

Curriculum Vitae

PERSONAL:

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ACADEMIC:

Ph. D from Visva Bharati University, Santiniketan, 2008

-Problems & Prospects of Natural Rubber Production in India

M.A. (Economics) from Visva Bharati University, Santiniketan, 1996;

Specialisation: Agricultural Economics;

Qualified UGC-NET in 1996

B. A. (Hons) in Economics from Visva Bharati University, Santiniketan, 1994;

University Topper

Passed H.S. (+2 stage) from Shishu Bihar H.S.School, Agartala- 1991

Passed ICSE from St.Paul's School, Agartala- 1989

Present designation/position

Associate Professor, Dept. of Economics, Tripura University from 29th April 2012

[till date]

Special Interest:

Agricultural Economics, Plantation Issues, Economy of the North East, Public

Economics, Computer Application in Economics

Previous Employment

- Worked as *Reader*, Dept. of Economics, Tripura University from 29th April, 2009 to 28th April, 2012
- Worked as Assistant Professor in Economics at various Degree colleges under the Government of Tripura

- 2002 (24th April) to 2004 (4th October): Ambedkar College, Fatikroy, North Tripura
- 2004 (5th October) to 2009 (28th April): Women's College, Agartala, West Tripura

Publications

Books-

- Resources and Economy of Tripura; EBH Publishers, Guwahati (2011)- [Edited with Debajit Chakraborti]; ISBN: 978-93-80261-31-7
- MGNREGS in Tripura: A Study in Efficiency and Equity; VVGNNLI, Noida (2013); ISBN- 978-81-924272-9-4
http://www.vvgnli.org/sites/default/files/publication_files/MGNREGS%20in%20Tripura.pdf

Enlisted as a contributory author to the Tripura Human Development Report- II (2018), prepared by Pratichi Institute

Published Papers- (Selected)

1. Bose Pritam, Indraneel Bhowmik & Pradip Chouhan (2020): 'Determinants of Household Participation in MGNREGS in Tripura': *Indian Journal of Economics and Development*, Volume 16 No.2, Society of Economics and Development, Ludhiana, pISSN 2277-5412, eISSN 2322-0430
2. Bose, P and Indraneel Bhowmik (2019): 'MGNREGS in North Eastern States of India: An Efficiency Analysis Using Data Envelopment Analysis' *Social Change and Development*, Vol XVI, January: OKDISCD, Guwahati, ISSN- 0975-4016
https://www.okd.in/downloads/jr_19_january/5.Pritam%20Bose.pdf
3. Bhowmik Indraneel, P Chouhan, P Bose & V Kuki (2018): 'Trends and Pattern of Social Sector Expenditure of the North Eastern States of India' : *Journal of Economic & Social Development*, Vol XIV, No 2; Institute of Economic and Social Development (ISED), Ranchi, ISSN 0973-886X <http://www.iesd.org.in/jesd/Journal%20pdf/2018-XIV-2%20Indraneel%20Bhowmik.pdf>
4. Kuki V, P Chouhan & I Bhowmik (2018): 'Livelihoods Capital Assets of Tribals Rubber Stakeholders of Tripura with focu's on Small Growers & Plantations Workers' : *Dialogue Quarterly*, Vol 20, No.1; Astha Bharati, New Delhi, ISSN 0973-0095
5. Bhowmik I., Bose P., Goswami S., Chouhan P. (2018) MGNREGA and Inclusive Development: A Case Study in Tripura, Northeast India. In: Bhattarai M., Viswanathan P., Mishra R., Bantilan C. (eds) *Employment Guarantee Programme and Dynamics of Rural Transformation in India*. India Studies in Business and

- Economics. Springer, Singapore, ISBN 978-981-10-6261-2
http://link.springer.com/chapter/10.1007/978-981-10-6262-9_9
6. Bhowmik, Indraneel and Pranab Kumar Chattopadhyay (2018): 'Tripura's tryst with Rubber', in *Inclusive Development: New Challenges and Opportunities. Working Paper Volume-VII*. AK Dasgupta Centre for Planning and Development. Visva- Bharati. Santiniketan. New Delhi Publishers. New Delhi, ISBN 9789386453242
<http://www.akdcentrevisvabharati.org/pdf/Working%20Paper%20VI%20I.pdf>
 7. Chouhan, P and Indraneel Bhowmik (2017): 'Exploring the Growth and Stability of Price, Farm Income and Labour wages in Rubber Plantations of Tripura' *Indian Journal of Regional Science*, Volume XLIX Number 1: Regional Science Association, India, Kolkata; ISSN 0046-9017
 8. Chouhan, P and Indraneel Bhowmik (2017): 'Labour Market Conditions of Natural Rubber Plantations of Tripura: *Social Change and Development*, Vol XIV, July: OKDISCD, Guwahati, ISSN- 0975-4016
http://www.okd.in/downloads/jr_17_july/article-5.pdf
 9. Viswanathan, PK and Indraneel Bhowmik (2016) : 'Compatibility of Policy and Institutional Regimes for Rubber Monoculture Plantation Development in Diverse Social and Agro-ecological Environments: A Study in the Indian Context', in *Monoculture Farming Global Practices, Ecological Impact and Benefits/Drawbacks* (ed Nath, Tapan Kumar and Patrick O'Reilly), Nova Science Publishers Inc. NY, ISBN 978-1-63485-166-4
 10. Bhowmik, Indraneel and P Bose (2016); 'Examining the Efficiency of MGNREGS in the North Eastern states of India using the Data Envelopment Analysis Approach', *Data Envelopment Analysis and its Applications: Proceedings of the 13th International Conference of DEA*; Emrouznejad, A, R Banker, H Ahn, M Afsharian (eds), Braunschweig, Germany, ISBN 978-1-85449-497-9 [DOI: 10.13140/RG.2.1.4082.9202](https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.1.4082.9202)
 11. Bhowmik, I and A. Nath (2016); 'State Finances of Tripura- A Critical Assessment' *Assam Economic Review*, Vol 9: Assam Economic Association, Department of Economics, Gauhati University, Guwahati; ISSN 2319-6254;
https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2824387
 12. Bhowmik, Indraneel and PK Viswanathan (2015); 'Emerging Labour Relations in the Small Rubber Plantations of Tripura', NRPPD Discussion Paper No 47, Centre for Development Studies, Thiruvananthapuram; http://cds.edu/wp-content/uploads/2015/07/47_Indraneel.pdf
 13. Bhowmik, I and P Bose (2015); 'Efficiency and Impact of MGNREGS in Tripura', *Social Change and Development*, Vol XII No.1: OKDISCD, Guwahati, ISSN- 0975-4016
http://www.okd.in/downloads/jr_15_january/Indraneel_Bhowmik_Pritam_Bose.pdf
 14. Viswanathan, PK and Indraneel Bhowmik (2014) 'Compatibility of Institutional Architecture for Rubber Plantation Development in North East India from a Comparative Perspective of Kerala', NRPPD Discussion Paper No 38, Centre for

Development Studies, Thiruvananthapuram (2014) <http://cds.edu/wp-content/uploads/2014/06/NRPPD-38.pdf>

15. Bhowmik, Indraneel and P Chouhan (2013); 'An Inquiry into the Employment Status, Income and Assets of Rubber Tappers Working in the Large Estates of Tripura'; *Labour and Development*, Vol 20, No 2; VVGNNLI, Noida
http://www.vvgnnli.org/sites/default/files/publication_files/Labour-Development-Vol-20-No-2_Dec-2013.pdf
16. Bhowmik, Indraneel (2010); 'Human development among the Workers of Transport Sector in Tripura: A Comparative Study on the Urban Public Modes of Transport' *Human Development: Multidimensional Approach to Human Well-Being*, Sengupta Keya (eds), Concept Publishing Company, New Delhi
17. Bhowmik, Indraneel (2009); 'Urbanisation in Tripura: Issues and Challenges' in *Urbanisation in the North East: Issues and Concerns*; Sudhir H (eds), Akansha Publications, New Delhi
18. Bhowmik, Indraneel (2008) 'An Inquiry into the process of Urbanisation in Tripura' in *Journal of Socio- Political Research*.- No 1, Vol. 1; Tripura University
19. Bhowmik, Indraneel (2006); 'A Status Report on Rubber Plantations in Tripura', *Natural Rubber in Tripura, Baseline Data & Status Report*, Bahuguna VK (ed). Tripura Rubber Mission / Technical Bulletin 1;
https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2826713
20. Bhowmik, Indraneel (2006); 'Impact of Rubber Plantations on the Environment of Tripura' *Natural Rubber in Tripura, Baseline Data & Status Report*, Bahuguna VK (ed). Tripura Rubber Mission / Technical Bulletin 1;
https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2850137

Projects-

	Year	Activity	Title of the Project	Funded by	Value (INR)	Remarks
1	2017-20	Principal Investigator	Outmigration from India's North-East: Causes and Consequences	Omeo Kumar Das Institute of Social Change & Development	6.00 lakhs	Draft Submitted
2	2016-18	Principal Investigator	Social and Environmental Costs of management operations	Tripura Forest Development & Plantation Corporation Ltd	1.50 lakh	Draft Submitted

3	2014-15	Principal Investigator	Labour Relations in the Rubber Plantation Sector of Tripura	National Research Programme on Plantation Research, Trivandrum	0.75 lakh	Completed
4	2014	Co PI	Trade Relations between Bangladesh and Tripura – Issues and Opportunities	Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi	1.50 lakhs	Completed
5	2013-14	Principal Investigator	A Study on the Social and Economic Impact of TFDPC Rubber Plantation Centres in Tripura	Tripura Forest Development & Plantation Corporation Ltd.	0.25 lakh	Completed
6	2013-14	Coordinator	Environmental Impact Assessment of TFDPC Rubber Plantation Centres in Tripura	Tripura Forest Development & Plantation Corporation Ltd.	0.40 lakh	Completed
7	2013-14	Co PI	Evaluation of State Finances of the State of Tripura	14 th Finance Commission, Govt. of India	2.5 lakhs	Completed
8	2011	Consultant	Impact Assessment of IEC Activities of NRHM	Dept. of Health, Govt. of Tripura	9.75 lakhs	Ongoing
9	2011-13	Principal Investigator for Tripura	Flow of Central Development Funds in the Northeast region and its Utilisation	Planning Commission, Govt. of India	1.5 lakhs	Completed Group Project
10	2010-12	Principal Investigator	Equity & Efficiency Aspects of NREGS in Tripura- A Status Report	VVGNLI, New Delhi	3.3 lakhs	Completed
11	2008	Co-investigator	Comparative Study between the Conventional Learners and Open	Tripura University	0.15lakh	Completed

			Distance Learners of B Ed course in Tripura			
12	2007	Principal Investigator	Socio-economic Status of the Tribal Shifting Cultivators of Tripura	International Tropical Timber Organisation	1.0 lakh	Completed
13	2007	Principal Investigator	Impact Assessment of TRPC Intervention in the Lives and Livelihood of Tribal Beneficiaries	Tripura Rehabilitation and Plantation Corporation	0.35 lakh	Completed PRA Exercise
14	2006	Principal Investigator	Status Report on Natural Rubber in Tripura	Tripura Rubber Mission	0.35 lakh	Completed
15	2005	Research Associate	NER Vision 2020: Tripura	North Eastern Council/ C-NES		Completed

Papers/ Lectures/ Resource Persons at National/International Events (Selected)

Presentations (Selected)

1. 'Causes and Consequences of Migration to Northeast India with Special Focus to Tripura' at the National Seminar on Citizenship, Ethnicity and Nation State in North-East India organised by ICSSR-NERC and Dept. of Sociology, Tezpur University, Assam, March, 2019
2. 'North East India's Tryst with Rubber - A Saga of Missing Innovation' at the National Seminar on Quarter Century of Indian Economic Reforms- The Benefits and Costs organised by Dept of Economics, Sikkim University, Gangtok, October, 2018
3. 'The Rubber Economy of Tripura: Challenges and Emerging Scenario' (Co-authored with Chouhan, Pradip) at the National Seminar jointly organised by OKDISCD, Guwahati and Dept of Economics, NEHU, Shillong, February, 2018
4. 'An Inquiry into the State Budgets of Tripura: Exploring the implications of Fourteenth Finance Commission' at the National Seminar organised by OKDISCD, Guwahati, March, 2017
5. 'Trends and Pattern of Social Sector Expenditure of the North Eastern States of India' (Co-authored with Chouhan, Pradip; Pritam Bose & Vanlalrema Kuki) at the *85th Annual Conference of Southern Economic Association held at New Orleans Marrriot, USA, November, 2015

6. *'Bangladesh and Tripura- Issues and Opportunities for Increased Cooperation'* (Co-authored with Nath, Ashish) at Stakeholder Workshop organised by Centre for Policy Research at MAKAIAS, Kolkata, July, 2014
7. *'Impact of MGNREGS on the participating Households in Tripura'* (Co-authored with Pritam Bose) at the National Seminar On MGNREGA organised by 3i initiative at IGIDR, Mumbai March, 2014
8. *'Plan Fund Flow from Central Government, Its Utilisation and Impact in Tripura'* (Co-authored with Sarkar, Abhijit) at the National Seminar on Development Policy for North- East India: Rationale, Initiatives and Impact organised by ESSOT in collaboration with the Department of Management, Tripura University, Agartala, March 2014
9. *'International Migration in North East India with special focus to Tripura'* at the National Seminar on "Immigrant Problems in North-East India: Its socio-Political and Economic Impacts" organised by Indira Gandhi National Tribal University, Regional Centre- Manipur , Imphal, March, 2013
10. *'Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme in Tripura: An Appraisal'* at the International Seminar on 'North-East in Transition' organised by MAKAIAS, Kolkata & Dept. of Economics, Tripura University in Apr 2012
11. *'NREGS Employment in Tripura: An Exploration to the issues of Equity & Efficiency'* at the National Seminar on Labour & Employment Trends in North-Eastern Region: Challenges & Opportunities organised by VVGNNLI, Noida, March 2012
12. *'Natural Rubber: Exploring the Potentials in the North-East Region'* at the UGC-SAP DRS-I Seminar organised by Dept. of Economics, Tripura University, March 2012
13. *'Globalisation and the Indian Natural Rubber Sector: Analysis of the Bearings'* at the 33rd Annual IIG Conference & International Seminar on Population, Development & Disaster organised by Dept. of Geography & Disaster Management, Tripura University, February, 2012
14. *'State Finances of Tripura: An Inquiry'* at the Seminar on Governance and Development Issues in Northeast India with Special Reference to Tripura organised by the Dept. of Economics, Tripura University & OKDISCD, Guwahati, January-February, 2012
15. *'Participatory Development in Tripura'* (Theme Paper) at the Seminar on Participatory Development in the North-east with special focus on Tripura organised by RBI at Agartala, September 2009
16. *'Census Tales on Access to Drinking Water & Sanitation: The Indian Saga'* at the National seminar on 'Health and Sanitation: An insight into NER of India' organised by BBM College, Agartala, March 2009
17. *'Dynamics of Rubber based Rehabilitation in Tripura'*; (co-authored with A. Mukherjee) at the 6th International Congress for Social Philosophy organised by Visva Bharati University, Santiniketan, November, 2008

18. 'Teacher Education in Tripura: An Exploratory Analysis'; (co-authored with A Chanda) at the National Seminar on 'Quality of Higher Education' organised by BBM College, Agartala, February, 2008
19. 'The Transport Sector of Tripura- An Efficiency Analysis' at the 9th Annual NEEA Conference organised by Dept. of Economics, Tripura University, November 2007
20. 'Rubber Plantation & Tribal Development- A case study of Tripura Rehabilitation Plantation Corporation' at the National Seminar on Inclusive Development in the North East India organised by IIAS, Shimla & Rajiv Gandhi University, Rono Hills, March, 2007

Invited Lectures (Selected)

1. "NR @ NER- Is all well?", at the UGC- SAP DRS-III National Symposium at Dibrugarh University, March, 2019
2. "Gandhi's Vision on Economics", at the Faculty Training Programme organised by Faculty Development Centre (FDC), Tripura University, January, 2019
3. Keynote address at Seven Day National Workshop on Research Methodology: Quantitative and Qualitative Analysis organised by Bhairab Ganguly College, Kolkata, May 2018
4. "Student Welfare Activities in Academic Institution", at the Faculty Training Programme organised by Faculty Development Centre (FDC), Tripura University, November, 2017
5. 'Rubber Plantation and Rural Economy of Tripura' at the Orientation Training for the IAS Probationers Batch 2016 and TCS Batch 2014 & 2016 at State Institute of Public Administration and Rural Development, Agartala, June, 2017
6. 'An Exploratory Study on the Agricultural Households of India', Keynote address at the UGC sponsored National Seminar on Issues and Challenges of Poverty, Development and Rural Livelihoods in India, Sambhu Nath College, Labpur, Birbhum, February, 2017
7. 'Food Security in India: Issues, Policies and Challenges' at the UGC Sponsored National Seminar organised by Acharya Prafulla Chandra College, New Barrackpore, September, 2016
8. 'Field Survey & Data Collection' at Modern Trends and Strategies in the Area of Educational Research organised by Institute of Advanced Studies in Education, Agartala, January, 2016
9. Keynote address at National Seminar on 'Tripura in 21st Century: Development Experience' organised by ESSOT, Agartala, May 2015
10. 'Sampling Design, Questionnaire Design and Data' at Ph. D Workshop at ICFAI University, Agartala, Jan 2015

11. 'Techniques of Data Analysis for Business Research by SPSS' at Workshop for Faculty Members at Sylhet International University, Sylhet, Bangladesh, September 2014
12. 'On Regression' at the Workshop on SPSS organised by Ambedkar College, Fatikroy, July, 2014
13. 'Gary Becker- A Tribute' at the UGC Orientation Course organised by Academic Staff College, Manipur University, Imphal, July, 2014
14. 'A Different Perspective on the FIFA World Cup' at the UGC Orientation Course organised by Academic Staff College, Manipur University, Imphal, July, 2014
15. 'The Indian Rubber Economy with special focus on the North Eastern Region' at the UGC Orientation Course organised by Academic Staff College, Manipur University, Imphal, July, 2014
16. 'On Union Budget 2014: Issues and Expectations' at the UGC Orientation Course organised by Academic Staff College, Manipur University, Imphal, July, 2014
17. 'On Using Computer and Statistical Packages for Data Analysis' at the ICSSR sponsored Research Methodology Workshop organised by Department of Education, SKBU at Purulia in August 2013
18. 'Tools for Data Collection: Questionnaire and Survey' at the ICSSR sponsored Research Methodology Workshop organised by CSSEIP-TU at Suryamaninagar in November, 2012
19. 'Urban Tripura- A cursory Appraisal' at the Seminar organised by Institute of Engineers and the Department of Urban Affairs, Govt. of Tripura on occasion of World Habitat Day at Agartala, October, 2012
20. 'A Primer on Data Analysis for Social Science Research' at the 'Workshop on Methods of Research & Proposal Writing' organised by OKDISCD at Guwahati in July, 2012
21. 'Basic Research & Documentation Skills' at the Knowledge Enhancement Workshop organised by Consumers Protection Association in May 2012
22. A Refresher on Computer Applications in Social Science Research at the Seminar organised on Occasion of the Research Methods Workshop for College & University Teachers by the Dept. of Economics, Tripura University & OKDISCD, Guwahati, January-February, 2012
23. 'MGNREGA & Rural Development' at the Awareness Camp on Bharat Nirman organised by PIB at Khowai, June, 2011
24. 'Contribution of the Forestry Sector to GDP with Special Reference to Tripura and the North-East' at the Workshop & Training of IFS Officers organised by TFDPC & Dept. of Forests, Govt. of Tripura at Agartala, January, 2011
25. 'Using Computers for Analysing Economics' [Special Lecture] at AVVM Sri Pushpam College, Pondi, Thanjavur, October, 2010

26. 'Computer Applications in Economics/ Social Sciences' at UGC Refresher Course, organised by Academic Staff College, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, October, 2010
27. Opportunities under Bharat Nirman at the Awareness Camp on Bharat Nirman organised by PIB at Dukli, July, 2010
28. 'Migration in Tripura' at the Census Data Dissemination Workshop, organised by Directorate of Census Operations, Government of India, at MBB College, Agartala December, 2007
29. 'Migration in Tripura' at the Census Data Dissemination Workshop, organised by Directorate of Census Operations, Government of India, at BBM College, Agartala December, 2006
30. Migration in Tripura' at the Census Data Dissemination Workshop, organised by Directorate of Census Operations, Government of India, at Tripura University, December, 2005

Chairs/ Panellist at Seminars/ Conferences/ Workshops (Selected)

1. Chairperson for Technical Session-IV at the National Seminar on Problems of Educated Tribal Youths for Securing Job: Special Reference to the Tribal Youths of Tripura, organised at Tripura University, February, 2020
2. Chairperson for Technical Session at the 21st Annual NEEA Conference, organised by Department of Economics, Manipur University, February, 2020
3. Invitee Participant for Workshop on Educational Development in North Eastern States, organised by Reseach & Information System for Developing Countries (RIS) and UNESCO at Guwahati, June 2019
4. Invitee Participant for Roundtable on Fiscal Federalism, organised by NIPFP at Guwahati, March, 2019
5. Chairperson for Technical Session at the 20th Annual NEEA Conference, organised by Department of Economics, Dibrugarh University, March 2019
6. Chairperson for Technical Session – Researcher's Forum: 12 at the 19th Annual NEEA Conference, organised by Department of Economics, NEHU, Shillong, March 2018
7. Panellist at Tripura Conclave 2015 organised by www.tripurainfoway.com, Agartala, July 2015
8. External Examiner for Comprehensive Viva-Voce of BBA 4th Year 2nd Semester at Sylhet International University, Sylhet, Bangladesh, September 2014
9. Invitee Participant at the National Stakeholder Consultation on National Rubber Policy organised by National Research Programme on Plantation Development (NRPPD) sponsored by Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India at the Centre for Development Studies, Thiruvananthapuram; August, 2014

10. Chairperson for Technical Session IIC1 – Researcher’s Forum at the 15th Annual NEEA Conference, organised by Department of Economics, Mizoram University, Aizawl, November 2013
11. Chairperson for Technical Session IIC1 – Researcher’s Forum at the 14th Annual NEEA Conference, organised by Sibsagar College, Joysagar , December 2012
12. Resource Person for Mentoring Ph.D Scholars at the Workshop on Methods of Research & Proposal Writing organised by OKDISCD at Guwahati in July, 2012
13. Panellist for the Discussion on- Curriculum of Economics in Universities of Northeast at the 13th Annual NEEA Conference, organised by Assam University, Silchar, November 2011
14. Chairperson for Session 3C- Miscellaneous Issues at the 13th Annual NEEA Conference, organised by Assam University, Silchar, November 2011
15. Panellist for the discussion at the Opportunities for Rubber Business’ at the Tripura Rubber Convention organised by CII at Agartala, February, 2011

Research Supervision

	Name	Title of Study	Status
1	Pradip Chouhan	Labour in Rubber Plantations of Tripura	Awarded
2	Pritam Bose	MGNERGS in Tripura: An Economic Analysis of Performance Efficiency	Pre-Submission seminar over
3	Jadab Ch. Bhattacharya	Well-being in Indian States: A Multidimensional Welfare Approach	Registered for PhD
4	Vanlalrema Kuki	A Comparative Study on the Plantation Based Rehabilitation Modes for Jhumias of Tripura	Registered for PhD
5	Rituparna Poddar	Growth Performance of North Eastern States- An Economic Exploration	Registered for PhD

Reviewer/ Referee

1. Assam Economic Journal (ISSN- 0970-7530)
2. Social Change and Development (ISSN- 09754016)
3. Assam Economic Review (ISSN- 2319-6254)
4. Indian Journal of Economics and Development (pISSN- 2277-5412, eISSN- 2322-0430)
5. Rubber Science (online ISSN- 2454-485X; print ISSN2454- 4841)
6. South Asian Survey (ISSN-0971-5231)
7. Internal Journal of Economic Policy in Emerging Economies (ISSN (o)- 1752-0460; ISSN (p)- 1752-0452)
8. Indian Economic Journal (ISSN- 0019-4662)

Administrative

1. Head, Department of Economics, Tripura University (3 year term from June 2020)
2. Member, Board of SEMIS, Mizoram University (3 year term from March, 2020)
3. Dean of Students' Welfare, Tripura University (3 year term from Dec, 2016)
4. Head, Department of Journalism & Mass Communication, Tripura University, (3 year term from Oct, 2016)
5. Member, State Environment Appraisal Committee, Department of Science & Technology, Govt. of Tripura (Jan 2014- till date)
6. Asst. Coordinator, IMD Programme, Tripura University (Aug, 2013- Dec, 2013)
7. Special Secretary to the Vice Chancellor, Tripura University (July, 2010- Dec, 2012)
8. Convenor, Organising Committee- Workshop on 'Reception of Tagore in the North East', Tripura University (Apr, 2011)
9. Local Coordinator, Prakriti Film Festival, Agartala (Feb, 2011)
10. Seminar Director, ITTO Prodoc Seminar, Agartala (2007)
11. Research Advisor, Tripura Rubber Mission, Govt. of Tripura (2006-2009)

Membership/Positions in learned academic bodies/organizations-

- NEEA (North Eastern Economic Association) – Life Member
General Secretary, NEEA, 9th January, 2015 to 8th March, 2019
- ISLE (Indian Society of Labour Economics)- Life Member
- ESSOT (Economic Sciences Society of Tripura) – Life Member

Awards

- ICSSR Post Doctoral Research Initiation Programme, 2012 (Rs.25000/ in cash)

Co curricula's

- Quiz Master at different levels including All Tripura Mega Quiz
- Panellist for Current Affairs, Economic Affairs and News Programmes in Television for various Satellite and Cable channels; Psephologist for Election Results Analysis
- Contributes as columnist articles and features on Economics and Sports to *Dainik Sambad*, the largest circulated Bengali daily from the Northeast
- Contributor to *Northeast Colors*, leading English Daily published from Agartala
- Several commentaries broadcasted by AIR, on various social and economic issues; moderator of live radio show on Golden Jubilee of Akashvani Agartala
- Associated with various cultural and social organizations- Santiniketani, Horticultural Society of Tripura, Development Initiatives for Sustainable Advancement, etc
- Won All Tripura Quiz Competition 1989, 1990; awarded silver medal at All India General Knowledge Competition 1985-86
- Founder General Secretary of St. Paul's Alumni Agartala (SPAA)