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M.Sc. Ph. D. (University of Calcutta)

Present Position: Assistant Professor

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Teaching Experience in Substantive Post: Years: 10, Months: 8

Sl. No.	Name of the College/ University	Position	Topics Taught	Period
1.	Tripura University	Assistant Professor	Philosophy of Geography, Regional Geography of India, Regional Planning, Urban Development, Rural Development, Surveying, Research Methodology, Industrial Geography	21.09.2011-till date
2.	Malda College, Gour Banga University	Assistant Professor	Urban Geography, Surveying, Regional Geography of India, Cartography	2010-2011

Project Experience:

Sl. No.	Name of Post	Funding Agency	Amount (in Lakhs)	Period	Title of the Project	Status
1.	Principal Investigator (Project Director)	ICSSR, Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi	8,00,000	2016-2018	<i>Traditional Tribal Weaving for Sustainable Livelihood and Empowerment of Tribal Community in Tripura: A Geographical Appraisal</i>	Completed
2.	Principal Investigator	Department of Science & Technology (DST), Govt. of India	20,39,972	2019-Continuing	<i>Identification, Assessment and Model Building of Urban Morphology using Geospatial Techniques A Study of Border City Agartala, Tripura</i>	Ongoing
3.	Principal Investigator	DBT, Govt. of India	66,55,172	2019-Continuing	<i>Environmental Impact of Anthropogenic Activities on Wetland Bio-Diversity of Rudrasagar Lake, The Ramsar Site of Tripura</i>	Ongoing
4.	Principal Investigator (Project Director)	ICSSR, Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi	7,45,000	2020-Continuing	<i>Tribal Culture and Problems, Prospects and Strategies for Development of Tourism Economy in Tripura: A Geographical Appraisal</i>	Ongoing

**Organizing Seminar, Conference and Workshop:
International Level: 01, National Level: 04, State Level:01**

Sl. No	Starting Date	Ending Date	Role and Name of Programme	Organisers/ Collaborators/	Participants
1	10.10.2012	10.10.2012	Organizing Secretary of One Day Seminar At University of Calcutta	<i>Department of Geography, University of Calcutta Collaboration with Himalaya Samiksha Parishad, Forest Deptt, Govt of West Bengal, NATMO, DST, GOI</i>	About 130
2	5.1.2017	7.1.2017	Convener & (Main Organiser) of the International Seminar & 48th Regional Science Conference on Rural Habitat, Institutions and Development: Changing Nature & Challenges At Tripura University	<i>Department of Geography and Disaster Management, Tripura University (With ICSSR, Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi; Deptt of Forest, Govt. of Tripura; Deptt. of Rural Development, Govt. of Tripura; NATMO, DST, GOI)</i>	About 250
3	6.1.2018	7.1.2018	Coordinator, (Main Organiser) National Workshop for Policy Documentation on Problems And Prospects of Traditional Tribal Weaving Industry in Tripura At Tripura University	<i>Department of Geography and Disaster Management, Tripura University (With Joint collaboration Directorate of Handloom, Handicraft and Sericulture, Govt. of Tripura and Weavers' Service Centre, Ministry of Textiles, GOI & NABARD)</i>	About 150
	29.05.2018	1.06.2018	Joint Organizing Secretary 12th World Congress of the RSAI on Spatial Systems: social Integration, Regional Development and Sustainability At Goa	<i>RSAI, RSai, Jadavpur University, University of Calcutta, ICSSR, Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi, Town & Country Planning Deptt, Govt. of Goa, Institute of Town Planners, India, Goa Chapter</i>	About 450

4. 28.09.2018 29.09.2018 **Coordinator, (Main Organiser) National Workshop on Tribes of Tripura: Mapping, Planning and Development**
At Tripura University
- Department of Geography and Disaster Management, Tripura University (With Joint collaboration with NATMO, DST, GOI)*
- About 180
- 8.07.2019 13.07.2019 **Joint Convener, National Workshop on Rural Development: Changing Paradigms and Evolving Approaches**
At University of Calcutta
- Regional Science Association, India and Department of Geography, University of Calcutta (Sponsored by NATMO, DST, GOI)*
- About 40
5. 3.03.2020 5.03.2020 **Coordinator, State Level Workshop on Gender Budgeting for Gender Equality in Rural Areas**
At Tripura University
- Department of Geography and Disaster Management M, Tripura University Jointly organized with National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRD & RP), North Eastern Regional Centre, Ministry of Rural Development, GOI, Guwahati, Sponsored by Ministry of Women and Child Development, GOI*
- About 50

Research Guidance:**Awarded: 06, Submitted: 00 and Ongoing: 03**

SI No.	Name of Scholar(s)	Title of the PhD Thesis	Status
1	Sushmita Saha (As Co-Supervisor)	<i>A Study of Geohydrological Problems of Khowai and Haora River Basins, West Tripura</i>	<i>Awarded</i>
2	Sushmita Paul (As Co-Supervisor)	<i>Geomorphic Evolution and Microstructural Evidences of Environmental Changes in the Fold Structures of Eastern Parts of South Tripura</i>	<i>Awarded</i>
3	Subhajit Sen	<i>Geomorphic processes leading to the present-day landform features with particular reference to Tilla lunga topography and their impact on the habitats in the west district of Tripura</i>	<i>Awarded</i>
4	Abhijit Santra	<i>Changing Land use Pattern of the Agartala City, Tripura: A Geographical Perspective</i>	<i>Awarded</i>
5	Rajib Lal Deb Barma	<i>Evolution and Characteristics of Rural Settlements in South Tripura District, Tripura</i>	<i>Awarded</i>
6	Debasish Debbarma	<i>Salient features of auto Rickshaw Transport Services in Agartala Municipal Corporation Area in Tripura: a Geographical Appraisal</i>	<i>Awarded</i>
7	Dhirendra Nath Das	<i>Livelihood of Rural Poor under the Swarnajayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana in West Tripura District, Tripura: A Case Study</i>	<i>Ongoing (Public Seminar Completed)</i>
8	Somprakash Dhar	<i>Geopolitical Scenario of Tripura: An Analytical Study on State, People and Development Policies</i>	<i>Ongoing (Public Seminar Completed)</i>
9	Stabak Roy	<i>Infrastructural Attributes and Aspects of Railway Transport System in Tripura: A Geographical Analysis</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>

Research Articles Published in Journals (year wise):

2020

Mitra , S., & Santra, S. (2020). Monitoring Urban Expansion and Land Use/ Land Cover Changes of Agartala City, Tripura, India. *Indian Journal of Regional Science*, 52(1), 123-136. ISSN 0046-9017. (UGC Referred Journal No. 20873).

2019

Roy, S., Barman, T., & **Mitra, S.** (2019). Passengers' Perception and Persuasion on Railway Transport System of Tripura. *Indian Journal of Landscape Systems and Ecological Study*, 42(1), 115-129. ISSN 0971-4170. (UGC Referred Journal No. 20798).

Roy, S., Bajpayee, S., & **Mitra, S.** (2019). Infrastructural Intervention and Development of Railway Transport System: Evidence from Agartala-Sabroom Section, Tripura. *Indian Journal of Regional Science*, 51(2), 117-133. ISSN 0046-9017. (UGC Referred Journal No. 20873).

2018

Mitra, S., Debbarma, D., Santra, A., & Roy, S. (2018). Road Network System in Agartala Municipal Corporation: A Geographical Analysis. *Indian Journal of Regional Science, Special Volume*, 66-77. ISSN 0046-9017. (UGC Referred Journal No. 20873).

Debbarma, D., Roy, S., Santra, A., & **Mitra, S.** (2018). A Spatial Analysis of Population Distribution, Density and Growth in Agartala City. *Asian Journal of Spatial Science*, 6, 24-36. ISSN 2347-7636.

Mitra , S., Bera, A., Roy, S., & De, S. K. (2018). A Geomorphological investigation of Gurpisey Landslide in Eastern Himalayas, Namchi, South Sikkim. *Malaysian Journal of Tropical Geography*, 44(1 & 2), 1-16. (UGC Referred Journal No 25095; Scopus ID: 63835)

Roy , S., Debbarma, D., Darlong, S., & **Mitra, S.** (2018). Livelihood of Traditional Tribal Weaver of Darlong Community in Unakoti District of Tripura, India. *Geographic*, 13(1), 35-47. (ISSN 0975-4121)

Santra, S., Mitra, S., & Debbarma, D. (2018). Perception of the Urban Dwellers on the Solid Waste Management in Agartala City, India. *Journal of Humanities and Social Science*, 22(5), 1-6.

2017

Das, D. N., Roy, S., & **Mitra, S.** (2017). Dimensions and Challenges of the 10th Regional Saras Fair, Agartala: A Geographical Analysis. *Developing Country Studies*, 7(8), 26-32. (ISSN 2224-607X)

Debbarma, D., & **Mitra, S.** (2017). Occupational Health Problems of the Auto Rickshaws Service Provides in Agartala City: A Case Study of Nagerjala Motor Stand. *International Journal of Current Research and Review*, 9(22), 16-21. (ISSN 2321-9637)

Debbarma, D., & **Mitra, S.** (2017). Perception of Urban Commuters on Auto Rickshaw Transport Services in Agartala City, . *International Journal of Research in Advent Technology*, 5(11), 20-23. (ISSN 2321-9637)

Santra A., Mitra, S., & Debbarma, D. (2017). Urbanization, Land use and Emerging Issues of Agartala City, India. *Researchers World*, 8(2), 26-35.

2016

Roy, S., & **Mitra, S.** (2016). Railway Transport System in Tripura, India: An Geographical Analysis. *Geographical Review of India*, 78(1), 40-57. (UGC Care List and Referred Journal No. 27633)

Roy, S., & **Mitra, S.** (2016). Infrastructural Status of Railway Transport System in Northeast India: A Geographical Analysis. *Asian Journal of Spatial Science*, 4(1), 89-100.

Mitra, S., & Roy, S. (2016). Occupational Susceptibility and Challenges of the Railway Hawkers in Tripura: A Transitional Phase. *Indian Journal of Regional Science*, 48(2), 84-91. ISSN 0046-9017. (UGC Referred Journal No. 20873).

Mitra, S., Basak, S., Sarkar, B., & De, S. K. (2016). A Note on Kopchey Landslides, Namchi Block, Sikkim Himalayas. *Journal of Indian Geomorphology*, 4(1), 84-91. ISSN 2320-0731.

Debbarma, R. L., & **Mitra, S.** (2016). An Appraisal of Tripuri Women's Status In Takka Tulsu ADC Village Under South Tripura District, Tripura. *tui: A Journal on Tribal Life & Culture*, 20(1), 53-61. ISSN 2319-7382.

2015

Mitra, S., Das, B., Roy, S., & De, S. K. (2015). Transport Network System in Namchi Town of South Sikkim: A Geographical Appraisal. *Geo- Analyst*, 5(2), 1-8. ISSN 2249-2909. (UGC Referred Journal No. 49314).

Mitra, S., Roy, S., & De, S. K. (2015). Tourism Industry of Namchi, South Sikkim: An Overview. *Geographical Review of India*, 77(2), 170-181. (UGC Care List and Referred Journal No. 27633)

Sen, S., Debbarma, C., De, S. K., & **Mitra, S.** (2015). Impact of faults on landslide in the Atharamura Hill (along the NH 44), Tripura. *Environmental Earth Sciences*, Springer, 73(19), 5289-5298.

Debbarma, R. L., & **Mitra, S.** (2015). A Spatio-temporal Study of Place Names with Reference to Physical and Socio-Cultural Attributes in South Tripura District, Tripura. *Indian Journal of Regional Science*, 47(2), 29-39. ISSN 0046-9017. (UGC Referred Journal No. 20873).

Sen, S., Santra, S., Debbarma, D., **Mitra, S., & De, S. K.** (2015). Morphology of Tilla - Lunga Topography in West Tripura District, Tripura, India. *Annals of the National Association of Geographers, India*, 35(2), 77-93. (Peer Reviewed Journal)

2014

Santra, S., Debbarma, D., Sen, S., & **Mitra, S.** (2014). Municipal Solid Waste Management System in Agartala City, Tripura, India. *Hill Geographer*, 30(1), 37-49. ISSN 0970-5023.

2013

Sen, S., **Mitra, S.**, & De, S. K. (2013). Micro Geomorphic Pattern of Upper Dupi Tila Formation within the Tilla-Lunga Landform in the Western Portion of Tripura Fold Belt, Tripura, India. *Hill Geographer*, 29(1), 1-13. ISSN 0970-5023.

Books and Monographs

Sl. No.	Name of Book/Monograph/Book Chapter(s)	Name of the Co-Author(s)	Year of Publication	Publisher with address
	Cloud Stone and The Mind: The People And Environment of Darjeeling Hill Area	Books Ed. By Mamata Desai & Saptarshi Mitra	2011	K P Bagchi & Company, Kolkata

Research Articles Published in Seminars/ Conferences Proceedings (year wise):

Sl. No.	Title of Paper	Authors	Proceedings Details
1.	Urban Expansion and Land Use Change in Agartala, India by using GIS and Remote Sensing	Abhijit Santra* Debasish Debbarma Stabak Roy Saptarshi Mitra	Proceedings of National Seminar on Reaching the Unreached through Science and Technology, 2018 , 154-165, ABS Books, New Delhi (ISBN 978-9386088-76-5)
2.	Infrastructural Status of Railway Transportation in Tripura, India: A Geographical Analysis	Stabak Roy, Saptarshi Mitra*	Proceedings of National Seminar on Infrastructural Development in India Special Reference to the North-Eastern States, 2015 , 61- 73(ISBN 978-93-81631-37-9)
3.	A Comparative Infrastructural Developmental Scenario in Rural ADC and Non-ADC Villager of South Tripura District, Tripura: a Case study	Rajib Lal Deb Barma, Saptarshi Mitra*	Proceedings of National Seminar on Infrastructural Development in India Special Reference to the North-Eastern States, 2015 , 140- 160(ISBN 978-93-81631-37-9)

Dissertation Guidance:**Completed: 61 (2013: 5, 2014: 6, 2015:17, 2016: 11, 2017: 5, 2018: 9, 2019: 4; 2020:4)****Papers Presented in Seminars/ Conferences/ Workshop**

Sl. No.	Title of the paper presented	Title of the Seminars/ Conferences/ Workshops	Organised by	Durati on/ Date	Whether/ Internationa l/ National/ Regional/ State Level
1.	Role of Indo-Bangla Geo-political Relationship on Future Development of Railway Transport System in Tripura	Three Days ICSSR-NERC Annual Social Science Congress	Department of Economics, Tripura University	11-13 March, 2020	National Level
2.	Performances and Prospects of Rail Freight Transport System in Tripura: An Analysis	1 st International Conference on Industrial Development in the North Eastern Region- Challenges and Opportunities	Department of Business Management, Tripura University	27-29 February, 2020	International Level
3.	Externalities of Railway Transport System on Spatial Transformation in Tripura, India	51 st International Conference of the Regional Science Association on Planning Sustainable Regions: The Social-Economic-Ecological Triad	Amity University, Kolkata	13-15 February, 2020	International Level
4.	Externalities of Railways in Tribal Area Development: An Evidence from Thailik Twisa, Tripura	National Seminar on Transitional Aspects of Indigenous People of North East India: Contemporary Issues on Sustainability	Department of Geography Netaji Subhas Mahavidyalaya Udaipur, Gomati District, Tripura	11-12 January, 2020	National Level
5.	Profiling of Socio Cultural Life of Molsom Tribe in Tripura	A 2-day National Seminar Cultural Heritage of Tripura	Department of English, Tripura University in Collaboration With Indira Gandhi Rashtriya Manav Sangrahalaya, Bhopal	18-19 March, 2019	National Level
6.	Traditional Weaving of Molsom Tribe, Haram	National Seminar on "Role of Tribal Women in	Department of Sociology, Holy	1-2 March, 2019	National Level

	Community in Tripura: A Reflectance of Culture	Development of Tribal Society”	Cross College, Agartala		
7.	Geographical Hindrance of Development of Railway Infrastructure in Tripura	Golden Jubilee Annual Conference of Regional Science Association of India on Emerging Regional Issues And Sustainability	Institute for Excellence in Higher Education, Bhopal and Madhya Pradesh Private University Regulatory Commission, Bhopal	20-22 February, 2019	National Level
8.	Railway Infrastructure of North East India: Prospects and Possibilities	12 th World Congress of Regional Science Association, International	Birla Institute of Technology and Science (BITS), Goa	29 May to 1 June, 2018	International Level
9.	Traditional Tribal Weaving Culture and Identity of Chakma Community in Tripura, India	Two Days National Seminar on In Search Of Cultural Policy For Development With Identity In North East India: Issues Around Democracy, Ethnicity, Autonomy & Development	NIRDPR-NERC, Guwahati	24-25 March, 2018	National Level
10.	Livelihood Improvement: Ways, Means & Nomenclature of Traditional Jamatia Weaving in Tripura	National Seminar on Role of NGOs in Tribal Areas in Tripura	Research and Development Cell, Holy Cross College, Agartala	24-25 January, 2018	National Level
11.	Impact of Globalisation on Traditional Tribal Weaving: A Study on Jamatia Community in Gomuti District, Tripura	The Deccan Geographical Society, India XII International Geography Conference on Environmental Changes in South and South-East Asia: Challenges and Prospects	School of Studies in Geography, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur	24-26 September, 2017	International Level
12.	Railway Transportation in North East India: Performance and Challenges	XI th DGS International Geography Conference on Geospatial Solutions to Urban and Regional Environmental Issues	Department of Geography, Osmania University, Hyderabad	27-29 September, 2016	International Level
13.	Livelihood Pattern of Railway Hawkers in Tripura	36 th Indian Geographers Meet and International Seminar on Environmental Changes and Challenges: Local, Regional and Global Perspectives	Department of Geography, Gauwahi University, Assam	25-28 February, 2015	International Level
14.	Railway Infrastructural Status in the State of		Department of Geography, North	6-8 Novem	National Level

Tripura, India: A 46th Regional Science **Eastern Hill** ber,
 Geographical Perspective Conference and National **University, Shillong** 2014
 Seminar on
 Underdevelopment of
 Northeast Region and the
 Indian State

Membership of Learned Academic Bodies/ Organizations:

Sl. No.	Organisation	Membership Status/ Position Hold	Membership No.	Associated From
	Regional Science Association, India Regional Science Association, India (office) CK-134, Tank No. 9, Sector-2, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091, West Bengal, India	Joint Secretary		2009
	Regional Science Association, International	Life Member		2016
	Geographical Society of India Department of Geography, University of Calcutta, 35 Ballygunge Circular Road, Kolkata-700019, India	Life Member		2004
	National Association of Geographers, India (NAGI) Department of Geography, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, Delhi-110007, India	Life Member	LM-1156	2004
	Indian National Cartographic Association 237, Second Floor, APGDC Block, Survey of India, Uppal, Hyderabad, Telangana 500039, India	Life Member		2005
	Himalaya Samiksha Parishad, Kolkata Department of Geography, University of Calcutta, Room No 526, 4 th Floor, Ballygunge Science College, Kolkata, West Bengal-700019, India	Treasurer		2009
	The Institute of Indian Geographers Department of Geography, Savitribai Phule Pune University PUNE 411 007	Life Member		2011
	North East India Geographical Society Department of Geography, Gauhati University, Gopinath Bordoloi Nagar, Guwahati, Assam 781014	Life Member		2012

The Geographical Society of North Eastern Hill Region Department of Geography, North Eastern Hill University Umshing Mawkyntroh, Shillong, Meghalaya 793022, India	Life Member		2018
Geography Association of Mizoram Department of Geography & RM, Mizoram University, Aizawl - 796004, Mizoram, India	Life Member		2017
The Association of Geographers, Bihar & Jharkhand Department of Geography, Patna University Patna – 800005 Bihar, India	Life Member	L/917	2017
The Institute of Rail Transport Room No.17, Rail Bhavan, Raisina Road, Delhi, 110001, India	Associate Life Member	LA/1035/18	2017
The Association for Geographical Studies Department of Geography, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, Delhi- 100007, India	Life Member	LM-305	2017
The Indian Geographical Society Department of Geography, University of Madras, Chepauk, Chennai, Tamil Nadu 600005, India	Life Member		2017
Eastern Geographical Society Department of Geography, Utkal University, Bhubaneswr-751004, Orissa, India.	Life Member		2018
Association of Punjab Geographers 112 Salaria Vihar, Urban Estate, Phase-I, Patiala, Punjab 147002, India	Life Member	L/517	2018
Indian Association for Women's Studies Krantijyoti Savitribai Phule Women's Studies Centre, Savitribai Phule Pune University, Ganeshkhind Road, Pune – 411 007, India	Life Member	28-L-0136	2018
Indian political Economy Association, New Delhi Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, IIT Delhi, New Delhi, Delhi-110016, India	Life Member	LM-2282	2018

Indian Meteorological Society, Kolkata Chapter

Regional Meteorological Centre Kolkata, 4, Duel Avenue,
Alipore, Kolkata, West Bengal-700027, India

Life Member

2018

Geographers' Association, Goa (GAG)

Department of Geography, Government College of Arts,
Science and Commerce, Khandola, Marcela, Goa 403107,
India

Life Member

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2018