

## **PERSONAL PROFILE/CV/BIODATA**

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### **Teaching Experiences:**

- 1) Under Graduate Level- 8 yrs 1 months 15 days
- 2) Post Graduate Level - from 16 September 2014 onwards

### **Areas of Interest:**

Ethics including Applied Ethics (Biomedical Ethics, Feminist Ethics, etc.) Indian Philosophy (Nyaya), Western Philosophy, Western Logic, Research Methodology.

### **Ph. D. Research Supervised (Non registered)**

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| 1) | Debika Mitra, UGC – JRF |
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## PUBLICATIONS AND ACADEMIC CONTRIBUTIONS

### Research Papers published in Journals:

| S. No | Title with page nos.   | Journal  | Year of Publication      | Volume & No.       | ISSN No.  | Status of the Journals/ Books |
|-------|--|--|--------------------------|--------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|
| 1     | <i>Theories of Opposition: Aristotelian and Traditional</i> , PP-121-136 | Journal of Indian Council of Philosophical Research  | 2009<br>October-December | Vol. XXVI<br>No. 4 | 0970-7794 | International                 |
| 2     | <i>Swami Vivekanander Dristite Bharater Vabarup</i> , PP-182-190         | Council for M.S. Academic                            | 2013,<br>January         | Vol-3<br>No.1      | 2229-6484 | National                      |
| 3     | <i>Moral Permissibility of Abortion: An Appraisal</i>                    | The Philosophical Quest                              | 2014<br>(January-June)   | Vol-3<br>No.1      | 2319-4634 | National                      |
| 4     | <i>Samany Vacaner Astitvamulak Tatparya: Ekti Alocana</i> ,              | Philosophy and the Life World, Vidyasagar University | 2014-15                  | Vol.-17            | 0975-8461 | National                      |

### Articles published in edited book:

| Sl. No | Title with page nos.   | Book title, editors & publisher  | Year of Publication | ISBN No.          | Status of the Books |
|--------|--|--|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| 1      | Bharater Jatiya Jibane Swami Vivekanander Abadan, PP-176-182 | Bahumatrik Vivekananda: Bartaman Prasangikata, Editor: Soumen Roy, Council for MS Academic | 2013                | 978-81-921697-5-0 | National            |
| 2      | <i>The Relevance of Moral Philosophy in Real Life</i>        | Social Relevance of Philosophy, Jain Bhawan, Calcutta, India                               | 2015                | 978-93-83621-83-5 | National            |

**Chaired an Academic Session in seminar**

| <b>S.N.</b> | <b>Title of seminar etc.</b>               | <b>Session</b> | <b>Organized by</b>       | <b>Date</b> |
|-------------|--|----------------|---------------------------|-------------|
| 1.          | National Seminar Justice: Social and Moral | IX             | The University of Burdwan | 26/03/2015  |

**Paper presented as a Resource person**

| <b>S.N.</b> | <b>Title of seminar etc.</b>                               | <b>Title of the paper</b>  | <b>Organized by</b>  | <b>Date</b>                  |
|-------------|--|--|--|------------------------------|
| 1           | Interdisciplinarity: Philosophy in Literature and Language | The Referential Theory of Meaning in the Context of Philosophy of Language | The Department of English & Philosophy, Onda Thana Mahavidyalaya | 12 <sup>th</sup> March, 2016 |

**Paper presented in National/ International seminar**

| <b>S.N.</b> | <b>Title of seminar etc.</b>   | <b>Title of the paper</b>                          | <b>Organized by</b>  | <b>Date</b>  |
|-------------|--|--|--|--|
| 1.          | Basic Values Embedded in Indian Culture And its relevance in National Reconstruction | Indian National Reconstruction: Swami Vivekananda  | Department of Philosophy, Bankura Christian College                    | 17 <sup>th</sup> December 2013                     |
| 2.          | Contribution of Swami Vivekananda to India's National Reawakening: Present Relevance | “Bharater Jatiya Jibane Swami Vivekanander Abadan” | Department of English & Pol. Science, Panchakot Mahavidyalaya, Purulia | 13 <sup>th</sup> & 14 <sup>th</sup> February, 2013 |
| 3.          | The Relevance of Philosophy in the Strife-Torn World Today                           | The Relevance of Moral Philosophy in Real Life     | Department of Philosophy, Bankura Christian College                    | 7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> , October, 2015  |

**Training Courses, Teaching-Learning-Evaluation Technology, Faculty Development Programmes: Refresher/Orientation/ workshops Etc. Courses attended as a participant**

| <b>S.No.</b> | <b>Programmes</b>                    | <b>Duration</b>   | <b>Organized by</b>   |
|--------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| 1            | 74 <sup>th</sup> Orientation Course  | 3 <sup>rd</sup> March 2010 to 30 <sup>th</sup> March 2010       | University Grants Commission<br>Academic Staff College<br>The University of Burdwan |
| 2            | 4 <sup>th</sup> Refresher Course     | 26 <sup>th</sup> December 2012 to 15 <sup>th</sup> January 2013 | University Grants Commission<br>Academic Staff College<br>The University of Burdwan |
| 3            | Workshop for Academic Administrators | 16 <sup>th</sup> April 2013 to 20 <sup>th</sup> April 2013      | The University of Burdwan   |

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| 4 | National Service Scheme | 1996 to 1998 | J.K. College Purulia<br>The University of Burdwan |
| 5 | Ph. D. Course Work      | 2010 to 2011 | The University of Burdwan                         |

**List of attended conferences, seminars, symposia**

| S.N. | Title of conference/seminar etc.   | Organized by   | Date/Duration                                       | Type/Level     |
|------|--|--|---|----------------|
| 1.   |  |  |   |                |
| 2.   | Interdisciplinarity: Philosophy in Literature and Language                           | The Department of English & Philosophy, Onda Thana Mahavidyalaya                   | 12 <sup>th</sup> March, 2016                        | State level    |
| 3.   | National Seminar Justice: Social and Moral   | Department of Philosophy<br>The University of Burdwan                              | 24 <sup>th</sup> to 26 <sup>th</sup> March, 2015    | National level |
| 4.   | Secularism and its Disenchantments (Annual visiting lecture, Sponsored by ICPR)      | The Department of Philosophy and Religion, Visva-Bharati University                | 10 <sup>th</sup> January, 2015                      | International  |
| 5.   | The Relevance of Philosophy in the Strife-Torn World Today                           | The Department of Philosophy, Bankura Christian College                            | 7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> , October, 2015   | National level |
| 6.   | Siksha, Sanskrit Chatra Andolan-Sikshaker Bhumika                                    | West Bengal College and University Professors' Association                         | 15 <sup>th</sup> November 2014                      | State level    |
| 7.   | Basic Values Embedded in Indian Culture And its relevance in National Reconstruction | The Department of Philosophy, Bankura Christian College                            | 17 <sup>th</sup> December 2013                      | State level    |
| 8.   | Prakshepane Swami Vivekananda: Sardho-satobarsho pare                                | Sri Ramkrishna Sarada Vidyamahapitha, Kamarpukur, Hooghly                          | 27 <sup>th</sup> & 28 <sup>th</sup> September, 2013 | National level |
| 9.   | Euthanasia-Medical Killing Conundrum vis-à-vis Moral perspectives                    | Department of Philosophy, Dr.B.N.Dutta Sriti Mahavidyalaya, Hatgobindapur, Burdwan | 22 <sup>nd</sup> & 23 <sup>rd</sup> February, 2012  | National level |
| 10.  | Commemoration of the 150 <sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of Swami Vivekananda        | Department of Philosophy<br>The University of Burdwan                              | 12 <sup>th</sup> January, 2012                      | State level    |
| 11.  | The Place of Vedanta in Contemporary Indian Philosophy                               | The Department of Philosophy, M.U.C. Women's College, Burdwan                      | 14 <sup>th</sup> September, 2011                    | National level |

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|-----|--|---|---|----------------|
| 12. | Epistemology: Indian and Western   | The Department of Philosophy,<br>The University of Burdwan                                | 22 <sup>nd</sup> to 23 <sup>rd</sup><br>April, 2010       | National level |
| 13. | Philosophy of Man and Environment  | The Department of Philosophy,<br>The University of Burdwan                                | 20 <sup>th</sup><br>November,<br>2009                     | National level |
| 14. | Philosophical Thoughts in Bengal   | The Department of Philosophy,<br>Ramkrishna Mission<br>Vidyamandir, Belur Math,<br>Howrah | 29 <sup>th</sup><br>February,<br>2008                     | National level |
| 15. | Philosophy of Logic and Language   | The Department of Philosophy,<br>The University of Burdwan                                | 4 <sup>th</sup> –6 <sup>th</sup><br>February,<br>2008     | National level |
| 16. | Religion, Morality and Global Peace  | The Department of Philosophy,<br>The University of Burdwan                                | 6 <sup>th</sup> to 8 <sup>th</sup><br>March, 2007         | National level |
| 17. | Environmental Ethics and Sustainable Development                                     | The Department of Philosophy,<br>Rabindra Mahavidyalaya,<br>Champadanga, Hooghly          | 8 <sup>th</sup> February,<br>2007                         | State level    |
| 18. | Morality as Universal Culture and Its Application to Society                         | The Department of Philosophy,<br>Bankura Zilla Saradamani<br>Mahavidyapith                | 15 <sup>th</sup> & 16 <sup>th</sup><br>September,<br>2007 | National level |
| 19. | Philosophy, Science and Technology   | The Department of Philosophy,<br>The University of Burdwan                                | 17 <sup>th</sup><br>November,<br>2006                     | State level    |
| 20. | 150 years of the Great Revolt of 1857 & Its Relevance in the Present Indian Scenario | Bankura Sammilani College,<br>Bankura   | 18 <sup>th</sup> -19 <sup>th</sup><br>November,<br>2006   | National level |

**Acted as member of various selection committee**

| S.N | Name & address of the Institution   | Name of the Post                                     | Date       |
|-----|---|--|------------|
| 1.  | Joyrambati Ramkrishna-Sarada Primary Teachers' Trainig Institute, Joyrambati, Bankura | Lecturer in Psychology                               | 24/08/2012 |
| 2.  | Sri Ramkrishna Sarada Vidyamahapitha, Kamarpukur, Hooghly                             | Physical Education and Geography                     | 18/07/2012 |
| 3.  | Raipur Kashiara High School (H.S.), Kashiara, Burdwan                                 | Assistant Teacher in Philosophy (Deputation Vacancy) | 04/09/2012 |
| 4.  | Sri Ramkrishna Sarada Vidyamahapitha, Kamarpukur, Hooghly                             | Guest Lecturer in Philosophy                         | 09/07/2011 |

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| 5. | Sri Ramkrishna Sarada<br>Vidyamahapitha, Kamarpukur, Hooghly | Part-time Lecturer in Philosophy | 28/07/2010 |
| 6. | Sri Ramkrishna Sarada<br>Vidyamahapitha, Kamarpukur, Hooghly | Part-time Lecturer in Philosophy | 20/08/2009 |
| 7. | Sri Ramkrishna Sarada<br>Vidyamahapitha, Kamarpukur, Hooghly | Part-time Lecturer in Philosophy | 05/07/2008 |

**Extra activities**

| S.N | Name of the posts  | Name & address of the Institution                            | Date                        |
|-----|--|--|-----------------------------|
| 1.  | Act as Teacher-in-Charge   | Sri Ramkrishna Sarada Vidyamahapitha,<br>Kamarpukur, Hooghly | 01/02/2013 to<br>31/07/2013 |
| 2.  | Act as Drawing and Disbursing<br>Officer (.D.D.O.)                 | Sri Ramkrishna Sarada Vidyamahapitha,<br>Kamarpukur, Hooghly | 26/02/2013 to<br>31/07/2013 |
| 3.  | Act as Governing Body (G.B)<br>member as Teacher<br>Representative | Sri Ramkrishna Sarada Vidyamahapitha,<br>Kamarpukur, Hooghly | 30/04/2012 to<br>2015       |
| 4   | Act as Governing Body (G.B)<br>member as University Nominee        | Netaji Mahavidyalaya, Arambagh,<br>Hooghly                   | 27/11/2012 to<br>2015       |
| 5   | Member of the Faculty Council<br>(PG Arts)                         | Department of Philosophy, B.U.                               | Since 16.<br>09.2014        |
| 6   | Member of the Post-Graduate<br>Board of Studies (PGBS)             | Department of Philosophy, B.U.                               | Since 16.<br>09.2014        |
| 7   | Member of the Board of Research<br>Studies (BRS)                   | Department of Philosophy, B.U.                               | Since 16.<br>09.2014        |
| 8   | Member, Departmental<br>Committee (DC)                             | Department of Philosophy, B.U.                               | Since 16.<br>09.2014        |
| 9   | Subject Co-ordinators of<br>Philosophy                             | Directors of Distance Education, , B.U.                      | Since<br>09.11.2014         |