

## Curriculum Vitae

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### **Education**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Discipline</b>	<b>Degree</b>	<b>Institution</b>
2000	Arts	Higher Secondary Education (secured 66.8 per cent)	West Bengal Council of Higher Secondary Education, India.
2003	History (Honours)	Bachelor of Arts (secured 62.25 per cent and stood first in the first class)	Presidency College, Calcutta University, India.
2005	History	Master of Arts (secured 92.9 per cent)	Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India.
2006-2009	History	Doctoral Programme (Doctoral degree granted on November 30, 2009)	Centro de Estudios de Asia y África, El Colegio de México, México

### **Distinctions and Awards**

2002	Raibahadur Debendra Chandra Ghosh Memorial Prize, for securing highest marks in History Honours in Part—I Examination
2002	Arijit Sengupta Memorial Scholarship, for securing highest marks in History Honours in Part—I Examination.
2003	Order of Merit, University of Calcutta, for securing the first position in B.A. (Honours) Examination, in History
2003	Kuruvilla Zacharia Memorial Prize, for securing highest marks in History Honours.
2003	Himani Devi Memorial Prize, for securing highest marks in History Honours.
2003	Ajoy Banerjee Memorial Prize, for securing highest marks in History Honours.
2003	Punyalekha Banerjee Memorial Prize, for securing highest marks in History Honours.
2003	Academic Excellence Certificate, Jagannath Hall (Dhaka University), for standing first in first class, BA (Honours) Examination, in History.
2003	Kuruvilla Zacharia Memorial Prize, for securing highest marks in Part—II, Test

- Examination, of Presidency College, Calcutta.
- 2005 Qualified the National Eligibility Test (NET) of the University Grants Commission, India, for lectureship.
- 2006- External student doctoral scholarship of the External Affairs Ministry (SRE), México.  
2007
- 2007- Doctoral fellowship of El Colegio de México.  
2009

## Publications

- 2010 “The Bhopal Judgment” in *Global South*, Sephis e-magazine, vol. 6, no. 3, July.
- 2011 “The Mofussil and the Modern: The Discrete Charms of Kangal Harinath” in Saurabh Dube (ed.), *Modern Makeovers: The Oxford Handbook of Modernity in South Asia*. This essay will also form part of a volume on Modernity and India in the Spanish language to be published early next year by El Colegio de México.
- In progress “Anxious Economies: The Political Rationalities of Colonial rule in Bengal Proper in the Nineteenth-century”, submitted for publication in two parts in *Estudios de Asia y África*
- In progress “Turning over a New Leaf: Inurbane Narratives in the Nineteenth-Century *Nakshas* of Calcutta”, to be published in the *Journal of History*, Jadavpur University

## Talks and Conferences

- 2007 “Out of Place: Mapping the ‘Modern’ of the Nineteenth-Century *Mofussil* of Bengal.” Presented at the International Colloquium: ‘An Indian Modern: Politics, Culture, Political Cultures’, Centro de Estudios de Asia y África, El Colegio de México, 19 and 20 April.
- 2007 Presented paper on *Kangal Harinath* (in Bengali) at the *Aitihashik* Seminar organized by Centre for Studies in Social Sciences-Calcutta, India, 14 December.
- 2008 “Anxious Economies: Modern Forestry in Eastern India” presented at the International Colloquium: ‘The Other Side of Modern: Anthropologies, Politics, Histories’, Centro de Estudios de Asia y África, El Colegio de México, 28 and 29 August.
- 2009 “Turning a New Leaf: Inurbane Narratives in the Nineteenth-Century *Nakshas* of Calcutta” presented as participant in the SEPHIS sponsored Cultural Studies Workshop held at North-Eastern Hill University, Shillong, India, February 1-6.
- 2009 “Framing Political and Economic Development of India, 1950-1998” presented at the Centre for International Relations, Faculty of Political and Social Sciences, National Autonomous University of México (UNAM), May 18.
- 2010 “Dyeline: Recasting ‘Class Processes’ in the Narrative of the Indigo Disturbances” presented at the Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies, August 27.
- 2011 “The Final Making of Colonial Jalpaiguri, 1865-1900” presented at the Fourth Critical Studies

Conference: 'Development, Logistics, and Governance', Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group, September 8-10

2011 Member of the faculty for the Ninth Annual Orientation Programme on Forced Migration, held by the Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group in collaboration with the UNHCR, the Government of Finland, and the Brookings Institution, December 1-15.

### Work Experience

- September 2005. Rapporteur for the workshop on 'Food and Program Transition Management in CARE-supported ICDS Program' conducted by International Food Policy Research Institute, NASC Complex, New Delhi, India.
- December 2005 Rapporteur for the final session on 'Food and Program Transition Management in CARE-supported ICDS Program' conducted by International Food Policy Research Institute, NASC Complex, New Delhi, India.
- August to November 2008 Co-taught core course on Modern Indian History to the Masters Students of Centre for Asian and African Studies, El Colegio de México.
- 2008-2009 Research Assistant to Saurabh Dube as part of scheme of National System of Researchers (SNI), México.
- January to April 2009 Co-taught core course on Contemporary India to the Masters Students of Center for Asian and African Studies, El Colegio de México.
- August to November 2009 Taught the course 'Critical Cultures' to the Masters students of Centre for Asian and African Studies, El Colegio de México.
- July 2010 onwards Assistant Editor, *The Bengal Post*, Kolkata (in an advisory capacity)
- October 2010 onwards External fellow at the Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies, carrying out a research project titled 'Makings of Bengali Identity in the Nineteenth Century: A *Mofussil* Optic'.
- September 2011 onwards Research and Programme Associate, Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group (currently working on statelessness and the Indo-Bangladesh enclave population)
- November 2011 onwards Part-time teacher of History (Masters) at the West Bengal State University, Barasat, North 24-Parganas, West Bengal
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