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Qualification	Subject	Year	Institution
State Eligibility Test	Philosophy	2007	University Grants Commission
<b>Degrees:</b>			
Ph.D.	A Study of Bengal Vaiṣṇava View on Love ( <i>Prema-Bhakti</i> )	2023	The University of Calcutta
M.Phil.	Aspects of Philosophical Problem Concerning Religious Language: A Critical Study	2008	University of Calcutta
B.Ed.	Philosophy	1999	University of Calcutta
M.A	Philosophy	1996	University of Calcutta
B. A	Philosophy	1994	University of Calcutta
<b>Certificates:</b>			
Faculty Development Programme	Centre For Indological Studies and Research Under the Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture	15 <sup>th</sup> to 22 <sup>nd</sup> January 2024	The Relevance of Indian Philosophy to Contemporary Western Philosophy: A New Paradigm of Philosophy
Mindanao Peacebuilding Institute Foundation Incorporated Philippine	Peace Education	7 <sup>th</sup> to 11 <sup>th</sup> August 2023	United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia Associated with Scottish Church College
UGC-Human Resource Development Centre (HRDC)	University of Calcutta	28 <sup>th</sup> November to 11 <sup>th</sup> December 2022	Philosophy

UGC-Human Resource Development Centre (HRDC)	Jadavpur University	28 <sup>th</sup> November to 18 <sup>th</sup> December 2018	Refresher Course on Social and Political Philosophy: Indian & Western
UGC- Sponsored Orientation Programme	University of Calcutta	30 <sup>th</sup> March to 29 <sup>th</sup> April 2015	Multidisciplinary
UGC- Sponsored Refresher Course	University of Calcutta	16 <sup>th</sup> November to 06 <sup>th</sup> December 2013	Behavioral Science

**Conferences and Seminars:**

<b>Programme Title</b>	<b>Paper Title</b>	<b>Presented at</b>	<b>Date of Presentation</b>
8 <sup>th</sup> International Dharma Dharmma Conference-2024	Is the Cosmic Thought of <i>Gaudīya Vaiṣṇavism</i> Still Relevant Today?	Gujrat University	August 23-25, 2024
25 <sup>th</sup> World Congress of Philosophy, Philosophy Across Boundaries	“Reflections on Bhakti (Divine Love) As the Love for One’s Own Master (Prabhu) In Bengal Vaiṣṇavism”	Sapienza University, in Rome, Italy	August 01-08, 2024
96 <sup>th</sup> & 97 <sup>th</sup> IPC	“Bhakti as the Love for One’s Own Master”	Utkal University Bhubaneswar, Odisha	December 20-23, 2023
A two-day international conference on Philosophy of Vaiṣṇava Vedānta Culture, Legacy, and Traditions	Prema-Bhakti as Sādhyā and Sādhana	Institute for Science and Spirituality & School of Sanskrit and Indic Studies JNU, New Delhi	August 26-27, 2023
One-day International Seminar Sponsored by ICPR on Critical Thinking and Philosophizing	“Emancipation of Indian Women: In the View of Vivekananda”	Tarakeswar Degree College	March 31 <sup>st</sup> 2023
Two-day International Seminar Sponsored by ICPR on Man and Environment	“Gandhi’s View on Human Nature”	Surendranath College for Women	March 29 <sup>th</sup> to 30 <sup>th</sup> 2023

One-day International Seminar Sponsored by ICPR on Feminism: East and West	“Nivedita’s View on India”	Gobardanga Hindu College	March 27 <sup>th</sup> 2023
93 <sup>rd</sup> IPC	“Bhakti: An Approach from Bengal Vaiṣṇavism”	Nava Nalnda Mahavihara	March 9 <sup>th</sup> to 11 <sup>th</sup> 2019
National Seminar on Education and Culture	The Teachings and Thoughts of Nivedita	Vivekanda College for Women	April 4-5, 2018

## Publications

### Book Chapters:

*Prema-Bhakti as Sādhyā and Sādhana* ; Philosophy of Vaiṣṇava Vedānta Culture, Legacy and Traditions, edited by C.Upender Rao, (JNU) & Parveen Kumar, ISS Delhi, published by Institute for Science and Spirituality, Delhi with ISBN no: 978-93-100-0084-9

*The Pancham Purusatha: The Means and End of God Realization*; Bāul Vaiṣṇava O Rabindranath, edited by: Dr. Sujit Kumar Mondal & Dr. Buddhadev Mondal published by Biplab Bhattachajee, Scholar Publication, Karimganj, Assam, 788711, ISBN:978-81-935793-7-4, jnuary:2019.

The Beneficences that Happened to Indian Society from the Teachings and Thoughts of Nivedita Education and Culture-vol. II, edited by Soma Bhattacharya, ISBN no:978-93-5407-223-9

## **Journals:**

Indian Journal of Analytic Philosophy: Journal of Department of Philosophy (Enlisted under Care of UGC) Utkal University, “Bhakti (divine love) as the love for one’s own Master: An approach from Bengal Vaiṣṇavism”, Vol no: VII, Issue-I, Jan-Aug 2021, ISSN no: 09762337

Philosophical Papers: Journal of Department of Philosophy (Enlisted under Care of UGC) North Bengal University, “Bhakti (divine love) as the love for one’s own child: An approach from Bengal Vaiṣṇavism”, Vol no: XII, March-2021, ISSN no:0976-4496

“Ontological Argument” Journal of Social Science and Welfare Published by Women’s College, Calcutta & Indian Institute of Psychometry, ISSN No: 23482974, Vol.no: 04, 2019

Niveditar Dristibhangite Jatiyatabad O Bhartiya Samaj Gathane Naarir Bhumika: Ekti Paryalochona, 17<sup>TH</sup> March 2019, ISSN: 2454-5318

“The Beneficences That Happened to Indian Society from The Teachings and Thoughts of Nivedita”, 11<sup>th</sup> International RAIS Conference on Social Sciences & Humanities held at Johans Hpkins University, Rockville, USA. 19<sup>th</sup> November 2018, ISSN: 2578-8574

## **Invited Lecture:**

Berhampore College, dated 12<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> September 2024 on the topic of ‘Dhrma Samasya’ a two-day ICPR funded National Seminar.

Asutosh College, dated 28<sup>th</sup> June 2023 on the topic of “Inference and its division under Indian Nyāya Philosophy”.

## **Seminar Organize:**

West Bengal Health Scheme

Swapna Mukherjee Memorial Lecture and One Day International Seminar On Philosophical Reflections of Indian Ethics on 8<sup>th</sup> February 2024

## **Two Add-on Course Conducted**

- i) Value Added Certificate Course
- ii) Buddha Ethics

**Professional Experiences/Membership:**

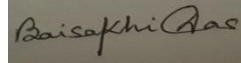
- Coordinator WBHS
- Member, Srijan Centre for Community Welfare (registered under West Bengal Act XXVI of 1961, No. 28744 of 2005-2006) since 2009
- Member: Sports Committee, Students Aid Committee, Cultural Committee, Publication Committee.
- Member, Indian Philosophy Congress (IPC)

Languages known: Bengali, English, Hindi

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