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1 ... Introduction

The Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta is nationally and internationally recognized as a premier research institution under the ICSSR. Its academic standards reflected in the research it supports, and the teaching programmes it conducts have earned for it a significant reputation and international accreditation. In keeping with its profile and commitment to academic research, the Centre has expanded and consolidated its research and teaching programmes during the year 2010-11. The M.Phil. Programme in Social Sciences and the Doctoral Programme, both formally affiliated with Jadavpur University, and the Research Methods in Quantitative Economics, recognized by Calcutta University, have continued to function robustly and to grow in popularity among aspiring doctoral students. This is reflected in the increasing number of applications for the programmes.

The end of the year after a long wait finally saw the implementation of the recommendations of the sixth pay commission, the delay in which has affected adversely the functioning of the Centre over the past two years. A Committee has been set up to look into the proper implementation of the salary recommendations. It is hoped that the necessary funds for supporting all sanctioned positions are forthcoming in order to enable the continuation and augmentation of the various research activities of the institute.

The year saw changes in and additions to the Centre's faculty. It lost a valuable colleague in the sad and untimely demise of Dr. Anjan Ghosh, Fellow in Political Science on 10 June 2010. Professor Janaki Nair and Dr. Raziuddin Aquil gave up their lien on the positions they had held in the Centre. Dr. Lakshmi Subramanian joined the Centre as Professor of History in July 2010, Dr. Indraneel Dasgupta as Professor of Economics in November 2010, Dr. Prachi Deshpande as Fellow in History in October 2010, Dr. Somnath Ghosal as Fellow in Geography in October 2010, while Dr. Bodhisattva Kar (Fellow in History), Dr. Anirban Das (Fellow in Cultural Studies), Dr. Priya Sangameswaran (Fellow in Development Studies) and Dr. Saibal Kar (Fellow in Economics) were reappointed in September 2010, January, February and March 2011 respectively.

The year also saw the formalization of the Committee for Gender Sensitisation against Sexual Harassment (COGSASH) in the workplace with Dr. Priya Sangameswaran as its convenor. The setting up of the committee was accompanied with the formulation of a policy document, in the drafting of which a great deal of time and attention was given by Dr. Priya Sangameswaran, Dr. Anirban Das and Dr. Manabi Majumdar.

The Centre's activities fall under two broad categories, namely research and teaching that in turn are also linked to several projects that the Centre has undertaken or has been invited to coordinate. Many of these projects have augmented the vital role of the CSSSC as a critical interface between academic research and public policy. Both collectively as well as individually, the achievements of

the faculty have continued to establish the research profile of the Centre and to augment its resources housed in the archive and the library and to support its publications programme. Additionally, the Centre has successfully organized a number of seminars and workshops and has run a regular seminar series that includes presentations of both faculty members as well as visiting academics.

2... Board of Governors

Prof. Sabyasachi Bhattacharya	<i>Chairman [Till August 31, 2011]</i>
Prof. Amitava Bose	<i>Chairman</i>
Prof. Sugata Marjit	<i>Vice-Chairman and Director Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta</i>
Prof. Ashis Bandyopadhyay	<i>Former Vice-Chancellor University of Calcutta</i>
Prof. Suranjan Das	<i>Vice-Chancellor University of Calcutta</i>
Prof. Indraneel Dasgupta	<i>Professor of Economics Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta</i>
Prof. Jyotsna Jalan	<i>Professor of Economics Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta</i>
Prof. Arjun Dev	<i>Former Professor, National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT)</i>
Prof. Nanda Dulal Paria	<i>Former Vice-Chancellor of Vidyasagar University</i>
Prof. Asis Ray	<i>Former Vice-Chancellor University of Kalyani</i>
Dr. Ranjit Sinha	<i>Member Secretary ICSSR</i>
Prof. Lakshmi Subramanian	<i>Professor of History Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta</i>

3... Faculty Members

Sugata Marjit	<i>Director, Professor, Economics, RBI Endowment Fund</i>
Sibaji Bandyopadhyay	<i>Professor, Cultural Studies</i>
Dwaipayan Bhattacharyya	<i>Fellow, Political Science</i>
Rosinka Chaudhuri	<i>Fellow, Cultural Studies</i>
Anirban Das	<i>Fellow, Cultural Studies</i>
Pranab Kumar Das	<i>Fellow, Economics</i>
Indraneel Dasgupta	<i>Professor, Economics</i>
Prachi Deshpande	<i>Fellow, History</i>
Somnath Ghosal	<i>Fellow, Geography</i>
Tapati Guha-Thakurta	<i>Professor, History</i>
Jyotsna Jalan	<i>Professor, Economics</i>
Bodhisattva Kar	<i>Fellow, History</i>
Saibal Kar	<i>Fellow, Economics</i>
Manabi Majumdar	<i>Fellow, Political Science</i>
Indrajit Mallick	<i>Fellow, Economics</i>
Manas Ray	<i>Fellow, Cultural Studies</i>
Priya Sangameshwaran	<i>Fellow, Development Studies</i>
Lakshmi Subramanian	<i>Professor, History</i>

4... Administrative Staff

Dr. Surajit C. Mukhopadhyay [*Registrar till February 28, 2010*]

Ashoke Chaudhuri (*Registrar*)

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Anjushree Bhattacharya	Raj Kumar Mahato
Sambhu Nath Nag	Debdulal Banik
Shikha Chakraborty	Somnath Mitra
Biswa Nath Nag	Sajal Kumar Das
Soma Karmakar	Sajal Bhattacharjee
Dilip Saha	Ashim Patra
Subrata Jana	

ACCOUNTS

Arabinda Bose (*Accountant*)

Debo Prasad Mitra	Asis Sarkar
Surajit Bose	Maitreyi Ghosh

LIBRARY

Siddhartha Shankar Ray (*Librarian*)

Soumitra Chatterjee	Sanchita Bhattacharya
Jayati Nayak	Asutosh Chakraborty
Tapan Chandra	Anil Kr. Mondal
Ram Krishna Dutta	Pintu Sarkar
Anupam Chattopadhyay	
Chandan Chakraborty	

ARCHIVES

Abhijit Bhattacharya (*Documentation Officer*)

Kamalika Mukherjee

5... Completed Research Projects

The Centre has undertaken several academic research and training projects. It has undertaken several important survey based projects as well as training workshops intended to enhance research capabilities among young students at the pre-doctoral, doctoral and post doctoral levels. The interdisciplinary character of the Centre and its faculty has meant that its interventions have been recognized as crucial in developing resources and facilitating research.

Navajbai Ratan Tata Trust (NRTT) Project on 'Training in New Social Science Research Methods'

Professor Sibaji Bandyopadhyay coordinated the three-year project 'Training in New Social Science Research Methods'. The project offered support to doctoral, post doctoral and pre doctoral scholars by granting scholarships / fellowships and by organizing workshops. The duration of the project was from December 2007 to November 2010.

It supported ten students for the first two years and fourteen in the third year at the pre doctoral levels as they completed their Research Training Programme under the Centre and six post doctoral fellows whose work came to a successful completion by November 2010. The post doctoral fellows made full length presentations in the workshops that were organized as part of this project. Subsequently they have submitted final versions of these papers, which the Centre proposes to publish under its Occasional Papers Series. (For details of NRTT workshops see section on workshops and seminars). Madhuban Mitra was the first Research Officer of the project; after she left in late 2008, the responsibility was given to Ranjana Dasgupta.

Sir Ratan Tata Trust (SRTT) Research Project on Primary Education

Professor Jyotsna Jalan coordinated the three-year 'Research Project on Primary Education'. Duration of the project was from October 2007 to September 2010. The research studied the quality and reach of primary education in six districts of rural West Bengal - Birbhum, Bankura, Murshidabad, Coochbehar, North 24 Parganas and South 24 Parganas (and a pilot study in Dumka, Jharkhand). On the basis of student performance in achievement tests in language and numeracy (designed by the researchers), the study quantified the average academic competence of Class IV students. In addition, student attendance rates were estimated by taking a head count of the students present on the day the achievement tests were administered. Student achievement tests and student attendance rates were also correlated to different characteristics relating to the students, households, schools, and district school administration.

The research demonstrated that learning achievements in numeracy and language skills were very low among Class IV students. Average student attendance rates were about 50 percent. Research also identified the unevenness of schooling access and achievements across districts.

The final report was publicly released by Professor Abhirup Sarkar of Indian Statistical Institute, Calcutta in a public seminar held at the CSSSC campus on 22nd November. Professor Jyotsna Jalan presented a summary of the results from the report and Ms. Jharna Panda (Research Associate under the project) narrated experiences from the field survey. The event generated a lively discussion and its depth of coverage was appreciated. The event was covered by the local media, English and Bengali. Subsequently, the report has been disseminated in the sampled districts and in academic universities in Kolkata and in Birbhum. The research report can be downloaded from: [http://www.cssscal.org/pdf Education%20Report%20CD.pdf](http://www.cssscal.org/pdf%20Education%20Report%20CD.pdf).

The findings of the report have been disseminated in some of the districts like Murshidabad, South 24 Parganas and Birbhum.

Professor Jyotsna Jalan was in charge of the project seeing it through till its completion. The project supported 2 Research Assistants and 6 Data entry personnel.

Project on 'Embedding Poor People's Voices in Local Governance'

Dr. Dwaipayan Bhattacharyya coordinated the project 'Embedding Poor People's Voices in Local Governance'. The project was organized in collaboration with the University of Sheffield, United Kingdom and with the Centre for Development Studies, Kerala. It's duration was from 2007 to 2010. The project was principally concerned with evaluating the extent to which initiatives to make local governance more participatory, to enhance poor people's opportunities for political empowerment. Looking at West Bengal and Kerala, states that have been internationally recognized for their innovation in decentralized governance, the project examined poor people's use of the formal opportunities they had for participation within the local state. This 'invited participation' was examined within the context of the social relations reproducing poverty and marginalization, and informal structures of authority and power, both of which reshape governance reforms away from their intended practice.

The project through a grounded comparative study provided wider lessons about the opportunities and limitations for building poor people's political empowerment and substantive citizenship through programmes of governance reform. Theoretically, it provided a deeper understanding of the interactions between poverty, participation and decentralization while empirically, its rich data base that it was able to generate is expected to contribute to local user communities by highlighting areas where the poor have had opportunities for furthering their political empowerment and to contribute to policy development through interaction with (and dissemination to) a wider policy community.

The project supported a series of workshops in Kolkata, Trivandrum and Sheffield, the deliberations of which were shared with policy makers and which are also being considered for

publication. Of these, one has already been accepted for publication by the Journal of Development Studies, while others are in the pipeline and in the process of being refereed.

The Ford Foundation Project

Professor Tapati Guha-Thakurta coordinated the Ford Foundation Project. Duration of the project was from 2008 to 2011. The project enabled the Centre to run a wide range of academic and archive support activities, details of which follow.

1. Internship Programme

Under this programme, Mr. Romit Chowdhury of Centre for Media and Cultural Studies, Tata Institute of Social Sciences and Mr. Sukanta Kishore Badu of Department of Ancient Indian History, Culture and Archaeology, Utkal University successfully completed the technical internship programme for the third year of the Ford Foundation Project. They were attached to the CSSSC's archive for one month, during June 2010. The interns have submitted their final report on completion of their internship and have highly appreciated the curriculum designed by the CSSSC.

Ms. Swati Chatterjee from the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta was selected for the six-month doctoral internship for the year 2010. During her fellowship period from May 2010 to October 2010 she worked on a paper titled *Dressing Room Of Modernity? Notes on the Politics of Attire in Late Nineteenth Century Calcutta*, under the guidance of Dr. Bodhisattva Kar and presented it at a seminar at the CSSSC on November 29, 2010. She also submitted the paper to CSSSC at the end of her internship.

2. Postdoctoral fellowships

Dr. Mollica Dastider joined the Ford Foundation Project, as full-time post-doctoral fellow in July 2008. She worked on the Gorkha linguistic and cultural identity of the Nepali diaspora in North Bengal and Sikkim. As part of her research work, she had made field trips to Sikkim, Kalimpong and Siliguri in North Bengal. The fieldwork helped her to collect a range of important material on the Kirati language and script, on the basis of which she presented a paper titled *From Major to Minor: The Contested Category of Nepali Language Community in the East Himalayas* at a seminar at the CSSSC on November 29, 2010.

Dr. Sujith Parayil joined the Ford Foundation Project, as full-time post-doctoral fellow in August 2008. He resigned from the fellowship programme on July 2009 to take up a full time position at the Centre for Media & Cultural Studies, TISS, Mumbai. He was working on the photography and cultural history of the north-eastern regions, with special emphasis on the princely states of Manipur and Tripura. His documentation and study focused on four genres of photographs - anthropological, missionary, family photographs and studio photographs. Under the archive documentation grant, Abhijit Bhattacharya and Dr. Parayil made a field trip to Agartala in December 2008 to document the work of Mr. Robin Sengupta, a well known press photographer and digitally retrieved about 400 photographs of North-Eastern provinces, taken from the 1960's to 1980's and of Bangladesh's Revolutionary War.

Dr. Parayil has also finished the video recording part of production of a documentary film based on the research material available at the CSSSC archive. The basic intention of this documentary film is to disseminate the idea of the archival materials available at the Centre to a wider public. Dr. Parayil's work on this project will be complete over the summer of 2011.

It was decided by the CSSSC, after due consultations with Dr. Ravina Aggarwal, that it would be best to utilize the two years of salary funds, left available by the resignation of Dr. Sujith Parayil, to appoint two Post-doctoral Fellows for one year tenures, to keep within the time frame of the project period.

After Dr. Parayil's resignation, CSSSC advertised for two new posts of Post-doctoral fellows in the Economic and Political Weekly, Vol.XLIV, dated July 18, 2009, and conducted a day of job-talks for short-listed candidates on November 27, 2009. Two candidates, Dr. Madhumita Sengupta and Dr. Sraman Mukherjee were selected as post-doc fellows for the last year of the fellowship period.

Dr. Sraman Mukherjee joined the Ford Foundation Project, as full-time post-doctoral fellow in December 2009. He worked on the subject – Heritage, Histories, Identities: Archaeology, Monuments and Tourism in the Configuration of Bihar, Orissa and Bengal. As part of his research work, he had made field trips to Benares and Sarnath in North India. On the basis of which he presented a paper titled *Relics, Ruins & Temple Building: Constructing the Mulagandha Kuti Vihara at Sarnath* at a seminar at the CSSSC on November 29, 2010.

Dr. Madhumita Sengupta joined the Ford Foundation Project, as full-time post-doctoral fellow in January 2010. She worked on the subject --- Kamakhya and the Colonial Milieu in Nineteenth Century Assam. As part of her research work, she had made field trips to Assam in North Bengal. On the basis of which she presented a paper titled *Of Alienations: The state and temples in nineteenth and early twentieth century Assam* at a seminar at the CSSSC on November 29, 2010.

3. Archive Support Staff

CSSSC recruited two research assistants to work as Archive Assistants with the initiation of the Ford Foundation project at the CSSSC in February 2008. For the three years of project period, Ms. Swaguna Datta, Ms. Soma Mondal, Ms. Rajlaxmi Ghosh and Ms. Priyanka Chatterjee served as archive support staff in different phases and conducted various aspects of the on-running activities of documentation, digitization, cataloguing at the CSSSC's archives. One person was appointed as project officer for three years of the project period to run the workshop and publication programmes at the CSSSC. Dr. Madhuban Mitra and Ms. Ranjana Dasgupta worked in the said position consecutively.

4. 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. 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 nearing 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 CSSSC also conducted digital documentation of the career-long paintings, sketches and murals of the veteran artist, Shanu Lahiri, during April 2010.

Initially there was a plan of digitizing three journal series of the early 20th century -Santiniketan Patrika, Visva Bharati Patrika and Visva Bharati Quarterly - from the collection of Rabindra Bhavan Library, Visva Bharati University. But the process got stalled because Visva Bharati University had entered its own agreements with the Ministry of Culture, Government of India to digitize the journal collections at Rabindra Bhavan, and did not give clearance for the CSSSC to undertake its planned work of these three journal series.

Currently, CSSSC has acquired permission from the Director, National Library, Kolkata, to digitally document a selection of photographs from the photographic albums on Calcutta from the Ashutosh Collection and of archaeological monuments from photographic collections of the firms Bourne and Shepherd and Johnston and Hoffman, preserved at the National Library. The Ashutosh Collection also contains the entire set of the 19th century journal, The Calcutta Review, which would be an important series for CSSSC's digital archive. Prof. Tapati Guha-Thakurta is overseeing the progress of the textual and visual documentation projects.

5. *Archive Publication Series*

Dr. Rosinka Chaudhuri is supervising the Archive Publication series under this project. Since the publication of three titles in the year 2009, two new publications namely *Parallel Lives: Charting the History of Popular Prints of the Bengal and Bombay Presidencies* by Kamalika Mukherjee and *Modernity at Home: A Genealogy of the Indian Drawing Room* by Rosinka Chaudhuri have come out. Two more namely *Relics, Ruins & Temple Building: Constructing the Mulagandha Kuti Vihara at Sarnath* by Sraman Mukherjee, and a final occasional paper of the series on the early music programmes of All India Radio, Calcutta by Indira Biswas are in the final stages of editing.

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

Dr. Keya Dasgupta in consultation with the Librarian and Prof. Gautam Bhadra supervised the purchase of Eastern language books, specialized bibliographic works and journals for the Jadunath Bhavan Library, for which there was an 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 work of classification, cataloguing and indexing of material is also being conducted.

7. *Cultural Studies Workshop*

The Ford Foundation Project supported the 16th Annual Cultural Studies Workshop of the CSSSC that was held from January 23 to 28 2011, at Jaipur, Rajasthan. The overall theme for this year's workshop was 'Empire, Nation, Cosmopolitanism', and the themes for the five days were - (i) The Idea of Cosmopolitanism, (ii) From Empires to nations, (iii) Re-Thinking Empire, (iv) Travels and territories, (v) The City and Cosmopolitanism. Dr. Manas Ray coordinated the workshop.

The total number of participants in this year's CSW was 25, out of which there were 8 international and 17 national participants. These participants were mostly doctoral or post-doctoral students (below the age of 35), and their ongoing or just completed works focus on one or more of the themes listed above.

The resource persons included six faculty members and eight external faculty persons. These were Udaya Kumar (Delhi University), Prathama Bannerjee (CSDS, Delhi University), Rahul Govind (Delhi University), Sanjay Srivastava (IEG, Delhi University), Janaki Nair (J.N.U. Delhi), Ravi Sundaram (CSDS, Delhi University), Saumyabrata Chowdhury (Institute of Advanced Studies, Shimla) and Rajarshi Dasgupta (J.N.U, Delhi). The Centre's faculty included Tapati Guha Thakurta, Partha Chatterji, Manas Ray, Lakshmi Subramanian, Rosinka Chaudhuri and Anirban Das.

The daily proceedings of the workshop were divided into two parts. In the morning session, resource persons made presentations on pre-selected readings, which were followed by a discussion. The afternoon session was for participants' presentations and discussants' comments. As every year, the Cultural Studies Workshop provided the young researchers with an opportunity to interact with each other and share their work with senior scholars from the field.

8. Archival Exhibition

An exhibition of photographic and print material collected at the archive of CSSSC, titled, 'Envisioning the City: Calcutta in the Visual Archives of the CSSSC' is being planned and worked on in full detail. The exhibition will be held from July 8 to 25, 2011 at the Seagull Arts and Media Resource Centre, Calcutta.

Papiya Ghosh Memorial Fund Programme

The Papiya Ghosh Memorial Fund at the CSSSC, supported by the Tata Social Welfare Trust formally came to an end in September 2011. It was a two-year project that formally commenced from April 2008, with actual funds being disbursed in September 2008. The object of the fund was to support young scholars by the award of short-term fellowships. The scholars who were selected for this were attached to certain specified faculty members in the CSSSC. The project also supported annual workshops. The theme of the workshop for 2011 was 'Communities at the Margins: Practices and Livelihood'. Of the ten paper-presenters, three were the existing Papiya Ghosh Memorial Fellowship-holders. All the papers were commented upon by discussants, comprising the CSSSC faculty and scholars from other institutions of the country. Prof. Shahid Amin delivered the keynote address titled 'The Marginal Jotter: The Curious Case of Ram Gharib Chaube' and Prof. Partha Chatterjee made the concluding remarks on the theme of Communities at the Margins.

South-South Exchange Programme for Research on the History of Development (SEPHIS) Resource Centre

The Centre continued to function as the Sephis resource centre for the Asian region. Its activities were coordinated by the late Dr. Anjan Ghosh and then subsequently looked after by Professor Lakshmi Subramanian. As part of its commitment, Sephis supported the following activities:

- Publication of a research papers by Marisol de la Cadena entitled 'Cultures of Race and Hybridity in Latin America'. This now forms part of the Occasional Papers Series of the CSSSC.
- Support extended to eight international students from the south to participate in the Cultural Studies Workshop that the Centre conducted in Jaipur in January 2011.

National Tea Research Foundation Project

This three-year project, coordinated by Dr. Saibal Kar was intended to evaluate the viability of the tea industry in India and to forecast future trends. It was also meant to look at the conditions of land and labour in tea gardens in Northern and Southern India. The project was able to support two research assistants and one faculty member. The findings have formed the basis of a report submitted to the Tea Board whose response is awaited.

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.

6... On-going Research Projects

CSSSC partnership with the UNICEF-Social Exclusion Cell

The Cell was established to pursue the larger goal of identifying the condition of socially excluded communities in the districts of West Bengal and suggest interventions for improving the situation of socially excluded communities, especially children and women in the state. Its specific objectives were to collate and access information through research related to aspects of social exclusion in order to facilitate policy decisions and their implementation. The Cell maintains an extensive data base generated by empirical research as well a secondary bibliography. It hopes to continue to function as a vital information hub that is constantly updated and that helps sustain the network of thinkers, activists and policy makers. The Centre's participation in the activities of the cell reflects its commitment to act as the much needed interface between research and policy. The activities supported by the cell are periodic conferences and workshops. The Cell has also enabled the support of two research assistants. The project is coordinated by Dr. Saibal Kar, who assumed this responsibility after the untimely demise of Dr. Anjan Ghosh.

Evaluation of government interventions in Minority Concentrated Districts (MCD)

This is a one-year research project funded by the Ministry of Minority affairs. The objective of the project is to use modern impact evaluation techniques to estimate the impacts of providing scholarships under different schemes to students from minority communities. The research project will also evaluate the multi-sectoral development programme implemented by the Government of India in the identified MCDs. A primary survey will be implemented in 4 districts of West Bengal, one district each in Jharkhand and Orissa. Professors Sugata Marjit and Jyotsna Jalan are in charge of this project.

Reserve Bank of India (RBI) Endowment Project

The RBI endowment at the Centre has continued to thrive through various research projects under the scheme, primarily on industrial economics, the focus of the RBI chair. It has supported the research of the RBI Professor and the current Director of the Centre in terms of research assistance for his various national and international publications, including his recent book on the Informal Labor market, published from the Oxford University Press. Continuing research projects include India's Monetary Policy and Inflation, Government Finance, Corporate Governance and Foreign Investment and Wage Distribution. India Macroeconomics Annual is also supported by the endowment. The RBI has decided to enhance the endowment from 1.5 to 4 crores to accommodate the increase in salaries under 6 CPC and in research funding requirements for the Chair.

Centre for Training and Research in Public Finance and Policy (CTRFPF)

CTRFPF, within the Centre, is being set up with an endowment of Rs. 14 crores from the Union Ministry of Finance for undertaking research on national and regional policies related to public finance. CTRFPF will be fully operational by 2012. The grant is one of the most generous endowments provided by the finance ministry for research in post independent India. CTRFPF will hire new faculty members and would be of great help to the research infrastructure of the Centre.

South Asia Network of Economic Research Institutes (SANEI)

SANEI, housed at Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies, Dacca. Dr. Saibal Kar is coordinating the project at CSSSC. This one-year project aims at investigating the 'relationship between climate change and food security in India'. The project supports funding for one research assistant and for database development.

Endangered Archive Programme (EAP 262)

This is a funded project that serves to augment the archival holdings at CSSSC and which are already recognized as one of the most impressive data bases that exists for researchers in India. It aims to digitally retrieve and store two leading newspapers, Jugantara Patrika (Calcutta, Bengali, daily: 1937-1980) and Amrita Bazar Patrika (Jessore / Calcutta, bi-lingual / English, bi-weekly / daily: 1872-1890; 1892-1905; 1911; 1919). This is a rare collection as most issues of these newspapers are neither available nor usable in any other archive in India.

The project intends to eventually provide unrestricted open access to the documents. Abhijit Bhattacharya is the Principal Investigator of the project and the project is funded by the ARCADIA through Endangered Archive Programme of the British Library.

Endangered Archive Programme (EAP 341)

This is a major project intended to retrieve and document printed books and periodicals from public institutions in eastern India published prior to 1950. The previous EAP pilot project created a database of 26,579 books in minor archives and libraries located in districts without any infrastructure. Under the present project, 5000 books identified as unique and endangered have been selected for digitization. The project team will capture images of books following the EAP guidelines for digitization. On completion of the project the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences Calcutta (CSSSC) will provide access both from its reading room and online through CSSSC - University of Heidelberg cooperation. Copies will be given to the British Library.

Abhijit Bhattacharya is the Principal Investigator of the project, which is funded by the ARCADIA through Endangered Archive Programme of the British Library.

Collaborative projects with outside agencies: Archive and Access

This is 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 is aiming at seeing the partition of India beyond trauma and violence and focused on collecting memories of displaced people due to partition of India on both sides of 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 and Abhijit Bhattacharya of CSSSC is the Co-investigator of the project.

7... Academic Activities of Faculty Members

Individual Research and Academic activities of the Faculty

Much of the vitality of the Centre's academic life is supported and sustained by the research of its individual faculty members. This has been a distinguishing feature of the Centre's academic life since its inception and has been instrumental in its exceptional inputs to the various disciplines it represents. The Centre runs a regular faculty series seminar and reading group that facilitate intellectual exchange among faculty members. It encourages faculty members to collaborate with other institutions in India and abroad and to teach and undertake research supervision in other universities as well. Additionally, the faculty assumes important administrative responsibilities connection with academic programmes and research activities in the Centre.

The following section details the current research and teaching activities as well as the current individual research projects and administrative responsibilities undertaken by the faculty.

Sibaji Bandyopadhyay (Professor, Cultural Studies)

ONGOING RESEARCH PROJECTS AND PLANS FOR 2011-12

Books in Progress

Preparing manuscripts for six books:

1. *Reader* [An anthology of English essays], New Delhi: *Worldview Publications*. The book is in press and is likely to be published in August 2011.
2. *Modernizing the Mahābhārata and the Gītā: A Study in Reception* (tentative title) The book will contain three essays. The titles are:
 - Seeing and Saying: A Reflection on the Mode of War-reportage in the *Mahābhārata*
 - Translating *Gītā* 2.47 Or Inventing the National Motto
 - A Critique of NonviolenceOrient Blackswan may publish the book.

3. *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. I hope to submit the final-copy by 2012. *Tulika Books*, New Delhi, will publish the 'Reader'. Formalities regarding contract have been completed.

4. *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. Some revisions may be considered before submitting the manuscript to the publisher. The essays forming the anthology are:

- 'East' Meeting 'West': A Note on the Colonial Chronotope
- Macaulay and Rammohun: 'Free Market' and Pedagogy
- 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.

5. *Atho Biplab* (tentative title)

A book in Bangla of about 200 pages on the semantic mutations of the words 'revolution' and 'biplab'. This is a part of a Key-note Address that was delivered at the seminar on 'Technologies of Revolution' organized by Barasat Government College on March 4, 2010. The Book should be ready by early 2012. *Gangchil*, Kolkata, will publish the book. Formalities regarding contract have been completed.

6. *Bharate Mahabharate*

A book of about 500 pages on modern transformations of concepts vital to the narrative of the *Mahābhārata* and the metaphysics of the *Gītā*. Anustup, Kolkata, will bring out the book.

Edited Volumes

'*Mahābhārata* Today: Narration, Aesthetics, Ethics'; being jointly edited with Prof. Arindam Chakrabarty, Department of Philosophy, Hawaii University, USA; to be published by Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla.

Visiting Appointments

1. Visiting Fellow, Department of Philosophy, Calcutta University Invitation to deliver a series of eleven lectures on Sigmund Freud Title of the series: 'Sigmund Freud - A Climate of Opinion' The first four of the eleven lectures were delivered on 14, 17, 23, 28 March 2011. The remaining seven will be delivered in April 2011.
2. Joint Coordinator, 'Spring School' on '*Mahābhārata Today*', Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla.
Dates: 14-28 April 2010.

Public Lectures, Workshops and Seminars

1. Delivered 'Birendra Chattopadhyay Memorial Lecture 2010', September 3, 2010.
2. 3rd SRTT-SWS Residential Workshop 2010 on *Women's Studies and Systems of Knowledge: Contexts and Problems*, organized by School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University.

Spoke on: 'Indian Philosophical Systems and the Woman Question' (25 May 2010); 'Science Studies' (May 23, 2010); 'Sexuality Studies' (May 24, 2010).

3. Workshop titled '*Mahābhārata Today*', organized by Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla.

Spoke on: 'The modern reckoning of Sanjaya's "Eye Divine" in the *Mahābhārata*, April 24, 2010.

4. Refresher Course organized by Department of Political Science, Calcutta University.

Spoke on: 'The Battle between the *Brāhmaṇa* and the *Srama*?', December 3, 2010.

5. Refresher Course organized by Department of Bengali, Calcutta University.

Spoke on: 'Bi-nirman or Deconstruction', January 2011.

6. Refresher Course on 'Women in Politics: Family, Community and State', organized by School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University.

Spoke on: 'Sexuality and State', February 25, 2011.

7. A Special Talk titled 'The modern forging and forgetting of the past', Department of English, Loreto College, Kolkata, August 2010.

Teaching Assignments: M.Phil. in Social Sciences 2010-11 (CSSSC)

1. Vocabulary of the Social Sciences.
2. Cultures of Postcoloniality.
3. Feminism and the Social Sciences.
4. The Field of Visual Culture.
5. The Subject and the Body: A Feminist Approach.
6. Readings in Philosophy: Texts, Concepts, Contexts.

Others

1. On '*Roopkatha* or the Fairy Tale', Post-graduate class, Department of English, Presidency University, Kolkata, February 24, 2011.
2. On 'The playful dismantling of Power in Satyajit Ray's *Goopi Gain Bagha Bain*', Post-graduate class, Department of English, Presidency University, Kolkata, March 21, 2011.

Research Supervision

Ph.D.

1. Sudev Pratim Basu, Visvabharati (has been awarded degree in 2010)
Title of Thesis: 'Taming India: British Hunting Narratives and the Politics of White Dominance, 1808-1947'.

Jadavpur University

2. Runa Das Chaudhuri - (has submitted her thesis)
Title of Thesis: 'The Interplay of the 'uncanny' and the 'everyday': Towards a sociology of 'ghost stories' written for children in Bangla between 1940 and 1980'.
3. Paromita Brahmachari
(Tentative) Title of Thesis: 'Representation of the Urban World in Contemporary Hindi Cinema'.
4. Saswata Bhattacharya
(Tentative) Title of Thesis: 'Permanent Settlement Act and Bengali Theatre'.

CSSSC and Jadavpur University

5. Anirban Bhattacharjee
Title of Thesis: 'Philosophical Discourse of Housework in Bengal: Geneology, History and Practices'.
6. Agniv Ghosh
Subject of Thesis: 20th Century Bengal's reception of Freudian Psychoanalysis.

M.Phil. 2009-11

1. Zaid Al Baset
Title of Dissertation: 'Truth and other Lies: Telling Queer Stories'.

Administrative Responsibilities

1. Coordinator: M.Phil. in Social Sciences Programme.
2. Coordinator: Navajbai Ratan Tata Trust (NRTT) Project on 'Training in New Social Science Research Methods'.
3. Coordinator: CSSSC-NRTT Workshop on *The Public and the Private-Lives, Institutions and Practices*, 28 October to 3 November 2010.

Dwaipayana Bhattacharyya (Fellow, Political Science)

ONGOING RESEARCH PROJECTS AND PLANS FOR 2011-12

- Completed the project on 'Embedding Poor People's Voices in Local Governance', with University of Sheffield, United Kingdom and Centre for Development Studies, Kerala.
- Submitted a paper on "Social Policy in India in the last two decades: A survey of relevant research" commissioned by the Indian Council of Social Science Research, New Delhi, in February 2011. This paper is currently being commented on, will be ready for publication later this year.

- Working on three papers:

1. On poor people's engagement with the governing of resources at the village level in different forms of political and partisan set up based on research conducted in West Bengal.
2. On interrogating the character of social policy interventions by the Indian state in the context of its neo-liberal political and economic orientation.
3. On the recent political changes in West Bengal.

Provisionally planning to work with some colleagues at CSSSC on "Political clientelism and government accountability in West Bengal".

Visiting Appointments

1. Adjunct Professor, School of Politics and Economics, Claremont Graduate University, United States. January to June 2011.

Public Lectures, Workshops and Conferences

1. 6 April 2010: "Paradoxes of India's Democracy", School of Politics and Economics, Claremont Graduate University, California.
2. 11 April, 2010: "Debates on Democracy and Development in India", South Asian Studies Conference, Los Angeles, California.
3. 25 April 2010: "Voicing Poverty, Voicing Discontent: Reports from two West Bengal villages in the times of political change", Department of Town and Regional Planning, University of Sheffield, Sheffield.
4. 30 April 2010: "Understanding Local Roots of India's Democracy", Maxwell School of Syracuse University, Syracuse.
5. 22 October 2010: "Report of the Project on 'Embedding Poor People's Voices in Local Governance'", School of Law and Governance, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.
6. 13 February 2011: "Research Survey on Social Policy: Education and Work", ICSSR Research Survey and Explorations in Political Science, International Centre, Goa.
7. 29 March 2011: "Governing the Poor: Social Policies in India's Economic Transformation", British Academy Conference on Poverty in South Asia, Department of International Development, Queen Elizabeth House, Oxford.
8. 22 February, 2011: "Politics of Decentralization and the Left: Kerala and West Bengal Compared", Strengthening Rural Decentralisation in West Bengal: Initiatives and Challenges, Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta (in association with DFID, UK and Department of Panchayat and Rural Development, GoWB).

Teaching Assignments: M.Phil. in Social Sciences, CSSSC 2010-11

1. Vocabulary of the Social Sciences.
2. Rethinking Political Theory.

Other Teaching

School of Politics and Economics, Claremont Graduate University, U.S.A, January-June 2011;
Taught an interdisciplinary module on Debates on Democracy and Development in India.

Research Supervision

Ph.D.

1. Ritajyoti Bandyopadhyay (submitted in 2010)
Title of thesis: 'Negotiating Informality: Changing Faces of Footpaths, Kolkata, 1975-2005'.

M.Phil. 2009-11

1. Shubhankar Ghosh
Title of Dissertation: 'Political making of the Muslim self in Post Colonial West Bengal'.

Administrative Responsibilities

Coordinator, Doctoral Programme, CSSSC.

Rosinka Chaudhuri (Fellow, Cultural Studies)

ONGOING RESEARCH PROJECT AND PLANS FOR 2011-12

- Completed and submitted two book manuscripts for publication this year:
 1. History in Poetry: Episodes from the Making of a Modern Literary Culture in Bengal, 1831-1881, has been submitted to Oxford University Press in India and Routledge UK in the UK.
 2. *Freedom and Beef-Steaks: Colonial Calcutta Culture* has been submitted to Orient Black Swan.
- Starting to work on translating the *Chinnapatrabali* by Rabindranath Tagore for Penguin Modern Classics. A Contract is in place.
- Working on the editing of dhadeva Bose's English Writings.
- Working on three forthcoming publications:
 1. 'Three Poets in Search of History, Calcutta 1752-1859' in Michael Dodson and Brian Hatcher ed. *Trans-Colonial Modernities* (forthcoming, Routledge, UK).
 2. Poet of the Present: The Material Object in the World of Iswar Gupta' in Tapati Guha-Thakurta ed. *New Cultural Histories* (forthcoming, Oxford University Press).

3. 'Translation and the Intra-national Diaspora in Literary Modernity: Calcutta, 1858-73' in special issue for Colonialism and Translation in South Asia, to be published by *Postcolonial Studies*.

Public Lectures, Workshops and Seminars

1. Attended a workshop on "Postcolonial Translation: South Asia and Beyond" on May 27-28, 2010 at Newcastle University, Newcastle upon Tyne (UK).
2. Presented a paper, 'History, Teleology and the Present: Poetry in Bengal c1752-1859', at the Centre for South Asian Studies, University of Cambridge, on 31 May 2010.
3. Presented a paper, 'Three Poets in Search of History, Calcutta 1825-1858,' at the South Asia History Seminar, Summer Term 2010, at SOAS, London, on 1 June 2010.
4. Participated in a workshop on 'Intellectual histories of historical teleology in the late Enlightenment and its aftermath' at the Finnish Institute, Berlin, 11-12 June 2010.
5. UGC Sponsored One Day National Seminar on Cross Cultural Perspectives: Indian Writing in English organised by the Postgraduate Department of English, Maulana Azad College, and Indo British Scholars' Association, 25 September, 2010.
6. National Seminar on 'The Indian National Congress and the Struggle for Independence' organised by Victoria Memorial, Kolkata & the Department of History, Loreto College, Kolkata, 30 September, 2010.
7. Participated as speaker and discussant at the Cultural Studies Workshop of the CSSSC on 'Empire, Nation, Cosmopolitanism' in Jaipur in January 2011.

Teaching Responsibilities: M.Phil. in Social Sciences, CSSSC

Coordinator of two courses:

1. Cultures of Postcoloniality.
2. Introduction to Modern Social Thought.

Research Supervision

Ph.D.

CSSSC and Jadavpur University

1. Madhumita Saha

Title of thesis: Shakespeare in Nineteenth-Century Bengal.

M.Phil. 2009-11

1. Daminee Basu

Title of dissertation: Chadak Lives: Prohibition of Rites and Performance of Pain as Penance in the Colonial Past and Present day Bengal.

Administrative Responsibilities

- Convener of the Seminar Sub-Committee at CSSSC.
- Member of the Archive Sub-Committee, Jadunath Bhavan Resource Centre Museum Sub-Committee and Ford Foundation Programme Steering Committee at the Centre.

Anirban Das (Fellow, Cultural Studies)

ONGOING RESEARCH AND PLANS FOR 2011-12

- Book project on Deconstruction and Translation.
- Co-authoring a book on Third World Feminisms.
- Project on the relationship between epistemology and ethics as illustrated in debates around abortion.
- Develop the following essays on "Embodied Knowledges: An Intimate Critique of Positional Objectivity and Standpoint", "Unhinging the State and the Nation: (Im)Possibilities" and "Embodying the Call to Revolution: Writing Memories of the Naxal movement". The latter is a modified version of one of my earlier essays that deals with how the body of the revolutionary constitutes and interrupts memories of revolutionary movements. This essay is to appear in an anthology on Philosophy and Literature edited by Sukalpa Bhattacharya, to be published by the Sage Publishers.
- Working on three forthcoming publications:
 1. "Aestheticizing Law into Justice: The Fetus in a Divided Planet" in *Other Spheres of Justice* ed., Etienne Balibar, Sandro Mezzadra, Ranabir Samaddar, Temple University Press.
 2. "The Inventory of the Subject: An Inquiry into the Ontology of Power" in a collection of essays edited by Professor Gautam Biswas.
 3. A different version of "Sexual Difference in Literary Historiography: Writing the Nation in "My Life"" was submitted to *Interventions: International Journal of Postcolonial Studies*.
- "Of Sleep and Violence: Reading *Sauptikaparva* in Times of Terror" for a volume of essays on *The Mahabharata Today* edited by Sibaji Bandyopadhyay, Arindam Chakrabarty, to be published by Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla.

Public Lectures, Workshops and Seminars

1. Acted as resource person and presented a paper on 'Of Sleep and Violence: Reading *Sauptikaparva* in Times of Terror' in the Spring School on *Mahabharata Today* at the Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla from 14th April to 28th April 2010.
2. Delivered a lecture on philosophy of science and had interactions with the students and faculty at the Centre for Contemporary Studies, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore from 10th May 2010 to 14th May 2010.

3. Delivered a lecture on 'Justice and the Question of Abortion' at the Centre for Studies in Culture and Society, Bangalore on 11th May 2010.
4. Delivered four lectures in a residential workshop on *Systems of Knowledge and Women's Studies: Contexts and Problems* organized by the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University from 19th to 26th May 2010.
5. Acted as Resource person in the conference on *The Biopolitics of Development: Life, Welfare, and Unruly Populations* organized by the Calcutta Research Group, University of Lapland, and The Finnish Academy from 9th to 10th September in Kolkata.
6. Delivered a special lecture on "Feminism and Sociology" at the department of Sociology, West Bengal State University, in September.
7. Delivered an invited lecture on *Notes on Ideology and the Ontology of Power* at the School of Philosophy at the Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi on November 25.
8. Delivered four lectures on "Feminism in Qualitative Research Methods" at the workshop on *Qualitative Research Methods in Psychology* organized by the Department of Psychology, University Colleges of Science, Technology and Agriculture, Calcutta University on 6th and 7th December 2010.
9. Delivered a lecture in the UGC-Sponsored Refresher course for college and university teachers in Women's Studies conducted by the Academic Staff College, University of Calcutta on 4th January.
10. Acted as a resource person and chaired a session at the Cultural Studies Workshop on *Empire, Nation, Cosmopolitanism* organized by CSSSC at Jaipur from 23rd to 28th January 2011.
11. Presented a paper in an international conference on *Postfeminist Postmortems: Gender, Sexualities and Multiple Modernities* organized by the Department of English, Delhi University at New Delhi from 14th February 2011 to 16th February 2011.
12. Delivered a lecture in the UGC-Sponsored Refresher course in Women's Studies for college and university teachers conducted by the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University on 22nd February 2011.
13. Spoke in a panel entitled *Interdisciplinarity and Research in Women's Studies* organized by the School of Women's Studies on 23rd February at Jadavpur University.

Teaching Assignments: M.Phil. in the Social Sciences, CSSSC 2010-11

1. The Subject and the Body: A Feminist Approach (Coordinator).
2. Readings in Philosophy: Texts, Concepts, Contexts.
3. Feminism and the Social Sciences.

4. Vocabularies of Social Sciences.
5. Biopolitics, Ethics and Subjectivation.

Visiting Positions

1. Continued teaching 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.
2. Taught in course on "Research Methodology" in the M Phil in Women's Studies at the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University.
3. 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.
4. Visiting Faculty at the Centre for Contemporary Studies, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore from 8th May to 14th May 2010.

Research Supervision

Ph.D.

Jadavpur University

1. Hardik Brata Biswas (He is a recipient of the SRTT Fellowship in PhD for Women's Studies at the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University. He is also a recipient of the SEPHIS Fellowship in the History of Sexualities and Modernities in the Global South, 2008-2009).
Title of thesis: Spatializing the Visual: Re-locating Women's Photographs in Bengal, 1880s-1970s.

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2. Susmita Ghosh
Title of thesis: Stylizing Masculinity Anew: An Analysis of New Hindi Cinema.
3. Sourav Kargupta
Title of thesis: Of Folk Heroines and the New Woman: Deconstructive Reading of Pain and Subjectivity.
4. Samrat Sengupta
Title of thesis: Performing Revolution: Ethics of Post Colonial Resistance in Bengal Narrative.
5. Partha Sarathi Mondal
Title of thesis: Body, Subjectivity and Mental Distress.

M.Phil. 2009-11

1. Sayantan Saharay (CSSSC)
Title of dissertation: Abortion in India: Laws, Debates and Sex Selection.

2. Saayan Chattopadhyay (WSJU)
Title of dissertation: Imaging the Masculine in Post-independence Bengali Film (1947-1957).
3. Debolina Ghosh (WSJU)
Title of dissertation: Perceptions of Gender Relations in the Literature of Angst.

Administrative Responsibilities

- Member of COGSASH.
- Member of Library Sub-Committee and Jadunath Sarkar Resource Centre Museum.

Pranab Kumar Das (Fellow, Economics)

ON-GOING RESEARCH PROJECTS AND PLANS FOR 2011-12

1. Working on the study on international capital flow and the exchange rate dynamics in a multi period framework. On the basis of preliminary results, the model structure has been reformulated and it is expected to be completed by the end of the year.
2. Working on the empirical part of the theoretical work begun last year on a study on fundamental and bubbles for the Indian stock market, to be specific for 30 sensex companies.
3. Continuing work on the Evolution of the Financial System Architecture in South and South East Asia.
4. Evolution of the Financial System Architecture in South and South East Asia.
5. Planning a joint study with Prasad Bhattacharya of Deakin University on monetary policy in a regime switching Markov model for the Indian economy.
6. Work jointly started with Sugata Marjit, on food policy, monetary policy and inflation in India. Plans are being considered to estimate an econometric model by the end of the year.

Public Lectures, Workshops and Seminars

1. Organized a conference on Strengthening Rural Decentralization in West Bengal: Initiatives and Challenges in Feb. 2011 in association with DFID, Govt. of UK and Panchayat and Rural Development Department, Govt. of West Bengal. Paper presented in the conference.
2. Participated in seminar and conferences held at CSSSC, Economics Department, Jadavpur University and Economic Research Unit, Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata.

Teaching Assignments: RMQE, 2010-11, CSSSC

1. Coordinated and taught parts of two courses, viz. Macroeconomics and Time Series.

Others

- a. Taught a course in **Financial Economics** for M.Phil. in Development Studies at Institute of Development Studies, Kolkata.

Research Supervision

Ph.D.

Jadavpur University

1. Mr. Sadhan Kumar Chattopadhyay
Title of thesis: Bank lending to agriculture in pre- and post-reform periods.
2. Ms. Purba Roychaudhury
Title of thesis: Service sector growth in India.

Administrative Responsibilities

- Convenor, Computer Sub-committee, CSSSC.

Indraneel Dasgupta (Professor, Economics)

ON-GOING RESEARCH PROJECTS AND PLANS FOR 2011-12

- An investigation of the economic rationale for the simultaneous use of banks and Rotating Savings and Credit Associations as savings instruments by households. This project, carried out in collaboration with A. Kedir (Leicester) and R. Disney (Nottingham), develops a theoretical explanation, which is tested with data from household surveys in Ethiopia.
- An economic analysis of proposals for regulation of NGO activities in developing countries. This project is being carried out in collaboration with T. Owens (Nottingham) and R. Burger (Stellenbosch, SA). The objective of the exercise is to develop a general theoretical framework that enables one to think through the trade-offs involved in such regulatory interventions. This theoretical framework will be subsequently applied to survey data from Uganda to generate concrete policy proposals.

Teaching Responsibilities: M.Phil. in Social Sciences, CSSSC

- Microeconomic Theory, modules 1, 2 and 3.

M.Phil. in Social Sciences 2010-11 (CSSSC)

- Module Coordinator, Theories of Development.

Prachi Deshpande (Fellow, History)

CURRENT RESEARCH PROJECTS AND PLANS FOR 2011-12

- "Scripting the Cultural History of Language: Modi in the Colonial Archive," is part of her larger book project on the cultural history of scripts, in particular the early modern Modi

script of western India. It is scheduled to appear in the CSSSC conference volume of the New Cultural Histories of India, edited by Partha Chatterjee, Tapati Guha-Thakurta and Bodhisattva Kar.

- Working on a scholarly, annotated English translation of Vishnubhat Godse's Marathi travelogue of the mid-nineteenth century, *Maza Pravaas*.

Somnath Ghosal (Fellow, Geography)

CURRENT RESEARCH AND ACADEMIC PLANS FOR 2011-12

- Converting parts of the doctoral thesis into publications.
- Continuing with the project on urban forestry, human health and social welfare. The project will examine the role of green covers for a healthy social life in Indian metros.
- New project on colonial forest governance.
- Project proposal submitted for the continuation of partnership with the UNICEF social Inclusion cell. This is a two-year project and will be jointly conducted with Dr. Saibal Kar and Professor Sugata Marjit.

Administrative Responsibilities

- Convener of Publication Sub-committee.
- Member of Library Sub-committee.

Tapati Guha-Thakurta (Professor, History)

ONGOING RESEARCH PROJECTS AND PLANS FOR 2011-12

- Finishing up the book project on The Aesthetics of a Public Festival: Durga Puja in Contemporary Calcutta.
- Beginning a new project on the history of public statuary in the city of Calcutta, investigating, in particular, the transition from the colonial to the postcolonial statues in the city. A paper on this theme, "The Dead Object of Public Statuary: The Sculptural Iconographies of Colonial and Postcolonial Calcutta" was presented at an international conference on "Commodities and Culture" organized by Jadavpur University in January 2011, and a more developed version of the same was presented at a conference on "Indian Popular Visual Culture and its Discontents" at the School of Arts and Aesthetics, JNU at the end of March, 2011.
- Curating along with a research team at the CSSSC (consisting of Dr. Keya Dasgupta, Dr. Rosinka Chaudhuri, Prof. Partha Chatterjee, and the archival staff), an archival exhibition on the city of Calcutta, as a final activity under the Ford Foundation project, "A Cultural History Archive on Eastern India", which has just come to a close. The exhibition, titled, The

City in the Archive: Calcutta's Visual Histories, will be held over three weeks at the Seagull Arts and Media Resource, Centre, Calcutta, during July 2011. There will be an accompanying catalogue that will be published on the occasion of the exhibition.

- Editing and writing an introduction along with Professor Partha Chatterjee and Dr. Bodhisattva Kar to the volume of essays that is coming out of the "New Cultural Histories of India" conference, organized at the CSSSC in January 2010. There are 14 essays in the volume, and it is being published by Oxford University Press, New Delh. This book will be the third in a CSSSC history conference volume series, of which the earlier two are Partha Chatterjee and Anjan Ghosh, ed., History and the Present (New Delhi: Permanent Black: 2001) and Partha Chatterjee and Razuiuddin Aquil, ed., History in the Vernacular (New Delhi: Permanent Black: 2008).
- Planning a paper on "Calcutta's Zoffanys,", tracing the afterlives of the works by this late 18th century European artist in India, in two colonial architectural locations in the city, St. John's Church and Victoria Memorial Hall. This is to be delivered a special invited lecture at the Yale Center for British Art in November 2011 in connection with an exhibition they will be hosting on Zoffany and British art in India in the Fall semester of 2011.
- The theme of the collecting of Indian art works overseas will be developed in due course, connecting two instances of colonial and postcolonial travels and museum acquisitions of traditional Indian sculpture, for a plenary lecture to be given at the annual conference of the Association of Social Anthropologists, UK, to be held at JNU, New Delhi, in March 2012, where the year's theme is "Art and Aesthetics in a Globalising Age".

Public Lectures, Workshops and Seminars

1. Delivered the keynote lecture at a conference on "Afterlives of Monuments", organized by Transnational Centre for Research on Art, Identity and Nation, University of the Arts, London, on April 29, 2010.
2. Presented a talk on the issues of art, obscenity and censorship, centering around the Hindutva attacks on M.F. Husain, for the History Association, at Lady Shiram College, New Delhi, on August 17, 2010.
3. Participated as a resource person at the 16th annual Cultural Studies Workshop of the CSSSC, on the theme "Empire, Nation, Cosmopolitanism", held at Jaipur, from January 23-28, 2011.
4. Chaired and moderated a session at the conference, "The Global Sixties and its Cultural Afterlives", organized by the School of Arts and Aesthetics, JNU, New Delhi, on March 4-5, 2011.
5. Presented a paper at the conference, "Indian Popular Visual Culture and its Discontents", organized by the Centre for Indian Visual Culture (CIVIC) and School of Arts and Aesthetics, JNU, New Delhi, on March 25-26, 2011.

Teaching Responsibilities: M.Phil. in the Social Sciences, CSSSC

Taught sections of the first two courses in the first semester, July - December 2010, and coordinated and taught half the third course in the second semester, January - May 2011:

1. Problems of Historical Writing and Method.
2. Research Methods in the Social Sciences.
3. The Field of Visual Culture.

Research Supervision

Ph.D.

Calcutta University

1. Kamalika Mukherjee

Title of thesis: Allegories of Womanhood: Gender in the Popular Visual Culture of Late Nineteenth and Early Twentieth-Century Bengal.

Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi

2. Suryanandini Sinha

Title of thesis: The Intercepted Photograph: Interactions of painting and digital media with studio photography in India.

CSSSC and Jadavpur University

3. Kallol Ray

Title of thesis: Catastrophes, Textualities, and Subjectivities: The Paintings of Rabindranath Tagore and the Narratives of Modernism.

4. Paroma Maiti

Title of thesis: Art and object Assemblages in Colonial India.

5. Prithwiraj Biswas

Title of thesis: Exploring the unconventional: Advertisements as sources of History in colonial Bengal.

M.Phil. (2009-2011)

1. Moumita Sen

Title of dissertation: 'Enframing Kumortuli: A study in Space, Practices and Images'.

2. Kausthubh Das

Title of dissertation: 'Khandagiri Udayagiri: The many Histories of a Site'.

Administrative Responsibilities

- Convenor, Archive Sub-Committee.
- Convenor, Steering and Sub-Committee, JSRC Museum Project.

Jyotsna Jalan (Professor, Economics)

ONGOING RESEARCH PROJECTS AND PLANS FOR 2011-12

- Evaluation of scholarship schemes for minority communities as implemented by the Ministry of Minority Affairs, Government of India.
- Evaluation of multi-sectoral development programs for minority concentrated districts as implemented by the Ministry of Minority Affairs, Government of India.
- Analyzing within caste and tribe inequalities in intergenerational educational mobility (with Rinku Murgai, The World Bank and Arijit Sen, IIMC).
- Writing academic papers from the SRTT project on quality of education in rural west Bengal and Jharkhand.

Public lectures, Workshops and Conferences

1. Public release of "Low Mean High Variance: Quality of Primary Education in Rural Bengal" at CSSSC on 22nd November, 2010.
2. Dissemination of education research report in the districts of Birbhum, Murshidabad, & South 24 Parganas (December 2010-January 2011).
3. Invited Lecture on "Status of Education in West Bengal and Its Relationship to Human Development Issues" at Rabindra Bharti University, March 2011.
4. Invited Lecture on "Contemporary Development Issues in West Bengal" at Visvabharati, March 2011.
5. Invited lecture on the "Why and What of Impact Evaluation" for professional economists (i.e. students, faculty, etc.) at Jadavpur University, March 2011.

Teaching Assignments: RMQE, CSSSC, 2010-11

1. Probability and Statistics (Module 1).
2. Cross-section Econometrics (Module II).
3. Computational Economics (Module II).

Other Teaching

Invited Lecture on Dynamic Panel Data Econometrics to post-graduate students in Economics in Presidency University, Kolkata (February 2011).

Administrative responsibilities

Course coordinator, RMQE.

Bodhisattva Kar (Fellow, History)

ONGOING RESEARCH AND ACADEMIC PLANS FOR 2011-12

- Working on a project tentatively called "Fantastic Histories of the Naga Hills."
- Working on the following forthcoming publications:
 1. 'Can the Postcolonial Begin?: Deprovincializing Assam', in Saurabh Dube and Ishita Banerjee-Dube (eds.), *Modern Makeovers: The Oxford Handbook of Modernity in South Asia* (New Delhi: Oxford University Press).
 2. 'Labour of Division: Savages, Slaves and Settlers in the North-Eastern Frontier of British India', in Alessandro Stanziani (ed.), *Labour Constraints in Asia and Europe: 17th through Early 20th Centuries* (Leiden: Brill)
 3. 'Welsh's Fallacy: Rereading the Eighteenth-Century Ahom Crisis', in Subhas Ranjan Chakravorty (ed.), *The Eighteenth Century in Comparative Perspectives* (Calcutta: The Asiatic Society).
 4. 'Seven Sisters', in Gita Dharampal-Frick, Rachel Dwyer, Monika KirloskarSteinbach and Jahnvi Phalkey (eds.), *Key Words in Modern Indian Studies* (Delhi: Oxford University Press).
 5. 'Heads in the Naga Hills', in Partha Chatterjee, Tapati Guha-Thakurta and Bodhisattva Kar (eds.), *History and the Materiality of Culture*.
 6. 'The Birth of the Ryot: Rethinking the Agrarian in British Assam', in Neeladri Bhattacharya and Joy Pachau (eds.), *Writing the North-east: New Perspectives*.

Visiting Appointments

1. Invited as a Short-Term Academic Visitor to the Department of South Asian Languages and Civilizations, University of Chicago (January - February 2011).
2. Awarded the Hermès Postdoctoral Fellowship at the Fondation Maison des Sciences de l'homme, Paris (March-June 2011).

Public Lectures, Workshops, Seminars/Conferences

1. February 2011: Presented a paper on "Heads in the Naga Hills" in the South Asia Seminar series at the University of Chicago.
2. December 2011: Participated in the panel discussion at the UGC-sponsored National Level Seminar on *Historicity of the Text and Textuality of History*, organized by and at the Netaji Nagar College, Calcutta.
3. December 2010: Presented a paper on "Language Stocks and Joint Stocks" in the *Zukunftsphilologie Winter School on Textual Practices beyond Europe 1500-1900*, organized by the Department of Arab and Islamic Civilizations of the American University in Cairo and the Forum Transregionale Studien, Berlin in Cairo.

4. September 2010: Presented a paper on "Visitations: Gods in the Age of Interpretable Dreams", in the international workshop on *Liminal Deities of South Asia*, organized by and at the Department of History, McMaster University, Hamilton, Canada.
5. September 2010: Participated as a discussant in the international symposium on *The Biopolitics of Development: Life, Welfare, and Unruly Populations*, organized by and at the Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group, Calcutta.
6. September 2010: Presented a paper on "Slaves to Ethnicity: A Note on the Economies of Identity in the North-Eastern Frontier of British India", in the national seminar on *Arunachal Pradesh: Issues of Modernity and Tradition*, organized by Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies, Kolkata and Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar at Itanagar.
7. April-May 2010: Presented a paper on "Defamiliarizing the Medical: Three Propositions", in the international conference on *Locating the Medical in Histories of Nineteenth and Twentieth-Century South Asia*, organized by and at the Wellcome Centre for the History of Medicine at the University College of London.
8. April 2010: Presented a paper on "A Two-Timing Nation?: Notes on the Spatial Archive of the Mahabharatam," in the Spring School on *The Mahabharata Today*, organized by and at the Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla.

Teaching Responsibilities: M.Phil. in the Social Sciences, 2010-11

1. Cultures of Postcoloniality.
2. Research Methods in Social Sciences (Coordinator).
3. Problems of Historical Writing and Method.
4. Biopolitics, Ethics and Subjectivation.
5. Vocabulary of the Social Sciences.

Other Teaching

A segment in the graduate seminar on "History and Memory" at the Department of South Asian Languages and Civilizations, University of Chicago.

Research Supervision

Ph.D.

Delhi University

1. Debarati Bagchi (ICSSSR PhD Fellowship, Delhi University)
Title of thesis: Many Spaces of Sylhet: Making of a Regional Identity, 1870s - 1940s.

Jadavpur University

2. Iman Mitra (ICSSSR PhD Fellowship, Jadavpur University)

Title of thesis: From Political Economy to Neoclassical Economics - Some Aspects of the Historical Evolution of the Economic Discipline.

3. Shubhasree Bhattacharya (SYLFF PhD fellowship, Jadavpur University)

Title of thesis: Work Songs in Contemporary Calcutta.

4. Swati Chatterjee (ICSSSR PhD Fellowship, Jadavpur University)

Title of thesis: Regimes of Prohibitions in Nineteenth-Century Calcutta.

CSSSC and Jadavpur University

5. Ankur Tamuli Phukan (Jadavpur University)

Title of thesis: Bihu: The Making of a National Festival in Colonial Assam.

M.Phil. (2009-2011)

1. Priyankar Dey

Title of dissertation: The Bhadralks and the Machines: Cultures of Subjectivity in Late Colonial Bengal.

2. Sanjna Mukhopadhyay

Title of dissertation: Time Off: Holidays, Leaves and Questions of Work in Colonial Bengal.

Saibal Kar (Fellow, Economics)

ONGOING RESEARCH PROJECTS AND PLANS FOR 2011-12

- Informal Sector and Corruption: An empirical Investigation for India (with Nabamita Dutta and Sanjukta Roy).
- Emigration, Wage Inequality and Vanishing Sectors.
- Smuggling and Trafficking of illegal immigrants - A theoretical Analysis.
- Unemployment Benefit and Nascent Entrepreneurship.
- Recession, Terms of Trade and Immigrants.

Visiting Appointments

Amsterdam School of Economics, University of Amsterdam, April-June 2010.

Public Lectures, Workshops and Seminars/Conferences

1. Amsterdam School of Economics, University of Amsterdam.
2. Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), Bonn Conference on Irregular Migration.
3. ISS-Erasmus University, The Hague.

4. ETH, Basel, Switzerland - Urbanization and Calcutta.
5. WIEGO Conference on Informality: Cape Town, South Africa.
6. Economics Department, Jadavpur University - Development Economics Conference.
7. UNICEF - Social Exclusion.
8. Organized two International conferences, June 2010 and December 2010: Advances in Economic Theory I and II.

Teaching Responsibilities: M.Phil. in Social sciences, 2010-11

1. Research Methods in Social Sciences.

RMQE, CSSSC

1. Research Methods in Social Sciences.

Other Teaching

1. Labor Economics (M.Sc. in Economics), Calcutta University.
2. Trade and Development, Rabindra Bharati University.

Research Supervision

Ph.D.

Delhi University

1. Chaitali Sinha (Jadavpur University)
Title of thesis: Choice of Human Capital and Public Policy.

CSSSC and Jadavpur University

2. Meghna Datta, (Jadavpur University)
Title of thesis: FDI, Outsourcing and Production Organization.

M.Phil.

1. Jayanti Ghosh
Title of dissertation: Female Labor Supply in India, completed.

Other Achievements and Activities

Awards/Membership

1. Canada-Asia Pacific Award by Department of Foreign Trade and International Affairs, Government of Canada.
2. Sumitomo Foundation Award (jointly with Sugata Marjit).

Editorial Responsibilities

Assistant Editor, India Macroeconomics Annual (SAGE, India) Referee for:

1. Economic Inquiry.
2. Review of Development Economics.
3. Economic Modelling.
4. International Migration.
5. Bulletin of Economic Research.

Administrative Responsibilities

- Coordinator, UNICEF-India project on Social Exclusion in West Bengal.
- Coordinator, Tea Board of India (NTRF) Projects on An Economic Analysis of Tea Production and Conditions of Land and Labor in the Tea Gardens in India.

Manabi Majumdar (Fellow, Political Science)

CURRENT RESEARCH AND ACADEMIC PLANS

- Politics of human development planning in West Bengal.
- The practice of supplementary private tutoring and its social, economic and educational consequences.
- Public health and social justice.
- Analysis of political changes in contemporary Bengal (in collaboration with Dr. Dwaipayana Bhattacharya, CSSSC and Dr. Rajarshi Dasgupta, J.N.U. drawing on a village study conducted a few years ago and following that up with a revisit to the villages to take stock of more recent changes in these locales).

Public Lectures, Workshops and Seminars

1. Participated in a conference on Democracy and Development organised by the Calcutta Research Group, May 15 2010.
2. Participated as Resource Person on Politics of Space: Women and the land movement in a workshop organised by the school of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University and the SRTT in May 2010. The workshop was on Women, Development and Democracy and Knowledge systems.
3. Presented a paper with Jos Mooij and Kumar Rana titled 'From Access to Success: social, economic and educational impact of Private Tutoring in an Indian state', at the XIV World Congress of Comparative Education Societies: Bordering, Rebordering and New possibilities in Education and Society, Istanbul, 14-18 June 2010.

4. Participated in a workshop on Quality, Markets and Education organized by the Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai 17-18 December 2010.
5. Presented a paper on Politics of Human Development: the case of West Bengal at a seminar organised by the Madras Institute of Development Studies on the Indian economy in Transition: Prospects, issues and Concerns., 10-11 February 2011.
6. Short presentation on equity in education at the Kolkata Group Workshop on Equity in India organized by Pratichi Trust India, Harvard's Global Equality Initiative and UNICEF India 18-19 February 2011, Kolkata.
7. Gave a talk on Women's Visibility and Invisibility in contemporary Indian politics in a UGC sponsored seminar on Visibility Invisibility: an enquiry into the conditions of women in India organized by Maulana Aazad College, February 2011.

Teaching Responsibilities: M.Phil. in Social Sciences, CSSSC

1. Theories of Development.
2. Feminism and the Social Sciences.
3. Rethinking Political Theory.

Research Supervision

Ph.D.

CSSSC and Jadavpur University

1. Ms. Sreemoyi Ghosh
Title of thesis: Organized Informality The case of Industrial informal women workers in Durgapur.
2. Ms. Sayantani Sur
Title of thesis: Domesticity and Gender Politics of Contraception 1930-37.

M.Phil.

1. Nazneen Islam

Title of thesis: Intransient borders? Identities, Cultural formations and the Sikh - Punjabi community in Kolkata.

Other Activities

Joined the Pratichi Institute as Director wef March 2011 on a part time basis.

Indrajit Mallick (Fellow, Economics)

CURRENT RESEARCH AND ACADEMIC PLANS FOR 2011-12

- Started a book project on Financial Systems Dynamics and Prudential regulation.

- Started research on jurisprudence.
- Completed the paper on 'The Socially Optimal Policy Instruments of the Supreme Court – A Game theoretical analysis' with Dr. Saibal Kar and Somosree Roy.

Public lectures, Workshops and Seminars

- Presented a paper on 'The Contours of Contract Law' at CSSSC on March 8, 2011.

Teaching Responsibilities: M.Phil. in Social Sciences, CSSSC

- Financial Systems - History, Theory and Policy (Semester I).

Sugata Marjit (Director, Professor, Economics)

CURRENT RESEARCH AND ACADEMIC PLANS FOR 2011-12

- To work on various implications of International Trade between countries separated by time zones in collaboration with Professor Toru Kikuchi of Kobe University.
- Work on Reform and extortion and Capital Mobility and Wage Distribution is in progress.
- Work on concern for social status and its impact on measures of poverty and saving behaviour of the poor continues, a draft of which will be presented in a conference on Behavioural Economics at the WIDER in Helsinki in September 2011.
- Working on a paper on Indian Macroeconomic Policy in the post reform era with Pranab Kumar Das for an invited lecture at the Australian National University. We are also working on a model of Inflation with the backdrop of the Indian experience. These are RBI endowment related work.
- Working towards a paper on Globalisation, Technology and Music organized around lectures delivered on the subject.
- Editing the India Macroeconomics Annual Journal that Sage has proposed to make into a full fledged bi annual journal. The new version will carry a revised title.
- Initiating the process of editing and publishing an economics journal in Bengali called 'Arthabishleshan', This is being partly sponsored by the RBI endowment.

Public Lectures, Workshops and Seminars

1. Delivered talks on invitation at the Universities of New South Wales, Sydney and Queensland, Australia.
2. University of Jadavpur.
3. Indian Statistical Institute, Delhi.
4. Panth Institute, Allahabad.

5. Invited to lecture at the International Conference organized by the Union Ministry of Finance, Government of India.
6. Beijing Chapter of International Economics and Finance Society, University of Michigan.
7. Delivered talks at Cornell University.
8. Participated in a Conference on Informal economy at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.
9. Lionel Mckenzie Memorial Conference at the University of Kyoto.
10. Delivered the First Dhiresh Bhattacharya Memorial Lecture of Bangiya Arthaniti Parishad.
11. Key Note Speech at the UGC sponsored Conference, Dept. of History, Viswabharati University, Santiniketan.

Manas Ray (Fellow, Cultural Studies)

ONGOING RESEARCH PROJECTS AND PLANS FOR 2011-2012

Book projects

1. *Postcolonial Journeys: indenture, diaspora and displacement.*
2. *The caring, terminating State: essays on biopolitics.*

Forthcoming publications

1. Against Negation: Suicide, Self-consciousness and Jibanananda Das' poem, 'One Day Eight Years Ago'.
2. Biopolitics of Giorgio Agamben (an essay for a compendium on contemporary social thought).
3. Installation as History Writing: Vivan Sunderam on Bengal Modernity (for a collection of essays on Vivan Sunderam, edited by Tapati Guha-Thakurta).
4. Pastoral Power, Liberalism and War: On Foucault's Biopolitics.
5. Rajnoitik Khamata Proshange (for the forthcoming collection of Kamal Kumar Majumder Memorial Lectures).

Translation

1. "Uttam Kumar Salon" (Translation from Bengali into English).

Teaching Responsibilities: M.Phil. in Social Sciences, CSSSC 2010-11

- Biopolitics, Ethics and Subjectivation (Coordinator and Instructor).

Workshops and Seminars

1. Delivered a lecture in the conference on "The Biopolitics of Development: Life, Welfare and Unruly Populations" organized by the Calcutta Research Group, University of Lapland, and the Finnish Academy, 9-10 September, 2010, Kolkata.
2. Spoke in the morning section and commented on papers at the 16th Cultural Studies Workshop on *Empire, Nation, Cosmopolitanism* organized by CSSSC at Jaipur, 23 - 28 January, 2011.

Administrative Responsibilities

- Continued to coordinate the 16th Cultural Studies Workshop held at Jaipur in January, 2011.
- Convened a committee to consider the question of compensation of faculty-time for projects; subsequently, submitted a detailed report to the Director, CSSSC.

Priya Sangameshwaran (Fellow, Development Studies)

ON-GOING RESEARCH AND ACADEMIC PLANS FOR 2011-12

- The information collected in previous years as part of the research project on the reforms in the water sector in Maharashtra was analyzed and is being written up in the form of a book manuscript titled, '(Re)forming Development through Water Reforms'. A brief (and final) round of field work was also done in October 2010.

Engagement with new research has been mainly at the level of preliminary reading. Two broad areas of research are being planned.

1. The first research area would deal with the meaning of ownership in the context of a resource which is itself transient (for instance, char lands) and how the conflicting claims of two different groups (natives and migrants) on this resource are related to the 'behavioral characteristics' associated with each group.
2. The second research area would analyze the implications of changes in urban land policy (e.g., regulations regarding redevelopment) and land use (e.g., the closure of industries, the filling up of water bodies) along with changing discourses of property, ownership (e.g., the emphasis on owning a house of one's own) and 'the environment' on socio-economic rights in the context of Indian cities.

Public Lectures, Workshops and Seminar/Conferences

1. "Apolitical' Village Committees and 'Supported' State Withdrawal: The Grey Spaces of Decentralization in Rural Maharashtra'. Paper presented at *National Seminar on 'Community, Institutions and Participation in Natural Resource Governance'* at Department of Sociology, University of Hyderabad, March 3-4, 2011.

2. National Workshop on 'Water Conflicts in the North East: Issues, Cases and Way Forward' organized by Forum for Policy Dialogue on Water Conflicts in India and Aaranyak, Guwahati held at Don Bosco Institute, Guwahati on 10-11 December 2010.
3. Speaker in the session on 'Claiming the Commons' in the CSSSC-NRTT Annual Workshop for Beginning Doctoral, Advanced Doctoral and Post-Doctoral Scholars on '*The Public and the Private - Lives, Institutions and Practices*', October 28-November 3, 2010. Also discussant for Saikat Maitra's paper 'Laboring to Create Magic: Reading the New Worker in the Emerging Retail Industries of Kolkata'.
4. International Conference on Interdisciplinarity in Water Education: Challenges, Perspectives and Policy Implications for South Asia organized by South Asia Consortium for Interdisciplinary Water Resources Studies (SaciWATERS), October 3-6 at Kathmandu, Nepal. Lead Rapporteur for the theme 'Gaps in Water Research in South Asia: Emerging and New Issues and Challenges'.

Teaching Assignments: M.Phil. in the Social Sciences, CSSSC

1. Envisioning the City (Semester I, 5 lectures) also co-conducted one walk in the city as part of the 'Envisioning the City' course.
2. Research methods in Social Sciences (Semester I, 3 lectures).
3. Theories of Development (Semester II, 4 lectures).

Others

1. Two lectures on *History of Development Ideas* on March 9, 2011 in the Certificate Course titled 'Perspectives on Environment and Development: Concepts and Debates' organized by the Ashoka Trust for Research in Ecology and the Environment, Bengaluru.

Research Supervision (M.Phil.)

1. Darshana Sreedhar
Title of thesis: Theorizing Lesbian Desire: Dissident Voices in Twentieth Century Kerala.

Other Activities

- Review of Karen Bakker's book titled 'Privatizing Water: Governance Failure and the World's Urban Water' for Orient Blackswan in 2010.
- External reviewer of one article for Geoforum in 2010.
- External reviewer of one article for the ISEC (Institute for Social and Economic Change) Working Paper Series in 2010.
- 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 has recently put together a report 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.

Administrative Responsibilities

- Was a member of the Working Committee on Gender Sensitization against Sexual Harassment till October 2010 and subsequently became a member (and chairperson) of the first Committee on Gender Sensitization against Sexual Harassment.
- Part of two academic committees (the MPhil sub-committee and the PhD committee) as well as the Campus and Computer sub-committees.

Lakshmi Subramanian (Professor, History)

ONGOING RESEARCH PROJECTS AND PLANS

- Beginning a book project on Piracy and Border Making in the western Indian littoral between the late eighteenth and mid nineteenth century. The project intends to look at the ways in which regimes of legality and piracy were configured from the late eighteenth century in what was an archetypal maritime littoral region. It also attempts to review the dynamics of imperial border making and local politics and to recover the voices of more obscure sections of maritime society who have been consigned to the margins by both colonial descriptions and constructions of piracy as well as by the more terrestrial bias of historical analysis. It draws on existing literature on law and legality in British India, on piracy and contraband trade in the western littoral that accommodated multiple jurisdictions and facilitated contraband trade operations across English, Portuguese and local spheres of influence to address the bias that characterizes the understanding of the British Empire in India as a predominantly territorial enterprise.
- **Continuing with research on the politics of trans-nationalism in the Indian Ocean through the lens of Indian editors and their journals in the twentieth century.**
This project draws largely on the private papers of Banarsidas Chaturvedi (National Archives, Delhi) and on the Vishal Bharat (the Hindi journal that he edited and that is available in the Jamia Millia Islamia Archives, also in New Delhi) and on the newspapers/ journal that P.S.Iyer and G.Natesan edited from Madras and Durban respectively. The project wishes to understand and theorise the nature of overseas experience of the nineteenth century of Indian capital and labour, community formation and cultural practices and the ways in which publicists like G. Natesan, Banarsidas Chaturvedi and Bhavani Dayal chose to represent these experiences. How and why did the concern with the overseas Indian become a matter of popular interest appealing to a wide section of readership and how did these generate debates on broader questions of citizenship, agency and rights, cultural practices that side stepped the national and spoke directly with the trans-national are some of the questions that the research intends to address.
- Working on a book commissioned by Penguin India. This is a study of three merchant/ entrepreneurs of colonial India (Tarwady Arjunji Nathji, Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy and Premchand Raychand and is provisionally entitled Business in the time of Transition).

Public Lectures, Workshops and Conferences

1. Invited keynote speaker for the conference on 'Salty geographies: Subaltern maritime networks, spaces and practices' organized by the University of Glasgow 7-8 October 2010.
2. Invited speaker for a one day Conference on South Indian Music organised by the Southern Methodist University, Dallas, U.S.A, on 9 October 2010.
3. Directed and coordinated along with Professor Engseng Ho, Duke University an International workshop on Inter-Asian connections organised by the Social Science Research Council, New York and Asia Research institute, National University of Singapore (7-10 December 2010). The panel was titled Old Histories, New geographies: Contrapuntal Mobilities of Trade and State across Asia and was selected through a competitive process.
4. Invited speaker at a seminar organized by Venkateshwara College, Delhi University and the Sangeet Natak Akademi on 'A Note in time: Music as Social text', January 12-14, 2011.
5. Acted as a resource person and chaired a session at the Cultural Studies Workshop on Empire, Nation, Cosmopolitanism organized by CSSSC at Jaipur from 23rd to 28th January 2011.
6. Invited speaker at a seminar on 'Empires and Networks Maritime Asian Experiences Ninth to Nineteenth centuries' organised by the Institute of south East Asian studies, National University of Singapore 21-22 February 2011.

Teaching Responsibilities: M.Phil. in the Social Sciences, CSSSC

1. Problems of Historical method and writing in Semester I (6 lectures).

Others

1. Taught, on invitation, a module on the Indian Ocean (M.Phil class) Institute for foreign policy studies, Calcutta University, September-October 2010.
2. Taught at the Refresher Course organized by the Department of History 3 February and 15 February 2011.

Student Supervision

Ph.D. at CSSSC

1. Mrunal Patnekar
Title of thesis: Hindu-Muslim riots in Bombay between 1920 and 1948.

M.Phil. at CSSSC (2009-2011)

1. Sagnik Atarathi
Title of dissertation: Writing Music into Bengal's Musical Publics.

Outside Supervision

Ph.D.

1. Ms. Susmita Mukherjee (Calcutta University)
Title of thesis: Women and the Medical profession in Colonial Bengal.
2. Naresh Kumar (Jamia Millia Islamia)
Title of thesis: Music Beyond Musicology Recording Industry and Hindustani Classical music in twentieth century India.

M.Phil.

1. Sangbeta Chakraborty (Calcutta University)
Title of dissertation: Somali Piracy: Onshore anti Piracy actions.

Other Academic activities

1. Worked as Bhasha reader for a project on Indian theatre traditions organized by the Institute of Economic growth. A detailed report on the translation of Tamil material was submitted to the coordinator of the project.
2. Reviewed a book manuscript for Orient Blackswan, New Delhi.
3. Setting up research networks with Dr.Dave Featherstone, University of Glasgow and Dr.Nandini Chatterjee, University of Plymouth around the themes of Salty Geographies and Communities in law: self, sociality and the legal process in the British Empire'.
4. Setting up a research network on Indian Ocean World with McGill University, Canada.

Administrative Responsibilities

1. Coordinator Sephis Resource Centre.
2. Coordinator, Campus Committee, CSSSC.
3. Member, COGSASH.

8... Teaching Programmes of Faculty Members

The Centre runs a two-year M.Phil programme in Social Sciences that enjoys formal affiliation with Jadavpur University, Kolkata. It is one of its kind in the country as it is an interdisciplinary programme that engages with the problems of methodology and writing of the social sciences. The programme is mostly taught by faculty members and Honorary Professors of CSSSC. Professor Sibaji Bandyopadhyay is its coordinator. The programme admits a class strength of maximum 25, (general and reserved) which is selected on the basis of a written test and an interview conducted on the basis of the proposal submitted by the applicant.

The M.Phil. programme has two parts: one-year teaching-course (semesters I and II) and one-year research-work for the writing of dissertation (semester III and IV). Students are required to study eight modules (two compulsory and six optional) and sit for M.Phil. Qualifying Examination. Only after a candidate clears the Qualifying Examination s/he is allowed to pursue with dissertation. During Semester III and IV students are required to make three presentations in the presence of faculty members.

M.Phil. in Social Sciences 2010-12

List of Modules taught by faculty-members

Sl. No.	Faculty	Module
1.	Anirban Das	i. Vocabulary of the Social Sciences ii. Feminism and the Social Sciences iii. Readings in Philosophy: Texts, Concepts, Contexts iv. The Subject and the Body: A Feminist Approach v. Biopolitics, Ethics and Subjectivation
2.	Bodhisattva Kar	i. Vocabulary of the Social Sciences ii. Research Methods in Social Sciences iii. Problems of Historical Writing and Method iv. Cultures of Postcoloniality v. Biopolitics, Ethics and Subjectivation
3.	Dwaipayan Bhattacharyya	i. Vocabulary of the Social Sciences ii. Rethinking Political Theory

M.Phil. in Social Sciences 2010-12

List of Modules taught by faculty-members

Sl. No.	Faculty	Module
4.	Indrajit Mallick	i. Financial systems: History, Theory and Policy
5.	Indraneel Dasgupta	i. Theories of Development
6.	Keya Dasgupta	i. Envisioning the City
7.	Lakshmi Subramanian	i. Problems of Historical Writing and Method
8.	Manabi Majumdar	i. Feminism and the Social Sciences ii. Rethinking Political Theory iii. Theories of Development
9.	Manas Ray	i. Biopolitics, Ethics and Subjectivation
10.	Priya Sangameswaran	i. Research Methods in Social Sciences ii. Envisioning the City iii. Theories of Development
11.	Rosinka Chaudhuri	i. Cultures of Postcoloniality ii. Introduction to Modern Social Thought
12.	Saibal Kar	i. Research Methods in Social Sciences
13.	Sibaji Bandyopadhyay	i. Vocabulary of the Social Sciences ii. Feminism and the Social Sciences iii. Cultures of Postcoloniality iv. Readings in Philosophy: Texts, Concepts, Contexts v. The Subject and the Body: A Feminist Approach vi. The Field of Visual Culture vii. Interrogatory Political Economy
14.	Sugata Marjit	i. Theories of Development
15.	Tapati Guha-Thakurta	i. Research Methods in Social Sciences ii. Problems of Historical Writing and Method iii. The Field of Visual Culture

List of Modules taught by Honorary Professors

Sl. No.	Faculty	Module
1.	Partha Chatterjee	i. Introduction to Modern Social Thought
2.	Pradip Kumar Bose	i. Readings in Philosophy: Texts, Concepts, Contexts ii. The Subject and the Body: A Feminist Approach

Research Methods in Quantitative Economics

The RMQE programme is meant for research students in the early stages of their doctoral research in Economics. The objective of this course is to train potential doctoral students in economics towards formulating theoretical and empirical models, and analyzing data using quantitative methods. The course has received formal recognition from the University of Calcutta towards fulfillment of the six-month coursework requirement as mandated by the UGC.

Applicants have to be prepared to undertake full-time course work for six months and must have had prior training in mathematics (at least as a minor/pass subject) at the undergraduate level. The program gives special consideration to students from the Eastern Region of India. Students from this region are encouraged to apply, and everything else being equal, such students are given preferences over others. In general, preference is given to students who are already registered Ph.D. students and in the early stages (first/second year) of their Ph.D. enrollment.

The program is divided into three modules. Module I runs from 1st November, 2010 to 10th December, 2010; Module II from 20th December, 2010 to 16th February, 2011; and Module III from 22nd February, 2011 to 30th April, 2011. The course content of each module is described below. Participants need to take all courses in all modules.

Participants are evaluated on the basis of a comprehensive written exam in each of the three broad areas of Microeconomics, Macroeconomics and Econometrics at the *end of the second and third modules*. In addition there are internal assessments in different courses. A mentor from within the faculty is assigned to every student. On successful completion of all three modules of the course, students are awarded a completion certificate by the Centre.

Each course is taught by faculty members of the Centre and eminent faculty members from other local institutes or universities as well as from academic institutes outside Kolkata. External faculty members include faculty members from Delhi School of Economics, Durham University (UK), Jadavpur University, Indian Statistical Institute, Indian Institute of Management Calcutta, London School of Economics, University of Calcutta and other reputed universities and institutes from India and abroad.

The Doctoral Programme

The doctoral programme in the Centre is affiliated to Jadavpur University, Kolkata. The programme is coordinated by Dr. Dwaipayan Bhattacharyya. It admits of UGC-JRF and ICSSR

fellows besides offering non stipendiary admission to students who go through a selection procedure in conformity with UGC-stipulations. Students admitted to the programme are required to make regular presentations in the presence of faculty members.

Library/Computing and related facilities for students

THE LIBRARY

The library of the Centre remains open to all students in the Doctoral, M.Phil and RMQE programmes on all working days of the Centre from 10.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Each student is subjected to the general rules and procedures of readership in the library. Participants have to pay a refundable library deposit fee of Rs. 1000/- (Rupees one thousand only).

COMPUTING FACILITIES

RMQE students get access to a computer lab with the requisite computing software like STATA and E-VIEWS. In addition, students of M.Phil., RMQE and the Ph.D. programme enjoy access to subscribed electronic databases of CSSSC.

Three rooms are designated for the students of the M.Phil. and RMQE programmes.

9... Publications of Faculty Members

Sibaji Bandyopadhyay

Books (Authored)

- a. *Prsanga: Jibanananda* ['On Jibanananda'], Kolkata: *Gangchil*, January 2011.
- b. Bangla Translation of Girish Karnad's English play *The Dreams of Tipu Sultan*, Kolkata: *Disha Sahitya*, July 2010.

Book Chapters (Bangla)

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- d. 'Biplabkatha' ['On Revolution'], *Biplaber Prajukti*, eds. Sumanta Mukhopadhyay and Nandini Jana, Kolkata: *Barasat Government College*, March 2011.
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Other Languages

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- g. 'Seeing and Saying: A Reflection on the Mode and Mechanism of Reporting War in the Mahābhārata', *Mahābhārata Today: Narration, Aesthetics, Ethics*, eds. Arindam Chakrabarti and Sibaji Bandyopadhyay, Shimla: *Indian Institute of Advanced Study*, (in press).
- h. 'A Memorandum on Amnesia', *Vivan Sundaram's Victoria Memorial Installation*, ed. Tapati Guha-Thakurta, New Delhi: *Tulika Books*, (forthcoming).

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Dwaipayana Bhattacharyya

Book Chapter

"Party-society, its Consolidation and Crisis: Understanding Political Change in West Bengal", in Anjan Ghosh, Tapati Guha-Thakurta and Janaki Nair (ed.), *Theorizing the Present: Essays for Partha Chatterjee* (New Delhi: Oxford University Press), 2011, 226-250.

Rosinka Chaudhuri

Books (Edited)

- Co-edited with Elleke Boehmer, *The Indian Postcolonial: A Critical Reader* (Routledge, UK and India), September 2010.

Occasional Paper

- *Modernity at Home: A Genealogy of the Indian Drawing Room* (CSSSC Archive Publication Series 04), February 2011.

Peer-Reviewed Publications

- 'The Politics of Naming: Derozio in Two Formative Moments of Literary and Political Discourse, Calcutta, 1825-31' has been published in *Modern Asian Studies* in Volume 44 part 4 (2010).
- 'Letter-Fragments', translations from Rabindranath Tagore's *Chhinnapatrabali* in *The Essential Tagore* (Harvard University Press, 2011), pp. 82-96.

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Anirban Das

Books (Authored)

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Peer Reviewed Publications

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- "The History of Calcutta Medical College" (co-authored by Samita Sen) (2010) in *Science and Modern India: An Institutional History c. 1784-1947*, ed., Uma Dasgupta, PHISPC (Project of History of Indian Science, Philosophy and Culture, Vol XV, Part 4) series, Pearson.

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Pranab Kumar Das

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Indraneel Dasgupta

Peer Reviewed Publications

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Somnath Ghosal

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- b. Ghosal, S., Lin, N. and Cross, I. (2010). The role of Open Source Software for handling INSPIRE-compliant data. *Geoinformatics* (CMedia B.V., Netherlands), Vol 13 (8), p. 16-22.

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Tapati Guha-Thakurta

Books (Jointly Edited)

"Locating Gandhi in Indian Art History: Nandalal Bose and Ramkinkar Baij", in Anjan Ghosh, Tapati Guha-Thakurta and Janaki Nair, ed., *Theorising the Present: Essays for Partha Chatterjee* (New Delhi: OUP, 2011).

Peer Reviewed publications

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2. "The Blurring of Distinctions: The Artwork and the Religious Icon in Contemporary India", in Rosinka Chaudhuri and Elleke Boehmer, ed., *The Indian Postcolonial* (Routledge, UK, 2010).
3. "The Many Lives of the Sanchi Stupa", in Sudeshna Guha, ed., *The Marshall Albums: Archaeology and Photography in Colonial India* (New Delhi: Alkazi Collection of Photography, 2010).
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Jyotsna Jalan

Monographs (authored)

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Saibal Kar

Peer Reviewed Journal Publications

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Book Chapters (Peer Reviewed)

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Other Publications

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Emigration, Wage Inequality and Vanishing Sectors (with Sugata Marjit), available as *GEP Research Paper 09/20*, Leverhume Centre, University of Nottingham, UK.

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Manabi Majumdar

Peer Reviewed Publications

'Politicians, Civil Servants, or Professionals? Voices on their work and worth', *Contemporary Education Dialogue*. 8,1, 2011.

Indrajit Mallick

Peer Reviewed Publications

'On the existence of Pure Strategy Nash Equilibrium in Two Person Discrete Games', *Economics Letters*, May 2011.

Manas Ray

Books/Monographs: Authored/Edited

- Edited, *Studies in Humanities and Social Sciences* (the journal of Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla) (combined issue: 2009), published 2011, 300 pages.

Peer Reviewed Publications

- "Between Determination and Responsiveness: A Third Space in Foucault?", *Studies in Humanities and Social Sciences*, Combined Issue 2009, published 2011, pp. 269-280.

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- "Foucault's Law" (review), *Law, Culture and the Humanities*, vol 6, number 3, 2010, pp. 465-469.
- "To the Land of Silica" (translated), *Indian Literature* (the journal of Sahitya Akademi, Delhi), August-September issue, 2010, pp. 62-83.

Priya Sangameswaran

Book Chapters

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Peer Reviewed Publications

- Interdisciplinarity in Water Research, Education and Activism in South Asia: The Way Ahead (jointly with Vishal Narain and K J Joy). Forthcoming in *South Asian Water Studies*.

Other Publications

- "Development via the Lens of Value and Labour", review of Vinay Gidwani's *Capital, Interrupted: Agrarian Development and the Politics of Work in India* in *Studies in Humanities and Social Sciences* (Journal of the Inter-University Centre for Humanities and Social Sciences, Volume XVI (1 and 2), 2009, pp. 281-287.
- "Water for basic needs" and "Water for socio-cultural needs" in K J Joy *et al.*, 2011, 'Life, Livelihoods, Ecosystems, Culture: Entitlement and Allocations of Water for Competing Uses' (position paper by the thematic subgroup on Water Entitlements and Allocations for Livelihoods and Ecosystem Needs), Pune: Forum for Policy Dialogue on Water Conflicts in India.

Lakshmi Subramanian

Books (Authored)

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2. *From the Tanjore Court to the Madras Music Academy. A social history of music in south India*. Second edition with a new introduction (Oxford University Press, 2011).

Book Chapters

3. 'Community, Nation, Diaspora and the Public Sphere in the Indian Ocean' in Isabel Hofmeyr, M.N.Pearson and Pamila Gupta (edited) *Eyes across the water Navigating the Indian Ocean*. (Unisa Press, South Africa, 2010).
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10... Academic Events

The Centre maintains an active seminar series in addition to hosting a number of conferences and workshops. Several workshops form part of the projects undertaken by the Centre. The Economics Study Group runs a regular series while the faculty is encouraged to make presentations of their ongoing work. In addition, the Centre invites visiting academics of stature as well as younger scholars to present their work. The annual presentations of doctoral students is also an important activity in the academic calendar on 2010-2011.

General Seminars

1. 5 April, 2010: **Dr. Henrique Espada Rodrigues Lima Filho**, Professor Adjunto, Department of History, Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina, Brasil. **Preserving the Essence of Conventions: The Regulation of Domestic Labour in Nineteenth-century Brazil.**
2. 26 April, 2010: **Dr. Pallavi Banerjee**, Department of Sociology, University of Illinois at Chicago. **The Role of Religious Involvement in the Lives of Immigrant Muslim Women: Repressive or Liberating Force?**
3. 9 August, 2010: **Debora Spini**, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Syracuse University in Florence. **Civil Society and the Democratisation of Global Public Space.**
4. 13 September, 2010: **Michael Dillon**, (Professor of IR, Lancaster University, UK), and **Julian Reid** (Professor of IR, Lapland University, Finland), **'The Halle Orphanage, Polizeiwissenschaft, Religion, and Imperialism and Development and The Debased and Politically Degraded Subject of Resilience.**
5. 20 September, 2010: **Dr. Lakshmi Bandlamdi**, Professor of Psychology at the City University of New York. **Dialogics of Self, the Mahabharata, and Culture: The History of Understanding and Understanding of History.**
6. 27 September, 2010: **Dr. Luke Sinwell**, Post-doctoral fellow at the Research Unit for Social Change, University of Johannesburg. **Knowledge Production and Social Movements: Possibilities for Participatory Engagement with Poor People's Movements in Post-apartheid South Africa.**
7. 1 October, 2010: **Dr. Elisa T. Bertuzzo**, Associate Professor at Humboldt University, Faculty of Ethnology. **Fragmented Dhaka - Analysing everyday life with Henri Lefebvre's theory of production of space.**
8. 13 October, 2010: **Dr. Stephen Legg**, Assistant Professor at the School of Geography, University of Nottingham. **Scales of Prostitution: International Governmentalities and Interwar India.**

9. 18 November, 2010: **Dr. Jacques Arnould** Ph.D. in History of Sciences, Ph. D. in Theology of the French Space Agency (CNES). **The new world of nanotechnologies: between promises, fears and debates.**
10. 1 December, 2010: **Prof. Philip A. Lutgendorf**, Professor of Hindi and Modern Indian Studies, University of Iowa. **Chai Why? Toward a Social History of the National Drink.**
11. 23 December, 2010: **Prof. Roma Chatterjee**, Professor of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, **Folk Art and New Media: Experiments in Intertextual Communication.**
12. 2 and 3 February, 2011: **Prof. Partha Chatterjee**, CSSSC. **The Pedagogy of Culture.**
13. 21 February, 2011: **Bijaya Chanda**, Advocate and Human Rights activist. **Legal Empowerment of Under Trial Prisoners: Preliminary Experience on Objective Condition.**
14. 7 April, 2011: **Prof. Charles Taylor**, McGill University, Montreal, Canada, (Visiting professor at CSDS, Delhi,). **The Disciplinary Revolution.**

Special Academic Events

1. A **Seminar In Memory of Dr. Anjan Ghosh** was organized on 21 December 2010. **Professor Gyanendra Pandey** (professor in History, Emory University, Atlanta, U.S.A) delivered a talk on **Subalternity of Difference or the Difference of Subalternity.**
2. **Book release** organized on 23 February 2011 jointly by the CSSSC and O.U.P. Delhi. The book in question was **Theorizing the Present: Essays for Partha Chatterjee** edited by Anjan Ghosh, Tapati Guha-Thakurta and Janaki Nair.
3. On the event of the successful completion of the project of Bengali advertisements and on behalf of the Hitesh Ranjan Sanyal Memorial Archive and the IFA, the CSSSC organized a special discussion with Professor Gautam Bhadra on 23 March 2011. Professor Bhadra discussed his newly published book **Nera Battolai Jai Kaw'bar?**.

Economics Study Group Seminars

1. 11 June, 2010: **Dr. Kaushik Bhattacharya**, Indian Institute of Management, Lucknow. **Emergence of independent candidates: A negative binomial regression model of an Indian parliamentary election.**
2. 25 June, 2010: **Prof. Debabrata Datta**, The Institute of Management Technology, Gaziabad. **West Bengal Government Finance - A Critical Look.**
3. 8 July, 2010: **Prof. Uday Rajan**, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, University of Michigan, USA. **Optimal Corporate Governance in the Presence of an Activist Investor.**
4. 10 August, 2010: **Prof. Kunal Sen**, Institute for Development Policy and management, The University of Manchester. **Trade Openness, labor institutions and flexibilisation: Theory and Evidence from India.**

5. 20 September, 2010: **Prof. Parantap Basu**, Durham University. **Inflation, Human Capital, and Tobin's Q.**
6. 23 September / 25 August, 2010: **Dr. Nabamita Dutta**, University of Wisconsin - La Crosse. **The PTA Factor: Role of Preferential Trade Agreements in the Trade-Institution Relation.**
7. 4 November, 2010: **Prof. Arnab Basu**, College of William and Mary. **Aversion to Poverty and Relative Deprivation? An Analysis of Consumers' Willingness to Pay for Fair Trade Coffee.**
8. 30 December, 2010: **Dr. Kaniska Dam**, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas, Mexico. **Optimal assignment of CEOs to firms: implications for market power, executive compensation and managerial incentive.**
9. 11 February, 2011: **Prof. Sudeshna Maitra**, York University. **Who are the Indian Middle Class? A Mixture Model of Class Membership Based on Durables Ownership.**

Staff Seminars

1. 8 March, 2011: **Dr. Indrajit Mallick**, CSSSC. **The Contours of Contract Law.**
2. 24 February, 2011: **Dr. Madhumita Sengupta**, CSSSC-NRTT Post-Doctoral Fellow. **Orienting Progress: A Few Aspects of Education in Nineteenth-Century Assam.**

Conferences and Workshops (Economics)

The CSSSC-UNICEF Social Inclusion Cell at the CSSSC organized a one-day workshop on **Inclusive Goals, Exclusive Practices on April 19, 2010**. Dr. Saibal Kar was the coordinator of both the conferences.

The workshop was inaugurated by Dr. Anjan Ghosh and the keynote address was delivered by Professor Virginius Xaxa of the Department of Sociology, Delhi University. Paper presentations were made by Prashant Negi, Deepita Chakravarty, Ridhita Bannerjee and Sohail Firdaus. There was a panel discussion moderated by Professor Sugata Marjit, the other participants being Sister Cyril of Loreto School, Sealdah and Kumar Rana of the Pratichi Trust.

The Centre for Studies in Social Sciences organized two **International Conferences on Advances in Economic Theory** on **July 22, 2010** and **December 22, 2010** respectively. Dr. Saibal Kar was the coordinator of both the conferences.

The inaugural address on **July 22, 2010** was delivered by Sugata Marjit, Director, CSSSC. The five sessions that followed were chaired by Professor Abhirup Sarkar of the Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata, Soumyen Sikdar and Arijit Sen of Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta, Jyotsna Jalan of CSSSC and Asis Kumar Banerjee of Jadavpur University respectively. The papers presented were '*Credible Social Learning*' by Professor Kalyan Chatterjee, Pennsylvania State University and Dr. Bhaskar Dutta, University of Warwick, '*Do Opportunity Costs Matter in a Sequential Contribution Public Goods Game?*' by Dr. Utteyo Dasgupta, Franklin and Marshall College, '*Conflict and Mobility:*

Resource Sharing among Groups' by Dr. Joyee Deb, New York University, '*Partial Harmonization of Corporate Taxes among Asymmetric Countries in a Repeated Game Setting*' by Jun-ichi Itaya, Hokkaido University and '*Sustaining a Consumption Target under Uncertainty*' by Dr. Mukul Majumdar, Cornell University and Dr. Nigar Hashimzade, University of Reading.

The inaugural session of the **December 22, 2010** International Conference on Advances in Economic Theory was addressed by Professor Jyotsna Jalan of CSSSC. Five papers were presented thereafter. These were chaired by Abhirup Sarkar and Tarun Kabiraj of the Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata, Professor Indraneel Dasgupta of CSSSC, DR. Asis Kumar Banerjee and Dr. Rajat Acharyya of Jadavpur University. The presentations were '*Discipline or Disruption? Stakeholder Relationships and the Effect of takeover Threat*' by Sudipto Dasgupta, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, '*Secret Reserves and the Right of Refusal in Auctions: Lokshaan in Auction*' by Abhijit Sengupta, University of Sydney, '*Dynamic Mechanisms*' by Sambuddha Ghosh, Boston University, '*The Economics of Self-Control*' by Debraj Ray, New York University [with Doug Bernheim (Stanford), and Sevin Yeltekin (Carnegie Mellon)] and '*Collusion, Experts and Incentives: Can reputation of experts and opinions outside firms serve as Checks and Balances?*' by Sanjay Banerjee, University of Essex.

National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (NREGS): Current Situation and Emerging Priorities for Research 5-6 August 2010.

The purpose of the workshop was to familiarize the investigators associated with the International Institute of Social Studies, Erasmus University, Rotterdam and the CSSSC with the first hand experiences of individuals and organizations working on the NREGS at the level of policy making and implementation. The workshop consisted of four sessions.

- Session I Role of NREGS in ensuring an inclusive development trajectory for rural India.
- Session II Implementation of the NREGS; Decentralization, inclusion and rural capture.
Reflection by Research Team.
- Session III Household level impact of NREGS.
- Session IV Rural Infrastructure creation and long term growth Reflection by Research team.

One day workshop cum conference titled **Strengthening Rural Decentralisation in West Bengal: Initiatives and Challenges** was organized by the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences (CSSSC) in association with Department of International Development (DFID), UK and Department of Panchayats and Rural development, Government of West Bengal on **February 22, 2011**. Dr. Pranab Kumar Das was the coordinator of the conference.

The welcome address was given by Sugata Marjit, Director, CSSSC. This was followed by introductory remarks by Shantanu Das, DFID, from the DFID perspective and an address by the Guest of Honour, Bankim Chandra Ghosh, Minister of State, *Panchayats and Rural Development*, Government of West Bengal. The keynote lecture was delivered by Jyotsna Jalan, CSSSC, followed by a presentation on '*Strengthening Rural Decentralisation: The Way Forward*' by Indira Rajaraman,

Indian Statistical Institute, Delhi and Member of XIIIth Finance Commission. In the first session, chaired by Dr. Buddhadeb Ghosh of Institute of Social Studies, Kolkata *Perspectives, Policy initiatives and Implementation of the strengthening Rural Decentralisation Programme in West Bengal* was discussed and three papers were presented by M. N. Ray and Dilip Kr. Pal, Govt. of West Bengal, Pranab Kumar Das, CSSSC and Dilip Ghosh, Govt. of West Bengal. The second session was chaired by Kripa Ananthpur, MIDS. A discussion on *Perspectives and experiences of Rural Decentralisation in other States* was held with three presentations made by S. M. Vijayanand, Govt. of Kerala, Dwaipayana Bhattacharya, CSSSC and Yamini Aiyar and Ambarish Dongre, CPR, New Delhi. This was followed by a panel discussion on *Emerging Challenges and Way Forward for Decentralisation in West Bengal/India* with Buddhadeb Ghosh, Institute of Social Studies, Kolkata, Harihar Bhattacharya, Bardhaman University, Prasad Ranjan Ray, Chairman, WBERC and former Principal Secretary, Land Reforms and Revenue, Govt. of West Bengal and Surajit C. Mukhopadhyay, CSSSC as panelists and Indraneel Dasgupta, CSSSC as moderator. The concluding session on *Policy Conclusions and Thinking Ahead* was presented by Sugata Marjit, CSSSC. The day came to an end with a vote of thanks from Sujata Sen, of the British Council in Calcutta.

Conferences and Workshops (others)

The **Papiya Ghosh Memorial Fund (PGMF)** annual workshop 2010 was held at CSSSC on July 1 and 2, 2010. The theme of this year's workshop was **Communities at the Margins: Practices and Livelihood**.

This annual workshop was part of the project supported by the Papiya Ghosh Memorial Fund for young researchers. Of the ten paper-presenters, three were the existing Papiya Ghosh Memorial Fellowship-holders. All the papers were commented upon by discussants, comprising the CSSSC faculty and scholars from other institutions of the country. Prof. Shahid Amin of Delhi University delivered the keynote address titled "The Marginal Jotter: The Curious Case of Ram Gharib Chaube".

NRTT workshops

2010 November: The Public and the private: Lives, Institutions, Practices

In keeping with the larger mandate of the NRTT project for enhancing research capacities among beginning doctoral, doctoral and post doctoral students, the workshop was structured around discussion of pre-circulated key readings in the morning and presentation of student work in the afternoons followed by comments by designated discussants. The resource persons were carefully chosen and were drawn from both the faculty at the Centre and from other institutions and universities. What distinguished the workshop was both the high level of academic rigour and interaction as well as the emphasis on interdisciplinary orientation towards the study of social sciences. The selected participants were Ashokan Nambiar C, Bhuvi Gupta, T. Chandramouli, Debasis Poddar, Partha Pratim Shil, Shruti Dubey, Shivani Kapoor, Himadri Chatterjee, Javed Iqbal Wani, Geetika Bapna, Mohammed Faisal, S. Rajasulochana, Abhishek Mitra, Kaustubh Mani

Sengupta, Saayan Chattopadhyay, Saikat Mitra, Samrat Sengupta, Sarbani Bandyopadhyay, Sayam Ghosh, Shruti Dubey, Sruthi Muraleedharan, Susmita Ghosh.

Workshop under the Ford Foundation Project

29 November, 2010: This one day workshop saw formal presentations by doctoral and post doctoral fellows who had been awarded short term fellowships under the Ford project. The presentations were the outcome of research they had undertaken during the tenure of their fellowship and were subsequently committed to publication under the Occasional papers series of the Centre.

The presentations were as follows:

Ms. Swati Chatterjee, (Doctoral intern working under the supervision of Dr. Bodhisatva Kar, CSSSC) *Dressing Room Of Modernity? Notes on the Politics of Attire in Late Nineteenth Century Calcutta.*

Dr. Mollica Dastider (Post doctoral fellow) From Major to Minor: *The Contested Category of Nepali Language Community in the East Himalayas.*

Dr. Sraman Mukherjee (Post Doctoral fellow) *Ruins & Temple Building: Constructing the Mulagandha Kuti Vihara at Sarnath.*

Dr. Madhumita Sengupta (Post doctoral fellow) *Of Alienations: The state and temples in nineteenth and early twentieth century Assam.*

Ford Foundation Project and Sepsis

23-28 January, 2011: 16th Cultural Studies Workshop held in Jaipur on Empire, Nation and Cosmopolitanism.

Report on the Workshop

The Cultural Studies Workshop organized by the Centre has over the years gained enormous reputation and is seen as enabling doctoral students at different stage of their work to refine their research methodology. This workshop like its predecessors generated a very significant response with more than 40 applications from international students of the south alone. The idea behind the workshop was to revisit the Kantian idea of perpetual peace in the context of post colonial conflict and tensions stemming from the aftermath of Empire and Nation. Under the broad theme, five sub-themes were spelt out to facilitate submission of research papers by young students. The resource persons included six faculty members and eight external faculty persons. These were Uday Kumar (Delhi University), Prathama Bannerjee (CSDS, Delhi University), Rahul Govind (Delhi University), Sanjay Srivastava (IEG, Delhi University), Janaki Nair (J.N.U. Delhi), Ravi Sundaram (CSDS, Delhi University), Saumyabrata Chowdhury (Institute of Advanced Studies, Shimla) and Rajarshi Dasgupta (J.N.U, Delhi). The Centre's faculty included Tapati Guha-Thakurta, Partha Chatterji, Manas Ray, Lakshmi Subramanian, Rosinka Chaudhuri and Anirban Das.

Annual Ph.D. Presentation 2010

DAY 1: 08.12.2010

Sl. No.	Name & Signature	Discipline	Time	Name of Supervisor	Title of Presentation	Ph.D. Title
1.	Sarani Khatua	Geography	10:00 to 11:00	Dr. Keya Dasgupta	Democratic Decentralisation or Corporatisation? Trends in Urban Governance in Contemporary Kolkata.	Urban Governance in Kolkata Municipal Corporation: A Focus on Poverty Alleviation Policies.
2.	Iman Kumar Mitra	Economics	11:00 to 12:00	Dr. Bodhisattva Kar	The Reality of Economic Models: Few Observations.	Some Aspects of the Historical Evolution of the Economic Discipline.
3.	Sushmita Ghosh	History	12:00 to 01:00	Dr. Anirban Das	Cosmo politics and masculinities: Thinking through contemporary Hindi cinema.	Some Aspects of the Historical Evolution of the Economic Discipline.
LUNCH BREAK: 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm						
4.	Sreemoyee Ghosh	Political Science	02:00 to 03:00	Dr. Manabi Majumdar	Political Party and Local Entrepreneurs: Informal Industrial Practices in Durgapur.	Organized Informality? The Case of Industrial Informal Workers in Durgapur.
5.	Trina Nileena Banerjee	English	03:00 to 04:00	Dr. Rajarshi Dasgupta	Spectacles of Freedom and Misogyny: Representations of Women in Bengali Political Theatre Developing in and around the Emergency in India (1965-1978).	Performance, Autonomy and the Politics of the Marginal: Women in the Group Theatre Movement in India (1950-2005).

Annual Ph.D. Presentation 2010

DAY 1: 08.12.2010

Sl. No.	Name & Signature	Discipline	Time	Name of Supervisor	Title of Presentation	Ph.D. Title
6.	Parama Banerjee	Geography	04:00 to 05:00	Dr. Keya Dasgupta	Participation, Projects, Policies and Beyond: The Case Study of Chakadoba Village, Bankura	Participatory Planning Governance: Context of Urban and Rural West Bengal

Annual Ph.D. Presentation 2010

DAY 2: 09.12.2010

7.	Paromita Brahmachari	Film Studies	10:00 to 11:00	Prof. Sibaji Bandyopadhyay		Othering Spaces, Forgoing Selves: Contemporary Cinema, Globalization and the New Indian Middle Class
8.	Indira Biswas	History	11:00 to 12:00	Prof. Gautam Bhadra	'The Battle for Ears during World War II: Propaganda Broadcasting, the AIR Calcutta, Nirad C. Chaudhury and Calcutta Listeners'.	A History of All-India Radio, Calcutta Station
9.	Runa Das Chowdhury	Sociology	12:00 to 01:00	Prof. Sibaji Bandyopadhyay	Games without alibi in Bangla Kishore Sahitya.	The Interplay between the 'Everyday' and the 'Uncanny': Sociology of Ghost Stories Written for Children in Bangla between 1940 and 1980.

LUNCH BREAK: 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Annual Ph.D. Presentation 2010
DAY 2: 09.12.2010

Sl. No.	Name & Signature	Discipline	Time	Name of Supervisor	Title of Presentation	Ph.D. Title
10.	Debarati Bagchi	History	02:00 to 03:00	Dr. Bodhisattva Kar	Shifting Logics of Territorial Reorganizations in Colonial Sylhet.	Many Spaces of Sylhet: Making of a Regional Identity 1870s-1940s
11.	Kamalika Mukherjee	History	03:00 to 04:00	Prof. Tapati Guha-Thakurta	Desiring and Desirable Women: the Feminine Figure in Advertisements of Early Twentieth Century Calcutta	Allegories of Womanhood: Gender in the Popular Visual Culture of Late Nineteenth and Early Twentieth-Century Bengal.
12.	Suryanandini Sinha	Visual Art & Art History	04:00 to 05:00	Prof. Tapati Guha-Thakurta		The Intercepted Photograph: Interactions of Painting and Digital Media with Studio Photography in India
13.	Kallol Ray	English	05:00 to 06:00	Prof. Tapati Guha-Thakurta	The Ambivalence of Indian Art History: Rabindranath Tagore as a Site of Narration	Catastrophes, Textualities, and Subjectivities: The Paintings of Rabindranath Tagore and the Narratives of Modernism

● For each Ph.D. Scholar: * Presentation: 40 minutes * Discussion: 20 minutes

11... *Archive & Library*

Hitesh Ranjan Sanyal Memorial Archives

The Hitesh Ranjan Sanyal Memorial Archives at the CSSSC play a vital role in strengthening its profile as a major resource centre of the country. Served by a committed and trained staff, it maintains a repository of valuable digitized collections (textual and visual) and from time to time organizes exhibitions to present these to a wider public. It also maintains a vibrant publication programme that is in part supported by specific research projects like the Ford Foundation project. Several members of the archives take a keen interest in archive related research activities. The digital acquisitions for the year 2010-11 include the Jugantar (1937-1980), the Amrita Bazar Patrika (1872-1890, 1892-1905, 1911 and 1919). Additionally under the Ford Foundation Project, the Centre conducted digital documentation of the career-long paintings, sketches and murals of the veteran artist, Shanu Lahiri, during April 2010.

Activities of the Archive Staff

Abhijit Bhattacharya

1. Attended (as resource person): a two-day workshop at the School of Women's Studies, Tezpur University for a panel on "Digital Humanities and State of Archives in South Asia" on 6 and 7 April 2010.
2. Attended a workshop on "Revisiting Research Methods in Social Sciences" at Sambalpur University and organized in Collaboration with Contemporary India Study Centre Aarhus and presented a paper titled: "Nationalism, Identity and Culture of Public institutions in Colonial Bengal: A Space for Studying Academic Disciplines Beyond University" from 25 - 27 November 2010.
3. Attended a panel (with S. Theodore Baskaran, Mainak Biswas, Steven Hughes and Ravi Vasudevan) on "New Media and Problem of Archives" in a conference on "Future of Early Tamil Cinema" at the Roja Muthiah Research Library, Chennai on 17 and 18 February 2011.

Kamalika Mukherjee

Published an occasional paper in the Archive Series: *Parallel Lives: Charting the History of Popular Prints of the Bengal and Bombay Presidencies, Archive Working Paper Series - 03.*

CSSSC Libraries

The main library completed a decade of its functioning in the Patuli Campus. It has since its inception acquired books through purchase and individual donations. The library has developed its brochure that awaits printing.

The library has functioned smoothly in the year under review and has facilitated both faculty and students in the course of their academic activities. Two new computers have been provided to the reading room and the catalogue of periodical holding has been updated.

The Anjan Ghosh Reading Room was set up in a designated space in the library in memory of Dr. Ghosh.

Additions: Books

A total of 1038 books added to the Centre's main library at Patuli. Of this 871 books (83.9%) were purchased and 167 (26.1%) books received as gift.

Journals

Four foreign journals published by IMF have been resumed during the year 2011. Institutional subscriptions for Indiatat.com; CMIE-Prowess & JSTOR have been paid. All subscription to journals have continued.

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 38 E mail based enquiries were attended and over 1512 pages of photocopies of World Bank publications were provided to users.

Users

There has been an appreciable increase in readership. 132 new non-borrowing and 40 borrowing members were recorded during this period. 2154 users visited the Library during this year. The figure represents a 33% increase in the users' attendance in the Library. Besides, 97 scholars residing outside West Bengal used the library; of which 41 (42%) were from various foreign universities.

Reprographic Services

The reprographic service provided by the CSSSC Library is efficient and appreciated by its users. A total of 2, 21, 138 pages of photocopy materials have been provided during the year. A new photocopy machine has been acquired.

Jadunath Sarkar Resource Centre

Books

The Jadunath Sarkar Resource Centre (JSRC) has a total collection of 16 197 books as on 31/3/2010. Of this, 13066 books were received as gifts from eminent scholars and 3131 books were purchased. During the year under review, 1751 books were added which include 1623 gift books and 128 purchased books. However, owing to financial stringency, the number of purchased books has significantly decreased. During the period under report, 240 old books were bound.

Magazine/Periodicals

29 issues of Bengali magazines *Desh* and *Boier Desh* were acquired through purchase during this year.

The Collections of Jadunat Sarkar Resource Centre have continued to be significantly used by scholars. The collection of old newspapers like Ananda Bazar Patrika, Telegraph, Business Standard, Jugantar and Amrita Bazar Patrika and children's literature in Bengali language were among the most sought after items. The Centre is in the process of drafting a questionnaire to survey the users' needs.

12... *The Jadunath Sarkar Resource Centre for Historical Research*

In 2010, the Ministry of Culture, Government of India sanctioned an amount of Rs. 3 crores towards the project of converting the Jadunath Sarkar Resource Centre into a small museum, with an archive and library attached to it. The first installment of this grant has been received and allocated to the civil construction and renovation of the existing premises at 10 Lake Terrace. Following an advertisement for the post, and an interview conducted at the CSSSC on March 21, 2011 by a Selection Committee, including external experts from the architectural profession, the firm of Alleya and Associates has been selected to undertake the work of design and execution of the architectural renovation and upgradation of the precincts to allow its functioning in its extended capacity of a museum, archival repository, special library and resource centre. Following the preparation of final drawings and the making of a schedule of tenders for civil construction, the physical reconstruction work on the building is expected to begin by the winter of 2011.

History of the Premises at 10 Lake Terrace

Sir Jadunath Sarkar (1870-1958), one of India's eminent historians, settled with his family into his new house at 10 Lake Terrace in 1938, and lived there until his death in 1958. It was then a 2-storied house with Sir Jadunath's study on the ground floor. The front of the house had a covered portico and the back an open yard. Sir Jadunath's wife, Lady Kadambini (1880-1964), left a will stating that after her death, the house should be sold and the proceeds given to a hospital. On her death, the trustees of her will were searching for potential buyers of the house when the then Education Advisor of the Government of India, J. P. Naik, negotiated with the trustees and bought the house for the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi. The newly founded Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta (CSSSC) rented the house in 1973 and subsequently purchased it. The CSSSC's first home was in this building, and some of its most important and eventful history belongs to this location. In the year 2000 the CSSSC moved into its new premises at Baishnabghata Patuli and in 2004 the Jadunath Sarkar Resource Centre for Historical Research (JSRC) was set up at 10, Lake Terrace.

The Jadunath Sarkar Centre for Historical Research and the Hitesranjan Sanyal Memorial Collections (The CSSSC Archive)

The JSRC, along with the archives of the CSSSC, was intended to house and display relatively unconventional cultural resources that are increasingly being used in new historical research, but

which are not easily available in conventional museums, libraries and archives. The CSSSC's Archive is named the Hitesranjan Sanyal Memorial Collection after Dr. Hitesranjan Sanyal, a pioneer social and cultural historian of Bengal, who was a member of the faculty of the Centre from 1973 till his sudden death in 1988. Begun in 1993, the CSSSC's Archive functions primarily as a documentation unit, containing microfilms, transparencies, photographs and digital copies of different kinds of textual and visual material from 19th and 20th century Bengal, which exist in small institutional and private holdings in Bengal. The idea of the archives is to preserve and collate under a single collection analogue and digital copies of Bengali books and periodicals, and a variety of visual material, ranging from paintings, prints and photographs to book covers and illustrations, advertisements, labels, posters and pamphlets. While the archives houses primarily copies of texts and images in analogue and digital form, where the originals lie scattered and dispersed across libraries, institutions and homes, a parallel collection of original rare books, journals, newspapers and photographs that have come into the CSSSC's custody are housed in the JSRC. Within a few years of its inauguration, the JSRC has established itself as a major collection of sources for research into the cultural history of Eastern and North-eastern India.

Need and plan for a Small Museum and Consolidation of the JSRC and CSSSC's Archival Collections

The rare collections of the JSRC and the CSSSC Archives have not thus far been permanently displayed, largely due to the unavailability of exhibition facilities. Our experience from the few exhibitions we have held of material from the archival collections is that there is considerable interest not only among scholars but a wider public in these rare items that are not usually collected or displayed in public museums or libraries. There is excellent scope, it was felt, for opening a permanent display section of such holdings in the JSRC. Given the historical association of the building with Sir Jadunath Sarkar, a changing museum display of the book collections, papers and photograph albums of several eminent scholars of 20th century Bengal, that have been acquired by the JSRC, will be extremely appropriate in these premises, along with displays of CSSSC's rich archival holdings of paintings, prints, posters, cinema booklets, advertisements and photographs of 19th and 20th century Bengal.

It is intended to include the Following Components in the New Facility:

- A re-creation of Sir Jadunath Sarkar's study, with a display of his photographs, books and papers.
- Reorganised and upgraded spaces which will combine archival storage and museum display for the material in the JSRC and Hitesranjan Sanyal Memorial Collection.
- Display cum storage space for large format materials such as newspapers and maps.
- Gallery space for changing exhibits.
- Digital retrieval and documentation unit for endangered materials.

- Modern reading rooms equipped with internet and other facilities required by researchers.
- Auditorium, seminar room and discussion rooms to facilitate educational programmes and related events.
- Offices and other support facilities.

13... Other Activities

1. Over the last year, the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences has been active in completing the drafting of a policy on gender sensitization and setting up a formal committee to undertake gender sensitization. The Working Committee on Gender Sensitization against Sexual Harassment (coordinated by Manabi Majumdar) completed the task of drafting a policy on gender sensitization against sexual harassment and formally adopted it in September 2010. The Working Committee also oversaw the constitution of the first Committee on Gender Sensitization against Sexual Harassment (COGSASH), which became effective in October 2010. Subsequently, a number of steps have been undertaken for dissemination of the policy and for general sensitization. These include:
 - Making the policy and the names and contact details of COGSASH members available in the public domain (website, notice board, etc).
 - Discussion of the key points of the policy in dissemination meetings with the four constituencies in the Centre (administrative staff, faculty, project staff, and students).
 - Preparation of a summary of the policy in English as well as in Bangla.
 - Posters to sensitize people with regard to sexual harassment put up at various locations in the Centre.
2. The Centre extends its support towards formal academic collaboration with other institutions both national and international. It is open to academic visits by heads of institutions to consider the possibility of academic collaboration and research. On 29 March 2011, a group of visiting Chinese scholars and artists from the West Heavens Project on Intellectual Dialogue between China and India, visited the Centre and discussed ways of forging formal ties between the Centre and institutions in China. The delegation consisted of Tsung Zung Chang, curator, Hong Kong, Kuan-Hsing Chen, Prof. of Cultural Studies, National Chiao Tung University, Taiwan, Shiming Gao, Deputy Director, China Art Academy, Lu Xinghua, Department of Philosophy, Tongji University, China, Qin Zhijie, artist, Chieh Jen Chen, Prof. of Cultural Studies, Taiwan and Chen Yun, Project Manager, West Heavens Project, Shanghai.

14... Students' Enrollment

Student Enrollment Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta M.Phil. 2010-12

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| 1. Ammel Sharon | 9. Rupsa Ray |
| 2. Anwasha Ghosh | 10. Santanu Sengupta |
| 3. Kena Navin Wani | 11. Saswati Saha |
| 4. Maharghya Chakraborty | 12. Sebanti Chatterjee |
| 5. Parjanya Sen | 13. Sourit Bhattacharya |
| 6. Piya Chakraborty | 14. Sujeet C. George |
| 7. Piya Srinivasan | 15. Yagna Nag Chowdhuri |
| 8. Romit Chowdhury | |

Student Enrollment Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta M.Phil. 2011-13

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| 1. Koyel Lahiri | 6. Sreenanti Banerjee |
| 2. Praskanva Sinharay | 7. Sreya Banerjee |
| 3. Sangita Saha | 8. Pinaki Roy |
| 4. Sayori Ghoshal | 9. Souradip Bhattacharyya |
| 5. Senjuti Chakraborti | |

Student Enrollment Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta RMQE 2010-11

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|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Mr. Parag Chandra | 5. Ms. Chaitali Sinha |
| 2. Mr. Saptorshee Kanto Chakraborty | 6. Ms. Anua Chakraborty |
| 3. Ms. Meghna Dutta | 7. Mr. Salim Shah |
| 4. Ms. Amrita Pramanick | |

Doctoral Students with and without ICSSR Fellowship under supervision of the faculties at CSSSC

Sl. No.	Name of Scholar Address/Ph. No. /Email id.	Date of Registration	ICSSR Fellowship w.e.f.	Discipline	Supervisor & Co Supervisor	Topic
1.	Debarati Bagchi	23.03.2009 Delhi University	10.11.2008	History	Bodhisattva Kar (CSSSC) Prabhu Mohapatra (Delhi University)	'Many spaces of Sylhet: Making of a 'Regional Identity 1870s-1940s'
2.	Iman Kumar Mitra	10.06.2009 Jadavpur University	10.11.2008	Economics	Bodhisattva Kar (CSSSC) Vivekananda Mukherjee J.U.)	Some aspects of the historical evolution of the Economic discipline
3.	Parama Banerjee	20.3.2009 Calcutta University	03.10.2008	Geography	Keya Dasgupta (CSSSC) Sumona Bandhopadhyay (C.U.)	'Participatory Planning Governance: Context of Urban and Rural West Bengal'
4.	Sarani Khatua	02.06.2008 Calcutta University	15.11.2007	Geography	Keya Dasgupta (CSSSC)	Urban governance in Kolkata Municipal Corporation: A focus on poverty alleviation policies
5.	Susmita Ghosh	Mar 2008 Jadavpur University	12.12.07	History	Anirban Das (CSSSC) Ipshita Chanda (J.U.)	Masculinity in Hindi Cinema

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6.	Runa Das Chaudhuri	May 2005 Jadavpur University	Dec 2004	Sociology	Sibaji Bandyopadhyay (CSSSC) Aveek Majumdar (J.U.)	The interplay between the 'everyday' and the 'uncanny': Sociology of ghost stories written for children in Bangla between 1940 and 1980.
7.	Suryanandini Sinha	Mar 2008 Jawaharlal University	Feb 2008	Visual Art and Art History	Tapati Guha- Thakurta (CSSSC) Kavita Singh (J.N.U.)	Working title: 'The Intercepted Photograph: Interactions of painting and digital media with studio photography in India'
8.	Paromita Brahmachari	13.05.2005 Jadavpur University	27.12.2004 to 27.12.2007	Film Studies	Sibaji Bandyopadhyay (CSSSC) Moinak Biswas (J.U.)	'Othering spaces, Forgoing selves: Contemporary Cinema, Globalization and the New Indian Middle Class'.

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Sl. No.	Name of Scholar Address/Ph. No. /Email id.	Date of Registration	ICSSR Fellowship w.e.f.	Discipline	Supervisor & Co Supervisor	Topic
9.	Trina Nileena Banerjee	20.4.2007 Jadavpur University	1.11.2006	English	Rajarshi Dasgupta (CPS, JNU) Paromita Chakravarti (J.U.)	Performance, Autonomy and the Politics of the Marginal: Women in the Group Theatre Movement in India (1950-2005)
10.	Kamalika Mukherjee	19.05.2005 Calcutta University	N.A.	History	Tapati Guha-Thakurta (CSSSC)	Allegories of Womanhood: Gender in the Popular Visual Culture of Late Nineteenth and Early Twentieth-Century Bengal
11.	Indira Biswas		N.A.	History	Prof. Gautam Bhadra	A History of All-India Radio, Calcutta Station
12.	Kallol Ray	31.03.2008 Jadavpur University	13.12.2007 presently forfeited	English	Tapati Guha-Thakurta (CSSSC)	<i>Catastrophes, Textualities, and Subjectivities: The Paintings of Rabindranath Tagore and the Narratives of Modernism</i>

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Sl. No.	Name	Name of Supervisor	M. Phil. Title
1.	Arunita Mukherjee	Dr. Keya Dasgupta	Precarious Certainties: Everyday Lives, Negotiations and Visible-Invisible Actors of Street Vending in Kolkata.
2.	Daminee Basu	Dr. Rosinka Chaudhuri	Narrativizing Pain: An Ethnography on the Performance of Pain in the Rituals of Chadak
3.	Darshana Sreedhar	Dr. Priya Sangameswaran	Theorizing Same-Sex Desire: Dissonant Voices in Twenty First-Century Kerala
4.	Kaustubh Das	Prof. Tapati Guha-Thakurta	Living Monument to Preserved Fossil: A Study on the Effects of Governmental Administration on Heritage/Monumental Sites of Heterodox Practice in Orissa
5.	Subhankar Ghosh	Dr. Dwaipayan Bhattacharya	Exploring Divinity and Identity in Estuarine Bengal
6.	Najnin Islam	Dr. Manabi Majumdar	Intransient Borders?: Identities, Cultural Formations and the Sikh-Punjabi Community in Kolkata
7.	Jayanti Ghosh	Dr. Saibal Kar	Women Employment: Influence of Religion, Region and Ethnicity
8	Priyankar Dey	Dr. Bodhisattva Kar	The Bhadrakols and the Machines: Cultures of Subjectivity in Late Colonial World
9.	Sagnik Atarathi	Prof. Lakshmi Subrahmanian	Writing Music into Bengal's Publics: 1890-1947
10.	Sanjna Mukhopadhyay	Dr. Bodhisattva Kar	Time Off: Holidays, Leaves and Questions of Work in Colonial Bengal

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Sl. No.	Name	Name of Supervisor	M. Phil Title
11.	Sayantan Saha Roy	Dr. Anirban Das	'Making' Abortion Laws in India: Rights, Debates and Sex-Selection
12.	Moumita Sen	Prof. Tapati Guha-Thakurta	The Making and Unmaking of the Sacred: The Politics of Production and Consumption of Holy Idols in Kolkata
13.	Zaid Al Baset	Prof. Sibaji Bandyopadhyay	The Reflexive Construction of the Queer 'Self': An Enquiry into the Politics of Identity, Identification and Experience

Statement of Accounts

S. N. Mukherji & Co.

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AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Governors
CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA
R-1, Baishnabghata Patuli Township
Kolkata 700 094

1. We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of 'Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta' as at 31st March, 2011 and also the Income & Expenditure Accounts of the Centre for the year ended on that date. 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 our auditing the accounts in the form in which they have been prepared.
 - ii) In our opinion, proper books of accounts as required by law have been kept by the Centre so far as it appears 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 accounts.
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 for the year 2001-02 and 2002-03 respectively.

No re-assessment or fresh provision was made on actuarial basis thereafter upto the financial year 2010-11 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 of Rs. 19,268/- is still appearing under the head "Sales Tax" and shown as "current liability" in the Books of the Centre (CSSSC) as on 31.03.2011. Although the same report appeared in last year's accounts, the reason for such credit balance has not yet been explained to us.
- iii) Provident Fund payable account shows a sum of Rs. 40,13,613.02 under the head "Current Liabilities and Provisions " as on 31.03.2011. Step should be taken to settle the liability.

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 the Balance Sheet, of the state of affairs of the Centre as at 31st March, 2011 and
- b) in the case of the Income & Expenditure Accounts, of the excess of expenditure over income for the year ended on that date.

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

Sd/-
(P.S. Basu)
Partner

Membership No. 52224

Place: Kolkata

Date: 19th July, 2011

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN

R-1 BAISHNABGHATA PATULI

BALANCE SHEET

CORPUS/CAPITAL FUND AND LIABILITIES <hr/>
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 <hr/>
Fixed Assets <i>Less: Accumulated Depreciation</i> 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
Kokata 700 001
Dated: 19/07/2011

Sd/-
Sugata Marjit
Director

Sd/-
Ashoke Chaudhuri
Registrar

SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA

TOWNSHIP, KOLKATA 700 094

AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2011

(Amount Rs.)

	Schedule	Current Year		Previous Year
	1	34131703.86		35424491.80
	2	0.00		0.00
	3	662078.00		662078.00
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	5	34541370.02		32590917.91
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	8	65896411.53		
		31927301.07		
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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

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN

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INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR

<u>INCOME</u> 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
TOTAL (A)
<u>EXPENDITURE</u> 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

1B Old Post Office Street
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Dated 19/07/2011

Sd/-
Sugata Marjit
Director

Sd/-
Ashoke Chaudhuri
Registrar

SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA

TOWNSHIP, KOLKATA 700 094

THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2011

(Amount Rs.)

	Schedule	Current Year		Previous Year
	12	—		—
	13	32745001.79		32636901.39
	14	—		—
	15	—		—
	16	49131.00		69244.00
	17	42007.74		14903.00
	18	308935.47		235532.08
	19	—		—
		33145076.00		32956580.47
	20	27122536.00		24200844.00
	21	5931675.00		8608726.47
	22	90865.00		147010.00
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		4291161.94		5104321.07
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Signed in terms of our report attached

For M/s. S.N. Mukherji & CO.
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(P.S. Basu)

Partner

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R-1 BAISHNABGHATA PATULI
SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF

SCHEDULE 1 – CORPUS / CAPITAL FUND

Balance as at the beginning of the year

Add: Contributions towards Corpus/Capital Fund

Less: Balance of net expenditure transferred from the Income and Expenditure Account

BALANCE AS AT THE YEAR END

SCHEDULE 2 – RESERVES AND SURPLUS

1. Capital Reserve

As per last Account

Addition during the year

Less: Deductions during the year

2. Revaluation Reserve

As per last Account

Addition during the year

Less: Deductions during the year

3. Special Reserves: (General Resarch Fund)

As per last Account

Addition during the year

Less: Deductions during the year

4. General Reserves

As per last Account

Addition during the year

Less: Deductions during the year

TOTAL

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Sd/-

Sugata Marjit

Director

Sd/-

Ashoke Chaudhuri

Registrar

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2011

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year		Previous Year	
35424491.80	—	25982355.84	—
2998374.00	—	14546457.03	—
4291161.94	—	5104321.07	—
	34131703.86		35424491.80

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

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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. Capital Expenditure
 – Fixed Assets
 – Others
 Total
 ii. Revenue Expenditure
 – 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.
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.

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FUND-WISE BREAK UP				TOTALS	
Provident Fund	Gratuity Fund	G.R.F	S. Ghosh Mem. Fund	Current Year	Previous Year
		362078.00	300000.00	662078.00	—
			—		—
			—		—
		362078.00	300000.00	662078.00	662078.00
Nil	Nil	—	—	Nil	—
Nil	Nil	—	—	Nil	—
Nil	Nil	—	—	Nil	—
		362078.00	300000.00	662078.00	662078.00

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SCHEDULE 4 – SECURED LOANS AND BORROWINGS

1. Central Government
2. State Government (specify)
3. Financial Institutions:
 - a) Term Loans
 - b) Interest accrued and due
3. Banks:
 - a) Term Loans
– Interest accrued and due
 - b) Other Loans (specify)
– Interest accrued and due
4. Other Institutions and Agencies
5. Debentures and Bonds
7. Others (specify)

TOTAL

Note: Amounts due within one year

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(Amount Rs.)

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

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SCHEDULE 5 – UNSECURED LOANS AND BORROWINGS

1. Central Government	ICSSR 1. ICSSR-New Delhi (Grant-in-Aid): Plan-Non-Recurring 2. Grant Non Plan-Non-Recurring (2008-09) 3. Grant in Payable ICSSR, Plan-Recurring
2. State Government (specify)	Govt. of W.B. 1. Govt. W.B. (Grant-in-Aid): Plan-Non-Recurring 2. Govt. W.B. Non-Plan Non-Recurring
3. Financial Institutions:	
4. Banks:	
a) Term Loans	
b) Other Loans (specify)	
5. Other Institutions and Agencies	(Advance Account – L.P.) Opening Balance <i>Add:</i> during the year 2010-11 <i>Less:</i> refund during the year 2010-11
6. Debentures and Bonds	
7. Fixed Deposits	
8. Others (specify)	

TOTAL

Note: Amounts due within one year

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(Amount Rs.)

	Current Year	Previous Year
674254.06		6665941.95
<u>126621.96</u>		2000000.00
800876.02		
		<u>126621.96</u>
		8792563.91
6370576.00		
<u>2000000.00</u>		
	8370576.00	8370576.00
15427778.00		
<u>16600871.00</u>		
32028649.00		
<u>6658731.00</u>		
	25369918.00	15427778.00
	34541370.02	32590917.91

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SCHEDULE 6 – DEFERRED CREDIT LIABILITIES

- a) Acceptance secured by hypothecation of capital equipment and other assets
- b) Others

TOTAL

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(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year

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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:
 - 1 P.F. Payable
 - 2 Liability for Revenue Expenses (Auditors)
6. (ICSSR - Fellowship, 375433.30) + (Library Deposit - 107550) + (FFRA - 13015) + (Sales Tax – Biswas Construction - 19268) + (RMQE - 28243)

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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(Amount Rs.)

Current Year		Previous Year	
4013613.02			1084992.02
25060.00			20000.00
543509.30			451960.30
4582182.32	0.00	0.00	1556952.32
3392548.00			3392548.00
5407095.00			5407095.00
8799643.00	0.00	0.00	8799643.00
13381825.32	0.00	0.00	10356595.32

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SCHEDULE 9 – INVESTMENTS FROM EARMARKED/ENDOWMENT FUNDS

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 with Uco Bank under Kuber Yojona
vide no.00950310013382 dt. 3/4/2007 (Expiry dt. 3/4/2013)

TOTAL

SCHEDULE 10 – INVESTMENTS – OTHERS

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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(Amount Rs.)

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

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

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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)

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2011

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year		Previous Year	
	108563.40		101920.40
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
	2564.30		573.30
	19221.89		32352.89
60384.31	—	—	—
	—	—	—
14963.59	—	—	—
	75347.90		274362.43
Nil	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
Nil	—	—	—
	205697.49		409209.02

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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 – Sugata Marjit – 1358, Advance Flipkart.com – 784, Advance Janki Nair – 10000, Advance S.N. Nag – 2728)
2. Advances and other amounts recoverable in cash or in kind or for 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 – 118886)
(includes income due unrealised – Rs.)
5. Claims Receivable:

– Account Receivable	Grant Receivable
	Others Receivable
	(ICSSR ERC)

TOTAL (B)

TOTAL (A+B)

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(Amount Rs.)

Current Year		Previous Year	
28800.00	—	34800.00	—
9350.00	—	94925.00	—
25310.00	—	1136190.00	—
	63460.00		1265915
	—		—
623776.00	—	623776.00	—
19100.00	—	19100.00	—
	642876.00		642876.00
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
118886.00	—	—	106192.26
	—		—
47433161.25	—		41061473.35
	47552047.25	—	—
—	10995.00	—	7085.00
	48269378.25		43083541.61
	48475075.74		43492750.63

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SCHEDULE FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

PARTICULARS	OPENING BALANCE
Grant-In-Aid Receivable	
G-I-A Govt. of WB Plan-Non-Recurring	7000000.00
G-I-A Govt. of WB Non-Plan (Additional)	1600000.00
G-I-A Govt. of WB Non-Plan	15049495.15
G-I-A Govt. of WB Plan-Recurring	2082267.00
G-I-A ICSSR Non-Plan	14885495.20
G-I-A ICSSR (Plan)	444216.00
GRAND TOTAL	41061473.35

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FOR THE YEAR 31ST MARCH, 2011

RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR	RECEIVABLE FOR THE YEAR	CLOSING BALANCE
1000000.00	0.00	6000000.00
0.00	0.00	1600000.00
964000.00	9071687.90	23157183.05
736000.00	0.00	1346267.00
0.00	0.00	14885495.20
0.00	0.00	444216.00
2700000.00	9071687.90	47433161.25

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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) Sale 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, 2011

(Amount Rs.)

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

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SCHEDULE 13 – GRANTS/SUBSIDIES

(Irrecoverable Grants & Subsidies received)

1. ICSSR-New Delhi (Grant-in-Aid):	
– Plan	3600000.00
– Non-Plan	6280000.00
	<u>9880000.00</u>
<i>Add:</i> Non-Plan Non-Recurring Transferred from B/Sheet	7991687.90
<i>Less:</i> Transfer to Capital Fund	<u>1499187.00</u>
2. State Government(s)	
– Plan	3600000.00
– Non-Plan	6280000.00
	<u>9880000.00</u>
<i>Add:</i> Grant Receivable Transferred to B.S.	7991687.89
<i>Less:</i> Transfer to Capital Fund	<u>1499187.00</u>
3. Government Agencies	
4. Institutions/Welfare Bodies	
5. International Organisations	
6. Others (specify)	

TOTAL

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FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2011

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
16372500.90	16318450.70
16372500.89	16318450.69
—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
32745001.79	32636901.39

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

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

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

SCHEDULE 16 – INCOME FROM ROYALTY, PUBLICATION, etc.

1. Income from Royalty
2. Income from Publications
3. Others (specify) (Photocopying)

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 Other Receivables

TOTAL

Note: Tax deducted at source to be indicated

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FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2011

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
—	—
—	—
49131.00	69244.00
49131.00	69244.00

Current Year	Previous Year
—	—
—	—
—	—
12693.74	—
29314.00	14903.00
—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
42007.74	14903.00

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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

SCHEDULE 19 – INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN STOCK OF FINISHED GOODS & WORK-IN-PROGRESS

1. Closing Stock
 - Finished Goods
 - Work-in-Progress
2. *Less:* Opening Stock
 - Finished Goods
 - Work-in-Progress

NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) [a - b]

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TOWNSHIP, KOLKATA 700 094

FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2011

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
—	—
—	—
—	—
—	—
308935.47	235532.08
308935.47	235532.08

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

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(P.S. Basu)

Partner

(M/NO 52224)

Sd/-

Arabinda Bose

Accountant

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

SCHEDULE 20 – ESTABLISHMENT EXPENSES

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

TOTAL

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Current Year		Previous Year	
Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
22955224.00		20002546.00	
133101.00		132306.00	
980238.00		968396.00	
1062292.00		1050000.00	
74000.00		65384.00	
1508492.00		1561610.00	
409189.00		420602.00	
27122536.00		24200844.00	

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

SCHEDULE 21 – OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES, etc.

- a. Binding
- b. Electricity and Power
- c. Insurance
- d. Repairs and Maintenance
- e. Publication & Printing
- f. Rent, Rates and Taxes
- g. Vehicles Running and Maintenance
- h. Postage, Telephone and Communication Charges
- i. Printing and Stationary
- j. Travelling and Conveyance Expenses
- k. Expenses on Seminar/Workshops
- l. Membership & Subscription Expenses
- m. Interest on Investment transferred to CPF Account
- n. Auditors Remuneration
- o. Hospitality Expenses
- p. Auditors Other Expenses
- q. Advertisement and Publicity
- r. Others (specify) – Miscellaneous Expenses and Bank Charges

TOTAL

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FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2011

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
11770.00	67895.00
886219.00	701372.00
27226.00	53262.00
3391829.50	2448949.72
40000.00	49375.00
331558.00	330948.00
405197.00	294432.00
176191.00	205060.00
326778.00	311912.75
127712.50	89576.00
42890.00	80067.00
—	1200.00
—	3889633.00
24120.00	20000.00
84988.00	37550.00
3000.00	—
18032.00	2689.00
34164.00	24805.00
5931675.00	8608726.47

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SUB SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

PARTICULARS
Maintenance for Photocopy Machine
Maintenance of Generator
Maintenance of Library
Maintenance of A.C. Machine
Maintenance of Building
Maintenance of Canteen
Maintenance of Computers
Maintenance of Electricity
Maintenance of Garden
Maintenance of Office
Maintenance of Resource Centre
Maintenance of Telephone
Maintenance of Website
Maintenance of Lan
Office Up-Keep
Repairs & Renewals
TOTAL

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FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2011

AMOUNT	
Rs.	P.
93048.00	
35876.00	
18991.00	
76527.00	
1360337.00	
29728.00	
411309.00	
8548.00	
118625.00	
215740.50	
28730.00	
44965.00	
49125.00	
571486.00	
239350.00	
89444.00	
3391829.50	

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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, M.Phil Course)
- b. Subsidies given to Institutions/Organisations

TOTAL

Note: Name of the Entities, their Activities along with the amount of Grants/Subsidies are to be disclosed

SCHEDULE 23 – INTEREST

- a. On Fixed Loans
- b. On Other Loans (including Bank Charges)
- c. Others (specify)

TOTAL

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FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2011

(Amount Rs.)

Current Year	Previous Year
90865.00	147010.00
—	—
90865.00	147010.00

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

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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 years 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 31.03.2011 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.

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AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Governors,
CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA
R-1 Baishnabghata Patuli Township
Kolkata 700 094

Contributory Provident Fund

1. We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of 'Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta, Contributory Provident Fund' as at 31st March, 2011 and also the Income & Expenditure Accounts 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 accounts as required by law have been kept by the Centre so far as it appears from our examination of those 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 explanations given to us the said accounts give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India :
- a) in the case of the Balance Sheet, of the statement of affairs of the Fund as at 31st March, 2011 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. Mukherji & Co.**
Chartered Accountants
(Reg. No. 301079E)

Sd/-
(P. S. Basu)
Partner

Membership No. 52224

Place: Kolkata
Date: 19th July, 2011

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN

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**CONTRIBUTORY
BALANCE SHEET AS**

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	LIABILITIES	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
14925338.00	CSSSC CPF BALANCE				
11720839.00	A. Employees Subscription	11506296.00			
	B. Employers' Contribution	10124490.00		21630786.00	
22659.00	Suspense Account				—
4001457.00	Excess of Income over Expenditure as per last year	4001457.00			
	Less: Excess of Expenditure over income during this year	1298045.00			
				2703412.00	
30670293.00				24334198.00	

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PROVIDENT FUND**AT 31ST MARCH, 2011**

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	ASSETS	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
2810531.98	Cash at Bank (SB A/c. No. C/20400 with SBI Ballygunge Branch, Kolkata 19)	9949.98			
—	(SB A/c. No. 50032263904 with ALLAHABAD BANK, Jadavpur Branch, Kolkata 86)	446358.00		456307.98	
251692.00	Outstanding P.F. Loan			224592.00	
20732987.00	P.F. Investment (FD with SBI, Ballygunge Branch, Kolkata 19)				—
—	(FD with Allahabad Bank Jadavpur Branch, Kolkata 86)			18800000.00	
5790090.00	Accrued Interest Receivable on Investment			839685.00	
1084992.02	P.F. Receivable			4013613.02	
30670293.00				24334198.00	

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CONTRIBUTORY**INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR**

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	EXPENDITURE	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
20.00	To Bank Charges			198.00	
1092675.00	To Interest on Contributory Provident Fund (Employees)	897443.00			
879537.00	To Interest on Contributory Provident Fund (Employer's Share)	763332.00		1660775.00	
4001457.00	Excess of Income over Expenditure				—
5973689.00				1660973.00	

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PROVIDENT FUND

THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2011

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	INCOME	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
15150.00	Bank Interest			43669.00	
5925710.00	Interest on Investment			319259.00	
32829.00	Interest Recd. From RBI (Corpus)				—
—	Excess of Expenditure over Income			1298045.00	
5973689.00				1660973.00	

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AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Governors,
CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA
R-1 Baishnabghata Patuli Township
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Employees Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity Fund

1. We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of 'Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta, Employees Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity Fund' as at 31st March, 2011 and also the Income & Expenditure Accounts 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 further report as follows:
 - i) We have obtained all the information and explanation which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of Audit.
 - ii) In our opinion, proper books of accounts as required by law have been kept by the Centre so far as it appears from our examinations of those 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 and in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India.
- a) in the case of the Balance Sheet, of the statement of affairs of the Fund as at 31st March, 2011 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. Mukherji & Co.**
Chartered Accountants
(Reg. No. 301079E)

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Place: Kolkata
Date: 19th July, 2011

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BALANCE SHEET AS

CSSSC EMPLOYEES' DEATH-CUM-

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	LIABILITIES	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
7565316.00	CSSSC Employees' Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity Fund				
	As per last account	7565316.00			
	<i>Add:</i> Transferred from Centre	712292.00			
	<i>Add:</i> Received Fund from Centre	350000.00			
		8627608.00			
	<i>Less:</i> Gratuity Paid	1412292.00			
		7215316.00			
	<i>Add:</i> Excess of Income Over Expenditure	495165.00			
				7710481.00	
7565316.00				7710481.00	

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AT 31ST MARCH, 2011

RETIREMENT GRATUITY FUND

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	ASSETS	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
5901179.00	CSSSC Employees' Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity Investment	7391983.00			
1662383.00	Accrued Interest	285800.00		7677783.00	
1754.00	Closing Balance (SB A/c. No. 16299 with UCO Bank, Kolkata 700 019)				32698.00
7565316.00				7710481.00	

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INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT OF
GRATUITY FUND FOR THE

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	EXPENDITURE	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
1050000.00	CSSSC Employees Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity Fund				—
564646.00	Balance transferred to Gratuity Fund (excess of Income over Expenditure)			495165.00	
1614646.00				495165.00	

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CSSSC EMPLOYEES' DEATH-CUM-RETIREMENT**YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2011**

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	INCOME	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
63.00	Interest (SB A/c No. 16299 with UCO Bank, Kolkata 700 019)			1182.00	
564583.00	Interest on Investment			493983.00	
1050000.00	CSSSC Employees Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity Fund (Recd. from CSSSC)				—
1614646.00				495165.00	

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PROJECT

BALANCE SHEET FOR THE

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	LIABILITIES	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
13011280.01	Project Fund	13011280.01			
—	Addition during the year	1450136.00			
				14461416.01	
25801528.33	'' Reserve Fund	15002213.33			
	Less: Excess of Expenditure over Income	7117236.92			
				7884976.41	
	Current Liabilities & Provisions				
5625038.40	Enreca	5505038.40			
1090701.00	GHP-II	962281.00			
1875729.20	New Ford Foundation	4422386.20			
764092.00	Grant from TATA Social Welfare Trust (PGMF)	426112.00			
1968274.00	NRTT	0.00			
778221.50	SAUC	620220.50			
1794152.00	MCD	1794152.00			
15762079.51	RBI Corpus	14872868.51			
164647.00	IFA – II	64647.00			
1129234.00	SRTT	779018.00			
262181.00	Indo European Workshop	218257.00			
5585950.96	SEPHIS	5769346.96			
690577.00	DFID – IPPG	566244.00			
747301.00	National Tea Research Foundation	478038.00			
1184439.00	New UNICEF	364718.00			
483368.00	WBIDC	469477.00			
1088220.00	Urban Poverty Reduction Strategy	1088220.00			

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ACCOUNT**YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2011**

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	ASSETS	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
11937312.40	Fixed Asset (As Per Schedule Enclosed) as on 31.03.2011 excluding periodicals <i>Less:</i> Accumulated Depreciation upto 31.03.2011	13387448.40		6082584.08	
—		7304864.32			
1073967.61	Periodicals i) Cash-in-hand ii) Cash-at-Bank (Schedule Enclosed)	24228.14		0.00	
13896.14		14287986.48			
10770890.08		14312214.62			
1891990.70	Advances & Receivables i) Receivables ii) Loans to S.N. Nag iii) Loans to CSSSC iv) NRTT & British Council Seminar	1184890.70		27126493.70	
3061.00		0.00			
25743595.00		25369918.00			
		571685.00			

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PROJECT**BALANCE SHEET FOR THE**

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	LIABILITIES	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
454820.00	EAP	1314131.00			
992482.00	World Bank II	850017.00			
340048.10	DFID-ESRC	1068170.10			
433010.00	Jadunath Sarkar Museum	8835056.00			
—	New MCD	1655936.00			
—	UNICEF Internship 2010	229284.00			
—	SANEI – 2011	107799.00			
—	NREGA	16392.00			
—	Contesting Indian City	13157.39			
				52490967.06	
82027374.01				74837359.48	

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ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2011 (Contd.)

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	ASSETS	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
13127607.00	Investment & Securities				
15027562.08	i) CSSSC Investment (Project)	11725559.00			
2437492.00	ii) Govt. Securities (RBI)	15027562.08			
	iii) Accrued Interest (Receivable against FD)	562946.00			
				27316067.08	
82027374.01				74837359.48	

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PROJECT

INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	EXPENDITURE	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
	To				
4496.00	" Bank Charges			3358.00	
52000.00	" Staff Excursion			69600.00	
6618.00	" Audit Fees			7721.00	
—	" Periodicals (Project)			1078832.61	
—	" Depreciation				
—	" Books	243521.96			
—	" Computer	4440252.15			
—	" Furniture & Equipment	1029504.05			
—	" Microfilm	759813.46			
—	" Photography	831772.70			
				7304864.32	
2955149.48	Excess of Income over Expenditure transferred to Balance Sheet				—
3018263.48				8464375.93	

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ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2011

PREVIOUS YEAR 2009-2010	INCOME	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
		Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
330359.48	By				
250412.00	" Interest on Savings			190520.01	
2437492.00	" Misc. Income			7021.00	
—	" Interest on Investment			1149598.00	
	" Excess of Expenditure over Income transferred to Balance Sheet			7117236.92	
3018263.48				8464375.93	

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH 2011

SCHEDULE 8 – FIXED ASSETS												
		COST				DEPRECIATION						NET BLOCK
SL. NO.	DESCRIPTION	OPENING BALANCE	ADDITION DURING 10-11	DEDUCTION DURING 10-11	CLOSING BALANCE 10-11	ACCUMULATED DEP.	DEPRECIATION ON OPENING BALANCE	DEPRECIATION ON ADDITION	DEPRECIATION IN ON DED.	TOTAL DEP. DURING THE YEAR 31.03.11	ACCUMULATED DEP. AT THE END OF THE YEAR (31.03.11)	BOOK VALUE AS ON 31.03.2011
		1	2	3	4 = (1+2-3)	5	6	7	8	9 = (6+7-8)	10 = (5+9)	11 = (4-10)
1	Land	2008600.00			2008600.00	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	2008600.00
2	Building	26455815.16		0	26455815.16	1220475.70	431229.79	0.00	0	431229.79	1651705.49	24804109.67
3	Office Equipment	846301.14	178550.00	0.00	1024851.14	187030.72	53570.86	11302.22	0.00	64873.08	251903.80	772947.34
4	Furniture & Fixture	6480953.04	12825.00	0.00	6493778.04	1227408.79	410244.33	811.82	0.00	411056.15	1638464.94	4855313.10
5	Computer/ Peripherals	2544440.00	407841.00	0.00	2952281.00	1512521.07	412453.72	66111.03	0.00	478564.75	1991085.82	961195.18
6	Library Books	7603183.30	364979.00	0.00	7968162.30	6840929.01	762254.29	88726.39	0.00	850980.68	7691909.69	276252.61
7	Periodicals	16540087.89	2027536.00	0.00	18567623.89	16540087.89	0.00	2027536.00	0.00	2027536.00	18567623.89	0.00
8	Generator	425300.00	0.00		425300.00	107685.95	26921.49	0.00	0.00	26921.49	134607.44	290692.56
	TOTAL	62904680.53	2991731.00	0.00	65896411.53	27636139.13	2096674.48	2194487.46	0.00	4291161.94	31927301.07	33969110.46

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