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A. Basic Information	
Date of Birth	02.11.1971
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Date of joining at Visva-Bharati and post	30-05-2009
Previous services before joining at Visva-Bharati	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Ramganj High School (Higher Secondary), Ramganj, Uttar Dinaj Pur, Pin- 733207. Assistant Teacher, 28-01-1997 to 07-04-1999. Netaji Nagar Day College, 170/436, Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Road, West Bengal, Kolkata- 700092, Lecturer and Reader, 08-04-1999 to 29-05-2009.
Experience of College / University Teaching in Years	27 years
Administrative Experiences (Other than Visva-Bharati)	Head of the Department of Bengali, Netaji Nagar Day College for 2 Years.
Subject Studied in PG Level	Bengali

Highest Academic Qualification	Ph.D.
Title of the Doctoral Thesis	Dipendranath Bandhyopadhyaya : Kathasahitya
Additional Responsibilities at Visva-Bharati	
Membership in Reputed Institutions / Organizations	i. Life Member of Bangiya Sahitya Parisad. ii. Member of Rotary Club of Bolpur Santiniketan.
Invited / Nominated Member in Academic / Cultural / Administrative / Industrial Bodies other than Visva-Bharati	i.
Link of the Vidwan / Research Gate / Others	
Number of Scholars Awarded Ph.D. under Supervision	13
Number of Scholars doing Ph.D. at present (August 2025)	03
Number of Scholars Awarded M.Phil. under Supervision	05
B. Publications	
1. Book(s)	I. <i>KathaSahitye Paribesh : Bipanna Astitwa</i> (About Envirinmental thoughts on Bengali Shorts Stories and Novels), 2014, PUNASCHA Publication, Kol -700010 ISBN: 978-81-7332-899-2 Single written II. <i>Kathasahitya : Manane O Gahane</i> (A Collection of Eight Essays on Various topics of Bengali Literature) , 2013, KABITIKA , Pachim Medinipur- 721102. ISBN: 978-93-85248-70-2 Single written III. <i>Kathapragoti : Dipendranath</i> (A Conprehensive discussion on the Life and Literary Works of Dipendranath Bandyopadhyay), 2004, Bangiya Sahitya Samsad, Kolkatha- 700009. Single written. IV. <i>Sharat Chandrer Shrikanta</i> . (A Conprehensive discussion on Sharatchandra Chattopadhyay's novel <i>Srikanta</i>), 2010 (2 nd edition) Bangiya Sahitya Sansad, Kolkatha- 700009. Edited V. <i>Bishshataker Probondhocharcha (1901 - 1947)</i> , (An Analytical discussion of the Essays written by various Essayists from 1901 to

	<p>1947). 2014, Bangiya Sahitya Sansad, Kolkatha- 700009. Edited</p> <p>VI. <i>Bishshataker Probondhocharcha (1948 - 2000)</i>, (An Analytical discussion of the Essays written by various Essayists from 1948 to 2000). 2016, Bangiya Sahitya Sansad, Kolkatha- 700009. Edited</p>
2. Papers / Articles	<p>i. <i>Nari Moner Aloy Narir Paribartan</i> , Itihas Probandhamala 2012 , Dhaka, Bangladesh. ISSN-1995- 1000</p> <p>ii. <i>Katha Sahithyik Sulekha Sanyal: Shilpo vabner Shilpito Rup</i> Quttim , 2013 ISSN-2321- 9696</p> <p>iii. <i>Swadhinatauttar Bangla Kathasahitye Paribesh Bhavana</i>, ‘ Sahityabichare Paribeshkendrik Dristivangi: Edited by Dola Debnath ‘ ISBN : 978- 81-88171-93- 4</p>
C. Seminars /Conferences/ Workshops/Symposium / Refreshers or Orientation Courses	<p>I. <i>Rabindrachintane Paribesh</i>, International Seminar on Environment , 2014, Center for Development Studies & Research</p> <p>II. ‘<i>Narir Kalame Nari : Bangla Chotogalpo</i>’, Feminism in Odia Fiction : Indian Perspective Department of Odia, Visva-Bharati & Odisha Sahitya Academi, Bhubaneswar , 2012</p> <p>III. ‘<i>Madhusudaner Nari : Ekush Shataker Chikhe</i>’ Swarwe Vinnata : Madhusudan – Adhunik O Uttara Adhunik Kale Tar Prasangikata Sonamukhi College, Bankura</p> <p>IV. “ Bangla Chotogalpe Nakshal Andolon’</p>

	<p>Refresher Coursh , UGC Academic Staff College, University of North Bengal</p> <p>V. Chaired in a session National Seminar on Contemporary Trends in Indian Literature Department of Bengali, Visva-Bharati in association with Bankim Chandra Centre, R.B.U.</p>
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