhar, Kolkata, May 2016, P 17-47
 28. Bahnitanaya, Vivek Chinta, Ed. By Anup Gupta, Business Economics Pvt Ltd, Kolkata, June-July 2016, P 187-190
 29. Shashibhushan Dasgupta : Manansahityer Ek Jyotishka, Ebong Sayak, Medinipur, P.66-75, September-October 2016
 30. Kathamukh, Nibedita Lokamata by Nripendra Krishna Chattopadhyay, Sutradhar, Kolkata, November 2016, Page 1-5

Books Edited as Co-Editor:

1. Sri Ramakrishna and Our Times, Published by Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira, Kolkata, 2013
2. A Bouquet of Swami Vivekananda's Writings, Published by Advaita Ashrama, Kolkata, 2013
3. Swami Vivekananda and Our Times, Published by Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira, Kolkata, 2014