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Awards – Senior Research Fellow, Fulbright Fellowship, 2008-09, Schlesinger Research Grant, Radcliffe Centre, Harvard University, 2012-13

Seminar/Conferences/Workshops organized –

1. Co-ordinator of International conference in Assam University, Silchar on “Contesting Patriarchies and Gendered Constructs: Gender History in Northeast India”, 18/1/2012 to 20/1/2012
2. Co-ordinator of International Conference in NMML, New Delhi in collaboration with Prof. Gunnel Cederlof, Uppsala University, Sweden on “Frontier India and the North East”, 1/2/2013 to 2/2/2013
3. Co-ordinator of regional workshop of Indian Association for Women Studies (IAWS) on “Customary Law, Law and Women in Northeast India” in Guwahati, 14th -15th December 2013
4. Co-ordinator of Workshop on “Interdisciplinary Approaches to Doing Studies of Tribes” with P.K. Nath, in the Centre for Tribal Studies, Assam University, Diphu Campus, 13th – 14th March, 2014

Publications:

1. “Looking at the Roots of Political Conflict of the Bodos and their Negotiating for Peace” in Anuradha Dutta and Ratna Bhuyan (ed.) *Genesis of Conflict and Peace: Understanding Northeast India Views and Reviews*, Akansha, New Delhi, 2007
2. “Ethnicity, Globalization and the North East of India” in *Assam University Journal*, 2007

3. "Missionary Wives in the Evangelical Project in Colonial Assam: Life and Times of Mrs P.H. Moore", Lecture Series Publication, Lecture –XXIV, Indian Council of Historical Studies, North-East Regional Centre, Guwahati, 2008
4. "Home Away from Home: The work of Missionary Wives in the Evangelical Project in Colonial Assam: Life and Times of Mrs. Moore", in T. B Subba, Joseph Puthenpurakal and Shaji Joseph Puykunnel, *Christianity and Change in Northeast India*, Concept Publishing Company, New Delhi, 2009
5. "Tribal Politics in the Assam: 1933-1947" in *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol. XLV, No. 10, March 2010
6. "Forests, Fields and Pasture: Environmental and Revenue Debates of Land Usage in Colonial Assam" in *New Aspects in Indian History: Local, Regional, National*, ed. Ashim Kumar Sarkar and Kaushik Chakraborty, Readers Service, 2011
7. "Ethnic Violence in Bodoland" in *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol. XLVII, No. 34, August 25, 2012