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Areas of Specialisation:

Medieval, Modern Literature and Comparative Study

Qualifications:

Year	Degree	College/University
1980	B.A. (Odia Honours with Distinction)	Utkal University
1982	M.A.	Visva-Bharati
1987	Ph.D.	Visva-Bharati

Teaching Experience:

- 1. Worked as Lecturer from 01.4.1984 & from 28.8.1988.
- 2. Joined as Reader on 28.8.1998.
- 3. Joined as Professor on 22.11.2005

Awards and other Academic Distinctions:

- 1. Awarded 1st prize in Mansingh Essay Competition in the year 1982
- 2. Awarded Gopinath Prabandha Puraskar by Punarnaba Sahitya Samsad, 2005.
- 3. Awarded Orissa Sahitya Akademi, Bhubaneswar, 2011.
- 4. Honoured by Sarala Sahitya Samsada in Mansingh Sammana, 2014.
- 5. Honoured by Baishakhi Sahitya Samsada, Rourkela, 2018.
- 6. Visiting Associate of Indian Institute of Advance Studies for three years from 2008.

Research Projects, Paper and Books:

LITERARY CRITICISM

- 1. Kichhi Tatwa Kichhi Byakshya, Agraduta, Cuttack,1988.
- 2. Upanyasa Tatwa O Ananya Alochana, Orissa Book Store, Cuttack, 2003.
- 3. Kanhu Charan O Sarat Chandra (Upanyasa) Agraduta, Cuttack, 2004.
- 4. Sahitya Anwesha, Mita Books, Cuttack, 2004.
- 5. Godabarish Mishra, Orissa Sahitya Akademy, Bhubaneswar, 2006.

EDITED WORKS

- 1. Upanyasa Granthasuchi, Agraduta, Cuttack, 1988.
- 2. Bhasa Sahityara Barna Biva, Orissa Book Store, 1994.
- 3. Anubada Sahitya: Tatwa O Prayoga, Orissa Book Store, Cuttack, 2000.
- 4. Baishnabayana, Gayatri Prakashani, Bhubaneswar, 2004.
- 5. Suratnamala, Department of Oriya, Visva-Bharati, 2004.
- 6. Ichhabati, Department of Oriya, Visva-Bharati, 2004.
- 7. Fakirmohannka Atmacharita, Agraduta, Cuttack, 2005.
- 8. Sahitya Deepika, Agraduta, Cuttack, 2006.
- 9. Lachhama, Agraduta, Cuttack, 2007.
- 10. Gopinath Chayanika, Sahitya Akademi, 2009.
- 11. Kanhu Charan Chayanika, Sahitya Akademi, 2013.
- 12. Garbara Katha: Garba karibar katha, Friends Publishers, Cuttack, 2016.

Administrative Post(s) Held (On full time basis):

- 1. Co-ordinator, Centre of Excellence, Department of Odia, Visva-Bharati, March 2016 –
- 2. Head, Department of Odia, Visva-Bharati, 08.3.2014 to 16.3.2017.
- 3. Assistant Proctor, Visva-Bharati in the year 1997.
- 4. Proctor, Visva-Bharati in the year 12.12.1998 to 29.5.2012.
- 5. Librarian, Visva-Bharati in the year November 2012 to November 2013.

Foreign Country visited for Academic and Cultural Activities:

Hungary Budapest, to attend an International Seminar on 1997, Visited UK for a period of one month for Academic and Cultural activities in the month of July 2013 and Visited five countries such as; Netherland, France, Greece, Sweden and Iceland in the month of June 2017.