

# Curriculum Vitae



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**Present Designation:** Assistant Professor of History

**Academic Records:** M.A., M. Phil., Ph. D.

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**Teaching Experience:** Assistant Professor from 2011 to present

**Research Area of Interest:**

Student Movements in Colonial and Post-Colonial India; Social, Economic and Political Movements of Modern India

**Research Experience:**

1. Member, Board of Research Studies in History, RGU from 2015 to Present
2. Member, Research Advisory Committee, Department of History, RGU from 2016 to present
3. Working three Ph.D. and one M. Phil. scholar under my Supervision in the Dept. of History, RGU
4. One scholar awarded Ph. D.

**Attachment with Research Institutes:**

- 1) Life Member of the Institute of Historical Studies, 8/1 Loudon Street, Kolkata
- 2) Life Member of Paschimbanga Itihas Samsad, Woodburn Park, Kolkata

**Research and Academic Contributions:**

**Publications in Peer Reviewed and UGC approved Journals:**

- 1) A Research Paper entitled “*Impact of Naxalite Movement on Student Politics: A Historical Review*” published in ‘*The Quarterly Review of Historical Studies*’, Vol. LVIII, Nos.1&2, ISSN-0033-5800, Year- 2018, PP. 81-87, Published by Institute of Historical Studies, Kolkata. UGC approved Journal No. 40852

- 2) A Research Paper entitled “*Fifty Years of Naxalbari Uprising: Looking Back*” published in ‘*Karatoya, The North Bengal University Journal of History*’, Vol. 10, ISSN-2229-4880, Year-2017, PP. 270-280, Published by University of North Bengal. UGC approved Journal No. 42512
- 3) A Research Paper entitled “*Growth and Development of Student Movement in Bengal: Unorganized to Organized*” published in ‘*The Quarterly Review of Historical Studies*’, Vol. LVI, Nos.3&4, ISSN-0033-5800, Year- 2017, PP. 85-92, Published by Institute of Historical Studies, Kolkata. UGC approved Journal No. 40852
- 4) A Research Paper entitled “*Partition of Bengal and the Reaction of Contemporary Students*” published in the “*IOSR Journal of Humanities and Social Science*”, Vol. 22, Issue-6, Ver. 11 Year- 2017, PP. 56-59, p-ISSN-2279-0845, e-ISSN-2279-0837 published by IOSR. UGC approved Journal No. 5070/48576, Indexed by Thomson Reuters, Google Scholar and Cross Ref.
- 5) A Research Paper entitled “*Student Participation in the Calcutta Tram Fare Movement*” published in the “*IOSR Journal of Humanities and Social Science*”, Vol. 21, Issue-4, Ver. 06 Year- 2016, PP. 52-55, p-ISSN-2279-0845, e-ISSN-2279-0837, published by IOSR. UGC approved Journal No. 5070/48576, Indexed by Thomson Reuters, Google Scholar and Cross Ref.
- 6) A Research Paper entitled “*Changing Role of the Students in Post-Colonial Bengal: A Study on Refugee Movement*” published in the “*IOSR Journal of Humanities and Social Science*”, Vol. 21, Issue-2, Ver. V, Year- 2016, PP. 1-3, p-ISSN-2279-0845, e-ISSN-2279-0837, published by IOSR. UGC approved Journal No. 5070/48576, Indexed by Thomson Reuters, Google Scholar and Cross Ref.
- 7) A Research Paper entitled “*Survival as Resistance: The Santal Community in Dinajpur District*” published jointly with Prof. Ratna Roy Sanyal in ‘*The Quarterly Review of Historical Studies*’, Vol. LV, Nos.1&2, ISSN-0033-5800, Year- 2015, PP. 59-64, Published by Institute of Historical Studies, Kolkata. UGC approved Journal No. 40852
- 8) A Research Paper entitled “*Communist Impact: Leftism in Undivided Dinajpur*”, published in *FRONTIER*, Vol.47, No. 9, September 7-13, 2014, ISSN- 0016-2094, PP. 13-15, Published by Germinal Publications Pvt. Ltd., Kolkata
- 9) A Research Paper entitled “*Continuing Peasant Rebellion: Before Naxalbari*”, published in *FRONTIER*, Vol.44, No. 50, June 24-30, 2012, ISSN- 0016-2094, PP. 08-11, Published by Germinal Publications Pvt. Ltd., Kolkata
- 10) A Research Paper entitled “*Role of Tribals in Indian National Movement: A Study on Dinajpur District of Undivided Bengal(1905-1947)*” published in the “*Journal of Indian History*”, Vol. XCI, Year- 2012, PP.204-212 , ISSN-0022-1775, Published by University of Kerala. UGC approved Journal No. 40843
- 11) A Research Paper entitled “*A Critical Approach to the Trade and Commerce in Vanga-Samatata-Harikela during the Early Medieval Period*” published jointly with Dr. Gaur Chandra Ghosh in the “*Journal of Indian History*”, Vol. LXXVIII/Parts.1-3, Year- 2009, PP. 37-43, ISSN-0022-1775, published by University of Kerala. UGC approved Journal No. 40843
- 12) A Research Paper entitled “*Women in Naxalbari Uprising: A Historical Overview*” published in the “*Journal of Indian History*”, Vol. LXXV/Parts.1-3, Year- 2007, PP. 275-284, ISSN-0022-1775, published by University of Kerala. UGC approved Journal No. 40843
- 13) A Research Paper entitled “*The Students and the Politics of West Bengal: A Study on Historic Food Movement (1959-1966)*” published in “*The Quarterly Review of Historical Studies*”, Vol.

### Publications in Books/ Seminar Proceedings

1. A Paper entitled “*Depressed Class Upliftment as an Impact of British Divide and Rule Policy: A Debate*” published in Seminar Proceedings published by Progressive Publishers, Kolkata, 2016, ISBN-81-8064-231-3, PP. 154-162

### Paper in Conferences/Seminars/Workshops/Symposia to deliver lectures/Chair Sessions:

#### International Level

- 1) A Paper entitled “*Gramanchaler Sech Babaster Sekal O Ekal*” presented in the International Symposium on ‘*Gramcharcha*’ organized by Raiganj University, Kalabati Mudra and Anthropological Survey of India, held on 23<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> September, 2016.
- 2) A Paper entitled “*Student Participation in the Food Movement of West Bengal*” presented in the International Seminar on ‘*Contemporary Trends in Humanities and Social Sciences*’ organized by Acharya Brajendranath Seal College, Coochbehar, held on 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> April, 2016 under the sponsorship of the University Grants Commission, New Delhi
- 3) A Paper entitled “*Historical Background of Raiganj University College*” presented in the International Conference on ‘*Raiganj University: Challenges and Opportunities*’ organized by Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2016.
- 4) A Paper entitled “*Socio-Religious Reforms in Colonial Period: A Weapon of Democratic Movement*” presented in the International Seminar on ‘*Philosophy, Religion and Society*’ organized by the Department of Philosophy, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2016.
- 5) A Paper entitled “*Environmental Protection and the Role of NGO*” presented in the International Seminar on ‘*Environmental Degradation Due to Human Interference*’ organized by the Department of Geography, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2016.
- 6) A Paper entitled “*Peasant Unrest in Pre-Naxalbari Uprising: A Study in the Context of Rural Politics*” presented in the International Seminar on ‘*North Bengal: Society, Politics and Cultural Heritage*’ organized by the Department of History, University of North Bengal, held on 16-17 March, 2012 under the sponsorship of the University Grants Commission, New Delhi

#### National Level

- 1) A Paper entitled “*Opportunities of the Tribal People of Undivided Dinajpur: Some Challenges*” presented in the National Workshop-Cum-Orientation Programme on ‘*Drive Towards Equality of Opportunity*’ by Raiganj University and ICSSR-ERC, held on 30-31<sup>th</sup> March, 2019.
- 2) A Paper entitled “*Role of Santal in the Tebhaga Movement of Undivided Dinajpur: An Analysis*” presented in the National Seminar on ‘*Peasants and Tribes in Indian History: Colonial Experiences*’ organized by the Department of History, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2017.

- 3) A Paper entitled “*Left Extremist Movement in North Bengal in Post-Sixties*” presented in the National Seminar on ‘*Indian Polity at the Crossroads*’ organized by the Department of Political Science, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 28<sup>th</sup> March, 2016.
- 4) A Paper entitled “*Charjapader Puthi O Aitihāsik Kal Nirṇayer Samasya*” presented in the National Seminar on ‘*Prakashaner Satobarsher Aloke Charjapada and Srikrishnakirtan Kabya*’ organized by the Department of Bengali, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2016.
- 5) A Paper entitled “*Characteristics of the Calcutta Tram Fare Movement of the Fifties*” presented in the National Seminar on ‘*Socio-Economic Challenges of West Bengal After Partition of India*’ organized by the Department of History, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> March, 2016.
- 6) A Paper entitled “*Development of Sanskrit Literature During Gupta Period*” presented in the National Seminar on ‘*Dimensions of Sanskrit Literature*’ organized by the Department of Sanskrit, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 10<sup>th</sup> January, 2016.
- 7) A Paper entitled “*Depressed Class Upliftment as an Impact of British Divide and Rule Policy: A Debate*” presented in the National Seminar on ‘*Trends and Development in Science, Social Science and Humanities*’ organized by Islampur College, Uttar Dinajpur, West Bengal, held on August 22, 2015.
- 8) A Paper entitled “*Relevance of Vedic Lokachara to Present Day Society*” presented in the National Seminar on ‘*Present-day Relevance of Lokachara approved by Smritisāstras*’ organized by the Department of Sanskrit, Raiganj College (University College), West Bengal, held on 24-25 September, 2013 under the sponsorship of the University Grants Commission, New Delhi
- 9) A Paper entitled “*Swami Vivekananda Dristite Siksha O Ekal*” presented in the National Seminar on ‘*The Relevance of Swami Vivekananda in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*’ organized by the Department of Philosophy, Raiganj College (University College), West Bengal, held on 22-23 March, 2013 under the sponsorship of the University Grants Commission, New Delhi

#### State Level

- 1) A Paper entitled “*Kaivarta Bidroha O Pal Samrajjer Samayek Biroti: Ekti Parjalochana*”, presented in the 29<sup>th</sup> Conference of Paschimbanga Itihas Samsad at Lady Brabourne College, Kolkata, held from January 24-26, 2013
- 2) A Paper entitled “*Backward Class Empowerment Through Reservation System: A Historical Overview*” presented in the State Level Seminar on ‘*Backward Class Empowerment Through Reservation System: Present, Prospects and Challenges*’, Organized by Raiganj College(University College), Uttar Dinajpur, West Bengal, held on 16<sup>th</sup> January, 2013
- 3) A Paper entitled “*Bam Rajnitir Udbhava O Prasare Dinajpur Zilla (1947-1977): Kichu Ajana Tathya*”, presented in the 28<sup>th</sup> Conference of Paschimbanga Itihas Samsad at Vivekananda College, Thakurpukur, Kolkata, held from January 24-26, 2012

#### Participation in Seminar

- 1) Participated in a Seminar on “*Inland Aquaculture and Present Scenario of West Bengal*” organized by the Department of Zoology, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2015.

- 2) Participated in the International Seminar on '*State, Power and Ethics of Governance: The Indian Experiences*' organized by the Department of History, University of North Bengal, held on 18-20 February, 2013 under the sponsorship of the University Grants Commission & Indian Council of Historical Research, New Delhi

### Experiences in Organizing Conferences/Seminars/Workshops etc.

1. Acted as Organizing Secretary in the National Seminar on '*Peasants and Tribes in Indian History: Colonial Experiences*' organized by the Department of History, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2017.
2. Acted as Convener in the National Seminar on '*Socio-Economic Challenges of West Bengal After Partition of India*' organized by the Department of History, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> March, 2016
3. Acted as a member of Organizing Committee in the National Seminar on '*Indian Polity at the Crossroads*' organized by the Department of Political Science, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 28 March, 2016.
4. Acted as a member of Organizing Committee in the National Seminar on '*Prakashaner Satobarsher Alope Charjapada and Srikrishnakirtan Kabya*' organized by the Department of Bengali, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2016.
5. Acted as a member of Organizing Committee in the International Seminar on '*Philosophy, Religion and Society*' organized by the Department of Philosophy, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2016.
6. Acted as a member of Organizing Committee in the International Seminar on '*Environmental Degradation Due to Human Interference*' organized by the Department of Geography, Raiganj University, West Bengal, held on 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2016.

### Invited Lectures/ Chairing Session:

1. Delivered invited lecture on "Specific Qualities of a Good Researcher: A Hypothesis" in the Workshop on Research Methodologies in History and Social Sciences and Research Scholars' Seminar organized by Department of History, Raiganj University held on 27.11.2018.
2. Delivered invited lecture on "Importance of Sources for the Reconstruction of Modern Indian History: Present Scenario of History Writing" in the Lecture Series organized by Department of History, Jamini Majumdar Memorial College, Dakshin Dinajpur, West Bengal held on 05.01.2019.

Administrative Experience: Estate Officer (Additional Charge), Raiganj University from December, 2017 to present

### Academic and Administrative Committees:

1. Member, Board of Research Studies in History, RGU
2. Member, Board of Studies in History (P.G. & U.G.), RGU
3. Member, Editorial Board, Raiganj University Journal of History
4. Member, Library Committee, RGU
5. Member, Internal Complaint Committee for Sexual Harassment at Workplace, RGU
6. Member, Hostel Monitoring Committee, RGU
7. Vice-Chairman, Raiganj University Employees Co-Operative Credit Society Ltd.

8. Convener & Member Secretary, Disposal Committee, RGU  
Co-Curricular Activities: Programme Officer, NSS, Unit-II, Raiganj University from June, 2017 to present

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