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Personal Information

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- 2. Permanent Address** : “Monalisa Apartment”, 58-A P.G.H. Shah Road,
Jadavpur, Kolkata – 700 032, West Bengal.
- 3. Present Designation** : Professor of Law,
& Director
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The University of Burdwan,
Burdwan – 713104, West Bengal.
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Educational Qualification

1. B.A. English Literature from Calcutta University.
2. LL.B. from Gauhati University, Assam.
3. LL.M. from Allahabad University, Secured 1st position in LL.M. in 1983-84 session.
4. M.Phil in International Law from the School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.
5. Ph.D. in Human Rights from the University of Burdwan, West Bengal.
6. Qualified UGC J.R.F. in 1985.

Teaching Experience

- 1. Total teaching experience : 28 years.**
2. Presently teaching as **Professor, Department of Law, the University of Burdwan** and **Director, UGC Academic Staff College, The University of Burdwan.**
3. Former **Head, Department of Law, the University of Burdwan.**
4. Member, **University Statute Committee, The University of Burdwan.**
5. Member, **PG Board of Studies in Law, Assam University (Central University), Silchar.**
6. Member, **Faculty Council of Law, Gauhati University, Assam.**
7. Member, **Calcutta University Inspection Team for approval of PG Studies in Law.**
- 8. Chief Editor, India International Journal of Juridical Sciences, New Delhi.**
- 9. Area of specialization :- International Law, Human Rights and Family Law.**

List of Publications :

Books :

(1) Refugees and Human Rights.

Published by Deep & Deep Publications, **New Delhi, 1998.**
ISBN : 81-7100-987-5

(2) Indigenous Peoples and Human Rights.

Published by R. Cambray & Co. Pvt. Ltd., **Calcutta, 2009.**
ISBN : 978-81-89659-08-0

(3) Human Rights in Twenty First Century : An Anthology.

Published by R. Cambray & Co. Pvt. Ltd., **Calcutta, 2013.**
ISBN : 978-81-89659-19-6

List of Papers Published in last 5 years :

- i) **“Food Security and Human Rights : A Study of the Role of Judiciary in Evolving a Legal Regime in India”**, published in the Book – Human Rights in the Twenty First Century – An Anthology, Edited by M. Chakraborty, R. Cambray & Co. Pvt. Ltd., Kolkata, 2014, Pages 129-140.
- ii) **“Uttarakhand Disastar : A Conflict between Development and Nature”**, published in the Journal, The Legal Analyst, Varanasi, Vol. III, 2013, Pages 13-25.
- iii) **“Freedom of Press and Judicial Activism : The Emerging Issues”**, published Calcutta Law Times, Vol. 3, 2013, Part – II, Pages 25-31.
- iv) **“India and Climate Change : Tracking the Journey from Copenhagen to Durban”**, published in the Journal ‘Gauhati University Journal of Law’, Vol. VIII, 2011-2012, Pages 60-72.
- v) **“Restorative Justice through Alternative Dispute Resolution Techniques and Criminal Justice System in India : Issues and Challenges”**, published in the Journal ‘Gauhati University Journal of Law’, Vol. IX-X, 2012-2014, Pages 12-32.
- vi) **“Indian Judiciary and the Right to Food – The Issues and Challenges”**, published in the Book – ‘Food And Environmental Security’, Edited by D. Dasgupta, Agrobios (India), Jodhpur, Rajasthan, 2013, Pages 493-499.
- vii) **“Environmental Laws in India : A Review”**, published in the Book – ‘Environmental Concerns’, Edited by Prof. Debabrata Das Gupta, Agrobios (India), Jodhpur, Rajasthan, 2011, Page 381-389.
- viii) **“The Rights of Refugees under International and National Laws : A Review”**, published in the Book ‘Refugee Rights and Issues’, Edited by D. Mukherjee, The ICFAI University Press, Hyderabad, 2007, Pages 10-21.
- ix) **“International Law on Trafficking in Child for Prostitution : The Indian Experience”**, published in the Book ‘Law and Chile’, R. Cambray & Co. Pvt. Ltd., Kolkata, 2004.
- x) **“The Emerging Challenges to the Indian Copyright Law : A Review”**, published in the Book ‘The Law of Intellectual Property Rights’, published by Deep & Deep Publications, New Delhi, 2004.
- xi) **“Does India Need a Refugee Law ?”**, paper published by the Indian Society of International Law, New Delhi, 2001, in Vol. III of Souvenir & Conference papers of International Conference on International Law, held at New Delhi in 2001.
- xii) **“Anthropology and Human Rights in Contemporary Era”**, Vol. 3, Edited by Prof. B. Chaudhuri & Sumita Chaudhuri, Inter India Publications, New Delhi, 2006, Pages 281-296.
- xiii) **“Violence Against Women And the Law”**, paper published in the book “Gender Justice” Edited by Dr. N.K. Chakraborti & Dr. S. Chakraborty, R. Cambray, Kolkata, 2006, Pages 94-107.

- xiv) **“The West Bengal Block Level Pre-litigation Conciliation Board Bill – 2004 : Some Comments”**, published by the Judicial Department, Govt. of West Bengal in 2005 in the Book ‘National Seminar on Alternative Dispute Resolution’.
- xv) **“Chakma Refugees and Human Rights”**, paper published in the Book ‘Human Rights – Principles and Practices’, Edited by Prof. N. Sanajaoba, published by Omsons Publications, New Delhi, 1993.
- xvi) **“Customary Laws And The Status of Tribal Women in Tripura”**, paper published in the Book ‘Status of Tribal Women in Tripura’, published by Vikas Publications, New Delhi, 1993.
- xvii) **“International Refugee Law : A Challenge of the Future”**, Kanpur Law Journal, Kanpur, 1991.
- xviii) **“Wife Abuse And The Law”**, paper published by the Tripura State Commission for Women, Agartala, 1997, in the Book ‘In Defence of Women’s Rights’.
- xix) **“Alternative Dispute Resolution at the Grass Root Level : A Myth or Reality ?”**, published in Burdwan Law Review, Vol. 3, 2006.

Details of Awards received and Recognitions obtained :

1. Felicitated by the Law School, Banaras Hindu University as best law teacher in the Valedictory Function of the **2 day National Seminar on Science, Technology and Law Reform**, November 3–4, 2012.
2. Felicitated by the S.K. Acharya Institute of Law, Kalyani University as best law teacher on 05.09.2013.
3. Nominated as Expert External Member of Board of D.C.R. School of Legal Studies, Assam University (Central University), Silchar, Assam.
4. Nominated as External Member of the Board of P.G. studies in Law, Assam University, Silchar.
5. Nominated as Expert Member of the Board of Studies in Law, West Bengal State University, Barasat.
6. Appointed as Expert Member in the Panel by the Co-operative Service Commission, West Bengal.
7. Nominated as External Member of the Faculty Council of Law, Gauhati University, Assam.
8. Nominated as External Member of the Board of Studies in Law, Vidyasagar University, West Bengal.
9. Appointed as the Member of the Inspection Team by the Council for Under-Graduate Studies, North Bengal University, for inspection of the Indian Institute of Legal Studies, Siliguri.
10. Appointed as Expert for Confidential Work of the Union Public Service Commission, New Delhi, 2011.
11. Appointed as Resource Person by the Staff Selection Commission (Eastern Region), Ministry of Personnel, Govt. of India on 21.12.2010.

Member Selection Committees :

1. Nominated as Expert Member of the Selection Committee, Dibrugarh University, Assam.
2. Appointed as Expert Advisor of the Selection Committee by the Tripura Public Service Commission, Agartala.
3. Appointed as Subject Expert by the Tripura University, Agartala, for Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee.
4. Appointed as Subject Expert of the Selection Committee of Tripura University, Agartala.
5. Appointed as External Expert of the Selection Committee of T.M. Bhagalpur University, Bhagalpur, Bihar.
6. Appointed as Expert Member of a Selection Committee for Professor by the Gauhati University, Assam.

7. Appointed as Subject Expert in the Selection Committee for recruitment of Faculty Members, North-Eastern Hill University, Shillong, Meghalaya.
8. Expert Member for a Selection Committee of Indian Institute of Legal Studies, Siliguri, North Bengal.
9. Expert Member for Teacher's Selection of Law College, Durgapur.
10. Appointed as External Member for the selection of Research Assistant of UGC-UPE Major project by the Department of Anthropology, Calcutta University.
11. Nominated as Expert Member of the Selection Committee for appointment of Lecturer in Bengal Law College, Santiniketan.
12. Appointed as Expert Member for the Selection Committee of Principal, JRSET College of Law, West Bengal.
13. Nominated as Expert Member of the Selection Committee for Lecturers by the Kingston Law College, West Bengal.
14. Nominated as Expert Member of the Selection Committee for appointment of Lecturer of Bengal Law College, Santiniketan.
15. Appointed as UGC Visiting Fellow in the Department of Political Science, Tripura University in 2005.
16. Invited as Expert Resource Person at 12th Human Rights Summer School, organised by the ELCOP, Dhaka, Bangladesh w.e.f. 19th December to 29th December. 2011.
17. Nominated as Member of the Academic Advisory Committee of the UGC-Academic Staff College, Burdwan University in 2010.
18. Appointed as Member of the Golden Jubilee Celebration Committee of Burdwan University in 2009.
19. Appointed as Member of the Celebration of Swami Vivekananda's 150th Birth Anniversary, Burdwan University in 2012.
20. Nominated as Expert by the University of Calcutta for selection of different posts of Kolkata Police Institute, 2013.

Acted as Resource Person / Chaired Session in various Conferences, Seminars and Workshops :-

1. Invited as Expert Resource Person at 12th Human Rights Summer School, organised by the ELCOP, Dhaka, Bangladesh w.e.f. 19th December to 29th December. 2011.
2. Acted as Resource Person and presented a paper on 'Food Security and Human Rights : A Study of the Role of Judiciary in Evolving a Legal Regime in India' in the National Seminar on 'Science, Technology and Law Reform' organised by the Law School, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, on November 3-4, 2012.
3. Chaired a Technical Session on 'Bio-Technology, Nano Technology & Law' in the National Seminar on 'Science, Technology and Law Reforms", organized by the Law School, Banaras Hindu University, on November 3-4, 2012.
4. Presented a paper in the International Conference of the International Union of Anthropological and Ethnological Science (IUAES) held at Kunming, China from July 27-31, 2009.
5. Chaired a Technical Session in the National Seminar on 'Criminal Justice Delivery System in India : Retrospective and Prospect' organized by ILS, Siliguri on 12-13th March, 2011.
6. Chaired a Technical Session in the National Seminar on '62 years of Indian Constitution : Directive Principles of State Policy – Precepts and Practice' organized by the University College of Law, Osmania University, Hyderabad on 9th and 10th February, 2013.

7. Presented a paper on "Contemporary Social Security in the Indian Context : The Constitutional Goal to be Achieved" – in the '62 years of Indian Constitution : Directive Principles of State Policy – Precepts and Practice' organized by the University College of Law, Osmania University, Hyderabad on 9th and 10th February, 2013.
8. Presented a paper on 'Cross-Border Terrorism – the Issues and Challenges' in the 38th Annual Conference of the Indian Society of International Law, New Delhi, held on 17-18 April, 2009.
9. Chaired a session and acted as a Resource person in the two-day National Seminar on 'Criminal Justice System' organised by the Durgapur Institute of Legal Studies, West Bengal on 28th and 29th September, 2012.
10. Presented a paper in the CLEA Biennial Conference 2011, held at Bangalore on 29th & 30th January, 2011.
11. Participated in the Workshop for Academic Administrators, sponsored by the UGC & NAAC organised by the IQA Cell and UGC Academic Staff College, Burdwan University on 2nd to 4th November, 2010.
12. Presented a paper in the 6th International Conference on International Law in the Contemporary World, organized by the Indian Society of International Law, New Delhi on 1st – 4th February, 2009.
13. Acted as a Resource Person in the UGC sponsored National Seminar on 'Future of Civilization : Recent Trends in Energy Research', organized by Raghunathpur College, Purulia, West Bengal on 29th – 30th September, 2011.
14. Acted as Resource Person in the one day Sensitization Programme on 'Human Rights' organised by Raghunathpur College, Purulia on 4th September, 2009.
15. Chaired a session in the National Seminar on 'Civil Contempt and Civil Justice' organized by the IILS, Siliguri, on 11th & 12th February, 2012.
16. Participated and presented a paper in the two day International Conference on 'Caste Discrimination' organized by the Department of Law, University of Mumbai, on 24th & 25th April, 2010.
17. Participation in the 2 day Workshop on Consume Protection organised by Consumer Affairs Department, Govt. of West Bengal and Law Department, Burdwan Department of 5th & 6th March, 2009.
18. Participated in the Regional Workshop on Disability organized by National Human Rights / Commission, New Delhi & WBNUJS, Kolkata on 22nd – 23rd August, 2008.
19. Acted as Resource Person in the one day Training Programme on Human Rights, organised by the KIIT University, Bhubaneswar in collaboration with National Human Rights Commission, New Delhi on 23rd February, 2013.
20. Acted as a Resource Person in the UGC sponsored Workshop in Development, Peace and Human Rights, organised by Anthropology Department, Calcutta University, on 30th March, 2012.
21. Acted as a Resource Person in the Teacher Training Programme on 'International Humanitarian Law' organised by the International Red Cross Society along with Calcutta University on 23rd August, 2013.
22. Acted as Resource Person in the 9th 21 Day Certificate Course on Legal and Psychological Counselling for Women in Distress, organised by the Women's Studies Research Centre, Calcutta University on 14.09.2013.
23. Chaired a Technical Session in the National Seminar on "Role of Civil Society in Protection of Rural Consumers" organised by the National University of Study and Research in Law, Ranchi on 16th August, 2013.

24. Acted as a Resource Person in the 1st Refresher Course in Law on 'Constitutional Governance' organised by the UGC Academic Staff College, North Bengal University from January 4th to 24th, 2011.
25. Acted as Resource Person and presented a paper on 'Freedom of Press and Judicial Activism' during the Golden Jubilee Celebration of the High Court of Sikkim, on 17th April, 2009.
26. Acted as Resource Person in the UGC Refresher Course on 'Human Rights' conducted by the UGC Academic Staff College, North Bengal University on 18th & 19th July, 2011.
27. Acted as Co-Chairperson in the 3rd International Conference of Indian Society of Victimology, held at KIIT University, Bhubaneswar on 22 – 23 August, 2010.
28. Acted as a Resource Person and delivered lecture on 'Conflict between rights and Constitutionality' in Basanti Devi College, Kolkata on 15.09.2012.
29. Acted as Resource Person in the National Seminar on 'Human Rights Education' organised by Sreegopal Banerjee College, Hooghly, West Bengal on 5th & 6th November, 2009.
30. Acted as Resource Person in the UGC sponsored Seminar on 'Promotion of Ethics and Human Values' organised by the Birbhum Mahavidyalaya, Suri, West Bengal on 18.02.2011.
31. Chaired a Technical Session in the UGC sponsored National Seminar on 'The Constitution of India – the Expanding Horizons' organised by the JCC Law College, Kolkata on 25th & 26th November, 2010.
32. Acted as Resource Person on 'Anti-Human Trafficking' organised by the Superintendent of Police, Burdwan, Govt. of West Bengal, on 12th & 13th July, 2012.
33. Acted as Resource Person in the UGC Refresher Course in Law conducted by the UGC Academic Staff College, Sambalpur University (Orissa) on 25th & 26th August, 2011.

Research Guidance : Ph.D.

Name of the students awarded Ph.D under my supervision	Title of the work
1. Mr. Jiban Chandra Chakraborty (2005)	Undertrial Prisoners in the Police Custody of Kolkata Police : A Socio-legal Study in the Context of Human Rights
2. Mr. Arjun Kumar Mondal (2006)	Laws Relating to Group Housing : An Empirical Study with Reference to West Bengal
3. Mrs. Sadhna Gupta (2006)	International Law on Trafficking in Child For Prostitution – An Analytical study with special reference to India
4. Miss Sudarsana Mukhopadhyay (2007)	Domestic Violence Against Women and Human Rights : An Empirical Study with Special Reference to West Bengal
5. Mr. Nilansu Bhattacharyya (2008)	International Legal Control of Terrorism : An Analytical Study with Special Reference to India
6. Miss Nazrana Shameem Ahmed Islam (2010)	Functional Dynamics of Panchayats : A Socio-Legal Study of Dibrugarh District of Assam
7. Miss Kishwar Parween (2012)	Rights to Self Determination and Human Rights : An Analytical Study with Special Reference to India
8. Mr. Pradip Kumar Das (2011)	Legal Protection of the Traditional Knowledge and Traditional Cultural Expression in India : An Appraisal
9. Sumana Raychwudhuri (2012)	Impact of WTO on Pharmaceutical Multinationals in India : A Legal Study
10. Debasis Poddar (2012)	International Environmental Obligations : A Comparative Legal Study of India and the United States
11. Debashree Mukherjee (Bhattacharjee) (2013)	The Emerging Legal Regime in Global Warming : A Study
12. Moumita Bhattacharya	

Research Guidance :

Presently 4 scholars are doing their Ph.D. works under my supervision. Besides, nearly 20 LL.M students completed their Dissertations under my supervision within last 5 years

A. Details of Teaching Materials Prepared :

1. Acted as Member of the Expert Committee for framing the Syllabus of Diploma in Legal Literacy Programme of Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi, in 2007.
2. Acted as Special Invitee of the Board of Studies in Law of Dibrugarh University, Assam for finalising the Syllabus and Course Curriculum of LL.M. Course in the year 2012.
3. Appointed as Expert Member of the Syllabus framing committee for framing the Syllabus of LL.M. (one year) Course of Gauhati University, Assam, 2013.
4. Acted as member for the framing of Syllabus and Regulation of 5 year B.A. LL.B. (Hons.) and 3 year LL.B., and LL.M. Semester Course of Burdwan University during 2008 & 2009.

B. Evaluation Work Done :

Appointed as Examiner for evaluating Ph.D. Thesis of the following Universities –

1. Rajsahi University, Bangladesh
2. Islamic University, Kusthia, Bangladesh
3. Calcutta University
4. North Bengal University
5. Gauhati University, Assam
6. Utkal University, Bhubaneswar
7. Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi
8. T.M. Bhagalpur University, Bihar
9. Patna University, Bihar
10. Sambalpur University, Orissa
11. Berhampur University, Orissa
12. North Orissa University, Baripada, Orissa
13. Babasaheb Vim Rao Ambedkar University, Lucknow
14. Chowdhury Charan Singh University, Meerut, U.P.
15. Chanakya National Law University, Patna

C. Besides I am also doing various confidential works relating to various examinations of the following institutions :

1. Union Public Service Commission, New Delhi
2. West Bengal Public Service Commission
3. Tripura Public Service Commission
4. J & K Public Service Commission
5. West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences, Kolkata
6. Vidyasagar University, West Bengal
7. Kalyani University, West Bengal
8. Gauhati University, Assam
9. Dibrugarh University, Assam
10. Assam University, Silchar
11. Calcutta University
12. North Bengal University, West Bengal

INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP AND SEMINARS :

1. Organised International Workshop on 'Peace, Human Rights and Conflict Resolutions' from 24th to 26th March, 2006 where a good number of delegates from Japan, Nepal, Bhutan, Thailand and Bangladesh were participated. I was the Organising Secretary of the Workshop.
2. Organised **Three days Regional Teachers Training Programme** on International Humanitarian Law from 28th to 30th October, 2010 in collaboration with the **International Red Cross**, Regional Delegation for South Asia. In total 50 Law teachers from 11 States participated in the programme.
3. Organised UGC sponsored **Two Day National Seminar on 'Human Rights in 21st Century : The Issues and Challenges'** on 30th & 31st July, 2011. Total 200 delegates participated and the Seminar was inaugurated by the Chairman, National Human Rights Commission, Dhaka, Bangladesh.
4. Organised successfully as Co-ordinator of 21 days UGC Refresher Course in Law in collaboration with the UGC Academic Staff College, Burdwan University from 12th November to 2nd December, 2013.
5. Organised the 2nd Jyotsna Nath Mallick Memorial Law Lecture in the Department of Law on 16th November, 2010. Hon'ble Justice Ruma Pal of the Supreme Court of India delivered the Memorial Lecture.

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES :

1. Acting as Director, UGC Academic Staff College, The University of Burdwan
2. Presently I am the Member of the Stature Committee, The University of Burdwan.
3. Acted as Member of the Academic Advisory Committee of the UGC Academic Staff College of Burdwan University for the period of 2010 – 2011 and 2011 – 2012 respectively.
4. Nominated as the Member of the Committee of Discipline for all Under-Graduate Examinations for the year 2013 and 2014.
5. Acted as Chairman (ex-officio) of the Research Advisory Committee of the Department of Studies in Law, Burdwan University during the period 2010 – 2011.
6. Acted as the Member of the Court, The University of Burdwan.
7. Acted as Chairperson of the P.G. Board of Studies in Law and UG Board of Studies in Law, The University of Burdwan.
8. Acted as Vice-Patron of the Burdwan University Law Students Union 2010 – 2011.
9. Appointed as Resource Person and delivered lectures in more than twenty UGC Refresher and Orientation Courses conducted by the UGC Academic Staff College, The University of Burdwan, Jadavpur University, Gauhati University, Sambalpur University.
10. Acted as Head, Department of Law, The University of Burdwan during the period 2009 – 2011.

B. Presently I am acting as the Editor-in-Chief of "India International Journal of Juridical Sciences" (ISSN No. : 2278-3237), published by Paragon International Publishers, New Delhi.