

Faculty Profile of Projit Kumar Palit



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➤ **Education**

- Ph.D . , Topic on: “History of Religion in Tripura from earliest time to time up to *Manikya* Dynasty,” Visva-Bharati University, Santiniketan,2001.
- M.A. in Ancient Indian History, culture &Archaeology, Visva-Bharati University, Santiniketan,1991.

➤ **Teaching and Research Experience**

- Professor, Department of History, Assam University, Silchar.
(Since March 2014 till today).
- Associate Professor, Department of History, Assam University, Silchar.
- Reader, Department of History, Assam University, Silchar.
- Lecturer, Department of History, Assam University, Silchar.
- Assistant Professor, Government College of Belonia, Tripura.
- Research Associate, Ram Krishna Mission Institute of Culture, Kolkata.
- Post –Doctoral Research, Rama Krishna Mission Institute of Culture. Kolkata.

➤ **Fields of Specialization**

- Religion and cultural history of North East India.
- Manuscript, Art, Coin and Inscription of North East India.
- Tourism and Heritage management of North East India

➤ **PhD. Research Supervision**

- **Awarded:** Eleven Scholars
- **Under Supervision:** Five Scholars

❖ **PhD. Awarded Scholars:**

1. Sheik Assadujjaman, (Co Supervision) (2009), “Sufism in North East India”.
2. Shatarupa Bhattacharjee, (2010), “Cachar under Raja Govindra Chandra, 1813-1830”.
3. Kismat Sultana, (2010), “Silchar Municipality: A study of its origin and development -1882 1990”.
4. Shilpi Datta Majundar,(2010),“Concept of Espionage in KautilyaArthashastra: Its relevance to present era”.
5. Golap Saikia, (2011), “Urbanization in Early Assam, (From 5th century CE to 12th century CE)”.
6. Kalpana Sen,(2014), “History of Religions in Barak Valley (From 7th Century to 1832 CE)”.
7. Asha Basumatary, (2014), “Religion of the Bodos of Brahmaputra Valley: Continuity and Changes Up to 20th Century”.
8. Rumi Pater, (2015), “History of Śākta Pīthas in Assam up to 18th Century”.
9. L.Anupama Singh, (2016), “Radha-Krishna Cult in Manipur. A Historical Study (15th -19th century CE).
10. Swami Kamalasthananda, (2016), Ecological Awareness in Brahmanical Literature Up to Six century BCE.
11. S. Uirrei Singh, (2016), Koch Rajbanshi Identity and The Dheyman in Cachar (19th and 20th century) .
12. Onkholun Haokip , (Submitted 2017) , Imphal Campaign of Indian National Army: ‘A Study on Local Participation in 1943-1944’ .

➤ **Under Supervision M. Phil:**

- **Awarded:** Six M. Phil Scholars.
- **Under Supervision:** Five Scholars.

❖ **Awarded: M.Phil Scholars.**

1. MemchatonSingha, (2008) “Back to Roots: Naoria Phulo and the Meetei Revivalist Movement in Barak Valley (1930-1941)”.
2. Shrin Sultan Takuldar, (2008), “Sufism in Barak Valley: A Historical Study”.
3. Sanghamitra Sinha (2008), “The traditional Culture of Bishnupriya Manipuri: A historical study from 1st century to 5th century”.
4. Sanghamitra Sarma, (2008), “Kamakhya temple: A socio -Religious study”.
5. Begum Abida Sultana, (2009), “Gender and Society: A study of change in Muslim Women in Colonial Barak Valley”.
6. Sujoy Chakraborty, (2015), Coins of Tripura from 1464 CE to 1775 CE: A historical study”.
7. Mohibul Hoque, (Submitted 2017), “Terracota Craft of Assam with special reference to the Asharikandi of Dhubri District.”
8. Nirada Baro, (Submitted 2017), “Arts and Crafts of the Bodo Tribes of Brahmaputravally: An Ethno archaeological Study.”
9. Sumita Sinha, (Submitted 2017), “Cultural Tourism in Tripura: A Historical Study.”

➤ **Previous Positions Held in Assam University:**

- Head, Department of History, Assam University, Silchar. (from 13th September, 2013 to 02nd October , 2016).
- Deputy Director, Directorate of Internal Quality Assurance, Assam University, Silchar (2011-2016).
- Deputy Dean, Deans of Students Welfare, Assam University, Silchar, (2011-2014).
- Chairman of Student Feedback, Assam University, Silchar (2014-2016).

- Coordinator of Student Feedback, Assam University, Silchar, (2011-2014).
- NSS Coordinator, Assam University, Silchar ,(2008-2011).
- Course Co-Coordinator for Diploma in Tourism Studies, Assam University, Silchar, (2005-2007).
- Deputy Coordinator, Steering Committee for Assessment and Accreditation of Assam University by NAAC, 2013.

➤ **List of Publications**

❖ **Books**

1. History of Religion in Tripura, 2004, Kaveri Books, New Delhi, ISBN 201081-7479-064-0.
2. Tribal folk Songs, 2004, Agartala: Tuima Publishers, Tripura.
3. Associate editor, Cultural Heritage (An Encyclopaedia of Culture History of India Vol. VII (Art History) and Vol. VIII (Modern India), Kolkata: Rama Krishna Mission Institute of Culture, 2004.
4. Manuscript and Manuscriptology in India, 2010, edited jointly with S.G. Nandi, Kaveri Books, New Delhi, ISBN 978-81-7478-106-7.
5. Religion and Literature: Indian Perspectives, 2011, Kaveri Books, New Delhi, ISBN 978-81-7479-105-4.
6. Vivekananda and National Integration, 2013, Delta Books, New Delhi, ISBN 978-81-926244-2-6.
7. The Gospel of Sri Ramakrishna and its relevance, 2017, edited jointly with Swami kamalasthananda, , Kaveri Books, New Delhi, ISBN 201081-7479-074-8.
8. The Manuscript: A Facet of Indian Culture, 2017, edited jointly with Susmita Palit Saha, Kaveri Books, New Delhi, ISBN 201081-7489-085-9.

❖ **Articles/Chapters in Books :**

1. “Intellectual Tradition in Indian Society: a historical study” ed. by. Dr. S.S.Vivekanandam , Proceedings of National Seminar of Contribution of Indian

Instinctual Tradition to Science of Language, Government Sanskrit College , Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, 2015, pp – 19-28 ,ISBN 978-81-922232-5-4.

2. “Swami Vivekananda’ Idea of Human Values and Religious Harmony in India. ” ed. by. Shamita Nag Dharet.al. eds, Dr. Sukhamay Bhattachary Felicitation Volume on Sanskrit and Indian Cultural Studies. Silchar, 2014 , pp- 281-288, ISBN 978-81-90806 -9-3.
3. “Swami Vivekananda: A Religious Linkage in Indian Society”, ed. by, Projit.K. Palit, Swami Vivekananda and National Integration, New Delhi, Deita Book World, 2013,pp- 137-146, ISBN 978-81-926244-2-6.
4. “Indian Literature and Humanist Religiosity in early Indian Society: A historical Study”. ed. by, PriyadarseeCharkraborty, History in Literature – Literature as History, Levant Books, Kolkata and Kulti College , Burdwan, 2012 : pp -15- 28.
5. “Buddhist Gods and Goddesses of Tripura: A Brief Study” ,ed. by,S.P. Sarma and B. Labh, The Ocean of Buddhist Wisdom, Delhi, 2011 ,ISBN, 978-81-8315-166-5
6. “SaivaCults in Tripura: Religious Linkage Between Tripura and Bangladesh in early period”, ed. by, B. P. Siddhasrama, Md. Sirajul Islam elt, “International Conference of the International Congress of Social Philosophy”, March, 2011, pp- 353-58, ISBN, No978-984-33-3988-1.
7. “Saivism in North East India: With Special Reference to Early Tripura”, ed. by, RadhavallabhTripathi and others, North - East States To Sanskrit Literature, RashtriyaSankritSansthan, New Delhi, 2011, pp-182-192 ISBN978-93-86111-77-7.
8. “Pilak of Tripura: A Place of Identity of Early North East India”, ed. by , Ruma Bhattacharjee , Identity Issues In North East India, New Delhi: 2011, ISBN, No 978-81-8370 -294-2.
9. “Ecology and Its Identity on the Basis of Buddhist Literature and Philosophy”, ed. by, P.K. Palit, The Religion and Literature Indian Perspectives, New Delhi: Kaberi Books, 2011, pp- 155-169, ISBN No 978-93-80031-08-8.
10. “Manuscripts of North-East India: A Case Study of Tripura”, ed. by, S. Nandi and P.K. Palit, Manuscript and Manuscriptology in India, New Delhi: Kaberi Books, 2010, pp- 126-133, ISBN No-81-978-7479-105-4.
11. “Human Development and Early Indian Thoughts”, ed. by K. Sengupta, Human Development multi-dimensional approaches to human well-being, New Delhi: Mittal Publications, 2010, pp- 191-200, ISBN No81-8069-683-9.

12. "Religion and Conflict Resolutions in a Multicultural Ethnic Society of Tripura", ed. by, Abhiki Gupta and Dependu Das, Ethnicity and Conflict: India and Canada, Assam University Publication, 2010, pp-74-81, ISBN No, 81978-81-908202-02.
13. "Religion and Human Development", ed. by, K.N. Jena; M.M. Semwal and R. Chatterjee, Bottom up Approaches and Inclusive Development, 2009, pp- 413-425, ISBN No 978-93-80031-08-8
14. "The History of Rivers in Ancient Northern India", Ed. Niranjan Roy et al; Water Harvesting And Water Utilisation In North East India , Assam University , Silchar, 2007, pp- 76-83.

➤ **Articles in journals:**

◆ **International**

1. "Cultural Tourism in Tripura, North-eastern India, with Special Reference to Bangladesh: an Archaeological Study" Current Trends in Archaeological Heritage Preservation: National and International Perspectives Proceedings of the international conference, ed. by, Sergiu Musteață & Ștefan Caliniuc , British Archaeological Reports, Gordon House, 276 Banbury Road ,Oxford- OX2 7ED, England , November 6-7, 2013 , pp- 99- 104, ISBN -978 1 4073 1400 6.
2. "Mapping The Vaisnava Faith Tripura : A Study on Inscription" Man In India , International Journal of Anthropology ,Kolkata, 2015 April-June:219-223, ISSN - 0025-1549.
3. " Biodiversity conservation – A study from earliest times to the present content", jointly with Prathankar chudhury ,Proceeding of International conference on Global Climate Change of Centre for Environmental Studies, ed. by Balachandran S & Pulak K Patra et al,Visva Bharati, Santiniketan, 2010, p- 1-7.

◆ **National**

4. "Buddhist Land Grants in Early Tripura: A Historical Study" Northeast Researches, vol . vi, March ,Institute of Northeast India Studies, Kolkata , 2015, pp- 37-50, ISSN - 22494456 .
5. "The Mags Culture of Tripura:A root of Buddhism " Relevance of Buddhism Today, Nalnda Journal of the Buddhism and Indian Cultural , 2013-2014 ,pp 204 -209 , ISSN -2320-7264 .
6. "Vision of Swami Vivekananda on Human Development and cultural values in India," Proceedings of national seminar on Swami Vivekananda, Youth and Education, Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda Centenary College, Rahara , 2013 , pp- 22- 29.
7. "Vedic Political System: Sabha and Samitees - An Early Parliamentarian Concept of India", Journal of the Department of Sanskrit Visva-Bharati, (2008), 80-91.
8. "Buddhist Ecological Thoughts in Early India", Journal of Political and Socio Economic Research I, no. I. (2008),pp- 156-169.
9. "Elements of Ecological Thoughts in Buddhism", the Assam University Journal 1, no. 1. (January 21, 2006), pp- 78-81.
10. . "Śakti cults in Tripura: A new Approach", Visva-Bharati Quarterly 14, no. 3-4, (October, 2005), pp- 63-73.
11. "Religious Tribal Festivals of Tripura: A Brief Introduction", Visva-Bharati Quarterly 14, no. 3-4, (October, 2004 - September, 2005), pp-185-192.
12. Tribal Gods and Goddesses in Tripura, KalyanBharati – A Journal on Indian History & Culture VII, (2003), pp-107-111.
13. TheAndamanis: A Tropical Tribe of Andaman: A Brief Sociological Study of Complete Life Style", TUI – A Quarterly Research Journal on Tribal life & Culture II, Government of Tripura, (1998): 1-5.
14. "Changing Pattern of Jamatia Food Habit", TUI – A Quarterly Research Journal on Tribal life & Culture, Government of Tripura, 1997: 25-31.
15. "Totemism in India: A Historical Review", TUI – A Quarterly Research Journal on Tribal life & Culture, Government of Tripura, 1997: 76-82.
16. "Definition of Tribe according to Sanskrit Text", TUI – A Quarterly Research Journal on Tribal life & Culture, Government of Tripura, 1995: 81-85.



17. “*TripurarŚilpakalaEktiSamīksha*”, ItihāsaAnusandhān, PaschimbangaItihāsa Samsad, (2001), pp- 151-159.
18. “*RabindranatherBudha dharma*”, Budhadharmer Rabindranath, Dwirialap 53, (April, 2011): 14-15.
19. “*HaraferItihāsa, ItihāserHaraf*”, Gomoti, Government of Tripura, (2000): 1-3.
20. “*LipirItihāsa, ItihāserLipi*”, Gomoti, Government of Tripura, (1999).
21. “*MrichhakatikaNatakerSamaj O RastraKichhuPrasna*”, Purbavas-Saradsnkha. (1998): 137-140.
22. “*Tebhaga: SabujBiplaberAithya*”, Gomoti, Government of Tripura, 1998: 49-51.
23. “*Bai-erItihāsa, ItihāserBai*”, 15thBaimelaSmaranika, 1997.
24. “*UdarManabatabad: Rabindranath*”, Gomoti, Government of Tripura, 1996: 29-34.

➤ **Lead Projects:**

- I. “Inscription of Tripura from Earliest Time to the Time of Manikya Dynasty”, Ministry of Culture, Government of India, New Delhi, 2002 to 2004.

➤ **Papers presented in Conferences and seminars**

❖ **International**

1. “*Buddhaghosa and Ecological Awareness: A Study on His Idea and Thought*”, Paper presented in the 6th International Conference of the Sri Lanka Association of Buddhist Studies, at the Buddhist and Pāli University, Homagama, Sri Lanka, from 1st to 3rd July 2016.
2. “*Buddhist Heritage in Tripura: A religious linkage between Barma and Bangladesh*”, Paper presented in The 4th Conference of the International Association of Theravada Buddhist Universities (IATBU) at Theravada Buddhist Universities, Magelang, Central Java, Indonesia, 10-12th November, 2016.
3. “*The Buddhist learning centres in Tripura: A study of cultural linkage between Nalanda and Arakan*”, Paper presented in ASEAN Economic International Buddhist Conference, organised by Dhammadhara College of languages and Dhammadipa Buddhism Centre, Mandalay, Myanmar, 2017.

4. "Pemayangtse Monastery in Sikkim: A religious linkage between Northeast India and Tibet", Paper presented in the 16th World Sanskrit Conference, Sanskrit Studies Centre at Silpakorn University, Bangkok, Thailand & International Association of Sanskrit Studies (IASS) Bangkok, 28 June–2 July 2015
5. "Human deployment: A study on Early Indian Values", Paper presented in International Seminar on Human deployment and Sustainability: Challenges and Strategies for the Asian Century at Social work Department, Visva Bharati University and Charles University, Australia, January 16-18, 2015.
6. "Buddhist Centre of Pilak: A Religious Root with Early Bengal and Barma", Paper presented in International Conference on Buddhist Heritage of Odisha: Situating Odisha in the Global Perspective at Department of Tourism and Culture, Government of Odisha, Udyagiri, Odisha: 1-3 February, 2013.
7. "Relevance of Buddhism on Global Ecological Problem, Global Ecosystems, Biodiversity and Environmental Sustainability in the 21st century", Paper presented in International Conference on Global Ecosystems, Biodiversity and Environmental Sustainability in the 21st century at Department of Ecology & Environmental Science, Assam University, Silchar: 15-17 February, 2012.
8. "Women Position in History and Women History in India: its relevance", Paper presented in International Conference on Women in Contemporary Society, Literature and Culture at The Centre for Gender and Cultural Studies, Department of Bengali, Assam University, Silchar: 10-11 February, 2012.
9. "Buddhist Tribe Maghs of Tripura: A Religious Linkage between Tripura and Bangladesh", Paper presented in International Conference on Context of India Society, History, Culture and Science at Assam University, Silchar: 22-24 January, 2012.
10. "Race and Religion Impact on Partition in India", Paper presented in International Conference on Diaspora and Rehabilitation: Quest for New World View In Literature and Culture of North East India Colonial at Department of Bengali, Assam University, Silchar: 22- 24 March, 2012.
11. "Relevance of Buddhism on Global Ecological Problems", Paper presented in International Conference on Global Ecosystems, Biodiversity and Environmental Sustainability in the 21st century at Department of Ecology & Environmental Sciences, Assam University, Silchar: 15-17 March, 2012.

12. "Manuscript of India: Sources of Scientific Knowledge in Early India", Paper presented in International Conference on Colonial Note the Continuity of Culture: Emerging Study of Manuscriptology at Department of Bengali, Assam University, Silchar: 1-3March, 2012.
13. "Saiva Cults in Tripura: Religious Linkage between Tripura and Bangladesh in early period", Paper presented in 10th International Conference of the International Congress of Social Philosophy at Jagannath University, Dhaka, Bangladesh: 2 -4th December, 2011.
14. "Nimbarka-acharya's Vision on World Peace: An Introspection", Paper presented in International Conference on Nimbarka Philosophy and Present Crisis at Department of Sanskrit, Assam University, Silchar in collaboration with World NimbarkaParishad: 9-10 November, 2011.
15. "Buddhist Centre Pilak of Tripura: Religious Linkage between Tripura and Bangladesh", Paper presented inInternational Conference", Paper presented in International Conference on History, Culture and Ethnicity of Bangladesh at Asiatic Society of Bangladesh, Dhaka, Bangladesh: 28-30November, 2011.
16. "Buddhist Centre Pilak of Tripura: A Root of Religious Linkage between Early North East India and Barma", Paper presented in International Conference on Buddhist Linkage with South and South East Asia at Department of Buddhist Studies, Delhi University, Delhi: 7-9October, 2011.
17. "Pilak of Tripura: An Important Buddhist Religion Centre of Early North East India" Paper presented in 4th Bi-annual International Conference at Sri Lanka International Buddhist Academy, Kandy, Sri Lanka: 10-12 December, 2010.
18. "Pilak of Tripura: An Important Religious Tourist Centre of Early North East India" Paper presented in International workshops on Peace through tourism in historically changed in cross borders at Department History, VisvaBharati University: 29 -30 March, 2010.
19. "Biodiversity Conservation: A Study from Ancient Times (Buddhism) to the Present Day Context" Paper presented in the International Conference on Global Climate Change at Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan: 19-21February, 2010.
20. "*BrihatBanglarAdibasiGraminSamj:RajŚaktirPrabhābeTārRūpāntar O Punarbicār*", Paper presented in International Conference on Village in Bengal at Centre for Advance Research ,University of Dhaka, Bangladesh: 22-24th February, 1998.

❖ **National**

21. Paper presented on “ Jmatia revolt in Tripura : An Ethnic uprising in North East India, ” at UGC sponsored national seminar on Tribal Rebellion in Jungle Mahal from 1767 to 1832 CE , organised by the Department of History, P.R.M.S MahaVidyalaya & Saldia College , Bankura, West Bengal on March 22nd & 23rd, 2016.
22. Paper presented as a Panellist on “Pilak Monastery of Tripura: Archaeological Influence of Arakan and Bangladesh ” at UGC sponsored national seminar on Culture and Religion in North East India , organised by Department of History, Women’s College, Shillong on 2nd and 3rd November, 2016.
23. Paper presented on “ Trade route and Buddhist culture in North East India” , at UGC sponsored national seminar on Culture and Heritage organised by Department of History, Gauhati University, Gauhati on 3rd and 4th November, 2016.
24. Paper presented on “Innovation in Teaching –Learning system in Higher Education of India : a study of Indian culture” , at NAAC sponsored national seminar on Higher Education in India , organised by Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda Centenary College , Kolkata on 17th November, 2016.
25. Paper presented on “Tribal Movements in India with special reference to the Jungle Mahal and North East India (19th century and 20th century) ” at UGC sponsored national seminar on Popular Uprising Rebellion in Jungle Mahal, organised by the Department of History, J.K. College & Manbhum MahaVidyalaya, Purulia, West Bengal on 10th & 11th January , 2017.
26. Paper presented on “Masses Movements in India with special reference to North East India (19th century and 20th century)” at UGC sponsored national seminar on Mobilisation of Masses, organised by the Department of History, Netaji MahaVidyalaya, Arambagh, Hooghly, West Bengal on February 22nd & 23rd, 2017.
27. Paper presented on “B.R. Ambedkar and Buddhism,” at national seminar of Jawaharlal Nehru and Ambedkar in light of 125th birth Anniversary organised by the Department of History & Dr. B.R.Ambedkar Studies Centre, Rabindra Bharati University, 25 -26th March , 2015.
28. Paper presented on “Buddhist Architecture in Sikkim : A study on the Nyingma Buddist tradition,” at national seminar of Purvottar Bauddha Mahotsava, Nava NalandaMahavihara, Nalanda, 23th to 25th March, 2015 .

29. Paper presented on "Women Identity and Cultural memory in Ancient Society in India" at national seminar of Women issue in Philosophy and Religion, Department of Philosophy & Comparative Religion, Visva -bharati, and ICPR, Delhi, 27 -28th March, 2015.
30. Paper presented on "Plagiarism and Social Values", on national seminar of Plagiarism and Related aspect at Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda Centenary College, Kolkata, 18th August, 2015.
31. Paper presented on "The Pilak Monastery of Tripura: A study on Pali literature and Art tradition in Early North East India" on national seminar of Pali and Indian Culture organised by Jawaharlal Nehru University and Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts., 22-23 March, 2014.
32. Paper presented on "Santal Culture of Tripura: A Historical Study" at national seminar of Santal Culture and their Religious Beliefs, organised by Department of Philosophy and Comparative Religion, Visva Bharati and The Anthropological Survey of India, Kolkata, Santiniketan, West Bengal, 25-26 March, 2014.
33. Paper presented on "Art and Architecture of Pemayangtse Monastery in Sikkim: A Study on Buddhist Archaeology and Tradition in Northeast India," at national seminar of Recent Perspectives on Himalayan Buddhism, The Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Rashtrapati Nivas, Summerhill, Shimla, 27-28 May 2014.
34. Paper presented on "Sketching Religious heritage in ancient Tripura : with Special reference Guraighar copper plate and Ashraffur copper plate" at national seminar of Socio Cultural Perspective of Epigraphic Heritage North East province Of India, organised by Department of Sanskrit, Assam University, Silchar in collaboration with Asiatic Society, Kolkata, 24th November to 25st November, 2014.
35. Paper presented on "Manuscript as a Cultural Memory in Indian Heritage" at national seminar of Manuscriptology and Manuscript of Pre Independence Sylhet, Department of Bengali, Assam University, Silchar, 19-22nd December, 2014.
36. Paper presented on "Pilak of Tripura: A Religious Tourist Circuit between SitaKundu and Mainamoti of Bangladesh", at national seminar of National Seminar of Promotion of International tourism Circuits in North East India: Prospect and Priorities and Strategic Options at Department of Business Administration, Assam University, Silchar, 8-9 March, 2013.
37. Paper presented on "Vaishnavism and Social Harmony in North East India", at national seminar of National Seminar of The Philosophy of Sri Chaitanya and Indian

- Cultureat, Department of Philosophy and Comparative Religion, VisvaBharati, Santiniketan, West Bengal, 30-31March, 2013.
38. Paper presented on “Swami Vivekananda and His contribution” at national seminar of 150 birth anniversary Swami Vivekananda and Godden jubilee of Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda Centenary College, Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda Centenary College , Kolkata1, 7-8 January, 2013.
 39. Paper presented on “Monastery and Sculpture of the NalandaMahavira with special reference to Buddhism”, at national seminar of PurvottarMahotsava - A Festival of North East India ,Nava NalandaMahavihara, Nalanda, 27-29 January, 2013.
 40. Paper presented on “Idea of Swami Vivekananda on Indian Culture and Youth” at national seminar of Swami Vivekananda , Youth and Education , Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda Centenary College and Bhairab Ganuly College, Kolkata: 2nd and 3rd September, 2013.
 41. Paper presented on “Vaishnavism and Social Harmony In North East India” on national seminar of The Philosophy of Sri Chaitanya and Indian Culture , Department of Philosophy and Comparative Religion, Visva Bharati , Santiniketan, West Bengal, 30th March to 31st March , 2013.
 42. Paper presented onStudy on Land grants of Buddhist Monastery in early Tripura”, in the 12th Annual Conference of the Indian Society for Buddhist Studies , the Doon University, Dehradun, Uttrakhand: 2-4 November, 2012.
 43. Paper presented on “Inscription Of Tripura :A root of Buddhism in Early North East India” , on national seminar of Archaeology of North East India”,Archaeological Survey Of India , Guwahati , 20- 21 July ,2012.
 44. Paper presented on “Saiva Art in Early Tripura ,” in 20th Annual Conference of the Indian Art History Congress , the Panta Museum , Patna, Bihar, 16-18th December, 2011 .
 45. Paper presented on “Saivism in North East India: With Special Reference to Early Tripura”, at national seminar of Sanskrit Literatureat in North-East States , the Department of Sanskrit,Assam University, Silchar: 12-14March, 2011.
 46. Paper presented on “A Study of Saiva Cults in North East India: with Special Reference to Early Tripura”, in Indian History Congress , GourBanga University, Malda, West Bengal: 11-13 February, 2011.

47. Paper presented on “Epigraphic Records of Saiva Cults in Early Tripura”, in the 47th Annual Conference of the Institute of the Historical Studies, Department of History, Punjab University, Chandigarh: 28-30 October, 2010.
48. Paper presented on “EtihaseManabiCharcha: KichuTatik O TattaAbanKichuPrashna”, at national seminar of Tagore on Gender and Development: Relevance and Implication Times , Women Study Centre, Visva-Bharati University, Santiniketan and Indian Social Institute, Delhi: 30-31 July, 2010.
49. Paper presented on “Buddhist Rites and Rituals in Tripura”, at national Seminar of Buddhism and Buddhist Tribes in North East India , organised by Kabi Nazrul Mahavidyala, Sonamura, Tripura and Indian Council of Social Science Research, New Delhi,17-18 July, 2010.
50. Paper presented on “Big Dams – Big Threats”, in the symposium on Sustainable Development of Water Resources in Barak Valley organised by IQAC, Assam University, Silchar, 24 March, 2010.
51. Paper presented on “Buddhist Rites and Rituals in Tripura”, at national seminar on Buddhism and Buddhist Tribes in North East India , Department of History, Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar, 29-30 January, 2010.
52. Paper presented on “Antiquities of Pilak: A Sacred Archaeological Center in Tripura”, at national seminar of Culture of North East India: Ethnic and Archaeological Background , Centre for Archaeological Studies & Training, Eastern India, Kolkata, 5-7 November, 2009.
53. Paper presented on Buddhism in Tripura”, at the national seminar of Buddhism and World Culture at Central Institute of Higher Tibetan Studies, Sarnath, Varanasi, 7-9 March, 2008.
54. Paper presented on “Close Socio-Economic Contract between Northeast India with China and South East Asia”, in the Conference on North East Indian history association , organised by Department of History, Tripura University, Agartala:, 6-8 November, 1997.
55. Paper presented on “Religion and Conflict Resolution in a Multicultural Ethnic Society of Tripura”, at national seminar of the Ethnicity and conflict resolution in a multi-cultural Society: Canadian and Indian perspective, organised by Assam University, Silchar, 2nd February, 2008.

56. Paper presented on “TripurarŚilpakalaEkṭiSamīksha”, in 17th annual Conference of the *Paścimbanḡar Itihāsa Samsad* at VidyaBhavana, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan, 24-26 January, 2001.

◆ **Visiting Fellow to other University:**

1. Visiting fellow from 10th March to 17th March, 2017 at the Department of Chinese Language & Culture (Cheena bhavana), Visva Bharati University under the Indo-China Extension Programme. During this period, delivered one special lecture on Buddhist Art and Architecture in South East Asia and taking regular classes of PG students on Buddhist art in South East Asia.
2. Visiting Fellow of Indo-China Extension Programme on Buddhism and China at Department of Chinese Language & Culture, (Cheena bhavana), Visva Bharati University .During this period, delivered one special lecture on Buddhism and Buddhist Architecture in China and taking regular classes of PG students on Buddhist art in South East Asia. 10-17 March 2015.
3. Visiting Fellow of UGC- Remedial Programme on Numismatics and Inscription at Department of History, Rama Krishna Mission SikshanaMandir, Belur Math, Howrah: 2nd, 3rd, 4th April 2013.
4. Visiting Fellow of UGC-SAP-DRS Programme at Department of History, The University of Burdwan : 12-16 March 2012.
5. Visiting Fellow of UGC-SAP-DRS Programme at Department of History, The University of Burdwan ; 21-25 March 2011.

◆ **Chairmanships at national or international conference / seminar etc.**

6. Chairmanships One Session on Buddhism and Human Values of the 6th International Conference of the Sri Lanka Association of Buddhist Studies on Theravada and Buddhaghosa: Problems of Identification, Interpretation and Continuation , organised by the Buddhist and Pāli University, Homagama, Sri Lanka, from 1st to 3rd July 2016.
7. Chairmanships One Session on Tribal uprising and Jungle Mahal of UGC sponsored national seminar on Tribal Rebellion in Jungle Mahal from 1767 to 1832 CE , organised by the Department of History, P.R.M.S MahaVidyalaya & Saldia College , Bankura, West Bengal on March 22nd & 23nd , 2016

8. Chairmanships One Session on Buddhist Heritage in North East India of UGC sponsored national seminar on Culture and Heritage in North East India organised by Department of History, Gauhati University, Gauhati on 3rd and 4th November, 2016.
9. Chairmanships One Session on Masses and Gandhi of UGC sponsored national seminar on Mobilisation of Masses, organised by the Department of History, Netaji MahaVidyalaya, Arambagh, Hooghly, West Bengal on February 22nd & 23rd, 2017.
10. Chairmanships One Session seminar on Role Of Buddhist Monasteries for the Welfare of people of North East India at The Nava NalandaMahavihara, Nalanda, Bihar and BahujanaHitaya Education Trust, Shabroom, South Tripura., Agartala, 21st to 23rd August, 2013 .
11. Chairmanships One Session seminar on Manuscript Of India: A Sources OF Scientific Knowledge in Early India , International Conference on Colonial Note the Continuity of Culture : Emerging Study Of Manuscriptology at Department of Bengali, Assam University, Silchar February 1 March to 3 March , 2012.

◆ **Resource Person.**

12. Deliver two Lectures as a Resource Person on Gandhian Religious Thought and Human Development and Spirituality and Social Value of Mahatma Gandhi for Refresher course of Gandhian philosophy and Rural development at Department of Rural Management and Development, Tripura University, Tripura, 8th -9thMay, 2017.
13. Deliver two Lectures as a Resource Person on Plagiarism and Academic Values and Knowledge and Interdisciplinary Thought: Historical Study for Orientation Course at UGC Human Resource Development Centre, University of North Bengal University, West Bengal- 734013, 21th -22th June, 2017.Resource Person for Refresher Course on Religious leader and Saboltran UGC Academic Staff College, University of North Bengal University, West Bengal- 734013, 22nd -23rd May, 2013.
14. Resource Person for Orientation Course at UGC Human Resource Deployment Centre, University of North Bengal University, West Bengal- 734013, 20th -21st August, 2015.
15. Deliver on Four lectures on Buddhist Monasteries (Pemayangtse and Pilak Monasteries) in North East India as a Resource Person of UGC sponsored Orientation Programme at UGC Academic Staff College , University of North Bengal University, West Bengal- 734013 on 20th -21th August, 2015

16. Deliver lecture as a special guest on “Buddhist Heritage Site Mainamati : A religious linkage between Northeast India and Southeast Asia ” an UGC sponsored national seminar on Heritage and Tourism in Bengal , organised by the Department of History Turku Hansda Lapsa Hemram MahaVidyalaya, Birbhum, West Bengal on March 10 & 11, 2017.

◆ **Invited Lectured to other Universities.**

17. Delivered **H K Barpujari Endowment Lecture** on Ancient History of Tripura at S.P. Sen conference hall, Institute of Historical Studies, Kolkata on 27th March, 2017.

18. Delivered **Tattvabodha Endowment Lecture** of National Mission for Manuscripts, New Delhi, topic on Relevance of Manuscript Studies in the 21st Century Perspective with special reference to North East India at Auditorium Hall, Radhamadhab College, Silchar, Assam on 6th February, 2015.

19. Deliver a Keynote lecture on Ecological Awareness: A study on early Indian Values and society at UGC sponsored national seminar National Seminar, organised by Abhedananda MahaVidyalaya, Sainthia, Birbhum, West Bengal on 5th & 6th March, 2017.

20. Deliver Special Invited Lecture on Ecology and Religion: A study on early Indian Culture at UGC sponsored national seminar on Geography and Folk Culture, organised by the Department of Geography with collaboration of Geographical Society of North Bengal , Kagi Nazrul Islam MahaVidyalaya, Churulia, West Bengal on March 1st & 2nd , 2017.

21. Deliver lecture as a special guest on “Buddhist Heritage Site Mainamati : A religious linkage between Northeast India and Southeast Asia” at UGC sponsored national seminar on Heritage and Tourism in Bengal , organised by the Department of History Turku Hansda Lapsa Hemram MahaVidyalaya, Birbhum, West Bengal on March 10 & 11, 2017.

22. Deliver Special Lecture on Buddhism and Buddhist Culture in North East India at the Department of History, Cooch Behar Panchanan Barma University, Cooch Behar, West Bengal on 24th May, 2017.

23. Deliver two Special Invited Lectures on Research Methodology for Ph.D. and M.Phil students, at Vidyasagar Sabhakaksha, University of Kalyani, Kalyani, West Bengal on 14th June, 2017.

24. Deliver a lecture on Contribution of Indian Intellectual Tradition to Science of Language as Keynote addresses on National Seminar at Government Sanskrit College, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, on 6th -7th November, 2015.
25. Deliver Special Invited Lecture on The Buddhist Archaeological Remains of Tripura at the Department of History, Gauahati University organised by The History Study Circle, Gauahati University on 17 February, 2016.

➤ **Observer**

1. Participant workshop on Gender Sensitisation and Sexual Harassment at Assam University, organised by ICC, Assam University, on March 14, 2016.
2. Participant National Teachers' Meet (North Zone) on “ Dimensions of Buddhism : Doctrines and Trends” ,at Central University of Tibetan Studies, Saranath, organised by CUTS and ICPR, New Delhi, on 15-17 December, 2015.
3. Participated as observer in Training Program cum Workshop on Language Teaching, Testing and Evaluation at Department of Linguist, Assam University, 23-26 February, 2011.
4. Participated as observer in national seminar of Swaraj, Culture and Education at Philosophy Department, Assam University, Silchar, 2010.
5. Participated as observer in Workshop on Higher Education in the North East: Issues, concerns and New Directional IQAC, Assam University, 20-21 November, 2011.
6. Participated as observer in national seminar of Right to Information: Problem and Prospect at Department of Mass Communication, Assam University, 20-21 November, 2011.
7. Participated as observer in national seminar of Meaning and Understanding in Human and Literary Studies at Department of Philosophy, Assam University: 16-18 March, 2009.
8. Participated as observer in national seminar of Human Development Experience in Assam at Assam University, Silchar: 26-27 September, 2008.
9. Participated as observer in National e-Governance Plan at Computer Centre, Assam University, Silchar: 6 December, 2010.
10. Participated as observer in Human Rights and Education at R.K. Mission Sikshanamandir, Belur Math, Howrah and UGC, New Delhi: 14-15 September, 2010.

11. Participated as observer in international seminar of Buddhadev Basu and his contribution in Modern Indian Literature and Social Philosophy at Department of Bengali, Assam University, Silchar: 11-13 November, 2009.
12. Participated as observer in national seminar of Human development: The new paradigm of development at Unit of Study on Human Development, Assam University, Silchar: October, 2007.
13. Participated as observer in workshop on Human Development at Unit of Study on Human Development, Assam University, Silchar, September, 2007
14. Participated as observer in national seminar of Development of North East and Scheduled Tribes, Department of History, Assam University, Silchar: 6-8 August, 2007.
15. Participated as observer in national seminar of Water Resource Management Challenges and Opportunities at Department of Ecology & Environmental Science, Assam University, Silchar: 23-25 April, 2007.
16. Participated as observer in Workshop on prospects of Tea Industry in North East India at Assam University, 8 April, 2006.
17. Participated as observer in national seminar of Water Harvesting and Water Utilization at Neriwalm and Assam University, Silchar, 25 March, 2006.
18. Participated as observer in national seminar of Creative Encounters of Religions at Department of Philosophy and Comparative Religion, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan, 4-5 February 2006.
19. Participated as observer in UGC Sponsored workshop on Human Rights Values in Education, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan, 22-28 February, 2007.
20. Participated as observer in national seminar of Sikhism Celebration of 400 the Anniversary of Installation of Adi Granth Sahib at Department of Philosophy and Comparative Religion, VisvaBharati, Santiniketan, 2-4 February, 2006.
21. Participated as observer in Indian History Congress, School of Historical Study, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan: 28-30 January, 2006.
22. Participated as observer in national seminar of Tea Industry in Assam: Problems and Prospects, Department of Economics, Assam University, Silchar, 6 August, 2005.
23. Participated as observer in UGC sponsored Symposium on History and Literature in the Perspective of Tarasankar Bandopadhyay , Bolpur College, Bolpur, West Bengal: 25 January, 2001.
24. Participated as observer in national seminar of Tribes of Tripura in Transition at Department of History, Tripura University, Agartala: 24 -25 February, 1996.

25. Participated as observer in Workshop on Traditional Knowledge, Culture and Communication: Common Grounds in India and Canada at Assam University and Shastri Indo- Canadian Institute New Delhi: 12-14 February, 2007.
26. Participated as observer in India Australia: Convergence & Divergence at India-Australia Studies Committee and Australia High Commission New Delhi: 18-19 March, 2005.

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