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	<b>A. Basic Information</b>
	<b>Date of Birth</b> 19.03.1976 <b>Official Address</b> Department of Japanese, (Nippon-Bhavana), Bhasha-Bhavana, Visva-Bharati, P.O. Santiniketan, Dist. – Birbhum, West-Bengal, Pin - 731204, India <b>Residential Address (optional)</b> Udayan Pally (Jambuni), P.O - Bolpur, District - Birbhum, West-Bengal, Pin - 731235, India. <b>Date of joining at Visva-Bharati and post</b> 05.09.2005 Assistant Professor <b>Previous services before joining at Visva-Bharati</b> Ad-hoc Lecturer, Department of East Asian Studies, Delhi University for the Academic Session 2001-2002. <b>Experience of College / University Teaching in Years</b> 20 yrs + <b>Subject Studied in PG Level</b> Japanese <b>Highest Academic Qualification</b> Ph.D <b>Title of the Doctoral / Post-Doctoral Thesis</b> A Comparative Study of Primary Education System between Japan and India with reference to Curriculum, Classroom Environment, Teaching Method, Institutional Activities and Budgetary Allocation <b>Additional Responsibilities at Visva-Bharati</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Teacher In-Charge</b>, (2006, August 2025 to till date) Department of Japanese, Visva-Bharati</li> <li>• <b>Member</b>, Reservation Monitoring Committee, Admission Cell, Visva-Bharati, 2024, 2025</li> <li>• <b>Teacher Warden</b>, Apurba Ghosh Boys' Hostel, Visva-Bharati till 2010</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>University Tabulator</b>, Examination Section, 2006 to 2015 10016 to 2022</li> </ul>
<b>Membership in Reputed Institutions / Organizations</b>	i. Life Member of “ <i>Japanese Language Teachers' Association of India</i> ” ( <b>JALTAI</b> ) ii. Life Member of “ <i>Mombusbo Scholars' Association of India</i> ” ( <b>MOSAI</b> ) iii. Member of “ <i>Eastern India Japanese Language Teachers' Association of India</i> ” ( <b>EIJALTAI</b> )
<b>Invited / Nominated Member in Academic / Cultural / Administrative / Industrial Bodies other than Visva-Bharati</b>	i. <b>Member:</b> Board of Studies (2022 - 2024) in CKU, Gulbarga, Karnataka. ii. <b>Member:</b> Board of Studies (2012) in MGAV, Nagpur
<b>Award / Recognition / Distinction Received</b>	i. Awarded “ <b>MONBUKAGAKUSHO</b> ” Japanese Government Scholarship 2002-2004, Japan ii. Awarded “ <b>Junior Research Fellowship</b> ” (NET with JRF) in June 2004, University Grant Commission, India
<b>Research Project (with details)</b>	(i) Completed: NIL (ii) Ongoing:
<b>Link of the Vidwan / Research Gate / Others</b>	Google Scholar: <a href="https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=UWKCbMsAAAAJ">https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=UWKCbMsAAAAJ</a> Vidwan: <a href="https://vidwan.inflibnet.ac.in/profile/61293">https://vidwan.inflibnet.ac.in/profile/61293</a>
<b>Number of Scholars Awarded Ph.D. under Supervision</b>	NIL
<b>Number of Scholars doing Ph.D. at present (August 2025)</b>	2
<b>Special Achievement (Professional / Academic / Cultural / Administrative / Industrial / Others)</b>	i. General Test Administrator of Japanese Language Proficiency Test (JLPT) July 2025, Santiniketan Centre. ii. Editor in Taiyo-An International Peer Reviewed Open Access International e journal ISSN: 3048-8141 (Online) <a href="https://www.taiyoejournal.com">https://www.taiyoejournal.com</a>
<b>B. Publications</b>	
<b>1. Book(s)</b>	<i>Primary Education System in Japan and India</i> Year of Publication: 2019 Place of Publication: Burdwan/Kolkata Publisher: Avenel Press ISBN: 978-93-80761-86-2 Genre of the Book: Education Single written

<p><b>2. Papers / Articles</b></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. “Comparative Analysis of the Measures Adopted by Japan and India for Achieving the Goal of Primary Education.” <i>Journal of Knowledge</i> Vol -1, No. 1, August, 2013 ISSN: 2321-791X, Page No: 231 – 238.</li> <li>2. “Primary Education in Japan: An Introspection.” <i>Journal of Knowledge</i>, Vol - 3, No. 7 March 2015 ISSN: 2321-791X, Page No: 189 to 195.</li> <li>3. “Primary Education in Japan and India: A Comparative Analysis.” <i>Journal of Education and Development</i>, Vol -.6, No.12, December, 2016, ISSN: 2248-9703, Page No: 12 to 26.</li> <li>4. “Historical Development of primary Education in Japan and India: A comparative Analysis.” <i>Rabindranath Tagore and Japan</i>, Granthan Vibhaga, Visva-Bharati, March 2017, ISBN: 978-81-7522-649-4, Page 235-242.</li> <li>5. “Pre-Primary Education in Japan: Present Scenario.” <i>International Journal of Social Science</i>, Vol -8 No. 1 March 2019, ISSN: 2249-6637, Page No: 01 to 05.</li> <li>6. “Tokugawa Education System: To Build up Modern Education in Japan.” <i>International Journal of Social Science</i>, Vol. 8 No. 1 March 2019, ISSN: 2249-6637, Page No: 35 to 38.</li> <li>7. “Education of Warrior in Japan: An Introspection.” <i>Journal of Education and Development</i>, Vol -9, No.17, May-June, 2019, ISSN: 2248-9703, Page No: 676 to 680.</li> <li>8. “Primary Education in Japan: Its Problems in 21st Century.” <i>International Journal of Social Science</i>, Vol -8 No. 2, June 2019, ISSN: 2249-6637, Page No: 39 to 44.</li> <li>9. “A Study of Feudal Coalition and Control System in Tokugawa Japan.” <i>International Journal of Social Science</i>, Vol -9 No. 4, December, 2020, ISSN: 2249-6637, Page No: 307-311.</li> <li>10. “Education of Nobility: An Unique Life of the Court as its Foundation in Heian Japan.” <i>Educational Quest: An International Journal of Education and applied Social Science</i>, Vol. 11 No. 3, December, 2020, ISSN: 0976-7258, Page 193-196.</li> </ol>
<p><b>C. Seminars /Conferences/ Workshops/Symposium / Refreshers or Orientation Courses</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “Primary Education in Japan and India,” International Academic Forum, Kobe, Japan The Fifth Conference on Asia. May 28 -31, 2015.</li> <li>• “The Role of Women in Indian Culture,” CCC of University of Mysore, Mysuru, Women in Indian Culture through the Ages, 24th to 26th of December 2015.</li> <li>• “Modern Trends of Primary Education in Japan,” Rajendra Academy for Teachers’ Education, Gopalpur Durgapur, Educational research in Modern Perspective 20th January , 2016.</li> <li>• “Historical Development Primary Education in Japan and India,” Department of Japanese, Visva-Bharati, Tagore and</li> </ul>

	<p>Japan &amp; various aspects of Japan and her culture. 26-27 August 2016.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “Bhagvad Gita and Kojiki: A Comparative analysis of ancient culture &amp; literature in India and Japan,” Department of Sanskrit, Pali and Prakrit, Visva-Bharati, Socio-Cultural Significance of Srimad Bhagabad Gita, 8-10 January, 2017.</li> <li>• “A comparative study of Dalit Literature in India and Japan,” Department of Sanskrit, Pali and Prakrit, Visva-Bharati, Tribalism and Sanskrit Literature, 20-22 January, 2017.</li> <li>• “Influence of Buddhism in Japanese Literature,” Department of Sanskrit, pali and Prakrit, Visva-Bharati, Buddhist Influence on Sanskrit, 18-19 February, 2018.</li> </ul>
<b>Additional Information to Mention</b>	