

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### **Teaching Experience:**

- Presently working as Associate Professor in History, Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya, (Affiliated to University of Gour Banga), West Bengal, India since 2010 till date
- PG : 13 Years (DDE-RBU Study Center at Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya)
- Worked as Assistant Teacher, (W.B.S.S.C.) at Gobindapara High School, Malatipur, Malda, West Bengal, from October 2008 to 3<sup>rd</sup> March, 2010.

### **Research Interest:**

- Regional History, Micro History, Iconography, Northern Bengal, Extremist Movement.

### **Membership in Research Institutes/Societies:**

- ❖ Life Member of Indian Institute of Oriental Studies and Research, Kolkata.

### **Administrative Experience:**

- ❖ Coordinator of Equal Opportunity Cell from 2024
- ❖ Convener of Health Club From 2021- till date
- ❖ Convener of Beautification Committee from 2022 to 2023
- ❖ TIC of Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya from 01.12.2020 to 30.05.2021
- ❖ Convener of Library Committee from 2016-2019 of Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya.

## **Publications:**

### **Journals**

- ❖ **‘A New Discourse in the Archaeology of North Dinajpur District’**, *Journal of Historical Studies and Research (JHSR)*, 2583-0198, 2024, pp- 47- 55.
- ❖ **‘A Search of Jagaddala Mahavihara: An Archeological Perspective’**, *History Today*, 2249-748X, (U.G.C. CARE List- I), 2023, Co-authored with Dr. S. K. Adhikary, (Forth Coming).
- ❖ **‘The Bengal Bargadars Temporary Regulation Bill, 1947: An Antagonist of the Tebhaga Movement’**, *International Journal of Research and Analytical Reviews (IJRAR)*, 2348-1269, Peer Reviewed, Impact Factor- 7.17, (U.G.C. Approved), 2023, pp-329-332.
- ❖ **‘Armed Revolutionary Movement in Colonial Northern Bengal with Special Reference to Dinajpur District’**, *International Journal of Creative Research Thoughts (IJCRT)*, 2320-2882, Peer Reviewed, Impact Factor- 7.97, (U.G.C. Approved), 2023, p- 863-868.
- ❖ **‘British Bharote Obivokto Dinajpur Jeiai Choromponthi Andolon: Ekti Porjalochoa’**, *Ebong Mahua*, 141 (A), 2021, (U.G.C. CARE List- I 2021), pp- 384-388.

### **Books Edited**

- ❖ ***History of North Bengal: A New Perspective***, (edited), Progressive Publishers, 2019, ISBN 987-81-8064-300-2.
- ❖ ***Cultural Plurality and Nation Making in India***, (Co-author), Lahore Publication, Kolyani, 2015, ISBN 987-81-929475-2-5.

### **Chapter in Books**

- ❖ **‘The Position of Women in 12<sup>th</sup> Century Bengal’**, in *Women Empowerment Miles to Go...*, Dr. Jayeeta Basu & Dr. Manas Jana (eds.), Radiance, Kolkata 2015, ISBN: 978-93-810374-2-3.

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### **Organised Seminar/ Conference/ Symposia:**

- ❖ Organized **One Day Seminar** entitled ‘**Evolution of Human and Prehistory**’ under **Faculty Exchange Programme** by Department of History on 21.05.2024.
- ❖ Organized A **Blood Donation Camp** by **Health Club** in Collaboration with **NSS** (Unit -2), Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya on 14.12.2023.
- ❖ Organized an **One Day Workshop on Mental Health** at Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya in Collaboration with **Students Health Home** on 26/08/2023.
- ❖ Organized An **Awareness Camp** on **International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking** at Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya in Collaboration with **District Legal Service Authority**, Uttar Dinajpur on 26.06.2023.
- ❖ Organized **One Day Seminar** on **Prevention of Suicide** by **Health Club**, Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya in Collaboration with **CMOH**, Uttar Dinajpur on 25.11.2022.
- ❖ Organized A Seminar in Observance of **International Yoga Day** by **Health Club**, Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya on 21.06.2022.
- ❖ Organized **One Day Seminar** entitled **Recent Trend in Indian History with Special Emphasis on Biasness : Changes and Continuity** under **Faculty Exchange Programme** by Department of History on 17.05.2022
- ❖ Organized awareness camp on **National Tobacco Control Programme** by Health Club, at Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya in collaboration with District Tobacco Control Cell on 08.04.2022.
- ❖ Organised University Grants Commission sponsored National Seminar on **History of North Bengal: A New Perspective** in Dept. of History, Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya on 4-5 April, 2017.
- ❖ Organised **University Grants Commission** sponsored **National Seminar** in collaboration with Shree Agrasen Mahavidyalaya, Department of History on ‘**Cultural Plurality and Nation Making in India (Focus on Eastern and North-Eastern India)**’ in Department of History, Shree Agrasen Mahavidyalaya, on 7-8 November, 2014.

**Participated in Workshop/ Summer & Winter School/ O.P. & R.C. Programmes:**

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1.	Orientation Programme	21-11-2014 To 18-12-2014	ASC, University of North Bengal
2.	Refresher Course	01.11.2016 to 21.11.2016	HRDC, University of North Bengal
3.	Refresher Course	20.07.2020 to 01.08.2020	HRDC, University of Hyderabad
4.	Refresher Course	31.08.2023 to 14.09.2023	UGC-HRDC, Jawaharlal Nehru University

**Presented paper in Seminar/Conference/Workshop:**

- Presented a paper entitled *Ancient Janapadas of Eastern India with Special Reference to Bangarh* in State Level Seminar on **Historical Reflections of Dakshin Dinajpur with Special Reference to Environment, Literature and Culture** at Nathaniyal Murmu Memorial College, 12<sup>th</sup> December, 2023.
- Presented a paper entitled *Secularism in India: Philosophical Roots and Contemporary Controversies* in National Seminar on **Socio-Political Philosophy and Contemporary Issues In Indian Politics** at Shree Agrasen Mahavidyalaya, 1<sup>st</sup> December, 2023.
- Presented a paper entitled *Rabindranath Tagor's Influence on Indian Nationalism* in International Seminar on **Manone O Bidyacharchay Rabindranath O Nazrul** at Shree Agrasen Mahavidyalaya, 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2023.
- Presented a paper entitled *Balancing Tourism and Conservation: Our Responsibilites in Sustainable Growth of Eco-Tourism in India* in National Seminar on **Environmetal Issues: Protection, Conservation and Role of Youth** at Shree Agrasen Mahavidyalaya, 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 2023.
- Presented a paper entitled *Peasant Uprisings of North Bengal in Colonial Bengal* in UGC Sponsored National Seminar on **History of Northern Part of Bengal** at Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya, 5 & 6 April, 2017.
- Presented a paper entitled *The Position of Women in 12<sup>th</sup> Century Bengal* in UGC Sponsored National Seminar on **Women Empowerment Miles to Go...** at Shree Agrasen Mahavidyalaya, 28-29 August, 2016.

- Presented a paper entitled *Freedom Movement in the District of Dinajpur* in UGC Sponsored National Seminar on **Cultural Plurality and Nation Making in India** at Shree Agrasen Mahavidyalaya, 7-8 November, 2014.

### **Participated in Seminar/conference/workshop:**

- Participated in National seminar entitled **Biodiversity and Sustainability vis-a-vis Economic Development in the Northern Parts of West Bengal** at Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya, organized by Department of Botany on 26 & 27 August 2012
- Participated in Workshop entitled **Application of Statistical Methods: An Interdisciplinary Approach** Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya on 5-11 September, 2012
- Participated in State Level Seminar entitled **Backward class empowerment through reservation system: present, prospects and challenges** at Raiganj College (University College) on 16th January, 2013
- Participated in National Seminar entitled **Relevance of Swami Vivekananda in 21<sup>st</sup> century** at Raiganj College (University College) on 22 & 23 March, 2013,
- Participated in UGC SPONCORED National Seminar, Shree Agrasen Mahavidyalaya, **Cultural plurality and nation making in india, issues and problems in retrospect (focus on eastern and north-eastern india)** on 7 & 8 November, 2014,
- Participated in Workshop, Shree Agrasen Mahavidyalaya, **Know Your CAS** on 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2015
- Participated in National Seminar, Shree Agrasen Mahavidyalaya, **Women Empowerment: Miles to go...** on 28-29 August, 2015
- Participated in UGC sponsored National Seminar, **'History of North Bengal: A New Perspective'** in Dept. of History, Raiganj Surendranath Mahavidyalaya on 4-5 April, 2017.

