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THE CENTRE

The Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta a premier ICSSR research institute has kept up and expanded its various research and academic programmes during 2009-10.

Two new programmes, M. Phil in Social Sciences and Research Methods in Quantitative Economics completed their first year with flying colours. Our Ph.D. Programme is now formally affiliated with Jadavpur University, Kolkata. Delay in implementation of the recommendations of the Sixth Pay Commission has adversely affected the operations at the Centre. Centre has been conducting two major projects funded by the Ratan Tata Trust, the NRTT Project on "Training in New Social Science Research Methods" and the SRTT project on "An analysis of education outcomes in India". These are flagship endeavours enriching the profile of the institution. UNICEF in collaboration with Centre has set up a cell on social Inclusion which engages in detailed research on socially excluded communities.

The year 2009-10 also saw some changes in the faculty of CSSSC. Prof. Partha Chatterjee, Professor of Political Science and our former director retired in July 2009. He is now affiliated with the CSSSC as an Honorary Professor for a period of three years and continues to participate in some of our seminars and teaching activities. Prof. Gautam Bhadra, Professor of History also retired in January 2010. Centre welcomes Prof. Lakshmi Subramanian as a Professor of History. Prof. Janaki Nair has left CSSSC for JNU.

INDIVIDUAL RESEARCH PROJECTS

COMPLETED PROJECTS

Economics

Jyotsna Jalan successfully completed the Health Decentralization project funded by the World Bank and submitted the report to the funding agency. **Saibal Kar** completed five papers on i) Recession, Terms of Trade and Immigrants, ii) Emigration, Wage Inequality and Vanishing Sectors (with Sugata Marjit), iii) Unemployment Benefit and Nascent Entrepreneurship (with H. Beladi), iv) Smuggling, Trafficking and Exploitation of Unskilled Migrants, v) Trade Liberalization and Adjustment Assistance in Developing Countries (with Hamid Beladi). He also completed a book-manuscript titled

The Outsiders: Economic Reform and Informal Labour in a Developing Economy (with Sugata Marjit). **Indrajit Mallick** completed his game theoretic work, which identifies the necessary and sufficient conditions for the existence of a pure strategy Nash Equilibrium in a static discrete game of complete information. He also completed the work on Real Indeterminacy in a simple Walrasian Model with a Financial Asset. **Sugata Marjit** completed the book project "*The Outsiders: Economic Reform and Informal Labour in a Developing Economy*" along with Saibal Kar, to be published by the Oxford University Press.

History

Gautam Bhadra completed his manuscript on the project of writing History of Book Advertisement and Book Reading of the Nineteenth Century Bengal. The MSS is now in the press through a number of unforeseen hazards in printing nearly hundred images and a large number of documents. He has done all the necessary adjustments in the printing process with the help of his colleagues in CSSSC's archives. The book may come-out within a month or two. **Bodhisattva Kar** completed six papers. These forthcoming papers are (i) *Productivities of Imprecision: Some Thoughts on the Histories of the Social*, Kuruvilla Zachariah Memorial Lecture 2008 which was presented in the Department of History, Presidency College; (ii) "The Birth of the Ryot: Rethinking the Agrarian in British Assam", to be published in the *Indian Economic and Social History Review*; (iii) "Can the Postcolonial Begin?: Deprovincializing Assam", in Saurabh Dube and Ishita Banerjee-Dube (eds.) *Oxford Handbook of Modernity in South Asia* (Delhi: Oxford University Press); (iv) 'Welsh's Fallacy: A Note on the Problematic of Sovereignty in Northeastern India', in Dilip Gogoi (ed.), *Unheeded Hinterland: Sovereignty and the Assamese Mind* (Delhi: Routledge India); (v) 'Dispersed Geographies, Mobile Landscapes: Assam in the Eighteenth-Century British Indian Cartographic Archive', in Subhas Ranjan Chakravorty (ed.), *The Eighteenth Century in Comparative Perspectives* (Calcutta: The Asiatic Society) (vi) 'Run, Deserter, Run: Mobility, Belongingness and the Discourse of Savage Slavery in British Assam' in Alessandro Stanziani (ed), *Between Free and Unfree Labour* (Leiden: Brill). **Rohan Deb Roy** completed two papers. These forthcoming papers are i) Malaria and the making of Burdwan fever, ii) 'Debility, Diet, Desire': Food in nineteenth century Bengali medical manuals. **Sraman Mukherjee** completed the paper on Being and Becoming Indian: The Nation in Archaeology.

Society, Politics, Culture and Environment

Sibaji Bandyopadhyay completed three articles. These forthcoming papers are (i) French translation of 'Ritwik Ghatak's Nagarik' (included in *Alibabar Guptabhandar*) to appear in *Le cinéma épique de Ritwik Ghatak* ('The epic cinema of Ritwik Ghatak'), edited by Sandra Alvarez de Toledo, Paris: *Éditions L'Arachnéen*, (ii) 'A Critique of Non-violence', *Seminar*, No. 607 (special number on the *Mahâbhârata*), edited by Rakesh Pande, Delhi, and (iii) "translating *Gitâ* 2.47 or inventing the National Motto", which will appear in *Studies in Humanities and Social Sciences* (SHSS), edited by Manas Ray, Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla. **Partha Chatterjee** completed the compilation of a book entitled *Empire and Nation: Selected Essays 1985-2005* to be published by Columbia University Press and Permanent Black in May 2010. He also completed a book manuscript entitled *Lineages of Political Society: Studies in Postcolonial Democracy* to be published by Columbia University Press and Permanent Black in 2011. **Rosinka Chaudhuri** completed editing (together with Elleke Boehmer) *The Indian Postcolonial: A Critical Reader*. The introduction and individual section heads were written, essays compiled and submitted for publication to Routledge, UK. She completed a paper, 'Refashioning Milton: Madhusudan and the Modernist discourse of Reading' for an international conference on John Milton at Delhi University in January 2010. A further chapter of the book on nineteenth-century Bengali poetry was written and a part of it presented at the New Cultural Histories Conference at the CSSSC as 'Poet of the Present: The Self-Division of Iswarchandra Gupta (1812-1859) and the Bengali Modern' in January 2010. Six letters from Rabindranath Tagore's *Chhinnapatrabali* were translated and submitted for publication to a Reader to be published jointly by Visvabharati Press and Harvard University Press in 2011. She also conducted research in June 2009 at the Rhodes House Library, Oxford, to investigate an archive on the Bishop's College, Calcutta, in the context of the poet Madhusudan Datta. Many original letters and papers were photocopied and scanned from the archives there and brought back and deposited in the CSSSC Library. The material shall be put to further use in the writing of a paper for publication in the Archives Publication Series. **Anirban Das** has just completed the final manuscript titled *The Body in Third World Feminisms: Toward a Politics of the (Im) Possible: The Body in Third World Feminisms*. With the initial version of the completed manuscript he signed the contract for this book with the Anthem Press, UK. It is to be published initially from London and New York with later provisions for an Indian edition. He also completed six papers. These forthcoming

papers are i) "Choice, life and the (m)other: towards ethics in/of abortion" in *Human Rights and Ethics: Conceptual Analysis and Contextual Obligations.*, Shashi Motilal, (ed) Anthem Press, an academic imprint of Wimbledon Publishing Company ii) "The History of Calcutta Medical College" (co-authored by Samita Sen) for the book *Science and Modern India: An Institutional History c. 1784-1947*, ed., Uma Dasgupta, PHISPC (Project of History of Indian Science, Philosophy and Culture) series; iii) , "Aestheticizing Law into Justice: The Fetus in a Divided Planet" in a volume of essays on Aesthetics and the Representation of Justice to be edited by Etienne Balibar, and Ranabir Samaddar; iv) A different version of "Sexual Difference in Literary Historiography: Writing the Nation in "My Life"" was submitted to *Interventions: International Journal of Postcolonial Studies*. The peer reviews are favourable and he is currently making the final changes for publication.

Keya Dasgupta has been associated with a project on a comparative study of three Indian and three South African cities on "Participation and Urban Governance in India and South Africa", taken up by the Centre de Sciences, Humaines de New Delhi. The work has been completed. Her own contributions to the project are papers on: i) The Hawkers' Movement in Kolkata; ii) Interrogating the Right to the City: Community Participation and the Spaces of the 'Legal' in Contemporary Kolkata; iii) Between the Spaces of the *Invented* and *Invited*: The Politics of Negotiation in Contemporary Kolkata; and iv) From participation to research: Three divergent perspectives in Contemporary Kolkata. She also prepared, as part of this project, a series of maps on developments in Contemporary Kolkata. The themes ranged from the city's land-use; electoral behaviour; planned projects; sites of eviction/protest; sites of selected development projects; sites of land use changes: from industry to real estate, from bazaars to malls; etc. **Mollica Dastider** completed three papers on i) Liberal Dilemma with Difference: Muslims in a Western Democracy to be published in CSSSC Occasional Paper No. 179; ii) Refusing to Choose: The Muslim Madhesis and the Coexistence of Religious and Regional in Nepal's Tarai which will appear as a chapter in the forthcoming Book: *Nationalism and Ethnic Conflict* Edited by Susan Hangen and Mahendra Lawoti, Taylor and Francis (Routledge) London; iii) "Voices from the Margins: The Deconstruction of caste Nepali culture in East Himalayas" to be published in *Social Science Probing*s, New Delhi in their forthcoming Special Issue on Minorities. **Sohini Guha** completed two papers on i) Multiethnic Transformation and Asymmetric Representation: The Bahujan Samaj Party in North India and ii) Embedded Parties and Democratization: Exploring the Association Anew. **Manabi Majumdar** has almost completed a book manuscript (jointly with Jos Mooij)

on education and inequality in India. In addition to the chapters written before, she has worked particularly on two aspects. First, she has done an analysis of a few sets of textbooks that are used in primary classes in the State of West Bengal, making an argument about a kind of synergy between quality and equality issues. Second, drawing upon the research in the States of Andhra Pradesh and West Bengal, she has explored the idea of educational activism and counter-power that may work to challenge the tight link between education and power. **Priya Sangameswaran** made a brief foray into two topics – environmental security and corruption, each of which resulted in a paper. The paper on environmental security titled *Extending the Security Discourse to the Environment and Water* was presented in a conference organized by Maulana Abdul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies, Kolkata in collaboration with the Centre for Social Sciences and Humanities, University of Calcutta and will be published shortly in *Asia Annual* 2009. The paper on corruption, titled *Corruption in the Age of Neoliberalism: The Case of Rural Drinking Water Projects in Western India* was prepared for the CODESRIA/SEPHIS Equity Policy Dialogue on 'Corruption: Critical Perspectives from the South', October 1-3, 2009 and would be published as part of a book being brought out by SEPHIS.

ONGOING PROJECTS

Economics

Pranab Kumar Das is currently working on financial system architecture of South and South East Asia. This study pertains to the nature of the co-evolution of different institutions of the financial system, such as banks, stock market, insurance companies and the nature of causal relations among themselves and with the real sector. The development of an econometric model to capture the commonalities and differences across countries in a common framework has been completed. The estimation and inference are underway. This will help build up a theory of comparative financial system of the developing and emerging market economies which is an open area of research in the field. He is also working on a model of exchange rate dynamics and external capital inflow which is a joint work with Gopal Kirshna Basak of the Stat.-Math Unit of Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata. In this work they tried to capture the terms of trade effect of capital inflow on the exchange rate and external interest rate in a multi period framework. Apart from the above mentioned research he is continuing his work on firm investment in India. He has been working on a small paper on R&D

investment in an imperfect credit market set up. **Jyotsna Jalan** is working on a research project funded by the Sir Ratan Tata Trust (SRTT), Mumbai that is near completion. The final report will be submitted to the funding agency in July. **Saibal Kar** is now working on the following themes –i) Human Capital Formation, Occupational Choice and the Labor Market –A Synthetic Review; ii) The Multi Fibre Arrangement and South Asia (with Mausumi Kar); iii) Informal Sector and the Developing World: Relating Theory and Evidence (with Sugata Marjit); v). Wage Differential and corruption. **Indrajit Mallick** is working now on two projects, i) the Design of Management Contract with Ex Ante and Ex Post Conflict and ii) Management Screening Contracts under Bankruptcy Law. **Sugata Marjit** is now working on four new projects i) A Macroeconometric Model for India: The Credit View (with Saibal Kar and Pranab Kumar Das); ii) Recession in the Skilled Sector and Implications for Informal Wage (with Saibal Kar and S. Chaudhury) and iii) Emigration, Unemployment and Welfare: Role of Non-traded Sector (with Saibal Kar and B. Hazari) and Conflicting Measures of Poverty and Inadequate savings to the Poor-The Role of a Status Driven Utility Function (with Ranjan Ray).

History

Gautam Bhadra is working on the social history of the Bengali Almanacs. Initial result of the researches would be incorporated in his forth-coming book. **Tapati Guha-Thakurta** is continuing her work on the book project, *Durga Puja in Contemporary Calcutta*. As the writing of the proposed book project has taken longer than anticipated, the field-work and photographic documentation on this project was extended into the season of 2009. Several chapters of the book, titled, *The Aesthetics of a Public Festival: Durga Puja in Contemporary Calcutta*, has been written, and the remaining chapters are to be completed soon, and the book manuscript would be ready by the end of 2010. She has been directing and coordinating all the activities of the Ford Foundation project on “A Cultural History Archive on Eastern India”. The project is now in its final year and will terminate in February 2011. As a part of the proposed project activities, she is working on an exhibition on historical and contemporary Calcutta out of the CSSSC’s archival collection, to be held in February- March 2011. **Samarpita Mitra** is now working on two papers, i) *BaEgadaræana* — its intervention, legacy and the emergent literary sphere in fin-de-siècle Bengal and ii) Towards a History of Periodical Readership in Early Twentieth Century Bengal: The Case of Ramananda Chattopadhyay’s *Prabâsî*.

Society, Politics, Culture and Environment

Sibaji Bandyopadhyay is preparing the manuscripts for six books 1) *Reader*. An Anthology of ten essays in English of about 700 pages. Being a ‘Reader’ the book will cover a broad range of topics. It is almost ready and the final-copy will be submitted by September 2010. *Worldview Publications* (An Imprint of Book Land Publishing Co.), New Delhi, will publish the ‘Reader’. Formalities regarding the contract have been completed; 2) *Lineages of Post Colonial Modernity in Bengal* (Tentative title). The book will be an anthology of nine essays of about 300 pages in English. Broadly dealing with the question of ‘modernity’ the book will include essays on Bankimchandra Chattopadhyay, Rabindranath Thakur, Manik Bandyopadhyay, Satyajit Ray, Ritwik Ghatak and writers engaged in the production of ‘popular’ literature. All the essays are written. But they need to be revised. Also an ‘Afterword’ has to be added. He hopes to submit the final-copy by September 2010. *Tulika Books*, New Delhi, will publish the ‘Reader’. Formalities regarding the contract have been completed. 3) *The Colonial Chronotope* (tentative title). The book will be an anthology of three essays of about 250 pages in English. The essays are already written and published. But he needs to go over them again before submitting the manuscript to the publisher. They are 1) ‘East’ Meeting ‘West’: A Note on the Colonial Chronotope; 2) *Macaulay and Rammohun: ‘Free Market’ and Pedagogy*; 3) *Producing and Re-producing the New Woman: A note on the prefix ‘re’*. *Social Science Press*, Delhi, will publish the book. Formalities regarding contract have been completed. 4) A book in Bangla of about 250 pages on Jibanananda the poet, the novelist and the short-story writer. Presently he is going over the proofs. He plans to submit the final manuscript in the year 2010. *Gangchil*, Kolkata, will publish the book. Formalities regarding contract have been completed. 5) A book in Bangla of about 200 pages on the semantic mutations of the words ‘revolution’ and ‘biplab’. He plan to develop the Key-note Address which he gave at the seminar on ‘Technologies of Revolution’ organized by Barasat Government College on March 4, 2010. The Book should be ready by January 2011. *Gangchil*, Kolkata, will publish the book. Formalities regarding contract have been completed. 6) *Undated: Nightskin*: A book containing my essay in English on Chittrovanu Mazumdar’s Installation-Work titled *Undated: Nightskin* and a collage to be prepared by Chittrovanu Mazumdar. The essay is half-written; He hope to complete it soon. The book is still at the planning stage. He is jointly editing with Arindam Chakrabarti and Sanjay Palshikar an anthology of essays titled *Mahâbhârata Today: Narration, Aesthetics, Ethics* to be

brought out by Centre for Advanced Study, Shimla and Routledge. The anthology is expected to be published towards the end of 2010. The editing the second edition of *Nibandha Baichitrer Teen Dashak* to be published by Charchapada, Kolkata, in January 2011. **Dwaipayan Bhattacharyya** coordinated DFID / ESRC funded academic project "Embedding Poor People's Voices in Local Governance". Two workshops of the project have taken place in Trivandrum and Kolkata. The final report will be submitted by March 2011. **Partha Chatterjee** is continuing his research on a book manuscript entitled *The Black Hole of Empire: History of a Global Practice of Power* which is expected to be completed by June 2010. **Rosinka Chaudhuri** is continuing her research project on nineteenth-century Bengali poetry. A final chapter on Rangalal Bandyopadhyay is in the process of being written, to be followed by the Introduction, after which the project will be ready for submission. She is also in the process of compiling six or seven essays, some of which were published in journals such *Interventions*, *Modern Asian Studies*, *Social Text* and *Journal of Asian Studies* along with two unpublished papers and an introduction, for publication in book form. **Anirban Das** now plan to finish and submit for publication a number of articles. Some of these are part of his thesis while others are new pieces on related themes. These articles are i)"Embodied Knowledges: An Intimate Critique of Positional Objectivity and Standpoint";ii)"The Spectrality of Ideology: Ethical Imports of Eating Well" and iii)"Unhinging the State and the Nation: (Im)Possibilities". **Mollica Dastider** is working on her project *From Caste to Tribe: The Nepali Speaking Communities in East Himalayas*. Her research inquiry engages with the construction and deconstruction of 'caste' Nepali culture in Darjeeling, Sikkim and East Nepal. The common cultural geography and her linguistic mapping of the region largely indicate the assertion of the subordinate castes and subaltern *janajatis* widely referred as *Matwali jat* in the Nepali linguistic parleys. In addition to understanding the construction and deconstruction of the caste Nepali culture in Sikkim and Darjeeling the study intends to look at the development of Limbu script and language, tracing its evolution since the publication of the first Limbu script in 1855 by Dr. Archibald Campbell. Limbu language written in *Srijanga lipi*, other than empowering the marginalized to write about themselves in their own native language, offers a social anthropological explanation of the proximity of spoken Limbu to Chinese and its written version to the early forms of Brahmi lipi. **Anjan Ghosh** is working on three main areas, some of which is nearing completion: i) Rumour and Communal Conflict in Bengal, 1946-1992. The plans are to complete the book manuscript on this theme in the forthcoming months; ii) Durga

Puja in contemporary Kolkata. The plans are to collate already published articles and existing writings on this theme, and add some material on the changing notion and nature of the *para* (neighbourhood) in the city; iii) History of Sociology and Social Anthropology in India, with a special interest in the traditions of teaching, writing and research in these disciplines, and their development both within and outside the universities. He is writing a paper on the theme, "The Shrinking of the Social", which is being developed out of a presentation that was made at a seminar on "Modernity, Identity and Resistance in South Asia" at the Department of Sociology, University of Mumbai, in March 2010. Two other completed papers on this theme, titled "Public Culture of Sociology in Calcutta" and "Local Scholars: Global Academy" are awaiting publication in two edited volumes of essays. **Priya Sangameswaran** is working on a project on *Discourses of Water and Development and Sector Reforms in Water in Maharashtra*. The aim of this project is to understand different processes involved in the sector reforms in water, how they are shaped by the interaction between hegemonic discourses of water and development and the motivations of diverse actors, and how these changes link to larger debates about neoliberal development, rights, equity and commodification of resources. As the last part of the project, work is currently on going on a book tentatively titled *(Re) forming development through water reforms*. She currently has rough drafts of four of the seven proposed chapters

NEW PROJECTS

Economics

Saibal Kar is working on two new projects i) Risk Sharing in the Informal Enterprises and ii) Migration and Human Capital Formation in Developing Countries. **Indrajit Mallick** started a book project on "Financial System Dynamics and Prudential Regulation" to understand Economic Dynamics. **Sugata Marjit** is now working on four projects: (i) Global Crisis, Local Bubbles and the Indian Economy, (ii) Obama's Anti-outsourcing Policy, Implications for US and India, (iii) Credit Crunch and Outsourcing and (iv) Corporate Governance and Stock Market Behavior.

History

Gautam Bhadra was busy with administrative duties in the last six months

of his tenure. As a consequence, his progress was not up to the mark in rewriting his various papers around the theme 'Towards literary figuration and literary stereo-types in the early twentieth century Bengali literature'. He has just restarted working on the project. **Tapati Guha-Thakurta** has been developing a new research project on travelling art objects and monuments, as originals and copies, across different regional, national and international locations. A paper on the theme of travelling architectural replicas has been written and was presented at two conferences over the last academic year. She is planning to write another paper on the travels and collections of art works and objects across India and Britain during the 19th and early 20th century, where she will juxtapose the case of the transportation to England of the "Hindoo Stuart" collection of Indian sculptures in the early 19th century, its auctioning and purchase by the British Museum, with the acquisition of objects and artworks from across England and India by Curzon in the early 20th century for the proposed Victoria Memorial in Calcutta. **Samarpita Mitra** started work on a book proposal and will start working on the occasional paper required by the NRTT-CSSSC fellowship. The book project shall be an extension of her doctoral dissertation *The Literary Public Sphere in Bengal: Aesthetics, Culture and Politics, 1905-1939* (Syracuse University, August 2009). She intends to utilize following months in preparing the groundwork to start on the book project.

Society, Politics, Culture, and Environment

Anirban Das is planning two major book projects this year. The first is a co-authored book on the general theoretical import, with a few empirical illustrations, of the workings of Third World Feminisms. This book will use a part of his PhD dissertation. The second project is that of a co-authored book on the ways of translating deconstruction beyond the context of the West. It shall consist of the translation of a Bangla piece on deconstruction by Gayatri Chakravorty Spivak and one essay each by the three authors namely myself, Prof. Benjamin Conisbee Baer of Princeton University and Prof. Arindam Dutta of Massachusetts Institute of Technology. There are two proposals from publishers to edit books, which he intends to start in the following year 1) *Translating Deconstruction: The Indic Space*, a collection of writings on deconstruction which are either translations of vernacular (mostly Bangla) pieces or are written with specific reference to Indic materials and ii) *Critical Readings in Feminist Thought*, a collection of essays by Feminist theorists and critical contemporary readings of their work.

RESEARCH PROJECTS FOR OUTSIDE AGENCIES

COMPLETED PROJECTS

Institute of Pro-Poor Growth (DFID-UK) Project

The project 'Outsourcing of Production and the Pattern of Contracts between Formal and Informal Sector Firms in Post-Reform India: Determinants and Effects' was carried out. It is headed by Sugata Marjit in collaboration with Dibyendu Maiti formerly at the Centre and now at the Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi. Nimai Das worked as Research Officer under the project. The final report of this project work comprising a detailed survey of some leading industries, namely, iron & steel, cement, jute, cotton textile and polymer, in West Bengal and Gujrat was submitted.

A Quantitative Study of Tea Industry: Market, Pricing and Organisation

A Tea Board (India) Pilot Project on Tea Industry in India, undertaken by Sugata Marjit and Saibal Kar, was completed and the interim report submitted. Final report will be submitted in 2011.

UNICEF – Social Inclusion Cell

The initial report of the project towards forming a Social Inclusion Cell was submitted by a team including Anjan Ghosh, Dhrubajyoti Ghosh, Sohel Firdos, Saibal Kar, Surajit Mukhopadhyay, and Sugata Marjit. Anjan Ghosh served as Nodal Faculty of the UNICEF-CSSSC Social Inclusion Cell, which was set up in April 2009, and organized several workshop and field research projects under the rubric of this cell.

What Explains Differences in Human Development Outcomes across Space? An Analysis of Education Outcomes in India

The Sir Ratan Tata Foundation Trust (SRTT) sponsors the project. Jyotsna Jalan is the coordinator of this project.

Development and Implementation of Decentralization and Health Survey in West Bengal

Funded by the World Bank, this project is coordinated by Jyotsna Jalan.

Dr. Sumit Majumdar, a health economist, has been hired as a Research Associate under the project. The project was completed in January 2010 and the report submitted to the funding agency.

South Asia Union Catalogue Project

The US National Endowment for Humanities funded triangular research project on historical bibliography “South Asia Union Catalogue – Phase II” has been successfully concluded. The project was a triangular research project of University of Chicago, Roja Muthiah Research Library and CSSSC was housed at the CSSSC under supervision of Abhijit Bhattacharya as Project Director in South Asia for the programme. The database of bibliographic records is available on <http://sauc.uchicago.edu/>.

ONGOING PROJECTS

RBI Endowment Scheme

The permanent research endowment scheme at CSSSC set up by the Reserve Bank of India in the year 2002 for research in Industrial Economics is currently headed by Prof. Sugata Marjit as the RBI Professor of Industrial Economics. Dr. Nimai Das, Research Officer in Economic look after the operation of the RBI endowment. *India Macroeconomics Annual 2009*, the annual publication of the endowment, edited by Prof. Sugata Marjit published in February 2009. The RBI Unit at Centre plans to undertake a study on West Bengal and the India Economy, 1977-2006. Besides, the Unit is continuing with the new research work on India’s informal sector related issues which shall assess the factors related to informality-formality trade-off and summarise the possible measures for informal sector in India in the post-liberalization era.

The RBI unit at the CSSSC organizes seminars and workshops on a regular basis and undertakes several projects on topics related to the thrust area of research of the Unit. The Unit along with the Centre for Human Development and Human Rights (CHDHR), Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata organized a two-day international seminar on ‘Globalization and Development’ on January 18-19, 2010. Sugata Marjit, RBI Chair Professor presented the introductory speech to the International Seminar. The other significant speakers were Ronald W. Jones (Xerox Professor of Economics, University of Rochester, USA), Sule Akkoyunlu (KOF Swiss Economics Institute, Zurich, Switzerland), Poonam Mehra (Indira Gandhi Institute of

Development Research, Mumbai), Abhirup Sarkar (Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata) and Rajat Acharya (Jadavpur University, Kolkata).

National Tea Research Foundation Project

Two projects ‘A Quantitative Study of Tea Industry Market, Pricing and Organization and Land Resource Utilization in Tea Industry; Current Problems and Future Prospects with Special Reference to Labour’ funded by the Tea Board of India are primarily focusing on both social and economic aspects of Indian tea industry and are being carried out by Sugata Marjit, Saibal Kar, Sohel Firdos and Nimai Das. The research team developed four different kinds of survey instruments for big tea estates, small tea estates, bought leaf factory owners and the household survey of tea garden workers. The detailed survey of tea producing regions in North Bengal has been completed and interim report submitted. The research team is now carrying out the detailed survey of the tea producing regions in Assam and South India.

Embedding Poor People’s Voices in Local Governance

Embedding Poor People’s Voices in Local Governance is a collaborative research project between University of Sheffield (UK), Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum and Centre for Studies in Social Sciences Calcutta, funded jointly by the Economic and Social Resaech Council and DFID, Government of United Kingdom. Dwaipayana Bhattacharyya is the coordinator of this project. Two workshops of the project have taken place in Trivandrum and Kolkata. The final report will be submitted by March 2011.

UNICEF – Social Exclusion

The project is undertaken by the Social Exclusion Cell at the Centre comprising Anjan Ghosh, Dhruvajyoti Ghosh, Surajit Mukhopadhyay, Sohel Firdos, Saibal Kar and Sugata Marjit. Under this project a large survey is underway on various forms and practices of Social Exclusion in West Bengal.

Navajbai Ratan Tata Trust (NRTT) project on “Training in New Social Science Research Methods”

The three-year Navajbai Ratan Tata Trust (NRTT) project supporting Training in New Social Science Research Method at various levels at the Centre for

Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta (CSSSC) began in December 2007 and is coordinated by Sibaji Bandyopadhyay. The main activities of the project are:

- (i) M.Phil in Social Sciences Programme at the CSSSC is of two years duration: 1st year, Course Work and 2nd year, Dissertation Writing. The Course Work part is designated as 'Research Training Programme'. Under the NRTT-CSSSC scholarship programme, 14 RTP students were awarded the pre-doctoral scholarship of Rs. 4000.00 per month for 12 months from August 2009 to July 2010.
- (ii) At present six post-doctoral fellows are pursuing research work under the CSSSC-NRTT post-doctoral fellowship programme. Three among them, Sohini Guha, Srabanti Bhattacharya and Shilp Shikha Singh will complete their research work in July 2010. Three others, . Suhit K. Sen, Samarpita Mitra and Rohan Deb Roy will finish their research work in November 2010.
- (iii) CSSSC-NRTT Annual Workshop 2009

Details given under Workshops and Conferences.

Ford Foundation Project: "A Cultural History Archive on Eastern India"

This three-year project, begun in February 2008 is headed by Prof. Tapati Guha-Thakurta, and includes Prof. Partha Chatterjee, Drs. Keya Dasgupta and Rosinka Chaudhuri in its Steering Committee. The project is now in its final year and will terminate in February 2011.

The main activities of the project are:

I. Internship Programme

Jyotirekha Bhattacharyya and Karabi Dutta of Media Trust Assam successfully completed the technical internship programme for the second year of the Ford Foundation Project. They were attached to the CSSSC's archive for two months, from July 1 2009 to August 31, 2009. The interns have submitted their final report on completion of their internship and have highly appreciated the curriculum designed by the CSSSC archive staff.

Kamei Gaikhonlu from the Department of History, Manipur University was selected for the six-month doctoral internship for the year 2009-2010. During her fellowship period from August 2009 to January 2010 she worked on a paper titled *Evolution of Imphal City* under the guidance of. Keya Dasgupta and submitted the same to CSSSC at the end of her internship. She utilized the internship towards setting up a study on the theme, *Dynamics of Urban Life in Modern Imphal*, and also presented a paper titled *Kangla Fort: Contested Perceptions between Archaeologists and Religious Bodies* at a seminar at the CSSSC on January 28, 2010.

II. Postdoctoral fellowships

Mollica Dastider joined the Ford Foundation Project as a Fellow in Political Science in 2008. Her current work on *Nepali Speaking Communities in East Himalayas* contributes to the larger research endeavour of the Project on New Cultural Histories of the East. Dr. Dastider's research inquiry engages with the construction and deconstruction of 'caste' Nepali culture in Darjeeling, Sikkim and East Nepal. The common cultural geography, and her linguistic mapping of the region has helped her present papers on the common theme of *From Caste to Tribe: "Matwali Janajatis" and the Caste Nepali culture in East Himalayas* at two conferences between August' 09-March 2010. Two short duration field visits to Sikkim and Kalimpong during 2009-10 have helped her collect important specimens of scripts and text books in non-Aryan Himalayan languages of the Limbu, Rai, Tamang, Lepcha, Gurung and Magar tribal communities in the region. Mollica Dastider's study also in particular intends to look at the development of Limbu script and language, tracing its evolution since the publication of the first Limbu script in 1855 by Dr. Archibald Campbell. Her study reveals that the contemporary Limbu literary activities in the region do present an excellent opportunity for linguists and manuscript experts to explore and invest in Trans-Himalayan languages for not only they present a 'great linguistic watershed of non-Aryan languages' but also bear significant socio-cultural influences across societies in the region.

Sujith Parayil resigned from the Ford Foundation full-time post-doctoral fellowship programme in July 2009. He initiated a plan of producing a documentary film based on the research material available at the CSSSC archive which he has promised to complete, notwithstanding his resignation. The basic intention of this documentary film is to disseminate the idea of the archival materials available at the Centre to a wider public.

After Dr. Parayil's resignation, CSSSC advertised for the same post in the Economic and Political Weekly, Vol.XLIV, dated July 18, 2009, and conducted a job-talk for short-listed candidates on 27 November 2009. Two candidates, Dr. Madhumita Sengupta and Mr. Sraman Mukherjee were selected as post-doc fellows for the last year of the fellowship period. Dr. Sengupta's research project is titled, 'Kamakhya and the Colonial Milieu in Nineteenth Century Assam' and the title of Mr. Sraman Mukherjee's research project is 'Heritage, Histories, Identities: Archaeology, Monuments and Tourism in the Configuration of Bihar, Orissa and Bengal'. As 2010 was the last year of the three-year post-doctoral fellowship programme, two fellows have been selected instead one fellow, to make proper utilization of the fellowship fund.

III. Archive Support Staff

After the resignation of Soma Modal from the post of the second archive assistant, Rajlaxmi Ghosh joined the archive from October 1, 2009 in the same post. Ranjana Dasgupta is continuing as the Project Officer of the Ford Foundation Programme at the CSSSC to run the workshop and publication programmes of the project.

IV. Archival Documentation Programme

Under the plans of visual documentation, the photographing of paintings in the Nandan Museum, Kala Bhavan, Visva Bharati was completed during May, 2009. There are also plans of accessing copies of a selection of photographs in the collection of Rabindra Bhavan, Santiniketan. Under the plans for textual documentation, digitization of an early collection of the bilingual edition of the *Amrita Bazar Patrika* of the late 19th century is in the final phase of completion. Digitization of a microfiche collection of Census of India volumes from 1871-1951 was completed during year 2009. In the course of last year, the CSSSC's archive also acquired a rare collection of Bengali little magazines from a private holding in College Street. The digitization of four journal series of the early 20th century – *The Modern Review*, *Santiniketan Patrika*, *Visva Bharati Patrika* and *Visva Bharati Quarterly* – in the collection of Rabindra Bhavan Library, Visva Bharati University is under progress. The digital documentation of the career-long works of the veteran artist, Shanu Lahiri is currently in progress. Dr. Tapati Guha-Thakurta is overseeing the progress of the textual and visual documentation projects.

V. Archive Publication Series

Dr. Rosinka Chaudhuri is supervising the Archive Publication series under this project. Three titles have been published in the year 2009. (i) A brochure on the Jadunath Sarkar Resource Centre for Historical Research; (ii) Two publications under the archive occasional paper series – (a) *Mapping Calcutta: the Collection of Maps at the Visual Archives of the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences*, prepared by Dr. Keya Dasgupta; and (b) *Abanindranath, Known and Unknown: The Artist versus the Art of His Times* by Prof. Tapati Guha-Thakurta. In the next phase, four new publications have been planned under the same series.

VI. Purchase of eastern language books and journals for the Jadunath Bhavan Library

Dr. Keya Dasgupta is in charge of consulting the Librarian and Prof. Gautam Bhadra and looking into the purchase of Eastern language books and journals for the Jadunath Bhavan Library, for which there is a earmarked annual fund of Rs 1,00,000 in the Ford Foundation Project. A part of this fund is also being utilized for buying some specialized art and photography books for the CSSSC's visual archive. Under this head, some specialized bibliographic work of classification, cataloguing and indexing of material is also being conducted.

VII. Funding of the CSSSC's annual Cultural Studies Workshop

Details given under Workshops and Conferences.

VIII. Funding of the international seminar on "New Cultural Histories"

Details given under Workshops and Conferences.

Papiya Ghosh Memorial Fund project funded by the Tata Social Welfare trust

The Papiya Ghosh Memorial Fund project, supported by the Sir Dorabji Tata Trust, a two-year programme commenced from April 2008. The two-year Ph.D Fellowship and Short-Term Fellowships for 2008-2009 under the Papiya Ghosh Memorial Fund were announced in June, 2008 in the Economic and Political Weekly, on the CSSSC website and circulated

through the mailing list. CSSSC received 15 applications for the two-year fellowship.

Under the Papiya Ghosh Memorial Fund Nisha P.R has been awarded the two-year Ph.D Fellowship for the years 2008-2010 and has commenced work from September 1, 2008. She is a Ph.D student at the Department of History, University of Delhi under the supervision of Dr. Dilip M. Menon. Nisha is working on 'A History of the Circus and Circus Performances in Twentieth Century Kerala'. According to the terms of the fellowship, she has sent a detailed six-monthly report in February 2010, routed through her supervisor, of the work done during the first six months of her fellowship period. CSSSC has also assigned Prof. Janaki Nair from among the CSSSC faculty as Nisha's advisor and she is in touch with Prof. Nair regarding the progress of her research.

The Short-Term Fellowships for 2009-2010 under the Papiya Ghosh Memorial Fund were announced in April, 2009 in the Economic and Political Weekly, on the CSSSC website and circulated through the mailing list.

Sreebitha P. V. and Sandali Thakur were awarded the short-term fellowships for a period of six months each for the year 2009-2010. Sreebitha is a research scholar at the Centre for Comparative Literature, School of Humanities, University of Hyderabad and her fellowship project is on 'Ezhava Social Reform: Questions on Modernity and Community'. Dr. Anjan Ghosh is her advisor during the course of the project. Sandali Thakur is a PhD student at the Department of Sociology, University of Pune since November, 2007, under the supervision of Prof. Sharmila Rege, and is working on 'Mithila Paintings and Painters: Exploring Relations of Caste, Class and Gender'. Prof. Tapati Guha-Thakurta is assigned as her advisor by CSSSC. The short-term fellows have submitted detailed report of their work at the end of their fellowship in February 2010, and are in touch with their respective advisors regarding the progress of their work, and are participating in the second two-day annual Papiya Ghosh Memorial Workshop on 'Communities at the Margins: Practices and Livelihood', as part of the activities of the CSSSC-Papiya Ghosh Memorial Fund (supported by Sir Dorabji Tata Trust/Tata Social Welfare Trust), in Kolkata on 1 and 2 July 2010.

Papiya Ghosh Memorial Annual Workshop on "Minorities Culture"
Details given under Workshops and Conferences

SEPHIS Resource Centre at the CSSSC

The CSSSC continued to act as the resource centre for the Asian region for SEPHIS, a Dutch foundation engaged in South-South Exchange Programme for research on the history of development in the countries of the global South. The programme is coordinated at the CSSSC by Dr. Anjan Ghosh who also served as the main resource faculty of the SEPHIS Regional Centre at the CSSSC, and was in charge of organizing short-term visits of international scholars and publication of their lectures as Occasional Papers (SEPHIS series).

Under this programme, SEPHIS sponsored 7 international participants for the 15th Cultural Studies Workshop organized by the CSSSC at Santiniketan, West Bengal from January 30-February 4, 2010. They were — Jose Alberto Moreno Chavez, Ph.D. Student in History at El Colegio De Mexico, Kyaw Minn Htin from Centre de l'Ecole française d'Extrême-Orient (EFEO) de Yangon, Myanmar, Miné Venter from Stellenbosch University, Western Cape, South Africa, Juan Javier Revera Andia from Instituto Nacional De Cultura, Lima, Margot Safer from University of Stellenbosch, Cape Town, Waliaula Solomon from Moi University, Kenya, Phuong Chi Pham from Vietnam Institute of Literature (Vietnam Academy of Social Sciences).

SEPHIS also sponsored two international students for the CSSSC's RTP courses — Abdullah Al Mamun (Bangladesh) and June Cahyaningtyas (Indonesia). Both the participants will complete their programme in July 2010.

At present work is in progress on the final stage of publishing a substantial CSSSC-SEPHIS Monograph entitled '*Mestizos' Genealogies in Peru*, edited by Marisol De La Cadena. After publication, copies would be mailed in bulk to different SEPHIS regional centres for further distribution.

Endangered Archive Project (EAP188)

The pilot research project titled "Rescuing text: retrieval and documentation of printed books and periodicals published prior to 1950 from public institutions in Eastern India" is aiming at systematic documentation of printed literature published prior to 1950 and from public institution libraries lacking infrastructure for conservation. This pilot project started from November 2008. The project identified 28,000 unique titles available in public institutions

in remote areas and planning to digitise a selection from the identified titles. Abhijit Bhattacharya is working for the project as Principal Investigator with a four-member team.

NEW PROJECTS

Archive and Access

Archive And Access, aimed at forming a consortium of libraries and archives and training workshops towards setting up digital catalogues and shared resources in India by Rochelle Pinto (Centre for the Study of Culture and Society, Bangalore), Aparna Balachandran (Centre for the Study of Culture and Society, Bangalore) and Abhijit Bhattacharya (Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta) and the project is being supported by the Jamsetji Tata Trust and housed at the Centre for the Studies of Culture and Society (CSCS), Bangalore.

This project connects archives, libraries and private collections of texts in India through online catalogue sharing and helps to serve a community of local scholars who would otherwise find it difficult to access resources.

SEPHIS supported project on 'Remembering Native Place: An Archive of Memories and Memorabilia of People Migrated Both Sides of Border Following Partition of India, 1947'

The project aims at seeing the partition of India beyond trauma and violence and is focused on collecting memories of displaced people due to partition of India on both sides of the eastern border. The project is housed at the Department of History, Jadavpur University and Dr. Sudeshna Banerjee of Jadavpur University is the Principal Investigator of the project ,Abhijit Bhattacharya of CSSSC is the Co-investigator of the project.

ACADEMIC EVENTS

Cultural Studies Seminars

Date	Speaker	Topic
04.04.09	G. Arunima School of Social Sciences, JNU	Picture Perfect, or is a visual history of the family possible

Economics Study Group Seminars

Date	Speaker	Topic
09.04.09	Indrajit Ray Birmingham University	Do Players follow Recommendations?
20.05.09	Nabamita Dutta and Sanjukta Roy University of West Virginia	Do Potential Skilled Emigrants Care about Political Stability at Home?
23.06.09	Somdeb Lahiri Institute of Petroleum Management, Gandhinagar	Rationality in a General Model of Choice
21.07.09	Sarbajit Sengupta Visva-Bharati University	Firm Sponsored General Training under Asymmetric Information: A Complete Contracting Approach
23.09.09	Avik Chakravarti University of Wisconsin- Milwaukee	Skilled Wages with Incomplete Contracts: North-South Outsourcing versus immigration
10.12.09	G. Constantinides University of Chicago & NBER	The Puzzle of Index Option Returns
16.12.09	Debarshi Nandy York University, Canada and National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER)	Do Hedge Funds Trade on Private Information? Evidence from Syndicated Lending and Short Selling

Date	Speaker	Topic
31.12.09	Maitreesh Ghatak London School of Economics	Repayment Frequency and Lending Contracts with Impatient Borrowers
05.01.10	Kajal Lahiri University of Albany: SUNY	Caring for the Disabled: The American Experience
08.01.10	Indraneel Dasgupta Durham University, UK	Issues in the Economic Theory of Intra-Household Inequality and Gender-Specific Redistribution
12.01.10	Siddhartha Chattopadhyay SUNY, ALBANY	Liquidity Trap, Expectational Dynamics and The Monetary Policy Rule: An Analysis under Adaptive Learning
15.01.10 19.01.10	Kalyan Chatterjee Penn State University	Networks and Coalition Formation
21.01.10	Ronald W. Jones University of Rochester	Bubble Diagrams in Trade Theory
03.02.10	Prasad Bhattacharya Deakin University, Melbourne, Australia	How Do Legal Systems Affect Land Distribution? A long-Run Disaggregated Analysis

Political Economy Study Group Seminar

Date	Speaker	Topic
12.08.09	Surupa Gupta University of Mary Washington	Explaining India's Engagement in the WTO Negotiations: Global Ambitions or Domestic Politics?

Staff Seminars

Date	Speaker	Topic
22.06.09	Sujith Prayil CSSSC	Illuminated Histories: Family Photographs of Early Twentieth-Century Kerala

Date	Speaker	Topic
15.07.09	Anirban Das CSSSC	Embodiment and Ethics: An Inquiry into Power and Ideology
17.08.09	Janaki Nair CSSSC	Mysore's Shop Window? Imagined Economies and New Social Memories
17.09.09	Dwaipayan Bhattacharya CSSSC	Party Society, its Consolidation and Crisis: Understanding Political Change in West Bengal

General Seminars

Date	Speaker	Topic
15.06.09	Sudipta Kaviraj Columbia University New York	Tagore and the Aesthetics of Suffering
24.08.09	Mallarika Sinha Roy Roskilde University, Denmark	Magic Moments of Struggle: Women's Memories of the Naxalbari Movement in West Bengal (1967-1975)
28.08.09	Sunil Tankha Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands	The Politics behind Ownership: 50 Years of Brazilian Politics through the Lens of Infrastructure Development
04.09.09	Waltraud Ernst Oxford Brookes University, Oxford, UK	From 'Colonial Medicine' to 'Universal Science' and 'Medicalisation': Reflections on the Development of Western Psychiatry in Colonial India, c. 1870-1940
07.09.09	Peter D. McDonald St Hugh's College, Oxford University	Literature and the Social Sciences: An Awkward Alliance?
23.10.09	Preben Kaarsholm Roskilde University, Denmark	Political and Civil Society in South Africa After Apartheid

Date	Speaker	Topic
03.12.09	Philippe Cadene Université Paris-Diderot, France	Spatial Differentiations: Lessons from an Atlas of India
22.12.09	Dipesh Chakrabarty University of Chicago	The Untimely Historian: Europe and the Birth of Historical Research in India
23.12.09	Santanu Das Queen Mary, University of London	The Singing Sepoy: India, Empire and First World War Writing
22.02.10	Partha Chatterjee CSSSC	For The Happiness of Mankind
03.03.10	Partha Chatterjee	The Pedagogy of Violence
04.03.10	CSSSC	

Student Seminar

Date	Speaker	Topic
09.07.09	Trina Nileena Banerjee Doctoral Fellow, CSSSC	'Dangerous Play' - Punishment and Masculinity in Anurag Kashyap's <i>No Smoking</i> : Exploring Spectacles of Sexuality and Surveillance in Contemporary India
28.01.10	Kamel Gaikhonlu Ford Foundation Doctoral Interim	Kangla Fort: Contested Perceptions between Archaeologists and Religious Bodies

WORKSHOPS AND CONFERENCES

Workshop on Gender Sensitization against Sexual Harassment

The CSSSC organized a one-day workshop on gender sensitization against sexual harassment on June 3, 2009. Manabi Majumder coordinated the

workshop. Introductory speech was given by, Prof Sugata Marjit, the Director of CSSSC. Participants are Samita Sen, School of Women' Studies, Shefali Moitra, Paramita Ckravarty, Samantak Das of Jadavpur University and all the academic and non academic staff of CSSSC.

Papiya Ghosh Memorial Annual Workshop on "Minorities Culture"

The first annual workshop was held at CSSSC on 25-26 June 2009. The theme of this year's workshop was 'Minority Cultures'. Prof. Partha Chatterjee gave an inaugural address on the theme. Of the ten paper-presenters, three were Papiya Ghosh fellowship-holders (Nisha, Epsita and Bitasta). Others who presented papers, included Raziuddin Aquil, Rituparna Basu, Roma Chatterji, Mollica Dastider, Sanal Mohan, Nasima Selim, and H. Sudhir. All the papers were commented upon by Discussants, comprising CSSSC faculty and scholars from other institutions in Kolkata, including Sibaji Bandyopadhyay, Subhas R. Chakraborty, Roma Chatterji, Amit Dey, Rajat K. Das, Pradip K. Datta, Anjan Ghosh, Tapati Guha-Thakurta, Janaki Nair, and Samita Sen. Besides, the inaugural session also had short presentations by Tuktuk Ghosh-Kumar, Raziuddin Aquil, and Anjan Ghosh, on Papiya Ghosh, her research projects on Islam and Bihari Muslims, and the Tata Social Welfare Trust supported programmes of the CSSSC-Papiya Ghosh Memorial Fund.

Conference on Theory and Applied Theory in Economics

The CSSSC organized a Conference on Theory and Applied Theory in Economics in August, 3-4, 2009. Saibal Kar was the coordinator of the conference. Sugata Marjit, Director of CSSSC, inaugurated the conference. Two Special Lecture was delivered by Kalyan Chatterjee, Penn State and Kaushik Basu, Cornell University. Papers are presented by Conan Mukherjee, Indian Statistical Institute, Calcutta, Parimal Bag, NUS and Bibhas Saha*, UEA, UK, Bhaskar Goswami, Burdwan University, Dibyendu Banerjee*, Serampore College, Rilina Basu, St. Xavier's College, Calcutta, Sarbajit Sengupta, Viswa Bharati, Santiniketan, Runa Ray, Jadavpur University, Rakhi Banerjee, Gurudas College, Calcutta, Jayanta Dwivedi*, BKC College, Rajat Acharyya*, Jadavpur University and, Different sessions was chaired by Kalyan Chatterjee, Penn State, Ajitava Raychaudhuri, Jadavpur University, Pranab Kumar Das, Jyotsna Jalan (CSSSC), Rabindranath Bhattacharya, Sugata Marjit and Sugato Bhattacharyya, U. Michigan.

Workshop on Marginality, Memory and History

On August, 10, 2009 a workshop was held at the CSSSC, in collaboration with Emory University, USA, on “Marginality, Memory and History”. This workshop was one of series that a team of faculty from Emory University organized at different academic institutions in India during August 2009.. Anjan Ghosh on behalf of CSSSC had coordinated with Prof. Gyan Pandey (Emory University). Mollica Dastider, Sujith Parhail and Anjan Ghosh presented papers on behalf of CSSSC while Prof. Gyan Pandey, Dr. Chris Krupa and Prof. Joseph Crespino represented Emory University with their papers..

Workshop on Mapping Marginality

UNICEF-CSSSC Social Inclusion Cell organized a one-day workshop on “Mapping Marginality”, on October 21, 2009. Anjan Ghosh was the coordinator of the workshop. Welcome address was given by Prof. Gautam Bhadra, Acting Director of CSSSC. This was followed by Introductory remarks by Dr Anjan Ghosh. The Key Note Address – ‘Engaging with Caste’ was delivered by Professor Surinder S. Jodhka, Indian Institute of Dalit Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University. This was followed by a discussion session. Prof. Nirmala Banerjee, Sachetana and Former Professor, Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta discussed her paper on “*Gender and Poverty*” which was followed by a discussion session as well.

The second half of the day consisted of a presentation on “*Beyond Compassion: Representation/Resistance in the ‘Political Society’ of children of Sex Workers’ in Kolkata*”- a paper by Debolina Dutta, Human Rights Lawyer and Researcher, Open Space Fellow, Centre for Communication and Development Studies, Pune and Oishik Sircar, Jindal Global Law School, Sonipat. After the discussion following this paper, Dr. Dhruvajyoti Ghosh, Calcutta, presented a paper on “*An Empirical Enquiry into some excluded groups in Purulia*”. The session ended with a discussion on this. The day came to an end with the vote of thanks from the Cell.

Workshop on Inclusive Goals Exclusive Practices

A one day workshop titled ‘Inclusive Goals Exclusive Practices’ was organized by the UNICEF-CSSSC Social Inclusion Cell in April 2010 where eminent scholars like Virginius Xaxa, Prashant Negi and others shared their valuable insights on different aspects of the topic in concern. In this

workshop the secondary data analysis was presented by the Cell. A booklet containing contacts of the network partners of the Cell was published and circulated. The session was inaugurated by Dr. Anjan Ghosh, Nodal Faculty, CSSSC-UNICEF Social Inclusion Cell.

After the inauguration of the session by Dr. Anjan Ghosh, a keynote address was delivered by Prof. Virginius Xaxa, Department of Sociology, Delhi University. This was followed by presentations by Dr. Prashant Negi, Dr. K.R. Narayanan Centre for Dalit and Minorities Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, Dr. Deepita Chakravarty, Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad and Presentations on Secondary Data Analysis of Two Minority Concentration Districts in West Bengal by Ms. Riddhita Banerjee and Primary survey in Cooch Behar district by Dr. Sohel Firdos, CSSSC. The sessions ended with a panel discussion on “Deprivation of Children: Issues and Prospects” with panelists Prof. Sugata Marjit (CSSSC)- Moderator and Kumar Rana (Pratichi Trust). The day came to an end with a vote of thanks from the Cell

CSSSC-NRTT Annual Workshop on Violation and Violence

The Workshop for Beginning Doctoral, Doctoral and Post-doctoral Scholars supported by the Navajbai Ratan Tata Trust (NRTT) was held at Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta (CSSSC), R-1 Baishnabghata Patuli Township, Kolkata 700 094, from November 4-10, 2009. The theme of the workshop was *Violation and Violence*.

Part of a larger three-year programme that seeks to intervene in the institutional structure of training in the different social science departments in Indian universities, the workshop was conceptualized around the idea of guiding and interacting with doctoral and post-doctoral researchers at different stages of their research in new social science research methods and to assist them in formulating research questions in its disciplinary field and postulating the significance of the research for disciplinary or across disciplinary fields. Along with this, the workshop also aimed at evaluating the works of the Post-doctoral scholars, receiving the fellowship under the NRTT Fund.

CSSSC received a huge number of applications from beginning doctoral and doctoral participants in response to the announcement from across the country, with a significant number of applications from non-metropolitan universities in Maharashtra, Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Arunachal Pradesh and Manipur. Applications were spread over various disciplines – like History,

Geography, Education, Rural Development, Home Science, Social Work, Cultural Studies, Political Science, Economics, Law, Sociology, Anthropology, Population Studies, Regional Studies, Gender and Women's Studies. The workshop committee selected 14 participants based on the merit of their research proposals, location and academic training. The selected participants came from and are affiliated with academic institutions like Institute of Economic Growth, University of Delhi Enclave, Centre of Political Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), Gauhati University, Jamia Milia University, Department of Cultural Studies, EFLU, Hyderabad, University of Hyderabad, Aligarh Muslim University, CSCS, Bangalore, Jawaharlal Nehru University, Calcutta University, Jadavpur University; and the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta.

The participants' papers comprise a wide range of scholarly interests - 'On violations, dynamics of identity and violence: Some observations from the political history of Jammu and Kashmir' / 'Naxalism—Development or Discontent: A Study of Jharkhand' / 'Community Participation Law of the "Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission" and its violations' / 'Joton—Malati Bond in *Neelkontho Paakhir Khonje: Violating Norms of Communal Violence*' / 'Assessing the Concept of Violence and Violation in the Theory of Fourth Generation Warfare' / 'AFSPA—License for violation with violence' / 'Violence, Metaphors and the Everyday: A Study of Conversations in a post-9/11 Muslim Area' / 'Reading Violence non-corporeally: the many blackouts in Bangla children's literature (1938-1945)' / 'The Left Vision: Constituting the Subaltern' / 'Sovereignty, Citizenship and Human Rights—Interrogating Caste Violence in India' / 'Dalits and Caste Violence' / 'Politics of Exclusion: A Critical Perspective on "Third Gender" in Selected Indian Bollywood Cinema' / '(Epistemic) Violence, Violation and Ethics: Woman, Experience and Discourse on Reproductive Health' / 'Partition: Violence and the Fallacy of Silence'.

The three post-doctoral fellows under the CSSSC-NRTT fellowship programme, Dr. Srabanti Bhattacharya, Dr. Sohini Guha and Ms. Shilp Shikha Singh, currently doing research works on a range of issues and concerns in the social sciences. The research topics they presented at the workshop are: 'Differential Access to Water in Kolkata—Inequities in Distribution and Governance' / 'Legitimizing Violation: The Case of Encroachment of Village Ponds' / 'Everyday Violence and Electoral Politics: Uttar Pradesh, Post-1995'.

Other than the CSSSC faculty, seven external resource persons were invited – Dr. Sitharamam Kakarala (Centre for Study of Culture and Society, Bangalore), Dr. Deepak Mehta (Delhi University), Dr. Janaki Nair,

(Jawaharlal Nehru University), Dr. Satish Deshpande (Delhi School of Economics), Dr. M.S.S. Pandian (Jawaharlal Nehru University), Dr. Aditya Nigam (Jawaharlal Nehru University), Dr. Samita Sen (School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University).

The workshop was split into two sessions – the mornings comprising discussion sessions around pre-circulated readings; and the afternoon sessions dedicated to presentation of their papers by the beginning doctoral, doctoral and the post-doctoral participants.

Embedding Poor People's Voices in Local Governance

The workshop on Embedding Poor People's Voices in Local Governance was held on December 10, 2009. The workshop was funded by DFID and ESRC.

Two-Day International Seminar on 'Globalization and Development'

The Reserve Bank of India Research Endowment at the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta (CSSSC), and the Centre for Human Development and Human Rights (CHDHR), Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata, jointly organized a two-day international seminar on "Globalization and Development" at the Emerald Bower Campus (56A B.T. Road, Kolkata-700 050) of Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata, West Bengal, India, during 18-19 January 2010. Eminent Trade Theorist Professor Ronald W. Jones, Xerox Professor of Economics, University of Rochester, USA, and Member of the National Academy of Science, USA and Distinguished Fellow of the American Economic Association, 2009 delivered a special lecture in the seminar. Apart from Professor Jones a few invited lectures delivered by other renowned economists working in areas related to the broad theme of the seminar. Saibal Kar was co-organizer of this seminar.

International conference on "New Cultural Histories" under the funding of Ford Foundation, India

The three-day international conference, "New Cultural Histories of India" was hosted at the CSSSC during 5th to 7th January 2010, and was convened jointly by Prof. Tapati Guha-Thakurta and Dr. Boddhisattva Kar. The workshop was designed to chart the changing course of the field of cultural history which has easily been the most vibrant branch of historical research and writing in India, with excellent published and unpublished

work on hitherto less researched regions, languages, themes and questions.

The following papers were presented and discussed at the conference—

Panel: 1 *What is new?*

Christopher Pinney, 'Empire Follows Art': A Visual and Material History of Modern India / Moinak Biswas, The Database Form and Cultural Histories

Panel: 2 *Circulating Cultures*

Rajan Krishnan, MGR-Sivaji: Faciality Machine and the Many Plateaus of Tamil Popular Culture / Bodhisattva Kar, Cultural Objects?: Heads in the Naga Hills / Tapati Guha-Thakurta, Conceits of the Copy: Travelling Replicas in Colonial and Postcolonial India

Panel: 3 *Plotting the Polygot*

Francesca Orsini, How to do multilingual literary history? / Prachi Deshpande, Modi in the Colonial Archive: Towards a Cultural History of Scripts? / Ishita Banerjee-Dube, The Vernacular and the Sacred: On the Making of Modern Oriya Identity

Panel: 4 *Writers, Readers, Viewers*

Rosinka Chaudhuri, Poet of the Present: The Self-Division of Iswarchandra Gupta (1812-1859) and the Bengali Modern / Ashley Tellis, Affirmative Abjection: Exploring the Dalit subject through Autobiography / Gautam Bhadra, The Bengali Almanacs in Historical Vision: Performances, Images and Reading Practices in 19th and Early 20th-Century Bengal

Panel: 5 *Regimes of Listening*

Katherine Butler-Brown, Towards a historiography of pleasure in Mughal India: Suggestions from music history / Lakshmi Subramanian, Constructing new subjects: studying the politics of performance in modern south India

Panel: 6 *Mapping the Contemporary*

Srirupa Roy, Channeling Politics: Television News and Democratic Transformation in India / Sanjay Srivastava, New urban spaces, post-nationalism and the making of the consumer-citizen in India / Kaushik Ghosh, Economies of Anticipation: "Nano" the Story of the Big Small Car
The conference was extremely well-attended by faculties and students from Kolkata and elsewhere.

Cultural Studies Workshop

The Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta organized the Fifteenth Annual Cultural Studies Workshop from January 30-February 4, 2010, at Santiniketan, West Bengal, in collaboration with Ford Foundation, India and the South-South Exchange Programme for the History of Development (SEPHIS, Netherlands). The broad theme for this year's workshop was 'The Sacred in Contemporary Culture'

This year, the total number of participants was 23 out of which the number of International participants was 7 and the National participants were 16. These participants were mostly doctoral or post doctoral students (below the age of 35) whose ongoing or just completed works focus on one or more of the themes listed above.

The international participants were Jose Alberto Moreno Chavez, Ph.D. Student in History at El Colegio De Mexico, Kyaw Minn Htin from Centre de l'Ecole française d'Extrême-Orient (EFEO) de Yangon, Myanmar, Miné Venter from Stellenbosch University, Western Cape, South Africa, Juan Javier Revera Andia from Instituto Nacional De Cultura, Lima, Margot Safer from University of Stellenbosch, Cape Town, Waliaula Solomon from Moi University, Kenya, Phuong Chi Pham from Vietnam Institute of Literature (Vietnam Academy of Social Sciences).

The Indian participants were Namrata R Ganneri from SNTD College of Arts & SCB College of Commerce & Science for Women, Mumbai, Archana Singh from G. B. Pant Social Science Institute, Jhansi, Allahabad, Vikas Pathak who is working on the last phase of his Ph.D. thesis at Centre for Historical Studies, JNU, New Delhi, Saradindu Bhattacharya is currently pursuing Ph.D at Dept of English, School of Humanities, University of Hyderabad, Sneha Raghavan from Dept. of Cultural Studies, The English and Foreign Languages University, Hyderabad, Neeraja Sundaram from University of Hyderabad, Charisma K Lepcha from North-Eastern Hill University, Shillong, R Subha from IIT Bombay, Sukanya Sarbadhikary from University of Cambridge, Ravinandan Singh is enrolled at JNU's CSSS for PhD and is teaching Sociology at Hindu College, Delhi University, Debaditya Bhattacharya from Centre for English Studies (CES), Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), Moumita Sen from Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta (CSSSC), Syed Parvez Kabir from Visva Bharati University, Gargi Bhattacharya, is working as a part-time Assistant Professor in A.R.S.D. College, New Delhi, Abdullah Al Mamun is Assistant Professor, Department of Mass Communication & Journalism, Rajshahi University, Bangladesh, Koonal Duggal from Centre for Studies in Social Sciences Calcutta (CSSSC).

The workshop provided the young researchers an opportunity to share their work with senior scholars in the field.

Apart from the 23 participants, 14 senior resource persons attended the workshop. Among them, Dr. Pradip K Dutta, Dr. Udaya Kumar, Dr. Sanjay Srivastava, Dr. Prathama Banerjee, Dr. G. Arunima and Dr. Samantak Das joined the workshop as external resource persons and from the CSSSC's faculty Dr. Partha Chatterjee, Dr. Sibaji Bandyopadhyay, Dr. Tapati Guha-Thakurta, Dr. Anjan Ghosh, Dr. Manas Ray, Dr. Rosinka Chaudhuri, Dr. Anirban Das and Dr. Bodhisattva Kar were engaged as resource persons at the workshop.

Muslim Situation in India: Contemporary Questions

The Centre for Studies in Social Sciences (CSSSC) and the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) and Eastern Regional Centre (ERC), Kolkata, organized a three-day Seminar on Muslim Situation in India: Contemporary Questions on February 24-26 2010. The inaugural address was delivered by Dr. S.S.Z. Adnan, Chairperson, West Bengal Minorities Commission. Amitabh Kundu, Centre for the Study of Regional Development, JNU delivered the Keynote Address. The five sessions were chaired by Manabi Majumdar, Jyotsna Jalan, Anjan Ghosh and Keya DasGupta of CSSSC and Raziuddin Aquil of Delhi University. Papers were presented by M. G. Valenta, University of Amsterdam, Yoginder Sikand, National Law School, Bangalore, Sachidanand Sinha, JNU, Rahim Mondal, North Bengal University, Abdul Shaban, TISS, Amaresh Dubey, JNU, Pranab Kumar Das, Saibal Kar and Madhumanti Kayal, CSSSC, Zakir Husain, Institute of Economic Growth (IEG), Delhi, Arup Saikia, IIT, Guwahati, Zarin Ahmed, Centre de Sciences Humaines (CSH), Delhi, Rafiul Ahmed, Deshkal Society and Sohail Ahmed Jagiroad College, Morigaon, Assam, V. Ramaswamy and Amina Khatoon (Kolkata), Raziuddin Aquil, Delhi University and Sohel Firdos, CSSSC. A special lecture was given by Asghar Ali Engineer.

Workshop on Contesting the Indian City: State, Space and Citizenship in the Global Era

CSSSC organized jointly by the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor a workshop on Contesting the Indian City: State, Space and Citizenship in the Global Era at the Centre on March 5-6, 2010. Keya Dasgupta was coordinator of the workshop. The Inaugural address was given by Tapati

Guhathakurta, Professor, CSSSC. Ten papers were presented and discussed. The introductory speech was given by Gavin Shatkin, University of Michigan at Ann Arbor. The participants are, Jonathan Anjaria, Bard College, New York, Ratoola Kundu, University of Illinois at Chicago, Sanjeev Vidyarthi, University of Illinois at Chicago, Rupali Gupte, Collective Research Initiatives Trust, Mumbai, John Harriss, Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, Neha Sami, University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, Gautam Bhan, University of California at Berkeley, Ravi Sundaram, Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, Delhi, Prasad Shetty, Collective Research Initiatives Trust, Mumbai and Neema Kudva, Cornell University,

DOCTORAL PROGRAMME

The Doctoral Programme of the CSSSC includes both ICSSR Fellowship holders and others working with the faculty of the CSSSC. Prof. Janaki Nair has been coordinating the programme and giving it a new institutional structure.

The following scholars submitted their Ph.D. degree during the period under report:

Name of Scholar University	Title, Supervisor
Ritajyoti Bandyopadhyay (Jadavpur University)	Rumblings of the Street: The Hawkers on the Pavement of Kolkata as Informal Actors in Urban Histories (Dwaipayan Bhattacharyya and Samita Sen)
Sraman Mukherjee (University of Calcutta)	Unearthing the Past of Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, 1861-1936 (Tapati Guha-Thakurta)

The following scholars, enrolled in the Doctoral Programme of CSSSC, are supported by scholarships from the ICSSR.

Name of Scholar University	Title, Supervisor
Runa Das Chaudhury (Jadavpur University)	The Interplay of the 'Uncanny' and the 'Everyday': Towards Sociology of 'Ghost Stories' written for

Name of Scholar University	Title, Supervisor
	Children in Bangla between 1940-1980 (Sibaji Bandyopadhyay)
Suryanandini Sinha (Jawaharlal Nehru University)	The Interaction between Painting and Photography in Popular Indian Visual Culture (Tapati Guha-Thakurta and Kavita Singh)
Sarani Khatua (University of Calcutta)	Urban Governance in Kolkata Municipal Corporation: A Focus on Poverty Alleviation Policies (Keya Dasgupta and Sukla Bhaduri)
Parama Ray Chaudhuri (University of Calcutta)	Participatory Planning and Governance: Case Studies in the Context of Urban and Rural West Bengal (Keya Dasgupta and Sumana Bandyopadhyay)
Trina Nileena Banerjee (Jadavpur University)	Performance, Autonomy and the Politics of the Marginal: Women and the Group Theatre Movement in Bengal 1960-2005 (Rajarshi Dasgupta and Paramita Chakraborty)
Iman Kumar Mitra (Jadavpur University)	From Political Economy to Neoclassical Economics: Some Aspects of the Historical Evolution of the Economic Discipline (Bodhisattva Kar)
Debarati Bagchi (Delhi University)	Many Spaces of Sylhet: Making of a Regional Identity 1870s-1940s (Bodhisattva Kar)
Chandni Basu (Jadavpur University)	Child Protection? A Political-Legal Discourse on Child Sexual Abuse in India (Manabi Majumdar)
Sreemoyee Ghosh (Jadavpur University)	Occupational Health of Women Workers in the Informal Sector Industry in Durgapur (Manabi Majumdar)

Name of Scholar University	Title, Supervisor
Ranjita Biswas (Jadavpur University)	Sexual Violence: Victimhood, Agency and the Question of Justice (Janaki Nair and Shefaili Moitra)
Sushmita Ghosh (Jadavpur University)	Stylizing Masculinity Anew: An Analysis of New Hindi Cinema (Janaki Nair and Ipsita Chanda)
In addition, the following scholars are at present working for their Ph.D. degrees under the supervision of the academic staff of the Centre:	
Name of Scholar University	Title, Supervisor
Saswati Bhattacharya (Jadavpur University)	The Permanent Settlement Act and Bangla Theatre (Sibaji Bandyopadhyay)
Hardik Brata Biswas (Jadavpur University)	Spatializing the Visual: Re-locating Women's Photographs in Bengal, 1880s-1970s (Anirban Das)
Sadhan Kumar Chattopadhyay (Jadavpur University)	Bank Lending to Agriculture in Pre- and Post-Reform Periods (Pranab Kumar Das)
Purba Roy Chaudhuri (Jadavpur University)	Service sector growth in India—An econometric analysis (Pranab Kumar Das)
Kamalika Mukherjee (Jadavpur University)	Allegories of Womanhood: Gender and Popular Visual Culture in 19th and Early 20th Century Bengal (Tapati Guha-Thakurta)
Jishnu Dasgupta (University of Calcutta)	Social Basis Organized Politics in Bihar 1937-1979 (Bodhisattava Kar)
Indrani Mitra (Jadavpur University)	Economic Reform and Indian Agriculture (Sugata Marjit)

Name of Scholar University	Title, Supervisor
Biswajit Mondal (Rabindrabharati University)	Trade and Corruption (Sugata Marjit)
Gurupada Soren (University of Burdwan)	A Study on Santal Migration: Its Context and Ramification in Relation to Tribal Identity (Anjan Ghosh & Biswajit Ghosh)
Chaitali Sinha (Jadavpur University)	Human Capital Formation and Occupational Choices in a Poor Country (Saibal Kar & Ajitava Raychaudhuri)

M Phil

Name of Scholar University	Title, Supervisor
Saayan Chattopadhyay (Jadavpur University)	Imaging the Masculine in Post-independence Bengali Film (1947-1957) (Anirban Das)
Debolina Ghosh (Jadavpur University)	Perceptions of Gender Relations in the Literature Angst (Anirban Das)

AFFILIATED SCHOLARS

The Centre grants academic affiliation to scholars from abroad in connection with their research work in India. During the year under report, the following scholar was affiliated with the Centre:

Mr. Joel E Bordeaux, Columbia University, USA, to do research on "The Light of Kali in the King's Heart: Power Poetry and Raja Krishnacandra Ray" in May 2009.

Visiting Fellows (Economics)

- Prof. Kaushik Basu (Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, USA)
- Dr. Debarshi Nandy (Schulich School of Business, York University, Canada and NBER, Cambridge, Mass. USA)

- Dr. Subhayu Bandyopadhyay (Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, MO. USA)
- Dr. Prasad Bhattacharya (Deakin University, Melbourne, Australia)
- Dr. Nabamita Dutta (University of Wisconsin La Crosse, USA)

TEACHING PROGRAMMES

Research Training Programme (RTP) RTP 2008 – 2009

The Research Training Programme for the session 2008 – 09 began on August 6, 2008 and was completed in June 2009. The coordinator of this programme was Prof. Sibaji Bandyopadhyay. The following students successfully completed the programme and were awarded certificates:

Bashabi Barua (Cultural Studies) Bangladesh
 Natasha Barua (History)
 Debdatta Chakraborty (Sociology)
 Swati Chatterjee (History)
 Sutrishna Dutta (History)
 Moses Khisa (Political Science) Uganda
 Oeendriila Lahiri (Cultural Studies)
 Paroma Maiti (History)
 Srimanti Mukherjee (Sociology)
 Anirban Mondal (History)
 Mahima Natarajan (Cultural Studies)
 Parul (Sociology)
 Sandali (Social Work)
 Dhritishankar Sen (Cultural Studies)
 Anwasha Sengupta (History)

M. Phil. In Social Sciences 2009 – 2011

(Affiliated to Jadavpur University, Kolkata)

Course Work Period: One year

The Course Work for the M.Phil in Social Sciences 2009 – 11 batch began in August 2009 and will be completed in July 2010. The coordinator of this programme is Prof. Sibaji Bandyopadhyay. Dr. Pradip Kumar Sengupta,

M.Phil and Ph.D Programme Officer, is dealing with the administrative aspect of the programme. The First end – semester examination, conducted under the supervision of Controller of Examinations, Jadavpur University, was held in December 2009.

The names of the students enrolled are:

Subhankar Ghosh
Priyanka Dey
Zaid Al Baset
Moumita Sen
Najnin Islam
Sayantan Saha Roy
Sreyasi Chatterjee
Saroni Pattanayak
Darshana Sreedhar
Kaustubh Das
Arunita Mukherjee
Jayanti Ghosh
Sagnik Atarhi
Sanjna Mukhopadhyay
Daminee Basu
Koonal Duggal

Research Methods in Quantitative Economics

A six-month course titled Research Methods in Quantitative Economics for beginning doctoral students in Economics was started in collaboration with the Eastern Regional Centre, ICSSR in November 2009. The objective of the course was to “train” registered economics doctoral students to critically read and comprehend current “state of the art” research papers in Economics, learn how to formulate economic and econometric models, and analyze data using quantitative methods. The expected profiles of students are those interested in doing doctoral work in mainstream economics but with a prerequisite that they must have training in mathematics (at least as a minor) at the undergraduate level. A modern internet equipped computer laboratory with statistical software commonly used in Economics has also been set up for the exclusive use of the RMQE course participants.

Ten students from different universities have successfully completed

the course in April 2010. Approximately 20 external resource persons that included several well-known professors from India and abroad along with 6 internal faculty members constituted the teaching staff under this program. In addition, several seminars and special lectures were organized during the duration of the course to introduce the students to cutting-edge research in mainstream economics.

Recently, the course has also been recognized by Calcutta University towards satisfying the pre-doctoral course requirement as mandated by the UGC for students seeking to do a doctorate in any subject. Similar recognition from other UGC supported universities will also be sought in the future.

List of students who successfully completed the RMQE 2009-2010 course:

Sujan Kumar Pandit
Dyotona Dasgupta
Subrata Majumder
Paramahansa Pramanik
Jhumki Bhowmick
Purba Roy Choudhury
Tista Kundu
Raghu Bir Bista
Suresh Kumar
Rajdeep Basak

FACULTY ACTIVITIES

PART-TIME AND VISITING APPOINTMENTS

Sibaji Bandyopadhyay taught a course on ‘Sexuality Studies’ in Women’s Studies for M.Phil. programme 2009-2011, at School of Women’s Studies, Jadavpur University in January and March, 2009.

Dwaipayan Bhattacharyya taught at the Transdisciplinary course “Debates on Democracy and Development in India” as the Fulbright Scholar in Residence and Adjunct Professor at the School of Politics and Economics, Claremont Graduate University, Claremont, United States in January –June 2010.

Rosinka Chaudhuri taught PG I and PG II classes on Indian Poetry and Postcolonial Theory in the M.A. programme at Bethune College, Calcutta University, in 2009-10.

Anirban Das taught a compulsory core course in the 'Development of Feminist Thought' in the M. Phil. in Women's Studies at the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University. He also taught a course on 'Sexualities' in the M Phil in Women's Studies at the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University and continued teaching a course on "Feminist Thought" in the M Phil in Women's Studies at the Women's Studies Resource Centre, University of Calcutta

Pranab Kumar Das continued teaching Financial Economics in M.Phil. Programme of Institute of Development Studies Kolkata.

Anjan Ghosh taught a part of the IDSK course on Sociology of Development.

Tapati Guha-Thakurta was Visiting Professor at the School of Arts and Aesthetics, JNU, for a month during October – November 2009, where she taught a segment of M.A. cum M.Phil course, titled "Representing Culture: Art, Nations, Institutions".

Saibal Kar taught Labor Economics, Optional Paper, M. Sc. Part II (Paper XIII), at the Department of Economics, Calcutta University, and Trade and Development, in the M.A. Part II (Paper VIII) at the Department of Economics, Rabindra Bharati University. He was also Coordinator, Microeconomics in Research Methods in Quantitative Economics, and taught M. Phil in Social Sciences at CSSSC Research Methods, Labour Economics, Development Economics (Labor Migration).

Sugata Marjit taught Microeconomics at MSQE program ERU, ISI, Kolkata.

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3. 'Pitapatradwairath', *Nibandha Baichitrer Teen Dashak*, edited by Anirban Mukhopadhyay, Kolkata: *Charchapada*, January 2010, pp. 391-450.

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Jyotsna Jalan

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OTHER ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Sibaji Bandyopadhyay delivered the Keynote Address at the seminar on 'Technologies of Revolution', organized by Barasat Government College, Kolkata in March 2010. He spoke on several themes, 1) 'Science', Cultural Studies Workshop 2010: *The Sacred in Contemporary Culture*, organized by Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta in January, 2010; 2) 'Nonviolence', Social Sciences Workshop 2009: *Violation and Violence*, organized by Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta (CSSSC) on November, 2009; 3) 'Taboo', Refresher Course: *Gender and Power: Practices, Representations, Strategies*, organized by School of Womens' Studies, Jadavpur University in November, 2009. He was discussants at seminars on *New Cultural History*, organized by CSSSC, January 2010 and at workshop-cum-seminar on *Minority Cultures*, organized by CSSSC, in June 2009. He gave a series of talks on 'Bangla Prosody' at Department of Comparative Literature, Jadavpur University in April, 2009. He chaired the session 'Comparative Literature: Some Reflections', at the International Seminar organized by Department of Comparative Literature, West Bengal State University and Paschimbanga Bangla Academy in September 2009. He also presented a paper on Vivan Sundaram's Installation titled 'Journey Towards Freedom: Modern Bengal' at CSSSC in February 2010. He received 'Sisir Das Memorial Bangla Literature Award 2010'. He is

coordinator of i) Research Training Programme, CSSSC, April '09-June '10; ii) Coordinator: M Phil in Social Sciences 2009-10, CSSSC, from August '10 and iii) Coordinator: Navajbai Ratan Tata Trust (NRTT) Project on 'Training in New Social Science Research Methods', CSSSC.

Gautam Bhadra presented a full length paper on the topic Social History of the Bengali Almanacs in the seminar 'New Cultural History' held in the CSSSC in the month of January 2010.

Dwaipayan Bhattacharyya received the Fulbright Scholar in Residence Fellowship at the School of Politics and Economics, Claremont Graduate University, Claremont, United States in January-June 2010. He took part in a programme of the Workshop on Reforming Public Distribution System in India in the context of the Proposed Right to Food Legislation, organized by the Planning Commission, Centre for Jawaharlal Nehru Studies (Jamia Millia Islamia University) and Institute of Development Studies (IDS), Sussex in July, 2009. He took part in a seminar on 'Political Parties and Civil Society in Federal Countries' at Jain University, Bangalore in September, 2009. In October, 2009 he took part in a meeting in University of Sheffield to plan presentation of findings from the DFID-ESRC funded academic research project 'Embedding Poor People's Voices in Local Governance.' He presented a project workshop at Kolkata titled 'A Report on the conditions of the poor Amidst Political Changes in Rural West Bengal' in December 2009. He presented a paper on 'Understanding the 'voice' of rural poor: some lessons from the Chinpai village Council in West Bengal' at Town and Regional Planning Department of University of Sheffield.

Partha Chatterjee attended a workshops on 'Gandhi and Modernity' at the Heyman Center for the Humanities, Columbia University and a Conference on "Postcolonial Democracy" at the New School for social Research, New York in April 2009. He also attended another two workshops on "Minority Cultures" at the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta in June 2009 and on "Social Science Research in India" at the Centre for the Study of Culture and Society, Bangalore in July 2009. He delivered Malcolm Adiseshiah Lecture at the Madras Institute of Development Studies, Chennai in April 2009. He also delivered Lectures at Graduate Institute of International Studies, Geneva and Department of Politics, University of Oxford in May 2009. In July 2009 he delivered talks at Centre for the Study of Culture and Society, Bangalore.

Rosinka Chaudhuri delivered two lectures, one on postcoloniality and culture and another on multiculturalism, at the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, IIT Kharagpur, in a national workshop/short term course on 'Understanding Culture and Practicing Cross-Cultural Communication' from July 17-19, 2009. She presented a paper titled 'Poet of the Present: The Self-Division of Iswarchandra Gupta (1812-1859) and the Bengali Modern' and acted as a discussant at the New Cultural Histories Conference at the CSSSC in January 2010. She participated in the Cultural Studies Workshop of the CSSSC at Santiniketan, 30 January – 4 February, 2010. She also presented a paper, 'Refashioning Milton: Madhusudan and the Modernist discourse of Reading' at an international conference, 'Inhabiting this Hour: John Milton, his Bequest, 1608-2010' organised by the Department of English, Delhi University, in February 2010.

Anirban Das delivered lectures for a short-term course on *Understanding and Interrogating Postmodernism* conducted by the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur from May 15, 2009 to May 18, 2009; in a panel on *Feminist Theories Revisited* for a SRTT-SWS, JU residential workshop on "Rethinking Culture and Development: Feminist Crossings" organized by the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University from 22nd to 30th May, 2009 at Lataguri; for a Refresher course in Women's Studies for college and university teachers conducted by the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University on 4th November 2009. He acted as a resource person in the CSSSC-NRTT Annual Workshop for Beginning Doctoral, Doctoral and Post-doctoral Scholars 2009 on the theme *Violation and Violence* from 4th to 10th November 2009. He chaired a session in the National Conference on *Negotiating Intimacies: Marriage, Sexualities, Living Practices* organized by the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University from 22nd to 23rd December 2009. He also acted as a resource person (i) in the international conference on *New Cultural Histories of India* organized by the CSSSC in January 2010; (2) in the Fifteenth Cultural Studies Workshop on *The Sacred in Contemporary Culture* conducted by the CSSSC at Shantiniketan from 30th January to 4th February 2010. He presented a paper in a national seminar on *History as Biography* organized by the department of History, Jamia Millia Islamia at New Delhi in February 2010. He delivered special lectures (1) for a course in *Feminism and Sociology* in MA Sociology at the Department of Sociology, West Bengal State University in February 2010 and (2) on 'Postmodernism and Feminism' for a course in MA Sociology at the Department of Sociology, Rabindra

Bharati University on March 2010. He delivered a lecture in the UGC-Sponsored Refresher course on *The Philosophy of Literature: Language, Meaning and Ideology* at the University Staff College, NEHU in Shillong on 15th March 2010. He also presented two paper (i) in a national seminar on *Society and Literature: Interdisciplinary Transactions* organized by the department of English, North Eastern Hill University in collaboration with ICSSR-NERC at Shillong from 16th March 2010 to 18th March 2010. and (ii) in a national seminar on *Power in Modern India: Discourses and Practices* organized by the Centre for Political Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University at New Delhi from 25th March 2010 to 27th March 2010.

Keya Dasgupta presented papers on 'Interrogating the Right to the City: Community Participation and the Spaces of the 'Legal' in Contemporary Kolkata' at a Workshop on 'Opening up or Ushering in? Interrogating discourses of Public Consultation and Citizen Participation (PC and CP) in Urban Governance', organized by the Madras Institute of Development Studies, Chennai, in collaboration with the Centre de Sciences Humaines, New Delhi with support from the Centre for The Future State based at the Institute for Development Studies, Sussex, UK. ; on 'Between the Spaces of the *Invented* and *Invited*: The Politics of Negotiation in Contemporary Kolkata' at a workshop on "The Voice of the Poor in Urban Governance", held at the Department of Geography, University of Cape Town, in November 2009. She also made a short presentation on: 'From participation to research: Three divergent perspectives in Contemporary Kolkata' in the session: "Debating the researcher's positioning in his/her fieldwork through fieldwork notes", at the workshop held in Cape Town in November, 2009 She visited some field sites in Johannesburg – for example, the Alexandra township, Protea South in the Soweto Township, meeting activists, visiting rehabilitation sites, areas of informal trade, etc. She also participated in a discussion arranged for this purpose with activists from varied organizations and academics at the University of Johannesburg. The comparative study will continue with Dr. Sinwell visiting selected sites, civil rights groups in Kolkata later this year. She coordinated on behalf of the Centre a workshop entitled "Contesting the Indian City: State, Space and Citizenship in the Global Era", organized jointly by the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor and CSSSC, at the Centre in March 2010.

Mollica Dastider presented papers on "Minoritised and Subalternised: Kirati Mongoloids and the Construction of Caste Nepali Culture in Darjeeling and Sikkim" at a two day seminar on Minority Cultures in June 2009 and on

"Voices from the Margins: 'Matwali Mongoloids' and the deconstruction of caste Nepali Culture in East Himalayas" at a one-day workshop on Marginality, Memory and History (CSSSC-Emory University) in August 2010 at CSSSC. She also presented papers on "From Caste to Tribe: 'Matwali Mongoloids' in eastern Himalayas" at a three day Conference on Power in Modern India: Discourses and Practices organised by Centre for Political Studies, JNU in March 2010 and 'The Himalayan Transition: Towards a Federal Nepal' in a Seminar in MAKAIS, Calcutta in August, 2009.

Pranab Kumar Das got Visiting Fellowship under ESRC-ICSSR International Exchange Programme at Essex Business School, University of Essex (UK) for three months in 2009 for doing research on Financial System Architecture in South and South East Asia. He attended regular Economics Study Group seminars at the Centre and in other places such as Indian Statistical Institute, Calcutta, Jadavpur University and Institute of Development Studies Kolkata.

Rohan Deb Roy presented papers on 'Shifting geographies of a diagnostic category: Malaria in the long nineteenth century', in an International Conference on 'Environment, State and Society' in March, at the History Department, Jadavpur University; on 'Burdwan fever and the making of a malarial locality' in the History of Malaria Session at the University of Cardiff in March, 2010. He is guest editor of 'History of Medicine Special Issue', *Global South: The SEPHIS e-zine*.

Anjan Ghosh convened a workshop at the CSSSC, in collaboration with Emory University, USA, on "Marginality, Memory and History" in August 2009. This workshop was one of series that a team of faculty from Emory University organized at different academic institutions in India during August 2009. He was the main facilitator of the conference at the CSSSC, and he also presented a paper here titled, "What do *Dalits* remember? Reading *Dalit* autobiographies from (West) Bengal". He presented a paper at a conference on Partitions II, organized by South Asian Forum for Human Rights at Kathmandu in April, 2009. He was invited to deliver a series of lectures at the Refresher Course in Sociological Theory, organized by the Department of Sociology, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong, in September 2009. He organized a workshop for the UNICEF-CSSSC Social Inclusion Cell on "Mapping Marginality" in October 2009. He participated in the Advisory Committee meeting of the Sixth Survey of Research on Sociology and Social Anthropology, organized by the ICSSR in its offices in

New Delhi in November 2009. He also participated as a key organizer and resource person at the 15th annual Cultural Studies Workshop of the CSSSC, on the theme "The Sacred in Contemporary Culture", held at Santiniketan, from January 30 – February 4 2010. He gave lectures on topics related to "Social and Political Development" to students of the PGP-PMP programme of IIM, Ahmedabad in February 2010. He presented a paper at an international conference on "Modernity, Identity and Resistance in South Asia", organized by the Department of Sociology, University of Mumbai in March, 2010. He served as Nodal Faculty of the UNICEF-CSSSC Social Inclusion Cell, which was set up in April 2009, and organized several workshop and field research projects under the rubric of this cell He also served as the main resource faculty of the SEPHIS Regional Centre at the CSSSC, and was in charge of organizing short-term visits of international scholars and publication of their lectures as Occasional Papers (SEPHIS series). Under the SEPHIS programme, he was also in charge of the International Research Training Programme (which brought in students from the countries of the South to do the year long RTP course at the CSSSC), and of the international participation in the CSSSC's annual Cultural Studies Workshops.

Tapati Guha-Thakurta delivered the Raymond Firth memorial lecture, titled "Careers of the Copy: Travelling Replicas in Colonial and Postcolonial India", at the annual conference of the Association of Social Anthropologists (ASA), at Bristol, U.K. in April 2009. The full text and images of the lecture has been uploaded on the ASA conference website. She presented papers titled, "Fault-lines in a National Edifice: On the Rights and Offences of Contemporary Indian Art" at a two day symposium titled *Barefoot Across the Nation: M.F Husain and the Idea of India* organized at Duke University, USA, in April 2009. She presented aspects of her recent writing at a symposium organized around her work at the Research Centre for Transnational Art, Identity and Nation, University of the Arts, London, in April 2009 and presented the same paper "Faultlines in a fnational Edifice" at the Friday seminar series of the School of Arts and Aesthetics, JNU, New Delhi in October 2009. She also presented a paper titled "The Making of a New Festival: The Durga Pujas of contemporary Calcutta" at the seminar series of the Centre for Historical Studies, JNU, in October 2009. She helped organize a three-day international conference on "New Cultural Histories of India" at the CSSSC from January 5-7, 2010 and presented a paper titled 'Conceits of the Copy: Travelling Replicas of the Past and the Present' at the conference, and was a discussant for another paper. She participated

as organizer and resource person at the 15th annual Cultural Studies Workshop of the CSSSC, on the theme "The Sacred in Contemporary Culture", held at Santiniketan, from January 30 – February 4, 2010. She gave a keynote address and participated in the second workshop of a series titled "Transcultural Visualities", held from February 17-21, 2010 in New Delhi, organized by the University of Heidelberg and Max Mueller Bhavan. This year's workshop theme was "Icons, Spectacle, Affect". She convened a one-day discussion on March 13, 2010 at the CSSSC around Vivan Sundaram's Victorial Memorial installation, bringing together the papers that will go into the proposed book being published by Tulika press, New Delhi. She chaired a day's session on "Interpreting Visual images" at a conference on "Cultural Representation as Historical Process", Organized by the Department of History, Jadavpur University, on March 29-30, 2010. She has been serving since 2008 on the Board of Trustees of the Indian Museum, Calcutta, and have been a member of the Museum's Bicentenary Vision and Development Committee, which has been set up to work towards a major renovation and upgradation of the museum on the occasion of its bicentenary in 2014. She has been working on a grant application to the Ministry of Culture, Govt. of India, for developing a museum and archive at Jadunath Bhavan and the architectural renovation of the precincts. The application was submitted in September 2009, and a presentation made on it at the ministry in November 2009. She is currently at the second stage of developing the project proposal, and is working with a team on some detailed plans of exhibition displays and conservation of print and photographic material for the proposed Jadunath Bhavan museum and archives.

Jyotsna Jalan invited to deliver lecture at a conference organized in honour of Sir Clive Granger by the Economics Research Unit, Indian Statistical Institute Kolkata on January 2010. She also presented a lecture to teachers teaching economics in undergraduate colleges at the Department of Economics, Calcutta University on July 2009. She was coordinator of RMQE course. It a six-month course titled Research Methods in Quantitative Economics for beginning doctoral students in Economics which was started in collaboration with the Eastern Regional Centre, ICSSR in November 2009. She refereed 1) "On the intended and unintended effects of safe water supply expansions in Ecuador" for *Economic Development and Cultural Change*; 2) a proposal submitted to ERC submitted by the Centre for Advanced Studies (CAS) Department of Economics, Jadavpur University requesting funds to organize a 2-day international seminar on "Recent Economic Crisis and Its Impact on India" and 3) a proposal submitted to

ERC for funding a two-day conference by Department of Economics, Presidency College.

Bodhisattva Kar delivered lectures on 'Addicts and Elites: Political and Cultural Economies of Opium in British Assam', in the Oxford Brookes University, Oxford in May 2009; on 'Can the Postcolonial Begin?: Deprovincializing Assam', in Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies, Calcutta in April 2009; and on 'Blackmailed into Modernity?: The *Posa* Affairs in British Assam', in Zentrum Moderner Orient, Berlin in August 2009. He presented papers on 'The Proper and the Proprietorial: Predicaments of Doing Research on British Assam', in the international colloquium on *Inappropriate Issues: Historians and Anthropologists* organized by Zentrum Moderner Orient, Berlin, in July 2009; on 'Counterfeits: Spurious Currencies and Inauthentic Identities in British Assam', in the conference on *Money and Wealth in South Asian History: Meanings and Practices*, organized by Centre of South Asian Studies, School of Oriental and African Studies, London, in October 2009; on 'Welsh's Fallacy: Rereading the Eighteenth-Century Ahom Crisis', in the conference on *The Eighteenth Century*, organized by the Asiatic Society, Calcutta in January 2010; on 'Space and Location' in the CSSSC-NRTT Annual Workshop on *Violence and Violation*, November 2009; on 'Cultural Objects?: Heads in the Naga Hills', in the international conference on *New Cultural Histories of India*, organized by the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta, January 2010; on 'Heads in the Naga Hills' in the conference on 'Power in Modern India: Discourses and Practices', organized by the Centre for Political Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, March 2010. He participated in the Workshop on *New Issues in Studies in Forced Migration* organized by the Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group in collaboration with the Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Simla in Guwahati as a panelist in February 2010. He also participated in the Cultural Studies Workshop of the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta in Shantiniketan as a Senior Resource Scholar, February 2010. He was awarded a Visiting Fellowship by the British Academy, the Arts and Humanities Research Council, and the Economic and Social Research Council of the United Kingdom for two months (May-June 2009) which enabled him to do primary research in several repositories of Wales, Scotland and England. His host institution in the United Kingdom was Oxford Brookes University where, apart from his own research work, he also made a seminar presentation on the archival collection of Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta as part of a proposed long-term archival and academic collaboration between

the two institutions. He was also invited by the Zentrum Moderner Orient (Centre for Modern Oriental Studies), Berlin as a Visiting Research Fellow for two months (July-August 2009). This enabled him to write up substantial portions of my first monograph.

Saibal Kar delivered invited Lectures on Trade and Migration at JU-UNCTAD Research Training Program in April 2009. He presented paper on 'Trade Liberalization and Wage Subsidy' at JU-UNCTAD conference in May 2009. He organized an International Conference on Theory and Applied Theory in Economics at CSSSC in August 2009. He was discussants at several conferences, including at CSSSC. He was co-organizer of Two-Day International Seminar on Globalization and Development, CSSSC-Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata in January 2010. He is coordinator of Microeconomics in Research Methods in Quantitative Economics, CSSSC. He is the assistant editor of *India Macroeconomics Annual* (SAGE). He was referee for various journals in Economics under Elsevier, Blackwell, Routledge, etc

Manabi Majumdar gave a seminar on "Educational Quality in the Grassroots: Interrogating Primers and Pedagogy" (jointly with Jos Mooij) at the Zakir Hussain center for Education, JNU, in July, 2009. She presented a paper on "EFA and Elite Flight: Contradictions in the Current Reform regime in India" at Central University Hyderabad in March 2010. She also presented a UGC Refresher Course seminar on "The Politics of Space" in the Department of Political Science, University of Calcutta in November 2009.

Indrajit Mallick attended Sixth Annual Corporate Finance Conference at Washington University, St. Louis, USA on November 2009.

Sugata Marjit delivered lectures at several universities in Australia namely, University of Queensland, University of Sydney and University of New South Wales. He also delivered lectures at University of Iowa, USA and Indian Statistical Institute at Kolkata, Mumbai. He delivered special lectures at the Harish Chandra Research Institute of Physics, Allahabad, Satyen Bose National Centre for Basic Science, Kolkata and Bngiya Arthaniti Parisad, Kolkata. He was external fellow at the Leverhulme Centre for Research in Globalisation and Economic Policy, University of Nottingham (2008-2011). He visited Federal Reserve Board, St Louis, USA in May, 2009 and University of Queensland, Australia in March, 2010. He is commentator of television channels, All India Radio and BBC World Service. He is

continuing as a guest columnist of the newspaper.

Sraman Mukherjee presented a paper on “Configuring Sacred Spaces: Archaeology, Temples and Monument Making in colonial Orissa” at the conference on “The Afterlives of Monuments” organized by the Central Saint Martins College of Art and Design and The University of the Arts, London, Research Centre for Transnational Art, Identity and Nation, London in April 2010.

Sohini Guha presented papers on ‘Caste, Violence and Electoral Politics: Uttar Pradesh, Post 1995’ at NRTT workshop on Violation and Violence at CSSSC in November, 2009 and on ‘The Role of Trust in Ethnic Voting: A Low Caste Party and Low Caste Poor’ at the workshop on Political Parties in India: Emergent Trends’ organized by CERI (Centre d’ etudes et de recherches internationales- Centre for International Studies and Research), Science Po, Paris, at the India International Centre, New Delhi in February, 2010.

Manas Ray visited the University of Cape Town between 25th September and 14th October, 2009 as a SEPHIS fellow. During this visit he gave five seminars and three class lectures at Universities in South Africa. The Universities are University of Cape Town, University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg (WITS), University of Stellenbosch and University of Western Cape. He gave a seminars on “Talal Asad and the critique of liberal secularism” in June, 2009 at the Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla; on “Installation as History-writing: Ivan Sunderam on Bengal’s modernity” in March, 2010. He has been appointed the editor of *Studies in Humanities and Social Sciences*. He functioned as the coordinator of the Cultural Studies Workshop.

Priya Sangameswaran participated in a Symposium on ‘The State of Urban Water’ organized by PUKAR, in collaboration with SOAK in June 2009 and was discussant for session ‘On Indian Cities’. She delivered two lectures on *History of Development Ideas* and one lecture on *Varieties of Environmentalism* in June, 2009 in the Short-term Course on Environment and Development for Natural Scientists conducted by the Ashoka Trust for Research in Ecology and the Environment, Bangalore. She was a consultation at the Planning Commission, Government of India on ‘Integrated Water Management – Policy and Actions’ in July 2009. She participated in ‘National Workshop on Independent Regulatory Authorities and Related

Institutional Reforms in the Indian Water Sector’ organized by Prayas (Pune), TISS (Mumbai) and IIT-Bombay in August, 2009. She presented papers on ‘Extending the Security Discourse to the Environment and Water’ at the ‘National Seminar on Alternative Paradigms of Security in Asia’ organized by Maulana Abdul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies, Kolkata in collaboration with the Centre for Social Sciences and Humanities, University of Kolkata, in October, 2009. She chaired a session in a workshop titled ‘Embedding Poor People’s Voices in Local Governance: Participation and Political Empowerment in India – A Report to West Bengal Stakeholders’ conducted by CSSSC in December, 2009. She also participated in the workshop titled ‘National Dialogue on Water Entitlements and Allocations for Livelihoods and Ecosystem Needs and the Legal-Institutional Framework for Conflict Resolution’ held by the Forum for Policy Dialogue on Water Conflicts in India in Pune in February 2010. She was speaker in the session on ‘Violation: Epistemological Considerations’ in the CSSSC-NRTT Annual Workshop for Beginning Doctoral, Doctoral and Post-Doctoral Scholars on ‘Violation and Violence’ in November 2009. She attended the conference on the ‘New Cultural Histories of India’ at CSSSC, in January and was a discussant for Kaushik Ghosh’s paper titled ‘Economics of Anticipation: “Nano” the Story of the Big Small Car’. She was external MPhil examiner of Bhavna Thakur, Centre for the Study of Law and Governance, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi. She was External reviewer for *Antipode* (for one article) in 2010. She is a part of a thematic subgroup on ‘Water Entitlements and Allocations for Livelihoods and Environment’ of the Forum for Policy Dialogue on Water Conflicts in India. The group is currently putting together a position paper on the right to water, which is meant to be used as an advocacy tool aimed at policy-makers as well as a resource for civil society organizations. She is contributing two sections to it – water for basic needs and water for socio-cultural needs.

THE CSSSC LIBRARIES

THE MAIN LIBRARY

The main Library in the Patuli Campus is spread across three floors and the top two floors were air-conditioned. The first two floors now house books and a part of the 3rd. floor occupies Reports and Periodical Section. The spacious readers’ arena in the other side of the 3rd. floor accommodates readers as well. The dumb lifter fitted within the library proved to be extremely useful for plying of books. The space, the ambience and infrastructure found

to be beneficial for users especially students of newly introduced M. Phil and RMQE courses. Computers with moderate Internet connectivity have been provided and OPAC is loaded into all computers. The total system help minimize time lag as well. Readers asking for any materials now get them right at their table.

Books:

Total of 892 books added to the Centre's main library at Patuli. Of which 647 books (72.5%) were purchased and 245 (37.5%) books received as gift.

Journals:

Four new journals, three Indian and one foreign, have been added for the year 2010. Institutional subscriptions for Indiastat.com; CMIE-Prowess & JSTOR have been renewed. No journal has been dropped.

World Bank Materials:

As one of the full Depository Libraries of the World Bank, the CSSSC Library received all requisite Publications of the World Bank. During the year 42 e. mail based enquiries were attended and over 2183 pages of photocopies of World Bank publications were provided to users.

Users:

122 new non-borrowing and 35 borrowing members were recorded during this period. 1614 users visited the Library during this year. Besides, 83 persons residing outside West Bengal used the library; of which 37 (45%) were from various foreign universities.

Reprographic Services:

Reprographic service of CSSSC Library is regarded as a unique feature because of timeliness which is often appreciated by users from distant places. Altogether 2, 87, 818 pages of photocopy materials were provided to users during this year, which means a productivity of 1200 pages per day.

Jadunath Sarkar Resource Centre:

Books:

The Jadunath Sarkar Resource Centre (JSRC) has a total collection of 14, 446 books as on 31/3/2010. Out of which 11, 443 are books received as gift

from eminent scholars and 3003 books were purchased. During the year under report, 1952 books were added which include 1296 gift books and 656 purchased books.

During the period under report, technical processing (Cataloguing, Accessioning, shelving and card filing) of the following collections have been completed:

Arun Dasgupta (English) Collection; Sebati Mitra Collection, Mrinal Kanti Barua Collection, Prabadhendunath Tagore Collection, Naresh Chandra Ghosh Collection, Abani Lahiri Collection, Bengali section of Edward Dimock Collection, Niladri Sekhar Basu Collection, Nani Gopal Mazumdar Collection and Sibnarayan Roy Collection

Magazine/ Periodicals:

Several Magazine/Periodicals namely **Desh** (Sahitya Sankhya), **Biswa Bharati Patrika**, **Kobita**, **Jignasha** and **Amrita** were included during this period as parts of Saroj Dutta Collection and Buddhadeva Bose collection. They were properly bound and recorded with requisite titles. Efforts are being made for completing the gaps among the collection. Apart from these several children's magazines were also acquired.

Users:

The Resource Centre is gradually becoming a good source of literary support to scholars as observed from the increased rate of footfalls. The JSRC was used by several scholars from Maharashtra, New Delhi, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Meghalaya Assam, Mizoram and Orissa used the JSRC. Four scholars from abroad also used the JSRC during the period under report. In order to manage a steady flow of scholars, membership card has been devised and given to users upon written request. Like the CSSSC Library, JSRC members can avail free reading facilities and reprographic services upon payment. As usual, borrowing facility is limited to the Centre's staff and students.

Hitesranjan Sanyal Memorial Collection: The Urban History Documentation Archive

Report of Activities: April 2009 – March 2010

During the year 2009 – 2010 as in preceding years, the archive mostly concentrated on documentation, of digitised materials it acquired over last 16 years. Also fresh work of documentation of images continued with the

fund available from the Endangered Archive Project and the Ford Foundation Project on New Cultural Archive of Eastern India. One major achievement of this year is the successful collaboration with the University of Heidelberg for dissemination of archival documents through internet and the process of uploading documents on a specific portal with an aim of unrestricted open access has been started.

New acquisition:

Visual documents:

In between April, 2009 and March, 2010, the visual archive of the CSSSC has undertaken a documentation project at the Kala Bhavana Museum of the Visva-Bharati University, Santiniketan. An important collection of works of famous artists of Kala Bhavana were documented and about 398 images were received by the archive subsequently.

Another significant collection of Family Photographs from the private collection of Dr. Kishore Sankar Ray was also documented by the archive and 151 photographs were added to the repository of the archive from the said collection.

In April, 2010, the archive also undertook the project of digitally document the works of the famous woman artist, Shanu Lahiri. Around 360 works were documented and is now part of the collection of the archive of the CSSSC.

New documentation project:

After a long wait of four years since CSSSC acquired copies of *Amrita Bazar Patrika* (1870 – 1980) and of *Jugantar Patrika* (1937 – 1980) from the house of the newspaper and with cooperation of the Jugantar, Amrita Bazar, Amrita Employees Association the institute managed to receive a fund for purchase a proper scanner for newspaper scanning and for staffing from the Endangered Archive Programme (Ministry of Culture, Government of UK and ARCADIA, based in the British Library). The process of digitization has been started in November 2009 and expected to be completed by September 2011.

Usage:

Altogether 97 users from different institutions in India and abroad used the archive for their research and reading during the year and the archive supplied reproduction following its norms to the scholars on demand.

Publication by Archive Staff:

Kamalika Mukherjee: "Appropriating Realism: The Transformation of Popular Visual Iconography in Late-Nineteenth Century Calcutta" in Preben Kaarsholm and Isabel Hofmeyr (eds.) *The Popular and the Public: Cultural Debates and Struggles Over Public Space in Modern India, Africa and Europe* (Calcutta: Seagull Books, 2009).

Grant received by CSSSC archive staff for studying abroad:

Ms. Kamalika Mukherjee was awarded the Charles Wallace India Trust "Conservation Award" for 2009-2010 and has spent six months at the University College London (UCL) from October, 2009 – March, 2010. During her stay, she has done two courses on 'Preservation' and 'Advanced Preservation' at UCL, London.

APPENDIX – I

Statements of Accounts

AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Governors of
CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA
R-1, B. P. Township Kolkata - 700 094

1. We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of '**Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta**' as at 31st March, 2010 and also the Income & Expenditure Account of the Centre for the year ended on that date annexed thereto. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Centre's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.
2. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those Standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by the management, as well as, evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.
3. We report as follows :-
 - i) We have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of auditing the accounts in the form in which they have been prepared.
 - ii) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Centre so far as it appear from our examination of the books.
 - iii) The Balance Sheet and Income & Expenditure Account dealt with by this report are in agreement with the books of account.
4. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us and subject to the following observations:-
 - i) Gratuity liability of Rs.33,92,548/- and Leave Encashment liability of Rs.54,07,095/- were estimated and provided in the year 2001-02 and 2002-03 respectively. No re-assessment or fresh provision was made on actuarial basis thereafter upto the financial year 2009-10 which is a deviation from Accounting Standard 15 issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. Under the circumstances we are unable to comment on adequacy or otherwise of the provisions made under the above heads.
 - ii) A credit balance under the head Sales Tax amounting to Rs.19,268/- is shown as Current Liability in the books of account. The reason for such credit balance has not been properly explained to us.
 - iii) An unreconciled balance of Rs.16,905.26/- (Dr.) is appearing as Accrued Interest Receivable on Investment (PF). Steps should be taken to identify the reason for such debit balance in the books:

the said accounts together with the Significant Accounting Policies and Notes on Accounts attached thereto, give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India.

 - a) in the case of Balance Sheet, of the statement of affairs of the Centre as at 31st March, 2010 and
 - b) in the case of Income & Expenditure Account, of the excess of expenditure over income for the year ended on that date.

For **S. N. Mukherjee & Co.**
Chartered Accountants
(Reg. No. 301079E)

Sd/-
(P. S. Basu)
Partner

Place: Kolkata
Date: 1st September 2010

(Membership No. 52224)

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
R-1, BAISHNABGHATA PATULI

BALANCE SHEET

CORPUS / CAPITALS FUND AND LIABILITIES
CORPUS / CAPITAL FUND
RESERVES AND SURPLUS
EARMARKED / ENDOWMENT FUNDS
SECURED LOANS AND BORROWINGS
UNSECURED LOANS AND BORROWINGS
DEFERRED CREDIT LIABILITIES
CURRENT LIABILITIES AND PROVISIONS
TOTAL
ASSETS
FIXED ASSETS
LESS ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION
INVESTMENTS - FROM EARMARKED / ENDOWMENT FUNDS
INVESTMENTS - OTHERS
CURRENT ASSETS, LOANS, ADVANCES ETC.
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENDITURE (to the extent not written off or adjusted)
TOTAL
SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND NOTES ON ACCOUNTS

1B, Old Post Office Street
Kolkata - 700 001
Dated 01.09.2010

Sd/-
(Sugata Marjit)
DIRECTOR

Sd/-
(Surajit C. Mukhopadhyay)
REGISTRAR

SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA
TOWNSHIP, KOLKATA - 700094

AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

Schedule	Current Year		Previous Year
1	35424491.80		25982355.84
2	0.00		0.00
3	662078.00		472791.00
4			—
5	32590917.91		34098668.91
6			—
7	10356595.32		11711168.32
		79034083.03	72264984.07
8	62904680.53		
	27636139.13		
9		35268541.40	36154075.47
		272791.00	272791.00
10			—
11		43492750.63	35838117.60
			—
		79034083.03	72264984.07
24			
25			

Signed in terms of our report attached

For M/s. S. N. Mukherji & Co.
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS
Sd/-
(P. S. Basu)
PARTNER
(M/No. 52224)

Sd/-
(Arabinda Bose)
ACCOUNTANT

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INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR

INCOME
Income from Sales / Services
Grants / Subsidies
Fees / Subscriptions
Income from Investments (Income on Invest. from earmarked / endow. funds transferred to funds)
Income from Royalty, Publication, etc.
Interest Earned
Other Income
Increase / (decrease) in stock of finished goods and works-in-progress
Depreciation (Net Total at the year end - corresponding to Schedule 8)
TOTAL (A)
EXPENDITURE
Establishment Expenses
Other Administrative Expenses, etc.
Expenditure on Grants, Subsidies, etc.
Interest
Depreciation (Net Total at the year end - corresponding to Schedule 8)
TOTAL (B)
Balance being excess of Expenditure over Income (B - A)
Transfer to Special Reserve (Specify each)
Transfer to / from General Reserve
BALANCE BEING SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) CARRIED TO CORPUS/CAPITAL FUND
SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES
CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND NOTES ON ACCOUNTS

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SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA
TOWNSHIP, KOLKATA - 700094

THE PERIOD / YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

Schedule	Current Year		Previous Year
12			
13	32636901.39		25571672.78
14			—
15			—
16	69244.00		90020.00
17	14903.00		2112685.00
18	235532.08		183759.61
19			
	32956580.47		27958137.39
20	24200844.00		23377581.00
21	8608726.47		4303986.39
22	147010.00		276570.00
23			—
	5104321.07		22531818.06
	38060901.54		50489955.45
	5104321.07		22531818.06
			—
			—
	5104321.07		22531818.06
24			
25			

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CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
R-1, BAISHNABGHATA PATULI

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE

RECEIPTS	Amount (Rs.)
Opening Balance as on 01.04.2009	
Cash in hand	5992.39
SBI-Baroda Park Br. (S/B)	1991.59
SBI-Baroda Park Br. (C/A)	149284.41
UCO Ballygunge Br. (C/A)	6634.35
The Sudhin Ghosh Memorial Research Fund	100000.00
Grant in Aid G.W.B. (Non-Plan)-R	5900000.00
Grant in Aid ICSSR, Non Plan	6864000.00
Grant in Aid G.W.B. (Plan-Recurring)	2100000.00
Grant in Aid ICSSR, Plan Recurring	3736000.00
G.I.A. G.W.B. Plan-Non-Recurring Receivable A/c	1600000.00
Grant-in-Aid Receivable G.W.B. - Non Plan	3800000.00
Grant-in-Aid Receivable G.W.B. - Plan Recurring	700000.00
Grant-in-Aid Receivable G.W.B. - Non Plan Non R	2000000.00
Any Other Income	224757.08
Income from Photocopy	69244.00
Interest on S/B	14903.00
Imprest Fund General (S. K. Ghosal)	369.00
Imprest Fund General (S. N. Nag)	726.00
Imprest Fund Postage (B. N. Nag)	469.00
Archieve Deposit	3000.00
Library Deposit	36000.00
Muslim Situation in India	136534.00

SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA
TOWNSHIP, KOLKATA - 700094

PERIOD / YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2010

PAYMENTS	Amount (Rs.)
Salary Academic-Non-Plan A/c	6213320.00
Salary Administration (Non Plan)	3157860.00
Salary Library A/c	1291296.00
Salary Supporting A/c	1787134.00
Salary Academic Plan A/c	1468233.00
Salary Administration (Plan)	1310603.00
L.I.P. Clearing	387760.00
NICED Expenses	13176.00
P. F. Payable	4813840.00
CSSSC Staff Co-Operative Payable	529306.00
Fund for Recoverable Advance	27750.00
Medical Expenses	385602.00
Leave Encashment	1488179.00
Leave Encashment (PI)	12996.00
Income Tax	1038938.00
D. I., UCO Bank	50400.00
D. L. A/c.(SBI, Baroda Park Branch)	643339.00
SBI, Garin Housing Loan A/c.	47064.00
D. L. Account (Dhakuria)	211200.00
Professional Tax	129480.00
Membership & Subscription	1200.00
Motor Car Expenses	301757.00
Postage Expenses	42895.00
Publication & Printing	49375.00
Rates & Taxes	330948.00
Repairs & Renewals	210091.00
L. T. C. Expenses	11591.00
Children Education Assistance	560.00
Electricity	761912.00

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
R-1, BAISHNABGHATA PATULI

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE

RECEIPTS	Amount (Rs.)
P. F. Payable	40009.00
P. F. Payable (R. B.)	86589.00
Advance Account (L.P.)	11850000.00
Advance LTC	46056.00
Advance-Sohel Firdos	39157.00
Advance-Abhijit Bhattacharya	778.00
Advance-R.P. Bhattacharya	184.00
Advance-S.S. Ray	6001.00
Advance-Sibaji Bandopadhyay	3475.00
Advance-Sisir Kr. Ghosal	3400.00
Advance-S.N. Nag	2948.00
Advance-Sugata Marjit	3000.00
Advances for Periodicals	440.00
Income Tax	64000.00
Professional Tax	31775.00
Advances - RMQE	8857.00
D.L.A/c. (SBI, Baroda Park Br.)	45.00
Library Books	31662.00
Accounts Receivable (ICSSR-ERC)	64097.00
Accounts Receivable (RBI Corpus Fund)	19840.00
Electricity	60540.00
Motor Car Expenses	7867.00
Postage Expenses	1128.00
Salary Academic-Non-Plan A/c.	6048.00
Salary Library A/c.	1546.00

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PERIOD / YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2010 (Contd.)

PAYMENTS	Amount (Rs.)
Gratuity Contribution	1050000.00
Hospitality	37550.00
Maintenance	1738003.00
Ad Hoc Bonus	131746.00
Seminer Expenses	62067.00
Stationery & Printing	280080.00
Telephone Expenses	153281.00
Travelling Expenses	84397.00
M. Phil Course - CSSSC	106700.00
Research Project Expenses (Plan)	28150.00
R. T. P. Plan	8000.00
ICSSR Fellowship	932293.00
Liabilities for Capital Expenses	302254.00
Liabilities for Revenue Expenses	51188.00
Archive Deposit	3000.00
Library Deposit	26000.00
Binding	67895.00
Muslim Situation in India	136534.00
Welfare Staff	65384.00
Insurance	53262.00
Building	16347.00
Computers	60456.00
Furniture & Fixture	1146610.00
Library Books	555840.00
Office Equipment	143511.00

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
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RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE

RECEIPTS	Amount (Rs.)
M. Phil Course - CSSSC	9530.00
Salary Academic - Plan A/c.	2482.00

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PERIOD / YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2010 (Contd.)

PAYMENTS	Amount (Rs.)
Accounts Receivable (ICSSR-ERC)	68022.00
Accounts Receivable (RBI Corpus Fund)	19849.00
Central Stores	380557.00
Imprest Fund General (S.K. Ghosal)	2967.00
Imprest Fund General (S.N. Nag)	7287.50
Imprest Fund Postage-B. N. Nag	1000.00
Postage Petty Cash (Franking)	10000.00
Advance Account (L.P.)	2957706.00
Advance Festival	87000.00
Advance LTC	189825.00
Advance-Abhijit Bhattacharya	778.00
Advance-Anindita Chakraborty	2000.00
Advance-Dilip Saha	147800.00
Advance-Keya Dasgupta	10000.00
Advance-R. P. Bhattacharya	10000.00
Advance-S. S. Ray	10000.00
Advance-Sibaji Bandopadhyay	3475.00
Advance-Sisir Kr. Ghosal	61000.00
Advance-S. N. Nag	30750.00
Advance- Sugata Marjit	3000.00
Advance for Periodicals	1922007.00
Advance Unicom Infotel Pvt. Ltd.	100000.00
Advance Vendor (R.K.M.)	1000.00
M/s. Meho Hcp Airsystems (P) Ltd.	18750.00
Advance RMQE	8857.00
Advance to Surpass Enterprise	1087000.00

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RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE

RECEIPTS	Amount (Rs.)
	41177907.82

SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA
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PERIOD / YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2010 (Contd.)

PAYMENTS	Amount (Rs.)
Miscellaeous Expenses	5849.00
Bank Charge	18360.00
Cash in Hand	32352.89
SBI-Baroda Park Br. (S/B)	193186.59
SBI-Baroda Park Br. (C/A)	74541.49
UCO-Ballygunge Br.	6634.35
	41177907.82

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ACCOUNTANT

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF RECEIPTS

SCHEDULE 1 - CORPUS / CAPITAL FUND :
Balance as at the beginning of the year
Add: Contributions towards Corpus / Capital Fund
Deduct: Balance of net expenditure transferred from the Income and Expenditure Account
BALANCE AS AT THE YEAR END

SCHEDULE 2 - RESERVES AND SURPLUS :
1. <u>Capital Reserve:</u>
As per last Account
Additional during the year
Less: Deduction during the year
2. <u>Revaluation Reserve:</u>
As per last Account
Additional during the year
Less: Deduction during the year
3. <u>Special Reserves:</u> (General Research Fund)
As per last Account
Additional during the year
Less: Deduction during the year
4. <u>General Reserves:</u>
As per last Account
Additional during the year
Less: Deduction during the year
TOTAL

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& PAYMENTS AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year		Previous Year	
25982355.84	—	15872208.68	—
14546457.03	—	3242171.41	—
5104321.07	—	6867975.75	—
	35424491.80		25982355.84

Current Year		Previous Year	
—		—	
—		—	
(—)	—	(—)	—
—		—	
—		—	
(—)	—	(—)	—
	0.00		—
			0.00
			—
	—	(—)	—
	0.00		0.00

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
R-1, BAISHNABGHATA PATULI

SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF RECEIPTS

Break up of Contribution towards Corpus / Capital Fund (As per schedule 1)
Transferred to Capital fund from ICSSR Grant (As per schedule 13)
Transferred to Capital fund from State Govt. Grant (As per schedule 13)
Capitalisation against Building (As per schedule 5)

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& PAYMENTS AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

Amount Rs.
2115320.02
2115320.01
10315817.00
14546457.03

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
R-1, BAISHNABGHATA PATULI

SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF

SCHEDULE 3 - EARMARKED / ENDOWMENT FUNDS	
a)	Opening Balance of the funds
b)	Additions to the Funds:
i)	Donations / grants
ii)	Income from investments made on account of funds including Employee's Contribution
iii)	Other additions (specify nature) - Employer's Contribution
TOTAL (a+b)	
c)	Utilisation / Expenditure towards objectives of funds
i)	<u>Capital Expenditure</u>
	• Fixed Assets
	• Others
	Total
ii)	<u>Revenue Expenditure</u>
	• Salaries, wages and allowances etc.
	• Rent
	• Other Administrative expenses
	Total
TOTAL (c)	
NET BALANCE AS AT YEAR END (a+b+c)	

Notes: 1) Disclosures shall be made under relevant heads on conditions attaching to the grants.

SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA
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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

FUND-WISE BREAK UP				TOTALS	
Provident Fund	Gratuity Fund	G. R. F.	S. GHOSH MEM. FUND	Current Year	Previous Year
		272791.00	200000.00	472791.00	—
		89287.00	100000.00	189287.00	
		(59688 transferred from centre govt. grant and Rs.29599 Interest on Investment)	—	—	—
		362078.00	300000.00	662078.00	472791.00
Nil	Nil	—	—	Nil	—
Nil	Nil	—	—	Nil	—
Nil	Nil	—	—	Nil	—
			—	662078.00	472791.00

2) Plan Funds received from the Central / State Governments are to be shown as separate funds and not to be mixed up with any other funds.

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
R-1, BAISHNABGHATA PATULI

SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF

SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA
TOWNSHIP, KOLKATA - 700094

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

SCHEDULE 4 - SECURED LOANS AND BORROWINGS	
1.	Central Government
2.	State Government (specify)
3.	Financial Institutions :
a)	Term Loans
b)	Interest accrued and due
4.	Banks :
a)	Term Loans
•	Interest accrued and due
b)	Other Loans (specify)
•	Interest accrued and due
5.	Other Institutions and Agencies
6.	Debentures and Bonds
7.	Others (specify)
TOTAL	
Notes: Amounts due within one year.	

Current Year		Previous Year	
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	Nil	—	—
—	Nil	—	—

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

SCHEDULE 5 - UNSECURED LOANS AND BORROWINGS	
1. Central Government	ICSSR
	Opening Balance 1.4.2009
	1. ICSSR-New Delhi (Grant-in-Aid)
	Plan-Non-Recurring
	Add: Grant Non Plan-Non-Recurring (2008-09)
	Add: rant in Air Payable
	Less: Transferred to general research Fund
2. State Government	GOVT. of WB
(specify)	Opening Balance 1.4.2009
	1. Govt. of W.B. (Grant-in-Aid):
	Plan-Non-Recurring
3. Financial Institutions	
4. Banks:	
a) Term Loans	
b) Other Loans (specify)	
5. Other Institutions and Agencies	(Advance Account-I.P.) Opening Balance
	Add during the year 2009-10
	Less: Refund during the year 2009-10
	Less: Capitalised against Building

	Current Year	Previous Year
6665941.95		
2000000.00		
186309.96		
<u>8852251.91</u>	8792563.91	8852251.91
59688.00		
8370576.00		
<u>8370576.00</u>	8370576.00	8370576.00
16875841.00		
11856000.00		
<u>28731841.00</u>		
2988246.00		
<u>25743595.00</u>		
10315817.00	15427778.00	16875841.00

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF

<u>SCHEDULE 5 - SECURED LOANS AND BORROWINGS (Contd.)</u>
6. Debentures and Bonds
7. Fixed Deposits
8. Others (specify)
TOTAL
Note: Amounts due within one year.

<u>SCHEDULE 6 - DEFERRED CREDIT LIABILITIES</u>
a) Acceptance secured by hypothecation of capital equipment and other assets
b) Others
TOTAL
Note: Amounts due within one year.

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

	Current Year	Previous Year
	32590917.91	34098668.91

	Current Year	Previous Year

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
R-1, BAISHNABGHATA PATULI

SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF

SCHEDULE 7 - CURRENT LIABILITIES AND PROVISIONS	
A. CURRENT LIABILITIES	
1.	Acceptances
2.	Sundry Creditors:
	a) For Goods
	b) Others
3.	Advances Received
4.	Interest accrued but not due on:
	a) Secured Loans / borrowings
	b) Unsecured Loans / borrowings
5.	Statutory Liabilities:
	P. F. Payable
	Audit Fee
6.	(ICSSR-Fellowship - 366877.30) + (Library Deposit - 52500) + (FFRA - 13315) + (Sales Tax - Biswas Construction - 19268)
TOTAL (A)	
B. PROVISIONS	
1.	For Taxation
2.	Gratuity
3.	Superannuation / Pension
4.	Accumulated Leave Encashment
5.	Trade Warranties / Claims
6.	Others (Specify)
TOTAL (B)	
TOTAL (A+B)	

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year		Previous Year	
1084992.02		270641.02	
20000.00		16854.00	
451960.30		188255.30	
1556952.32	0.00	0.00	2911525.32
3392548.00		3392548.00	
5407095.00		5407095.00	
8799643.00	0.00	0.00	8799643.00
10356595.32	0.00	0.00	11711168.32

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
R-1, BAISHNABGHATA PATULI

SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF

Sl. No.	Name	Amount Rs.
	<u>LIBRARY DEPOSIT</u>	
1.	Nippen Bandyopadhyay	1500.00
2.	Sugoto Prasad Mukherjee	3000.00
3.	Nirmala Banerjee	3000.00
4.	Prabirjit Sarkar	3000.00
5.	Rimibarnali Chatterjee	1000.00
6.	Gilsha Chakraborty	1000.00
7.	Mususimili	1000.00
8.	Subarna Basu	1000.00
9.	Jhowy Stephen	1000.00
10.	Debarati Bagchi	1000.00
11.	Hangues Sagrauge	2000.00
12.	Mr. Abdullah	1000.00
13.	Mr. Muhammad Nasir Babu	1000.00
14.	Moumita Sen	1000.00
15.	Priyanka Dey	1000.00
16.	Darshana Sreedhar	1000.00
17.	Subhankar Ghosh	1000.00
18.	Gautam Bhadra	3000.00
19.	Sujan Kr. Pandit	1000.00
20.	Dyotna Dasgupta	1000.00
21.	Rajdeep Basad	1000.00
22.	Subrata Majumdar	1000.00

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

Sl. No.	Name	Amount Rs.
	<u>LIBRARY DEPOSIT</u>	
23.	J. Suresh Kumar	1000.00
24.	Paramahansa Pramanik	1000.00
25.	Jhumki Bhowmick	1000.00
26.	Jyoti Kumari	1000.00
27.	Purba Roychoudhuri	1000.00
28.	Tista Kundu	1000.00
29.	Raghu Bir Bista	1000.00
30.	Zaid Al Baset	1000.00
31.	Kaustabh Das	1000.00
32.	Koonal Duggal	1000.00
33.	Jayanti Ghosh	1000.00
34.	Najnin Islam	1000.00
35.	Arunita Mukherjee	1000.00
36.	Saroni Pattanaik	1000.00
37.	Ritam Sengupta	1000.00
38.	Sagnik Atarhi	1000.00
39.	Sanjna Mukhopadhyay	1000.00
40.	Daminee Basu	1000.00
41.	June Cahyaingtyass	1000.00
42.	Sayantan Saha Roy	1000.00
43.	Sreyasi Chatterjee	1000.00
		52500.00

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
R-1, BAISHNABGHATA PATULI

SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF

SCHEDULE 8 - FIXED ASSETS

Sl. No.	Description
1.	LAND:
2.	Bldg.
3.	Office Equipment
4.	Furniture & Fixture
5.	Computer / Peripherals
6.	Electric Installation
7.	Library Books
8.	Periodicals
9.	Generator
TOTAL:	

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

C O S T			
Opening Balance	Addition during the year 2009-10	Deduction during the year 2009-10	Closing Balance 2009-10
1	2	3	4 = (1+2-3)
2008600.00			2008600.00
16139998.16	10315817.00	0.00	26455815.16
702790.14	143511.00	0.00	846301.14
4932089.04	1548864.00	0.00	6480953.04
2483984.00	60456.00	0.00	2544440.00
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7075141.30	528042.00	0.00	7603183.30
14618520.89	1921567.00	0.00	16540087.89
425300.00	0.00		125300.00
48386423.53	14518257.00	0.00	62904680.53

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
R-1, BAISHNABGHATA PATULI

SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF

SCHEDULE 8 - FIXED ASSETS (Contd.)

Sl. No.	Description
1.	LAND:
2.	Bldg.
3.	Office Equipment
4.	Furniture & Fixture
5.	Computer / Peripherals
6.	Electric Installation
7.	Library Books
8.	Periodicals
9.	Generator
TOTAL:	

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

D E P R E C I A T I O N					
Accumulated Dep.	Depreciation on Op. Bal.	Depreciation on Addition	Depreciation on Ded.	Total Dep. during the year 31.03.10	Accumulated Dep. at the end of the year (31.03.10)
5	6	7	8	9 = (6+7-8)	10 = (5+9)
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
789245.91	263081.97	168147.82	0.00	431229.79	1220475.70
133459.85	44486.62	9084.25	0.00	53570.87	187030.72
817164.46	312201.24	98043.09	0.00	410244.33	1227408.79
1100067.34	402653.81	9799.92	0.00	412453.73	151252.07
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4992595.15	1719966.85	128367.01	0.00	1848333.86	6840929.01
14618520.89	0.00	1921567.00	0.00	1921567.00	16540087.89
80764.46	26921.49	0.00	0.00	26921.49	107685.95
22531818.06	2769311.98	2335009.09	0.00	5104321.07	27636139.13

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
R-1, BAISHNABGHATA PATULI

SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF

SCHEDULE 8 - FIXED ASSETS (Contd.)

Sl. No.	Description
1.	LAND:
2.	Bldg.
3.	Office Equipment
4.	Furniture & Fixture
5.	Computer / Peripherals
6.	Electric Installation
7.	Library Books
8.	Periodicals
9.	Generator
TOTAL:	

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

N E T B L O C K
Book Value as on 31.03.2010
11 = (4-10)
2008600.00
25235339.46
659270.42
5253544.25
1031918.93
0.00
762254.29
0.00
317614.05
35268541.40

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF

<u>SCHEDULE 9 - INVESTMENTS FROM EARMARKED / ENDOWMENT FUNDS</u>	
1. In Government Securities	
2. Other approved Securities	
3. Shares	
4. Debentures and Bonds	
5. Subsidiaries and Joint Ventures	
6. Others (to be specified): In Fixed Deposit	
TOTAL	

<u>SCHEDULE 10 - INVESTMENTS - OTHERS</u>	
1. In Government Securities	
2. Other approved Securities	
3. Shares	
4. Debentures and Bonds	
5. Subsidiaries and Joint Ventures	
6. Others (to be specified):	
TOTAL	

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
272791.00	272791.00
272791.00	272791.00

—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
Nil	Nil

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(Amount Rs.)

SCHEDULE 11 - CURRENT ASSETS, LOANS ADVANCES ETC.	
A. CURRENT ASSETS	
1.	Inventories: (Central Stores)
	a) Stores and Spares
	b) Loose Tools
	c) Stock-in-trade
	- Finished Goods
	- Work-in-Progress
	- Raw Materials
2.	Sundry Debtors:
	a) Debts Outstanding for a period exceeding six months
	b) Others (Postage Petty Cash Franking)
3.	Cash balance in hand (including cheques / drafts and imprest)
4.	Bank Balances:
	a) With Scheduled Banks
	- On Current Accounts
	- On Deposit Accounts (includes margin money)
	- On Savings Accounts
	b) With Non-Scheduled Banks:
	- On Current Accounts
	- On Deposit Accounts
	- On Savings Accounts
5.	Post Office - Savings Accounts
TOTAL (A)	

Current Year		Previous Year	
	101920.40		73720.37
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
	573.30		1239.30
	32352.89		5992.39
81175.84	—	—	—
193186.59	—	—	—
	274362.43		157910.35
Nil	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
Nil	—	—	—
	409209.02		238862.41

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

SCHEDULE 11 - CURRENT ASSETS, LOANS ADVANCES ETC. (Contd.)	
B. LOANS, ADVANCES AND OTHER ASSETS:	
1. Loans:	
a) Staff - Festival Advance	
b) Other entities engaged in activities / objectives similar to that of the entity LTC Advance	
c) Other (specify) Advance (Advance RKM-2940, Advance AAP-7500, Advance Meho-Air Systems-18750, Surpass Enterprise-1087000, Advance Janki Nair-10000, Advance Keya Dasgupta-10000)	
2. Advances and other amounts recoverable in cash or in kind or value to be received:	
a) On Capital Account	
b) Deposits (CESC LTD-575302, Security Deposit-48474)	
c) Others - Security Deposit (700+17000+1400)	
3. Income Accrued:	
a) On Investments from Earmarked / Endowment Funds	
b) On Investments - Others	
c) On Loans and Advances	
d) Others (General Research Fund-89287), (Interest Receivables P.F.-16905.26) (Includes income due unrealised - Rs.)	
4. Claims Receivable:	
- Accounts Receivable	Grant Receivable
	Others Receivable (ICSSR ERC-7060, RBI-25)
TOTAL (A)	
TOTAL (A + B)	

Current Year		Previous Year	
34800.00	—	13800.00	—
94925.00	—	—	—
1136190.00	—	71786.00	—
	1265915.00		85586.00
	—	7500.00	—
623776.00	—	623776.00	—
19100.00	—	19100.00	—
	642876.00		650376.00
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
106192.26	—	—	3966226.26
—	—	—	—
41061473.35	—	—	30897066.93
	41167665.61	—	—
	7085.00	—	—
	43083541.61		35599255.19
	43492750.63		35838117.60

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN
R-1, BAISHNABGHATA PATULI

SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

Name
<u>ADVANCE L.T.C.</u>
Sajal Kr. Das
Soumitra Chatterjee
Ashis Sarkar
Debdulal Banik
Sambhu Nath Nag
Chandan Chakraborty
Dilip Saha
Raj Kumar Mahato
Biswanath Nag
Shikha Chakraborty
Maitreyi Ghosh (Sen)
TOTAL

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Amount (Rs.)
15800.00
12300.00
12300.00
12300.00
4100.00
4100.00
4100.00
8200.00
12300.00
8200.00
1225.00
94925.00

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

Particulars
<u>GRANT-IN-AID RECEIVABLE</u>
G-I.A G-WB. Plan-Non-Recuring Receivable A/c
Grant-in-Air. Govt. of WB-NP (Additional) Receivable
Grant-in-Aid Receivable G.W.B. Non-Plan
Grant-in-Aid Receivable G.W.B. Plan-Recurring
Grant-in-Aid Receivable - ICSSR Non-Plan
Grant-in-Aid Receivable - ICSSR (Plan)
Grant-in-Aid Receivable Govt. of W.B. Non-Plan Non-R
GRAND TOTAL

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(Amount Rs.)

Opening Balance	Received during the year	Receivable for the year	Closing Balance
8600000.00	1600000.00	0.00	7000000.00
1600000.00	0.00	0.00	1600000.00
10152232.95	3800000.00	8697262.20	15049495.15
1045758.50	700000.00	1736508.50	2082267.00
7152232.98	0.00	7733262.22	14885495.20
343707.50	0.00	100508.50	444216.00
2000000.00	2000000.00	0.00	0.00
3089393.93	8100000.00	18267541.42	41061473.35

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

SCHEDULE 12 - INCOME FROM SALES / SERVICES	
1.	Income from Sales
a)	Sale of Finished Goods
b)	Sales of Raw Materials
c)	Sale of Scraps
2.	Income from Services
a)	Labour and Processing Charges
b)	Professional / Consultancy Services
c)	Agency Commission and Brokerage
d)	Maintenance Services (Equipment / Property)
e)	Others (specify)
TOTAL	

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FOR THE PERIOD / YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
Nil	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
Nil	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
Nil	—

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

SCHEDULE 13 - GRANTS / SUBSIDIES (Irrecoverable Grants & Suibsidies Received)	
1.	ICSSR-New Delhi (Grant-in-Air) :
	- Plan 3736000.00
	- Non-Plan 6864000.00
	<u>10600000.00</u>
	Add: Grant Receivable Transferred to B.S. (Non-Plan) 7833770.72
	Less: Transfer to Capital Fund <u>2115320.02</u>
2.	State Government(s)
	- Plan 3036000.00
	- Non-Plan 4964000.00
	<u>8000000.00</u>
	Add: Grant Recivable Transferred to B.S. 10433770.70
	Less: Transfer to Capital Fund <u>2115320.01</u>
3.	Government Agencies
4.	Institutions / Welfare Bodies
5.	International Organisations
6.	Others (specify)
TOTAL	

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(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
16318450.70	12785836.39
16318450.69	12785836.39
—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
32636901.39	25571672.78

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SCHEDULE 14 - FEES / SUBSCRIPTIONS	
1. Entrance Fees	
2. Annual Fees / Subscriptions	
3. Seminar / Program Fees	
4. Consultancy Fees	
5. Others (specify)	
TOTAL	
Note: Accounting Policies towards each item are to be disclosed	

SCHEDULE 15 - INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS	
(Income on Invest. From Earmarked / Endowment Funds transferred to Funds)	
1. Interest :	
a) On Govt. Securities	
b) Other Bonds / Debentures	
2. Dividends :	
a) On Shares	
b) On Mutual Fund Securities	
3. Rents	
4. Others (specify)	
TOTAL	
TRANSFERRED TO EARMARKED / ENDOWMENT FUNDS	

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(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
Nil	—

Investment from Earmarked Fund		Investment - Others	
Current Year		Previous Year	
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
Nil	—	Nil	—

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SCHEDULE 16 - INCOME FROM ROYALTY, PUBLICATION ETC.	
1.	Income from Royalty
2.	Income from Publications
3.	Others (specify) (Photocopying + Microfilm)
TOTAL	

SCHEDULE 17 - INTEREST EARNED	
1.	On Term Deposits:
a)	With Scheduled Banks
b)	With Non-Scheduled Banks
c)	With Institutions
d)	Others
2.	On Savings Accounts:
a)	With Scheduled Banks
b)	Interest on P.F.
c)	Post Office Savings Account
d)	Others
3.	On Loans:
a)	Employees / Staff
b)	Others
4.	Interest on Debtors and Others Receivables (Accrued Int. P.F. 08-09)
TOTAL	
Note: Tax deducted at source to be indicated	

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(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
—	
—	
69244.00	90020.00
69244.00	90020.00

Current Year	Previous Year
—	
—	29844.00
—	
—	
14903.00	21576.00
—	
—	
Nil	
—	
—	2061265.00
14903.00	2112685.00

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

SCHEDULE 18 - OTHER INCOME	
1.	Profit on Sale / Disposal of Assets:
a)	Owned Assets
b)	Assets acquired out of grants or received free of cost
2.	Export Incentives realised
3.	Fees for Miscellaneous Services
4.	Miscellaneous Income
TOTAL	

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(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
	—
—	—
—	—
235532.08	183759.61
235532.08	183759.61

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

SCHEDULE 19 - INCREASE / (DECREASE) IN STOCK OF FINISHED GOODS & WORK-INPROGRESS	
1.	Closing Stock - Finish Goods - Work-in-Progress
2.	Closing Stock - Finish Goods - Work-in-Progress
NET INCREASE / (DECREASED) [a-b]	

SCHEDULE 20 - ESTABLISHMENT EXPENSES	
1.	Salaries and Wages
2.	Allowances and Bonus (including Children Edu. Assistance)
3.	Contribution to Provident Fund including Interest
4.	Contribution to Other Fund-Gratuity
5.	Staff Welfare Expenses
6.	Expenses on Employee's Retirement and Terminal Benefits - Leave Encashment & LTD
7.	Others (specify) - Medical Exp.
TOTAL	

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FOR THE PERIOD / YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
Nil	Nil
—	—
—	—
Nil	Nil
—	—
—	—
Nil	Nil

Current Year	Previous Year
20002546.00	18512008.00
132306.00	165101.00
968396.00	2632880.00
1050000.00	1091000.00
65384.00	60462.00
1561610.00	637535.00
420602.00	278595.00
24200844.00	23377581.00

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SCHEDULE 21 - OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES, ETC.	
a)	Purchases
b)	Binding
c)	Cartage and Carriage Inwards
d)	Electricity and Power
e)	Water Charges
f)	Insurance
g)	Repairs and Maintenance
h)	Publication & Printing
i)	Rent, Rates and Taxes
j)	Vehicles Running and Maintenance
k)	Postage, Telephone and Communication Charges
l)	Printing and Stationary
m)	Travelling and Conveyance Expenses
n)	Expenses on Seminar / Workshops
o)	Membership & Subscription Expenses
p)	Interest on Investment transferred to CPF Account
q)	Auditors Remuneration
r)	Hospitality Expenses
s)	Professional Charges
t)	Provision for Bad and Doubtful Debts / Advances
u)	Irrecoverable Balances Written Off
v)	Packing Charges
w)	Freight and Forwarding Expenses
x)	Distribution Expenses
y)	Advertisement and Publicity
z)	Others (specify) - Miscellaneous Expenses and Bank Charges
TOTAL	

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FOR THE PERIOD / YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
—	—
67895.00	15217.00
701372.00	613478.00
53262.00	48120.00
2448949.72	1890414.76
49375.00	
330948.00	541408.00
294432.00	265666.00
205060.00	235290.12
311912.75	386708.01
89576.00	57645.50
80067.00	100004.00
1200.00	
3889633.00	
20000.00	16854.00
37550.00	43835.00
2689.00	61317.00
24805.00	28020.00
8608726.47	4303986.39

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

SCHEDULE 22 - EXPENDITURE ON GRANTS, SUBSIDIES, ETC.	
a)	Grants given to Institutions / Organisations (Research Project Expenses, Mphil Course & RTP)
b)	Subsidies given to Institutions / Organisations
TOTAL	
Note: Name of the Entities, their Activities along with the amount of Grants /	

SCHEDULE 23 - INTEREST	
a)	On Fixed Loans
b)	On Other Loans (including Bank Charges)
c)	Others (specify)
TOTAL	

Sd/-
(Surajit C. Mukhopadhyay)
REGISTRAR

SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA
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FOR THE PERIOD / YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2010

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
147010.00	276570.00
—	—
147010.00	276570.00
Subsidies are to be disclosed.	

Current Year	Previous Year
—	—
—	—
—	—
Nil	—

Sd/-
(Arabinda Bose)
ACCOUNTANT

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA

R-1, Baishnabghata Patuli Township, Kolkata - 700 094

SCHEDULE 24 - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1. **Accounting Convention:**
 - 1.1 The financial statement are prepared on the basis of historical cost convention, unless otherwise stated and on the accrual method of accounting.
2. **Inventory Valuation:**
 - 2.1 Publication are valued at cost.
3. **Fixed Assets:**
 - 3.1 Fixed assets are stated at cost of acquisition inclusive of inward freight, duties and taxes and incidental and direct expenses related to acquisition.
4. **Depreciation:**
 - 4.1 Depreciation is provided on the straight line method as per rates specified in the Income Tax Act, 1961, following central Govt. norms.
5. **Grant:**
 - 5.1 The Centre received grant from Central Government as well as State Government which has been utilised for revenue and capital expenditure.

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SCHEDULE 25 - CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND NOTES ON ACCOUNTS

1. **Contingent Liabilities:**

Claims against the entity not acknowledge as debts. Rs. Nil (Previous Year Rs. Nil).
2. **Current Assets, Loans and Advances:**

In the opinion of the management, the current assets, loans and advances have a value on realization in the ordinary courses of business, equal at least to the aggregate amount shown in the Balance Sheet.
3. **Taxation:**

In view of there being no taxable income under Income Tax Act, 1961, no provision for income tax has been considered necessary.
4. Corresponding figures for the previous year have been regrouped / rearranged, wherever necessary.
5. Schedules 1 to 23 are annexed to and from an integral part of the Balance Sheet as at 31.03.2010 and the Income and Expenditure Accounts for the year ended on that date.
6. Depreciation on Fixed Assets has been provided following straight line method at the rate prescribed by the Income Tax Act, 1961 excepting "Periodicals" which is fully depreciated.
7. In earlier years interest earned and accrued interest on investment out of Provident Fund Trust Account were shown in Centres' Account. During this year (2009-10), the interest earned as well as accrued interest on investment arisen out of investment made from the accumulated Provident Fund have been reflected and shown in CPF Account.

Sd/-
(Surajit C. Mukhopadhyay)
REGISTRAR

Sd/-
(Arabinda Bose)
ACCOUNTANT

Sd/-
(Surajit C. Mukhopadhyay)
REGISTRAR

Sd/-
(Arabinda Bose)
ACCOUNTANT

AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Governors of
CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA
R-1, B. P. Township Kolkata - 700 094

Contributory Provident Fund

1. We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of '**Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta**' as at 31st March, 2010 and also the Income & Expenditure Account of the Centre for the year ended on that date annexed thereto. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Centre's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.
2. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those Standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by the management, as well as, evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.
3. Balance of Accrued interest on Investments have been transferred from Centre's (CSSSC) Books to CPF Books. Interest earned on Investment during the year has accordingly been accounted for in CPF Books. Similarly bank interest (Credit) of CPF Bank Accounts during the year has been taken in CPF Books. Interest on Employees PF Subscription as well as Employer's PF Contribution have been reflected in the CPF Books instead of Centre's (CSSSC) Books including that of earlier years.

4. We report as follows :-

- i) We have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of audit.
 - ii) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Centre so far as it appear from our examination of those books.
 - iii) The Balance Sheet and Income & Expenditure Account dealt with by this report are in agreement with the books of account.
5. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us thesaid accounts give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India:
- a) in the case of Balance Sheet, of the statement of affairs of the Fund as at 31st March, 2010 and
 - b) in the case of Income & Expenditure Account, of the Income and the Distribution thereof for the year ended on that date.

For S. N. Mukherjee & Co.
Chartered Accountants
(Reg. No. 301079E)

Place: Kolkata
Date: 1st September 2010

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CONTRIBUTORY

BALANCE SHEET AS

Previous year 2008-2009	LIABILITIES	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
13588007.00	CSSSC CPF BALANCE	14925338.00			
11341030.00	A Employees Subscription	11720839.00		26646177.00	
	B Employers' Contribution			22659.00	
4800.00	Suspense Account				4001457.00
00.00	Excess of Income Over Expenditure				
24933837.00				30670293.00	

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PROVIDENT FUND

AT MARCH 31, 2010

Previous year 2008-2009	ASSETS	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
1484661.98	Cash-at-Bank (SB A/c. No. C/20400 with SBI, Ballygunge Branch, Cal-19)				2810531.98
145392.00	Contributory Provident Fund Outstanding Loan				251692.00
20597367.00	P.F. Investment (FDR with SBI, Ballygunge Branch, Calcutta 700019)				20732987.00
0.00	Accrued Interest Receivable on Investment				5790090.00
2706416.02	P. F. Receivable				1084992.02
2493387.00				30670293.00	

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INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR

Previous year 2008-2009	EXPENDITURE	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
0.00	To Bank Charges	20.00			
987595.00	To Interest on Contributory Provident Fund (Employees Share)	1092675.00			
820039.00	To Interest on Contributory Provident Fund (Employees' Share)	879537.00		1972232.00	
0.00	Excess of Income over Expenditure			4001457.00	
1807634.00				5973689.00	

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PROVIDENT FUND

THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2010

Previous year 2008-2009	I N C O M E	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
0.00	Bank Interest				15150.00
	Interest on Investment Upto 2008-09 transferred from CSSSC	3889633.00			
	For the year 2009-10	2036077.00		5925710.00	
	Interest Recd. From RBI (Corpus) Prof. Sugata Marjit - (Employees Share)	19529.00			
	Prof. Sugata Marjit - (Employer's Share)	13300.00		32829.00	
	Interest receivable from Centre for studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta				
1807634.00				5973689.00	

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RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNTS FOR

RECEIPTS		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.
To	Opening Balance as on 1.4.09	1484661.98	
"	Employees Subscription	30000.00	
"	Refund of loan	40000.00	
"	CPF Receivable	4813840.00	
"	Interest on (S/B A/c. No. C/20400)	15150.00	
TOTAL		6383651.98	

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PROVIDENT FUND

THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2010

PAYMENTS		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.
By	CSSSC-CPF Final settlement	2327300.00	
"	Non-refundable withdrawal	670000.00	
"	Bank Charges		20.00
"	Refundable loan	571000.00	
"	Suspense Account		4800.00
"	Closing Balance 31.3.2010	2810531.98	
TOTAL		6383651.98	

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AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Governors of
CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA
R-1, B. P. Township Kolkata - 700 094

Employees Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity Fund

1. We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of '**Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta**' as at 31st March, 2010 and also the Income & Expenditure Account of the Centre for the year ended on that date annexed thereto. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Centre's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.
2. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those Standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by the management, as well as, evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.
3. We report as follows :-
 - i) We have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of Audit.
 - ii) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have

been kept by the Centre so far as it appear from our examination of the books.

- iii) The Balance Sheet and Income & Expenditure Account are in agreement with the books of account.
4. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanation given to us the said accounts give the information as required by law and give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India:
- a) in the case of Balance Sheet, of the Statement of Affairs of the fund as at 31st March, 2010 and
 - b) in the case of Income & Expenditure Account, of the Income and the Distribution thereof for the year ended on that date.

For S. N. Mukherjee & Co.
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Date: 1st September 2010

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BALANCE SHEET AS

CSSC EMPLOYEES' DEATH-CUM-

Previous year 2008-2009	LIABILITIES	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
7000670.00	CSSC EMPLOYEES' DEATH-CUM-RETIREMENT GRATUITY FUND				
	As per last account	7000670.00			
	Add Income transferred	564646.00		7565316.00	
7000670.00				7565316.00	

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AT MARCH 31, 2010

RETIREMENT GRATUITY FUND

Previous year 2008-2009	ASSETS	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
5901179.00	CSSC Employees' Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity Investment	5901179.00			
1097800.00	Accrued Interest	1662383.00		7563562.00	
1691.00	Closing Balance (SB A/c. No. 16299 with UCO Bank, Calcutta 7000 019)				1754.00
7000670.00				7565316.00	

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INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT OF
GRATUITY FUND FOR THE

Previous year 2008-2009	EXPENDITURE	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
1101231.00	Settlement of Gratuity Fund (a) Sri Sisir Ghosal (b) Sri Arun Kr. Sanyal (c) Sri Gautam Bhadra	350000.00		1050000.00	
40.00	Bank Charges				
554555.00	Balance transferred to Gratuity Fund (excess of Income over Expenditure)			564646.00	
1655826.00	TOTAL			1614646.00	

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CSSSC EMPLOYEES' DEATH-CUM-RETIREMENT
YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2010

Previous year 2008-2009	I N C O M E	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
243.00	Interest (SB A/c No. 16299 with UCO Bank, Calcutta)				63.00
564583.00	Accrued Interest (1.4.2009 - 31.3.2010)				564583.00
1091000.00	CSSSC Employees Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity Fund (Recd. from CSSSC)				1050000.00
1655826.00	TOTAL				1614646.00

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RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS ACCOUNTS OF CSSSC EMPLOYEES' DEATH-

RECEIPTS		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.
To	Opening Balance as on 1.4.2009 (S/B A/c. No. 16299 with UCO Bank, Calcutta 700019)	1691.00	
"	Interest on Saving Bank A/c. No.16299	63.00	
"	CSSSC Employees Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity Fund (Recd. from CSSSC)	1050000.00	
TOTAL		1051754.00	

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CUM-RETIREMENT GRATUITY FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31.3.2010

PAYMENTS		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.
By	Settlement of Gratuity Fund		
	(a) Sri Sisir Ghosal	350000.00	
	(b) Sri Arun Kr. Sanyal	350000.00	
	(c) Sri Gautam Bhadra	<u>350000.00</u>	1050000.00
"	Closing Balance as on 31.3.10 (SB A/c.No. 16299 with UCO Bank, Calcutta - 700019)		1754.00
TOTAL			1051754.00

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DEATH-CUM-RETIREMENT

DETAILS OF FDR

DATE OF INVESTMENT	INVESTMENT	DATE OF MATURITY	MATURITY AMOUNT
3.4.2007	1113237.00	3.4.2010	1432757.00
3.4.2007	2732575.00	3.4.2010	3516875.00
3.4.2007	441943.00	3.4.2010	568789.00
3.4.2007	216142.00	3.4.2010	278179.00
3.4.2007	1397282.00	3.4.2010	1798328.00
	5901179.00		7594928.00

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GRATUITY FUND

(1.4.2009 - 31.3.2010)

ACCRUED INTEREST	1.4.2007 – 31.3.2008	1.4.2008 – 31.3.2009	1.4.2009 – 31.3.2010	1.4.2010 – 3.4.2010
319520.00	100590.00	106507.00	106507.00	5916.00
784300.00	246909.00	261433.00	261433.00	14525.00
126846.00	39933.00	42282.00	42282.00	2349.00
62037.00	19530.00	20679.00	20679.00	1149.00
401046.00	126255.00	133682.00	133682.00	7427.00
1693749.00	533217.00	564583.00	564583.00	31366.00

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PROJECT

BALANCE SHEET FOR THE

LIABILITIES	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
	Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
Project Fund	10862883.01			
Addition during the year	2148397.00		13011280.01	
" Reserve fund			25801528.33	
Current Liabilities & Provisions				
" Enreca	5625038.40			
" GHP-II	1090701.00			
" New Ford Foundation	1875729.20			
" Grant from TATA Social Welfare Trust (PGMF)	764092.00			
" NRTT	1968274.00			
" SAUC	778221.50			
" MCD	1794152.00			
" RBI Corpus	15762079.51			
" IFA - II	164647.00			
" SRTT	1129234.00			
" Indo European Workshop	262181.00			
" SEPHIS	5585950.96			
" DFID - IPPG	690577.00			
" National Tea Research Foundation	747301.00			
" New UNICEF	1184439.00			
" WBIDC	483368.00			
" Urban Poverty Reduction Strategy	1088220.00			
" EAP	454820.00			

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ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2010

ASSETS	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
	Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
FIXED ASSETS				
Books				
As per last Account	242243.52			
Addition during the year	Nil		242243.52	
Computer P.C.				
As per last Account	3742900.00			
Addition during the year	379727.00		4122627.00	
Equipment & Furniture				
As per last Account	1298539.93			
Addition during the year	1768670.00		3067209.93	
Periodicals				
As per last Account	1073967.61			
Addition during the year	Nil		1073967.61	
Microfilm				
As per last Account	3470432.45			
Addition during the year	Nil		3470432.45	
Photography				
As per last Account	1034799.50			
Addition during the year	Nil		1034799.50	
CURRENT ASSET				
i) Cash in hand	13896.14			
ii) Cash at Bank	10770890.08		10784786.22	

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PROJECT

BALANCE SHEET FOR THE

LIABILITIES	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
	Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
" World Bank II	992482.00			
" DFID-ESRC	340048.10			
" Jadunath Sarkar Museum	433010.00			
			43214565.67	
TOTAL			82027374.01	

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ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2010 (Contd)

ASSETS	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
	Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
Advances & Receivables				
i) Receivables	1891990.70			
ii) Advance to S. N. Nag	3061.00			
iii) Loans to CSSSC	25743595.00		27638646.70	
Investment & Securities				
i) CSSSC Investment (Project)	13127607.00			
ii) Govt. Securities (RBI)	15027562.08			
iii) Accrued Interest (Receivable against FDI)	2437492.00		30592661.08	
TOTAL			82027374.01	

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PROJECT

INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR

EXPENDITURE	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
	Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
To Bank Charges			4496.00	
" Staff Excursion			52000.00	
" Audit Fee			6618.00	
Excess Income over expenditure transferred to Reserve Fund			2955149.48	
TOTAL			3018263.48	

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ACCOUNT

THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2010

INCOME	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
	Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
By Interest on Savings			330359.48	
" Misc Income			250412.00	
" Interest on Investment			2437492.00	
TOTAL			3018263.48	

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RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS ACCOUNTS

RECEIPTS	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
	Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
To Opening Balance as on 01.04.2009				
Cash in Hand	18536.14			
Cash at Bank	13029381.74		13047917.88	
” New Ford Foundation	4298988.00			
” New UNICEF	1622500.00			
” Grant from TATA Social Welfare Trust (PGMF)	731000.00			
” NRTT	3219257.00			
” MCD	906114.00			
” RBI Corpus	1103625.00			
” SRTT	395000.00			
” Jadunath Sarkar Museum	500000.00			
” DFID-ESRC	948047.10			
” UPRS	242136.00			
” SEPHIS	4114494.76			
” DFID - IPPG	326566.00			
” National Tea Research Foundation	200000.00			
” WBIDC	389683.00			
” EAP	1558384.00			
” World Bank II	1488150.00			
” Indo - European Workshop	768625.00			
” Reserve Fund	9723.00			
” Interest on Savings	330359.48			

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ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2010

PAYMENTS	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
	Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
By Enreca	120000.00			
” GHP-II	223987.00			
” New Ford Foundation	2156605.00			
” TATA Social Welfare Fund (PGMF)	421574.00			
” NRTT	2618317.00			
” SAUC	339418.00			
” MCD	19000.00			
” RBI Corpus	934629.00			
” IFA - II	34050.00			
” SRTT	452083.00			
” DFID-ESRC	493818.00			
” Contesting Indian City	12180.00			
” SEPHIS	1733212.00			
” DFID-IPPG	287798.00			
” National Tea Research Foundation	832522.00			
” WBIDC	49840.00			
” EAP	265489.00			
” Urban Poverty Reduction Strategy	3000.00			
” New UNICEF	418061.00			
” Indo European Workshop	506444.00			
” RMQE	188802.00			
” Reserve Fund	73762.00			
” Accounts Receivable	13993900.00			
” Computer	379727.00			

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PROJECT

RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS ACCOUNTS

RECEIPTS	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
	Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
" Loans and Advances	2981476.00			
" Miscellaneous Income	250412.00		26384540.34	
TOTAL			39432458.22	

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ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2010 (Contd.)

PAYMENTS	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
	Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
" Equipment	1739290.00			
" World Bank II	345668.00			
" Bank Charges	4496.00		28647672.00	
Closing Balance as on 31.03.2010				
Cash in hand	13896.14			
Cash at Bank	10770890.08		10784786.22	
TOTAL				39432458.22

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APPENDIX – II

Board of Governors

Appendix – II
Board of Governors of CSSSC
(As on 31.03.2010)

Professor Sabyasachi Bhattacharya
Chairman of the Board of Governors

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Vice Chairman & Director
Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta

Professor Sibaji Bandyopadhyay
Professor of Cultural Studies
Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta

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Home Secretary,
Government of West Bengal

Professor Suranjan Das
Vice-Chancellor
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Centre for Economic Studies & Planning
School of Social Sciences
Jawaharlal Nehru University

Professor Asis Ray
Former Vice-Chancellor, University of Kalyani

Prof. Rajat Kanta Ray
Vice Chancellor
Visva- Bharati University

Professor Tapati Guha-Thakurta
Professor of History
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Dr. Ranjit Sinha
Officiating Member Secretary,
ICSSR

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APPENDIX – III

Members of the Academic Staff

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Members of the Academic Staff
(As on 31.03.2010)

Dr. Raziuddin Aquil Fellow in History(on leave)	Dr. Bodhisattva Kar Fellow in History
Dr. Sibaji Bandyopadhyay Professor of Cultural Studies	Dr. Saibal Kar Fellow in Economics
Shri Gautam Bhadra Professor of History (since retired)	Dr. Manabi Majumdar Fellow in Political Science
Dr. Dwaipayan Bhattacharyya Fellow in Political Science	Dr. Indrajit Mallick Fellow in Economics
Dr. Srabanti Bhattacharya NRTT Post Doctoral Fellow in Geography	Dr. Sugata Marjit Director and RBI Professor of Industrial Economics
Dr. Partha Chatterjee Professor of Political Science (since retired)	Dr. Samarpita Mitra NRTT Post Doctoral Fellow in History
Dr. Rosinka Chaudhuri Fellow in Cultural Studies	Sraman Mukherjee NRTT Post Doctoral Fellow in History
Dr. Anirban Das Fellow in Cultural Studies	Dr. Janaki Nair Professor of History (on leave)
Dr. Pranab Kumar Das Fellow in Economics	Dr. Manas Ray Fellow in Cultural Studies
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