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## AREAS OF INTEREST/SPECIALISATION

- MACROECONOMICS
- DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS
- MONEY & BANKING
- MARXIAN ECONOMICS
- STATISTICS & ECONOMETRICS

## ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

- Received **Merit Certificate from Govt. of India under National Scholarship Scheme** for having secured high position in the Madhyamik Examination from West Bengal in 1978.
- Received **University Gold Medal** for obtaining the **First Position in First Class** in the M.A. Examination, 1987 (held in 1988-89) in Economics
- Received **Jahar Roy Gold Medal** for securing the highest marks in Economics in the M.A. Examination, 1987 (held in 1988-89).
- Awarded **Junior Research Fellowship** (8<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1990 to 6<sup>th</sup> April, 1993) by the Dept. of Economics, The University of Burdwan.
- Qualified **State Level Eligibility Test (SLET)** in 1995.
- Awarded **Teacher Fellowship by the UGC under FIP** for the period 28<sup>th</sup> April, 2004 to 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2007.

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

From	To	Name and Address of Company / Organization	Position held
8 <sup>th</sup> Nov. 1990	6 <sup>th</sup> April, 1993	Dept. of Economics; The University of Burdwan	<b>Junior Research Fellow</b>
28 <sup>th</sup> April, 2004	27 <sup>th</sup> April, 2007	Do	Teacher Fellow (Fellowship awarded by the UGC under FIP)

## ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

- **Teaching economics (UG Honours & General Courses) at Ramananda College, Bishnupur since 01/04/1997.**
- Served as **Lecturer in Economics in Bankura Christian College, Bankura** from 24/09/1996 to 31/03/1997.
- Served as **Assistant Professor of Economics in Govt. Degree College, Khowai, Tripura** from 08/04/1993 to 30/10/1995.

- **Examiner of B.A. / B.Sc. Honours & General course examination(s) in economics** conducted by The University of Burdwan for more than eighteen years. **Paper-setter and Member of Moderation Board** for a few years.
- **Invited Member of the Board Of Under-Graduate Studies in Economics, Burdwan University.** As Assigned by the Board of Under-Graduate Studies in Economics, Prepared a Part of the Proposed Revised Syllabus for Economics Hons. Programme (Mathematical Economics I & II) effective from 2015.
- Paper-Setter, SKB University, Purulia for three years.
- **Head Examiner** of B.A. / B.Sc. Honours & General course examination(s) in economics for two Semesters conducted by Bankura University.

### ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Worked as **Head of the Dept. Of Economics** for several years on a rotational basis.
- As a **member of different Administrative Sub-Committees**, regularly help the college authority in various administrative spheres.
- Actively associated with the organization of admission process and examinations in the college.

### PRESENTATION

#### **2012**

Presented a paper entitled “Monetary Policy in India- A Structural VAR Analysis” in the 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of The Indian Econometric Society (01/03/2012—03/03/2012) at the Deptt. of Economics, Pondicherry University

#### **2005**

Presented a paper entitled “A Study of Monetary Policy through a Macroeconometric Model of the Indian Economy” in the Research Scholars’ Workshop (26/09/2005-- 27/09/2005) at the Deptt. of Economics, The University of Burdwan.

### MEMBER OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES

- **Life Member, Indian Statistical Institute (ISI), Kolkata.**
- **Board Member, Jan Sikshan Sansthan, Bankura** - Appointed for a period of three years effective from 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2011 under the category of Prominent Persons from the Field of Education by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India.

### PERSONAL DETAILS IN BRIEF

**Date of Birth** : 04 / 12/ 1963

**Marital Status** : Married

**Nationality** : Indian

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