

Curriculum Vitae

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SUMMARY

Anirban Das did his graduation in Medicine (MBBS) and then shifted to a broad interdisciplinary field across the Sciences, the Humanities and the Social Sciences. He did an MA in History, a Research Training Program (equivalent to an MPhil for the Indian Council for Social Science Research) at the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta, and a PhD in Philosophy (in 2007). He also did a one-year certificate course in the History of Sciences at the Asiatic Society, Kolkata.

Anirban Das has been a Research Associate in the History of Sciences at the Indian National Science Academy and a Visiting Fellow at the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University, Kolkata. From the first of January 2008, he has been an Assistant Professor in Cultural Studies at the CSSSC and an Associate Professor from January 2016. He also teaches regularly, as a visiting faculty, in the M Phil courses at the Women's Studies programs at the Jadavpur University and the University of Calcutta and in the MA course at the Department of Sociology at the West Bengal State University. He has been a visiting scholar at the Centre for Contemporary Studies at the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, at the Department of Political Science, Delhi University and a Visiting Fellow at the Centre for Humanities, Utrecht University. He is an Affiliated Researcher at the Research Institute for Cultural Inquiry (ICON) of the Faculty of Humanities at the Utrecht University. He has delivered lectures (including special lectures and in refresher courses for college and university teachers) at a number of other Universities and Research Institutes in various parts of India and presented papers in talks, seminars and conferences in India and abroad. He is an associate member of *Terra Critica*, an international interdisciplinary network for the critical humanities. He is currently part of a group at the CSSSC that coordinates the program on *Decolonization, the Disciplines, and the University* funded by the Mellon Foundation.

Anirban Das has thirty five English articles and book reviews, published, in journals and edited books. He has also published, or has forthcoming, twenty-two articles and book reviews in journals and books in Bangla. His first English monograph has been published in November 2010 from the Anthem Press (the Indian edition published in November 2012). His Bangla monograph *Shoreerneetikatha*, has been published in 2023 and has been awarded the *Raghab Bandyopadhyay Smriti Sahitya Puroshkar 2023*. He has edited with an introduction a Bangla anthology of essays on deconstruction. He has, under consideration, two co-edited books in English. His work has been published in edited volumes and, among others, the following journals – *Philosophia*, *Rethinking Marxism*, *History Compass Journal*, *Visva Bharati Quarterly*, *Indian Journal of History of Science*, *Studies in Humanities and Social Sciences (IIAS)*, *Sanglap: Journal of Literary and Cultural Inquiry*, *Salesian Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences*, *Rabindra Bharati Journal of Philosophy*, *The Jadavpur University Journal of Sociology*.

Anirban Das teaches regularly in the MPhil program of the CSSSC. 1 RTP student, 27 MPhil students, and 8 PhD students have completed dissertations with his supervision. Currently, he is supervising 5 PhD students.

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS:

EXAMINATION PASSED	BOARD/UNIVERSITY	SCHOOL/COLLEGE	YEAR
Secondary	W. B. Board Of Secondary Education	Saint Lawrence High School (Kolkata)	1983
Higher Secondary	W. B. Council Of Higher Secondary Education	SouthPoint High School (Kolkata)	1985
M.B.B.S.	Calcutta University	Calcutta Medical College (Kolkata)	1985-91
M.A. (History)	Annamalai University Nagar	Annamalai	1998-2000
RTP (MPhil equiv.)	Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta		1997-1998
Ph.D. (Philosophy)	Jadavpur University, Calcutta/Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta.		2007

Ph.D. thesis title: 'Embodied Knowledges: The Limits and Possibilities of Knowing and the Body.'
Supervisors: Dr. Shefali Moitra, Professor in the Department of Philosophy, and former Director, School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University; and Professor Pradip Bose, Sociology, Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta.

Thesis Examiners: Professor Gayatri Chakravorty Spivak, Columbia University; Professor FransonManjali, Jawaharlal Nehru University; Professor Udaya Kumar, Delhi University.

ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:

One Year Certificate Course in the **History of Science(1995-96)** from the Asiatic Society, Bengal, with a **dissertation** on 'Historiography of Science in India: Quicksands of Paradigm' under the guidance of Prof. A. K. Biswas, later published in *The Indian Journal of History of Science* (Vol. 33, No. 3 - 1998).

Research Associate in the History of Science, **Indian National Science Academy**, attached to the **Asiatic Society**, Calcutta, working on the history of the concept of the 'body' from 15th June 2002 to 30th June 2004.

EMPLOYMENT:

Since 22nd January 2016: Associate Professor in Cultural Studies, Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta.

Since 1st January 2008: Assistant Professor in Cultural Studies, Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta.

Continuing Visiting Positions –

Since 2016: Visiting faculty in Sociology at the West Bengal State University, Barasat.

Since 2006: Visiting Faculty, M Phil in Women's Studies at the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University.

2005-2015: Visiting Faculty, M Phil in Women's Studies at the Women's Studies Resource Centre, University of Calcutta.

VISITING APPOINTMENTS:

November 2019: Visiting Fellow at the Centre for Humanities, Utrecht University, in November 2019.

March 2013: Visiting Faculty at the Department of Political Science, Delhi University.

May 2010: Visiting Faculty at the Centre for Contemporary Studies, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore.

August-October 2007: Visiting Fellow, School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University.

OTHER AFFILIATIONS:

Affiliated Researcher at the Research Institute for Cultural Inquiry (ICON) of the Faculty of Humanities at the Utrecht University (15th May 2020 to 14th May 2021).

PROFESSIONAL BODIES:

Associate member of *Terra Critica*, an international interdisciplinary network for the critical humanities.

AWARD:

Sudhir Chakrabarty Smriti Sahitya Puroshkar 2023 (Award for non-fiction book in Bengali)

TEACHING:

PhD course work at the CSSSC –

- i) Feminism and the Social Sciences
- ii) Research Methods in Social Sciences
- iii) Introduction to Modern Social Thought

Since 2008 : Teaches, or have taught when they were offered, the following modules in the Research Training Programme / MPhil in Social Sciences course at the CSSSC –

- iv) Situating Science: Transactions across Disciplines (Instructor and Coordinator)
- v) The Subject and the Body: A Feminist Approach (Instructor, and Coordinator till 2012)
- vi) Readings in Philosophy: Texts, Concepts, Contexts (Instructor, and Coordinator since 2012)
- vii) Feminism and the Social Sciences
- viii) Interrogating Political Economy (When the module was offered)
- ix) Biopolitics, Ethics and Subjectivation (when offered)
- x) Research Methods in Social Sciences

- xi) Vocabulary of the Social Sciences (Till 2013)
- xii) Introduction to Modern Social Thought.

Since 2005: Taught annual course on “Feminist Thought” in the M Phil in Women’s Studies at the Women’s Studies Resource Centre, University of Calcutta.

Since 2006: Taught annual courses on “Challenges to Feminism and the Shift to Gender” on “Sexualities” and on “Feminist Methodologies” and conducts study groups on key feminist texts in the M Phil in Women’s Studies at the School of Women’s Studies, Jadavpur University. In session 2011-13, coordinated the course on ‘Sexualities’.

2002: Taught courses on the History of Medicine in the History of Science program at the Asiatic Society.

2001 & 2007: Taught “Deconstruction and Marxian Economics” with Prof. Ajit Chaudhury at the Department of Economics, University of Calcutta in the Graduate course on Marxian Economic Thought.

RESEARCH SUPERVISION:

Research Training Programme

- 1) Dhritishankar Sen (2008-2009) on Children’s Literature in Bengali - **completed.**

M Phil

The following M Phil students are registered at the School of Women’s Studies, Jadavpur University.

- 2) DebolinaGuhathakurta on *Body, Desire and Sexual Difference in Thomas Mann* – **completed.**
- 3) Amrita Basu Roy Chowdhury on *Treatment of Women by Strindberg in His Plays* – **completed.**
- 4) Sananda Sen on *Reading Sexuality in Bengal through Print Medium at the turn of the Nineteenth Century* – **completed.**
- 5) Saayan Chattopadhyay on *Imaging the Masculine in Post-independence Bengali Film (1947-1957)* – **completed.**
- 6) Debolina Ghosh on *Perceptions of Gender Relations in the Literature of Angst* – **completed.**
- 7) Shenjuti Dutta on *Subject of Desire and Autonomy of Being: The Concept of ‘Nayika’ in Bengali Cinematic Melodrama from 1930s to 1960s* – **completed.**
- 8) SunritaChakravarti (WSJU) on *The ‘Obscenity’ Question: Aesthetics of Ugliness and Bangla Literature (1920-1970)* – **completed.**
- 9) DrishadwatiBargi on *The Embodiment of Caste: Dalit Bodies, Bhadrakok Imaginations* – **completed.**
- 10) Sanmit Chatterjee on *BostuShorirerKhnoj: Continental DorshonerPrekkhite* – **completed.**

The following students are registered at the CSSSC for MPhil in Social Sciences –

- 11) SayantanSaha Roy on *Abortion in India: Laws, Debates and Sex Selection* – **completed.**
- 12) Ammel Sharon on *Feminist Futures and a Post Juridical Justice* – **completed.**
- 13) Pinaki Roy on *Interrogating “Assisted Reproductive Technologies”’: Locating Body/Power and Agency in Contemporary Gynecological and Obstetric Discourse* – **completed.**

- 14) Sayori Ghoshal on *Politicizing Belonging: Towards an Ethico-Political Relation to Body and Land* – **completed.**
- 15) Arunima Chakraborty on *Women Inmates of Shelter Homes: Discourses, Ideologies, Standpoints* – **completed.**
- 16) Debraj Dasgupta on *Bangalitwa, Bishuddhata, Adhunikata: KamalkumarMajumdarerSahityashaili* – **completed.**
- 17) Raikamal Roy on *Mental Illness in West Bengal: Medicine, Science, and Institutions* –**completed.**
- 18) ShubhroSaha on *Judith Butler and the Paradox of Materiality* –**completed.**
- 19) Rajashree Bhattacharyya on *Moral Foundations of Economic Analysis* – **completed.**
- 20) Cheshta Arora on *Reading with Haraway: Technology and Feminist Utopia*–**completed.**
- 21) Angana Das on *Gendered Guilt: A Feminist Reading of Freud* – **completed.**
- 22) Mohana Mukhopadhyay on *Harman through Heidegger: A Question into the Metaphysics of Objects* – **completed.**
- 23) Shreemoyee Chakraborty on *Sharing The World: An Ethics of Human / Non-human Animals Relationship* – **completed.**
- 24) Puja Sen Majumdar on *Donna Haraway and the Possibilities of Deconstructive Subjectivities*–**completed.**
- 25) Rohitashwa Sarkar on *Life and Nature in Latour: Towards a Philosophy of Biopolitics* – **completed.**
- 26) Souvik Das on *Technology and Thinking: Reading Heidegger as a ‘Digital Native’* – **completed.**
- 27) RishitNeogi – **completed.**
- 28) Sumanta Tanti – **completed.**

PhD Supervision –

- 29) Sourav Kargupta on *Precarious Objectifications: Ethics of Representation and the Figure of the Woman* – **completed and awarded degree.**
- 30) Susmita Ghosh on *Stylizing Masculinity Anew: An Analysis of New Hindi Cinema*– **completed and awarded degree.**
- 31) Hardik Brata Biswas on *Spatializing the Visual: Re-locating Women’s Photographs in Bengal, 1880s-1970s.* 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 –**completed and awarded degree.**
- 32) Samrat Sengupta on *Performing Revolution: Ethics of Post Colonial resistance in Bengal Narrative* – **completed and awarded degree.**
- 33) Rajlaxmi Ghosh on *Textuality and Sexual Difference: Reading as Writing* – **completed and awarded degree.**
- 34) SaayanChattopadhyay on *Recasting Men: The Discursive Construction of the Bhadrakok in Post Independence Bengali Newspaper* – **completed and awarded degree.**
- 35) Shenjuti Dutta on *Feminization of Space: Reading Bengali Cinematic Melodrama* – **completed and awarded degree.**
- 36) Arunima Chakraborty on *Love, Lack and Sex Work: Explorations in Psychoanalysis* – **completed and successfully defended viva.**
- 37) Debraj Dasgupta on *LekharKaaj: Sromosomoyer A(no)bhigyota o LikhonerKotha* – submitted, awaiting viva.
- 38) Biboswan Bose: *Conceptualizing Comics: Studies on the Nature of Spatiality.*
- 39) Aishani Roy: *The Erotic Object: Self and Thingness in Literature.*
- 40) Souvik Das.

41) SubroSaha on *Caste and Embodiment* (co-supervision at the Utrecht University).

INSTITUTIONAL ACTIVITIES

Convenor and Member –
PhD sub-committee
Publications sub-committee

Member of following sub-committees –
M Phil
Library
Financial Advisory
JBMRC

Has been a member of the preparatory committee for the Cell On Gender Sensitization Against Sexual Harassment (COGSASH) and been a member of the first COGSASH. Has been an active participant in the drafting of the Policy on Gender Sensitization against Sexual Harassment.

RESEARCH PROJECTS Funded by External Agency

Part of the team coordinating the project, *Decolonization, the Disciplines and the University*, funded by the Andrew Mellon Foundation.

OTHERS

Course Director of ICSSR sponsored Ten Days Research Methodology Workshop on Cultural Studies on Doing Cultural Studies: Thinking across Disciplines, organized by and Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta and Women's Christian College, Kolkata between 22nd August and 1st September, 2023.

Co-convenor of an international conference on *Feminist Inscriptions in Social Theory* in 2013.

Member of the committees for convening other conferences at the CSSSC, specially the Cultural Studies Workshops.

SEMINARS, CONFERENCES, LECTURES, WORKSHOPS (SELECTED)

1999: Participant: Cultural Studies Workshop, in Khajuraho, conducted jointly by the Roskilde university, Denmark, the Centre for Basic Research, Uganda, and the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta, and presented the paper on the 'Medical Knowledge of the Body: Colonial Encounters'.

2001: Participant: summer school on "Genealogies of Modernity" conducted by the Interdisciplinary Network on Globalization, Amsterdam School for Social Science Research in Amsterdam (26th – 31st August), and presented a paper on 'Un-making the na(t)ive woman: embodying knowledges'.

2001: Panelist in the discussion on 'Lacan and Gender' in the National Symposium on the occasion of the Birth Centenary of Jacques Lacan, '*Freud's French Revolution*': *Psychoanalysis, Literature and*

Culture, organized by the Department of English, Jadavpur University in Kolkata (11 and 12th December).

2002: A paper at the seminar 'Beyond the Linguistic Turn: Literature, Culture and Philosophy' at the Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi.

2002: A paper on 'The ethics for a practice of medical knowledge' in the National Seminar on Applied Ethics organized by DIVA-INDIA in the India International Centre, New Delhi from 26th to 28th July.

2003: A paper on *With and beyond culture: towards a politics of the impossible* in a National Seminar on *Approaching comparative cultural studies* at the Department of Comparative Literature, Jadavpur University, from 23 July to 25 July.

2004: A series of talks on *Positional Objectivity and Embodiment* at the Research Scholars' Seminar at the Department of Philosophy, Jadavpur University in January – March.

2004: A lecture on *of death and medicine: negotiating the other* in the special lecture series on "Perspectives on Self" at the Department of Philosophy, Rabindra Bharati University on the 4th of March.

2005: A paper on *Approaching Fascism: Toward a General Economy of Violence* in a seminar entitled "Fascism in a Comparative Perspective" in February, organized jointly by the Netaji Institute for Asian Studies, Kolkata, and the Centre for European Studies, Department of History, Jadavpur University.

2005: A Resource Person, talked on *Gender as a Social Determinant of Perception of the Body* in a workshop on "The Social Determinants of Perception", organized by The Department of Philosophy, Jadavpur University (17th and 18th November).

2006: A discussant in the session on 'Interrogating Performativity' in an International Seminar on "Performances and Cults: Ontology, Translation and Exchange" organized by Centre for European Studies, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, India, in association with Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Institute for Asian Studies, Kolkata and supported by the West Bengal Higher Education Department, Kolkata (January 25th and 27th).

2006: A paper on *Sexual Difference in Literary Historiography: Writing the Nation in "My Life"* in an International Conference on "Nationalist Ideology and the Historiography of Literature in South Asia" at Halle University, Germany from September 21st to September 24th.

2006: A resource person in the Inception Workshop on "Tracing Pharmaceuticals in South Asia: Regulation, Distribution and Consumption" on December 11th and December 12th in New Delhi, organized by the University of Edinburgh, Scotland, the Centre for Health and Social Justice, India and Martin Chautari, Nepal.

2007: A discussant to the paper 'On Feminist Epistemology' in the "Eastern Region Seminar on *Feminism and the Production of Knowledge*" organized by the Indian Association of Women's Studies and the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University at Kolkata on February 6th and 7th.

2007: A paper, *Aestheticising Law into Justice: The Fetus in a Divided Planet* in The Second Critical Studies Conference on the theme of "Spheres of Justice" at Kolkata from 20th to 22nd September.

2008: Lectures on "Science Society Interactions" and "Ethics and Genetics" for an MS course in Science Communication conducted by the National Council of Science Museums and the Birla Institute of Technology and Science on 10th January 2008 and 17th January.

2008. A discussant in the conference on "The 'Long' 1950s" at the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta, from 18th to 20th March 2008.

2008: Lectures for a residential workshop on "Themes and Issues in Women's Studies" organized by the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University on 22nd and 23rd May.

2008: A paper on "Knowing the Fetus and (un)doing Abortion: A Note on Ethics and Knowledge" in a National Seminar on *The Myth of Knowledge without Value* at the Department of Philosophy, Jadavpur University on 27th and 28th November, 2008.

2008: A resource person in a seminar on *Migration, Diaspora and the City: Mobility and Dwelling in Calcutta* organized by CSSSC, Diaspora Cities Research Team and The City Centre, Queen Mary, University of London on 12th and 13th December 2008.

- 2009: A resource person at the Cultural Studies Workshop on *Urban Cultures* organized by CSSSC in collaboration with the Ford Foundation and SEPHIS at Shillong from 1st to 6th February 2009.
- 2009: A paper on “Being and the Question of Sexual Difference: Singularities” in a National Seminar on *Meaning and Understanding in Human and Literary Studies* in Assam University at Silchar from 16th March to 18th March 2009. This paper is to be included in a book volume to be prepared from the seminar.
- 2009: Lectures for a short-term course on *Understanding and Interrogating Postmodernism* conducted by the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur from May 15, 2009 to May 18, 2009.
- 2009: Lectures in a panel on *Feminist Theories Revisited* for a SRTT-SWS, JU residential workshop on “Rethinking Culture and Development: Feminist Crossings” organized by the School of Women’s Studies, Jadavpur University from 22nd to 30th May, 2009 at Lataguri.
- 2009: Resource person in the CSSSC-NRTT Annual Workshop for Beginning Doctoral, Doctoral and Post-doctoral Scholars 2009 on the theme *Violation and Violence* from 4th to 10th November 2009.
- 2010: Resource person in the international conference on *New Cultural Histories of India* organized by the CSSSC in January 2010.
- 2010: Resource person in the Fifteenth Cultural Studies Workshop on *The Sacred in Contemporary Culture* conducted by the CSSSC at Shantiniketan from 30th January to 4th February 2010.
- 2010: A paper in a national seminar on *History as Biography* organized by the department of History, Jamia Millia Islamia at New Delhi from 11th February 2009 and 13th February 2010.
- 2010: A paper in a national seminar on *Society and Literature: Interdisciplinary Transactions* organized by the department of English, North Eastern Hill University in collaboration with ICSSR-NERC at Shillong from 16th March 2010 to 18th March 2010.
- 2010: A paper in a national seminar on *Power in Modern India: Discourses and Practices* organized by the Centre for Political Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University at New Delhi from 25th March 2010 to 27th March 2010.
- 2010 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.
- 2010: 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.
- 2010: Lecture on ‘Justice and the Question of Abortion’ at the Centre for Studies in Culture and Society, Bangalore on 11th May 2010.
- 2010: 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.
- 2010: 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.
- 2010: Special lecture on “Feminism and Sociology” at the department of Sociology, West Bengal State University, in September.
- 2010: 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.
- 2011 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.

- 2011 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.
- 2011 A resource person in a Curriculum Workshop in Women's Studies, organized by the Women's Studies Programme, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University at Delhi from 1st September 2011 to 2nd September 2011.
- 2011 Lecture on Derrida and the Recent Development of Gender Studies in India at the Department of Philosophy, Tongji University, Shanghai.
- 2011 Lecture on "Deconstruction" in a seminar organized by the Department of Bengali, Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira, on 20th September 2011.
- 2011 Resource person and delivered a lecture on "Body and Sexuality" in a workshop on Feminist Research Methodology organized by the Inter University Centre for Social Science Research and Extension, School of Social Sciences, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, on 1st October 2011.
- 2012 Chaired a panel *Beyond Standpoints* and presented a paper on "Ethics of Non-Universalist Knowledges: Beyond Positions and Standpoints" in the 40th World Congress of the International Institute of Sociology organized by Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, New Delhi and Swedish Collegium for Advanced Study, Uppsala from 16th to 19th February.
- 2012 A paper on "History of Science and Science Studies: Disciplinary Encounters in Epistemology" in an international seminar on 'Environment, Science, Technology and Culture: Trajectories of History', organized by the Department of History DRS Programme, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, from 22nd – 24th February 2012.
- 2012 Lecture on "On the ethics of the Non-Human: Philosophy and Science Studies" and co-conducted a workshop on "The Human, the Animal and the Non-human" on 18th March 2012 in a Colloquium hosted by the Department of English, North Bengal University.
- 2012 Resource person in a seminar on Agency and Resistance organized by the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University.
- 2012 Expert resource person and talked on feminist methodologies in the National Workshop on Legal and Interdisciplinary Fields of Research Methodology organized by the Gujarat National Law University at Gandhinagar from 5th to 9th September.
- 2012 Lectures in a Short Term Course on *The Futural Constellations: The Cultural Politics of the Neo-Empire* organized by the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, IIT Kharagpur from 3rd to 7th September 2012.
- 2012 Two lectures on Modernity at the Department of English, Jadavpur University on the 3rd and the 10th of October, 2012.
- 2013 Convened an international conference (along with Dr. Ritu Sen Chaudhuri) on *Feminist Inscriptions in Social Theory* at the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta in collaboration with ICSSR and ICPR from 22 to 24 February 2013. The three day conference consisted of seven academic sessions. In each session, two to three papers were presented. Presentation time for each paper has been forty minutes, followed by discussion by one discussant per session and a general discussion. Established scholars, scholars at mid-career and students participated in the conference with equal energy and interest.
- 2013 A paper on "Feminist Politics, Theory and the Question of the Outside: Reflections" at the conference on *Feminist Inscriptions in Social Theory*.
- 2013 Lecture on researching the body at the Ambedkar University, Delhi on 7th February, 2013.
- 2013 Lecture on "Feminist Theory, Deconstruction and the Politics of Embodiment" at the Centre for Philosophy, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University on 29th August 2013.
- 2013 Chair in a session on "Contextualizing Gender-Sexuality in Social Justice Movement" in *Gender-Sexuality: Exploring the Conjoined Possibilities*, National Queer Conference organized by Sappho for Equality at Jadavpur University, Kolkata (13th-15th September, 2013).
- 2013 Chair in a session on "Caste and Gender – A Necessary or Contingent Relationship?" in *Discrimination, Citizenship, Equality: Interrogations and Contestations*, Orientation Programme

on Scheduled Castes and Other Marginalized Groups organized by CSSSC (18th-22nd November, 2013).

2014 A paper on *Caste and Gender: Ideologies of Embodiment* in the national conference on *Caste in India: Presence and Erasure* organized by the Centre for Social Theory, School of Development Studies, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai in collaboration with Indian Council for Philosophical Research at Mumbai (20th-21st January, 2014).

2014 A paper on *Feminisms and Beyonds: The Unbearable Subtleties of 'Man'* in the international seminar on *Feminisms and Beyond* organized by the Department of English, West Bengal State University on 13th February, 2014.

2014 A paper on *The Many Ways of Thinking the 'Non-Human'* in the international conference on *Beyond the Human: Monsters, Mutants and Lonely Machines* organized by the Department of English, Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi from 20th February to 22nd February.

2014 Lecture on *Science and Feminism* in a seminar on 'Women and the World' organized by the Techno India University (8th March, 2014).

2014 Chair in the morning session on *Law, Sexuality, Gender* and discussant to a paper in the workshop on *Law, Culture and Social Justice* organized by CSSSC at Santiniketan (9th-14th March, 2014).

2014 A paper on *Standpoint Theories and Embodied Knowledges: Feminist Epistemologies Across The Analytic/Continental Divide* in a seminar on *Analytic Philosophy and Feminism* organized by the Centre for Advanced Study, Department of Philosophy, Jadavpur University (22nd March, 2014).

2014 A paper on *Body, Sexuality and Women's Studies* in a national seminar on *Future of Women's Studies in India* in memory of Prof. Vina Mazumdar, organized by Women's Studies Research Centre, University of Calcutta (25th-26th March, 2014).

2014 A paper on *Toward a Politics of Embodiment: Power, Ideology and the Question of the Subject* in a national seminar on *Philosophy of Body* organized by the Centre for Aurobindo Studies, Jadavpur University, Kolkata (25th-26th March, 2014).

2014 Lecture on "Biologism" at the Presidency University, Kolkata in a seminar on *(Alternate) Sexuality and Beyond* organized by Prantoswar in July 2014.

2014 Discussant in a session on "Biocapital" in *Accumulation under Post-Colonial Capitalism*, the Fifth Critical Studies Conference organized by Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group, Kolkata (21st – 23rd August, 2014).

2014 Lecture on "The City and the Poet: Readings on Baudelaire" in a seminar on *Representations of the Urban Space in Literary and Visual Cultures*, organized by The Department of English, Prafulla Chandra College, South City Evening, Kolkata and the Department of English, Shri Shikshayatan College, Kolkata (30th August, 2014).

2014 A paper on "Of Identities and Other Desires: Thinking Sexualities through Bangla Fiction" in a seminar on *Sexuality and Society in India* at the Indian Institute of Advanced Studies, Shimla from 16th to 18th September 2014.

2014 A paper on "The Science Question in Poststructuralism: Ethics and Politics of the Real" in the international colloquium on *Philosophy, Language and the Political: Reevaluating Poststructuralism* organized by the School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi from 10th December to 12th December, 2014.

2014 A paper on "Standpoint Epistemologies and the Question of Man: Negotiating the (Im)Possible" in the conference on *Loyal Interlopers? Men Doing Feminism in India* organized by the CSSSC from 16th to 17th December, 2014.

2015 Resource Person in the session on "Men as Victims of Patriarchy" at the Max Mueller Bhavan, Kolkata in the *Hysteria Feminist Convention* from 10th to 12th January, 2015.

2015 Special Lecture on "Feminist Critique of Social Science Methodology" for PhD course work in Sociology at the West Bengal State University in February 2015.

2015 Two special lectures on Postcolonial Theory in the course on Sociological Theory for MA third semester at the department of Sociology, West Bengal State University.

- 2015 Lectures for a Research Methodology course for PhD students in Social Science at the Ranchi University on 24th April 2015.
- 2015 Presented a paper and chaired a session in the international conference on Deleuze Studies in Asia organized by the Manipal Centre for Philosophy and Humanities, Manipal University at Manipal from 5th June to 7th June, 2015.
- 2015 Lectures in a Seven-Day Interdisciplinary Research Methodology Workshop on Women's Studies held at Lady Brabourne College in collaboration with Sachetana and the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University, from 3 to 10 October 2015.
- 2015 A paper on "Feminism and the Politics of Embodiment: The Derridean Intervention" at a seminar on *Embodied Cognition and Realism*, organized by The Centre for Advanced Study, Department of Philosophy, Jadavpur University on 19th December 2015.
- 2016 Lecture on "Materialism(s): Marx and Beyond" organized by Historical Materialists at the Jadavpur University on 11th February 2016.
- 2016 Lecture on "LekharKaaj: Real Virtual Tanaporen" in the 2nd lecture series organized by TrityoPorisor in Kolkata on 18th February 2016.
- 2016 Morning Lecture on "Representing Violence" and discussing a paper in the Cultural Studies Workshop at Kolkata organized by CSSSC from 12th to 21st March 2016.
- 2016 Spoke in a panel on 'Women's Studies and Cultural Studies: Perspectives from the Margins' on 6th April 2016 at the inaugural session in the workshop on *Feminist Research Methodologies* organized by the School of Women's Studies, Jadavpur University.
- 2016 Delivered lectures on 'Feminism and Postmodernism' and 'Feminism and the Postcolonial' at the Research Methodology Workshop titled *Genealogies of Feminist Enquiry: Exploring the Politics of Knowledge* organized by the Inter University Centre for Social Science Research and Extension, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam from 16th to 20th August 2016.
- 2016 Delivered a lecture (lecture of the month) at the department of English, Presidency University on 23rd August 2016.
- 2016 Delivered two lectures at the Department of History, Kazi Nazrul University, Asansol on 30th August 2016.
- 2016 A paper on at a national seminar on 'Gender as a Perspective: Reflection on Different Disciplines' organized by SivanathSastri College and MCRG on 19th December 2016.
- 2017 A paper on "BiploberBhutarUposthitirProtyakhyan" at the seminar on *Protibiplob: Totwe o Bhabnay* on 31st January 2017.
- 2017 Delivered a lecture, presented a paper and chaired a session at the international conference and camp on Deleuze Studies, *Aesthetics and the Political in Contemporary India: Deleuzian Explorations* from 13th to 17th February 2017 at the TISS Mumbai.
- 2017 Talked in a panel on JasodharaBagchi's book *Interrogating Motherhood* at the Jadavpur University Women's Studies on 8th March 2017.
- 2017 A special lecture on "Of Identities and Other Desires: Literary Interruptions" at the international conference on *Thinking Literature across Continents* organized by the department of English, North Bengal University from 25th to 27th March 2017.
- 2017 A paper in a panel on 'Sexuality, Identity and Politics' at the national seminar on *RETHINKING MARGINALITY: Conjunctions & Contradictions* organized by Rabindra Bharati University from 29th to 31st March 2017.
- 2017 Presentation of a paper in the seminar *Revisiting Naxalbari: A Symposium* at the Jadavpur University on 20th July 2017.
- 2017 Presentation of a paper in the seminar on *Life and Contribution of Marie Curie* organized by 'Eureka', a science magazine initiative of the Presidency University on 8th September 2017.
- 2017 Lecture in a Winter School on *Literature and the Other Arts* organized by the Department of Comparative Literature, Jadavpur University and UGC Human Resource Development Centre from the 6th to the 25th November.

- 2018 Lecture at the department of Political Science, Presidency University, on "Power and the Ontology of the Subject" on the 17th of January 2018.
- 2018 Lecture on 'Men and Feminisms' in the UGC-HRDC short term course on Thinking through Gender at Jadavpur University from 1st to 7th February 2018.
- 2018: Lecture and act as a resource person in a workshop on *Academic Writing in Bangla* organized by the Department of Sociology, State University of West Bengal from 07/05 2018 to 08/05/2018.
- 2018: Participate in the annual research meeting of *Terra Critica*, an interdisciplinary research network at the Utrecht University, Netherlands on 7th and 8th June 2018.
- 2018: Participated and presented a paper in a workshop on *Theorizing Literary Practice between the Postcolonial and the Decolonial* on 14th June 2018 at the Utrecht University, Netherlands.
- 2018: Lecture on *Ethics and the Singularity of Terror: Reading a Moment in Mahabharata* at the Department of Comparative Literature, Utrecht University on 13th June 2018.
- 2018: Paper in the international workshop on *The Politics and Ethics of Life in South Asia* at the University of Zurich on the 22nd of June 2018.
- 2019: Lecture and deliberations in a Symposium on *Decolonization, The Disciplines and the University* in an international Mellon symposium at the University of Makerere, Campala, Uganda on 30th – 31st March, 2019.
- 2019: Presented paper in a seminar on *Social Research Methodology* at the Department of Sociology, West Bengal State University, on the 8th of May, 2019.
- 2019: Presented paper in a seminar on *Humanism and After: Literature's Journey from Humanism to Cyber Culture and Other Form of Post Humanism* by the Department of English, Midnapore College at Medinipur from the 24th to the 25th September, 2019.
- 2019: Discussant in a Reading Room event on *Refuge, Refuse, Refrain* organized by BAK, Basis for Contemporary Art, Utrecht and Terra Critica, Utrecht, at Utrecht, Netherlands on 16th November, 2019.
- 2019: Lecture in a course on "Literature across Cultures" at the Department of Language, Literature and Communication, Utrecht University on 21st November, 2019.
- 2019: Discussant in a Reading Room event on *Temporalities of Climate Change* organized by Terra Critica, Utrecht, at Utrecht, Netherlands on 25th November, 2019.
- 2019: Chair and Discussant in a Panel on "Negotiating the Public Sphere: Law, Media, Economy" in the Conference on *Gods in the Public Sphere: Political Deification in India and Beyond*, organized by the CSSSC and the University of Oslo from 6th to 7th December, 2019.
- 2019: Delivered lecture on "The Concept of Space" in the MPhil course work at the Department of English, Jadavpur University on 13th December, 2019.
- 2019: Delivered lecture on "Heidegger's Notion of Time" the MPhil course work at the Department of English, Jadavpur University on 20th December, 2019.
- 2020: Lecture on "Ideology o Saat-AaterDoshoker Bangla Sahitya" in a symposium organized by Sohopathshala at Kalyani on 9th February, 2020.
- 2020: Delivered online lecture on "Non/Relations: Othering in the Field of Sciences" in the International Lecture series on *Humanities beyond Disciplines*, organized by SammilaniMahavidyalaya, on 24th July 2020.
- 2020: Discussant and Resource person in an International webinar on Theorising Caste: Castes of Theory, organized by The Department of Sociology, West Bengal State University, 23-25 September 2020.
- 2020: Discussant in the international Mellon History Workshop in October 2020.
- 2020: Presented a paper on "Death and the Virus: In/Calculabilities" in an International Seminar on *Healing Populations: Approaching Life in a Mass Milieu*, under aegis of Humanistic Studies Symposium and PMMMNMTT Scheme organized by Department of Humanistic Studies and Teaching Learning Centre, IIT (BHU), 17th-18th December, 2020.

- 2021: Presented an invited paper on “Talking Humanities to Science” in an international conference on *Roadmap for Humanities and Social Sciences in STEM Higher Education*, organized by the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, IIT Jammu, 19-20 March, 2021.
- 2021: Co-organizer, chair and presenter (*Decoloniality and the Sciences*, September 10) for the Mellon project international workshop on Cultural Studies. September 3-4, 10-11, 17-18, 2021 (via Zoom).
- 2022: Delivered special Lectures at the Department of Sociology, West Bengal State University, on January 14, 2022,
- 2022: Co-organizer, discussant and presenter (*Feminism and the Decolonial*, February 25) for the Mellon project international workshop Institute on Cultural Studies. February 11-12, 18-19, 25-26, 2022 (via Zoom).
- 2022: Delivered a special lecture at the Department of English, Jadavpur University on March 3, 2022.
- 2022: Presented a paper on *Adhunikota, Modernism aar Jounobheder Raajniti: Bangla Sahityernirikhe Koyekta Kotha* (26 March, 2022) in an online Seminar series on “Adhunikotar Proshnaboli: Birodhe bong Somjhota” organized by the Department of Bengali, Jadavpur University (25-27 March, 2022).
- 2022: Talked in a panel on “Mahabharat-e Hingsha: Path o Bibechona” on March 28, 2022, organized at the Presidency University by Bhabuk Sabha and Alochonachakra.
- 2022: Co-coordinator (along with Professor Birgit M. Kaiser and Professor Kathrin Thiele, both from the University of Utrecht) of a series of online workshops on “Theorizing Practice/ Practising Theory” on behalf of Terra Critica, an international network of Critical Humanities. These workshops, consisting of three clusters of participants, continued from November 2021. The workshops were concluded in October 2022 and a proposal for a book submitted to the publisher in December 2022.
- 2022: Talked as a discussant of the book *Performing Silence: Women in the Group Theatre Movement in Bengal* by Trina Nileena Banerjee at the book talks-discussions series at the Department of Sociology, Presidency University on April 25, 2022.
- 2022: Moderated and Spoke in a plenary meeting on Theory/Practice on June 9 2022, at an International Conference on *Critical Transformations: Terra Critica 2.0*, June 8-10 2022 at Utrecht University. [Web participation in a Hybrid mode event]
- 2022: Presented a Position Paper on June 10 2022 at an International Conference on *Critical Transformations: Terra Critica 2.0*, June 8-10 2022 at Utrecht University. [Web participation in a Hybrid mode event]
- 2022: Delivered two lectures at the Department of Sociology, West Bengal State University on 9th September 2022 and 14th September 2022.
- 2022: Presented a paper on “Double Binds of Decolonization: Materialism, Science and the *Nastika* Tradition” in the *Workshop of the Mellon Foundation Project on Decolonization, the Disciplines and the University* organized by CSSSC on 19th October 2022.
- 2022: Delivered special Lectures on *Deconstruction and Feminism* at the Department of Sociology, West Bengal State University, on January 11, 2023.
- 2023: Presented a paper on “Poetics and Politics of Othering: The Work of Literature” on 27th March 2023, in an International Conference on *Literature and Aesthetics*:

Poetics of the Affective organized by Department of Comparative Indian Language and Literature and Department of English, University of Calcutta (April 27-28, 2023).

2023: Delivered the inaugural lecture on “What is Culture in Cultural Studies” in ICSSR sponsored Ten Days Research Methodology Workshop on Cultural Studies, *Doing Cultural Studies: Thinking across Disciplines*, organized by Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta and Women’s Christian College, Kolkata between 22nd August and 1st September, 2023.

2023: Delivered a lecture on “Science as Culture: Methodological Implications” in ICSSR sponsored Ten Days Research Methodology Workshop on Cultural Studies, *Doing Cultural Studies: Thinking across Disciplines*, organized by Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta and Women’s Christian College, Kolkata between 22nd August and 1st September, 2023.

2023: Panelist in a book discussion on *Naribadi Gobeshona Paddhati* organized by Department of Philosophy, Jadavpur University (21st September, 2023)

2023: Panelist in a book discussion on the launch of Literary Activism Imprint organized by The Centre for the Creative and the Critical, Ashoka University (22nd September, 2023)

Plenary and Keynote Lectures

National seminar on *Gendering Modernity: Colonial and Postcolonial Perspectives* organized by Ramsaday College in collaboration with Paschim Banga Itihas Sansad at Bangla Academy, Kolkata (4th January, 2014).

International conference on *Following Forked Paths: Discussions on the Narrative* organized by the Centre for Advanced Study, Department of Comparative Literature, Jadavpur University, Kolkata from 5th March to 7th March.

Plenary Lecture on “Translations in a Zone of Power: Thinking Across Two Cultures” in the international conference on *Translating Culture: Society, history, Politics* organized by the Department of English and the Department of Sociology, West Bengal State University from 9th March to 11th March, 2015.

Keynote address in the national conference on *Knowledge, Affect, Power: Feminism in Social Justice Discourse and Practice* organized by the St. Xavier’s College, Ahmedabad from 4th September to 5th September, 2015.

Keynote address in a seminar on “Discrimination: Historical Background and Present Day Reality” organized by Panchakot Mahavidyalaya on 4th January 2017.

Keynote address at the seminar on “Pen, Pain and Writing: (Re)Thinking Links, Connectives and Negotiations” at the Salesian College, Siliguri on 6th January 2017.

Special lecture in the national seminar on *Violence against Women* organized by the Women’s Studies Centre, Tripura University from 6th to 7th April 2017.

Plenary session speech in an interdisciplinary conference entitled, *Justice, Ethics and Culture: Borders and Boundaries of Exploration* organized by the Department of English and Culture Studies, The University of Burdwan on the 26th and the 27th of December 2017.

Keynote address (on the 2nd of April 2018) in a course on *Feminist Research Methodology* organized by the Women’s Studies Centre, Rabindra Bharati University with the support of ICSSR, from 02/04 2018 to 13/04/2018.

Public Lecture titled *Knowledge and Colonial Difference* in Utrecht organized by the Department of Language, Literature and Communication and the Institute for Cultural Inquiry as a part of the visiting fellowship at the Centre for Humanities at the Utrecht University, on 19th November, 2019.

Keynote address on “Thinking through the Knowledge Wars: The Sciences and the Humanities” (6th August 2020) in an International Web conference on *Rethinking Humanities and its Entanglements*, organized by Amity institute of English Studies and Research, Amity University, August 5-7, 2020.

Keynote address, *Posthumanism and the Many Ways of Thinking the Non-Human* on June 5, 2021, in an International online symposium on “Posthumanism and India: Envisioning and Manifesting” (June 4, 5, 11, and 13, 2021) organized by Indian Posthumanism Network.

Public Lecture: Memorial lecture, Fifth Raghav Bandyopadhyay Smarak Boktrita on *SahityerDarshonikKaajaarMeyederniyeTinteGolpo*, online on 22 December, 2021.

Lectures in Refreshers Courses

2001-2007: On Women’s Studies (‘Gender as a category of knowing’), and postmodernism (‘Postmodernist Approach to the Mind: Normal and Pathological’) in annual **Orientation** and **Refresher** courses for college and university teachers at the Department of Political Science, University of Calcutta, at the Department of Philosophy, Jadavpur University; on ‘The Scientific Construction of Sexual Difference’ and ‘Representing Women in the Academia’ in the Refresher Course at the School of Women’s Studies, Jadavpur University (more than once), and on ‘The Sex-Gender System and Beyond’ at the Women’s Studies Resource Centre, University of Calcutta (more than once).

2008: Delivered lectures for a Refresher course in Comparative Literature for college and university teachers conducted by the Department of Comparative Literature, Jadavpur University on 18th July 2008.

2008: Delivered lectures on “Philosophical Itineraries of Modernity” for a Refresher course in Film Studies entitled *Cinema and Modernity: Historical Perspectives* by Department of Film Studies, Jadavpur University on 22nd November, 2008.

2008: Delivered lectures on “Science and the Construction of Sexual Difference” for a Refresher course in Women’s Studies for college and university teachers conducted by the Department of Women’s Studies, University of Calcutta on 11th December 2008.

2009: Delivered lectures for a Refresher course in Women’s Studies for college and university teachers conducted by the School of Women’s Studies, Jadavpur University on 4th November 2009.

2010: Delivered lectures in the UGC-Sponsored Refresher course on *The Philosophy of Literature: Language, Meaning and Ideology* at the University Staff College, NEHU in Shillong on 15th March 2010.

2011: Delivered lectures 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.

2011 Delivered lectures 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.

2011 Delivered lectures for a Refresher course in Psychology for college and university teachers conducted by the Department of Psychology, Calcutta University on 16th November 2011.

2011 Delivered lectures for a Refresher course in English for college and university teachers conducted by the Department of English, Jadavpur University on 22nd November 2011 and 26th November 2011.

2012 Delivered lectures for a Refresher course in Film Studies for college and university teachers conducted by the Department of Film Studies, Jadavpur University on 9th March 2012.

- 2013 Delivered a lecture in the Refresher course at the Department of Political Science, Delhi University on 1st March 2013.
- 2014 Two lectures (*Gramsci, Hegel and Marx: the evolving idea of the disempowered man 'at the margins'* and *Foucault and Spivak on the voice of the subaltern*) in a Refresher course on *Cultures of the Margins* organized by the Department of English, Jadavpur University, Kolkata (29th January and 6th February, 2014).
- 2021: Delivered 2 lectures each in the Faculty Induction Programme numbers 4 and 3, organized by the UGC Human Resource Development Centre, University of Calcutta, on “Science and Gender” and “Ethics and Violence in the Mahabharata”, on March 12 and March 15, 2021.
- 2021-2022: Delivered lectures in the Faculty Improvement Programs conducted by the UGC Human Resource Development Centre, University of Calcutta on the following dates –
- 2 lectures on November 20, 2021
2 lectures on November 25, 2021
- 2 lectures on February 8, 2022
2 lectures on February 21, 2022.
- 2 lectures on November 1, 2022

Audiovisual

Delivered a set of four lectures on *Shorir, Subject ar Raj/neetirKotha*, followed by another session on discussion. Each of the sessions was of more than one hour duration. Edited versions are made available in the internet by *TrityoPorisor*, a Bangla website.

Boithek 1, a conversation with Hardik Brata Biswas on my book *Shoreerneetikatha*, 29th November 2023.

The Organism Artefact Hybrid (TOAH) Syntalk, a **podcast** discussion (available in spotify) with Dr. Vivek Kant, IIT Kanpur and Dr. Sunil Laxman, DBT inSTEM Bangalore, September 2023.

EDITORIAL AND OTHER EXPERIENCE:

- 1998-2002: Member of the Editorial Collective of *From the Margins- a journal of critical theory in a postcolonial setting*.
- 2005-present: Member of the Editorial Board of *The Jadavpur University Journal of Sociology* published by the Department of Sociology, Jadavpur University.
- 2003-present: Member of the Advisory Body of *Other Voice / Anya Swar*, a bilingual (English and Bangla) journal of social sciences.
- Nov 2005: Edited a collection of Bengali writings on feminist theory for a special issue of *Alochanachakra*.

Article Review for *Journal of Indian Council of Philosophical Research (JICPR)*; and *Sanglap: Journal of Literary and Cultural Inquiry*.

PUBLICATIONS

Books:

- (i) *BanglayBinirman/Abinirman* (ISBN 9788190475587), edited with an introduction, published by Ababhash Publications, Kolkata in 2007. This is a collection of Bangla writings on deconstruction and the first comprehensive book in Bangla on the subject. It had a reprint in February 2008.
The second edition is forthcoming in 2021.
- (ii) *Toward a Politics of the (Im)Possible: The Body in Third World Feminisms* (ISBN 9781843318552) published in November 2010. This is one of the books from the PhD dissertation.
The International Paperback edition (ISBN 9780857285690) has been published in October 2012.
The South Asian Paperback edition (ISBN 9789380601) has been published in November 2012.
- (iii) *Sharirneetikothea*, (ISBN 978-81-956036-3-3), 2023, Kolkata:TritiyoParisar.
- (iv) *Thinking about Doing: Practice and Theory across Continents* (co-edited with Birgit M. Kaiser and Kathrin Thiele), currently under review.
- (v) *Feminist Inscriptions: Response beyond Reaction*(co-edited with Ritu Sen Chauduri) prepared from the proceedings of the conference in 2013. The manuscript is currently under review.

Articles/Essays

- 1998
- (i) “Historiography of Science in India: Quicksands of Paradigm” in *The Indian Journal of History of Science*, Vol. 33, No. 3 (1998).
 - (ii) “What is it to Know The Body: Medicine and Modernity” in ‘*From the Margins*’, September, 1998.
 - (iii) “Sharir, rog, medicine: clinikerjanmo” in *Alochanachakra*.
- 1999
- (iv) “In search of a feminist theory for *men*: the (im)possibility of woman” in ‘*From the Margins*’, August, 1999.
 - (v) “Hinsa / na-hinsa” co-authored in *Apar*.
- 2000
- (vi) “Speaking About Science, Knowledge and Coloniality: An Introductory Essay” in ‘*From the Margins*’, Feb, 2000.
 - (vii) “In search of the feminist woman: the (im)possibility of *being*” in ‘*From the Margins*’, August 2000.
- 2001
- (viii) “in(re)trospection: suturing of selves past” in ‘*From the Margins*’, February, 2001.
 - (ix) “The emergence of the Body: An Essay in the History of Medical Knowledge” in *History Science and Society in the Indian Context*, ed. A. K. Biswas, published by The Asiatic Society, Bengal (2001).

- (x) “Medical Knowledge of the Body: Colonial Encounters” in *Rethinking Marxism*, 13 (2), September 2001.
- 2002
- (xi) “Genetics: janarnaitikata’, co-authored in *Alochanachakra*.
- 2003
- (xii) “Of Death and Medicine: Themes, Motifs and other Bodily Matters” in *Thematology: Literary Studies in India* ed. Sibaji Bandyopadhyay, published by the Department of Comparative Literature, Jadavpur University in August 2004.
- 2004
- (xiii) “of death and medicine: negotiating the other” (a different version of “Of Death and Medicine: Themes, Motifs and other Bodily Matters”) in *Rabindrabharati Journal of Philosophy 2004* published by the Department of Philosophy, Rabindrabharati University.
- (xiv) “What Impact, if any, has Feminism had on Science” in the *Newsletter* of the School of Women’s Studies, Jadavpur University, Volume 16, November 2004.
- (xv) “(Raj)NitrSonkot o Sambhabana: Uttar Adhunikata” in *Anustup* 39 (1), October 2004.
- 2005
- (xvi) “Of Rights and the (M)others: The question of Abortion in a Planetary Frame” (a different version of “Choice, life and the (m)other: towards ethics in/of abortion”) in *The Jadavpur University Journal of Sociology* 1(1), November 2005.
- (xvii) “Derrida, Nari o Naribader Katha” in *Antahsar* 1 (2), February 2005.
- 2006
- (xviii) A slightly modified version of “In search of the third world woman: the (in)corporeality of body-metaphors” has been published in *Post-Structuralism and Cultural Theory*, a collection of essays edited by FransonManjali, Professor of Linguistics, Jawaharlal Nehru University, and published by the Allied Publishers, 2006.
- (xix) “Kathamukh” in *Alochanachakra* 22, Special Number on Feminist Theory.
- 2007
- (xx) A review of *Feminism Without Borders: Decolonizing Theory, Practicing Solidarity*, in *Book Line* XII (5).
- (xxi) “The Desired ‘One’: Thinking the Woman in the Nation” (co-authored by Ritu Sen Chaudhuri) in *History Compass Journal* 5 (5), a peer reviewed e-journal published by Blackwell Publishing Limited.
- (xxii) “Binirman: Ekti Bhumika Nibondho”, an introductory essay to *BanglayBinirman/Abinirman*, a collection of essays on deconstruction in Bengali edited by me, AbabhasPulications, 2007.
- 2009
- (xxiii) “Not For a Place of Her Own: Beyond the *Topos* of Man” in *Occasional Paper Series in Centre for Studies in Social Sciences Calcutta*.
- (xxiv) “Sexual Difference in Literary Historiography: Writing the Nation in “My Life”” in the *Occasional Paper Series in The School of Women’s Studies, Jadavpur University*.
- 2010
- (xxv) “Choice, life and the (m)other: towards ethics in/of abortion” in *Human Rights and Ethics: Conceptual Analysis and Contextual Obligations* ed. Shashi Motilal, published by Anthem Press, an academic imprint of Wimbledon Publishing Company, U. K.
- (xxvi) “The History of Calcutta Medical College” (co-authored by Samita Sen) in *Science and Modern India: An Institutional History c. 1784-1947*, edited by Uma Dasgupta and D. P. Chattopadhyaya, PHISPC (Project of History of Indian Science, Philosophy and Culture, Vol XV, Part 4) series, published by Pearson.

- (xxvii) A review of *The Collectors of Lost Souls: Turning Kuru Scientists into Whitemen* by Warwick Anderson, in *Global South* 2010.
- 2011
- (xxviii) “Aestheticising Law into Justice: The Fetus in a Divided Planet” in *The Borders of Justice* ed., Etienne Balibar, Sandra Mezzadra, Ranabir Samaddar, Pennsylvania: Temple University Press.
- 2012
- (xxix) “Suturing of Selves Past: The Body in Revolution” (a different version of “in(re)trospection: suturing of selves past”) in *Social Representations, Textuality and Identities: The Critical Interface*, ed., Sukalpa Bhattacharjee, Sage Publishers.
- (xxx) “Science and Knowledge: Scattered Notes on Methods and Metaphysics” in *Explaining and Understanding Research Methodologies in Legal and Interdisciplinary Education Fields in India*, ed., Bimal N. Patel. Gandhinagar: Gujarat National Law University. 2012.
- 2013
- (xxxi) A review of *Who Sings the Nation State? Language, Politics, Belonging* by Judith Butler and Gayatri Chakravorty Spivak, in *Studies in Humanities and Social Sciences* 2013.
- 2014
- (xxxii) “Of Sleep and Violence: Reading *Sauptikaparvan* in Times of Terror” in *The Mahabharata Now*, eds. Arindam Chakrabarti and Sibaji Bandyopadhyay, Routledge, New Delhi, 2014, 203-218.
- (xxxiii) “Bhumika”, in *1970* by Raghav Bandyopadhyay, Charcha, Kolkata, 2014, 9-22.
- (xxxiv) “Supti O Hinsa: SauptikParba – EktiApapath”, translated by Anirban Bhattacharya in *Alochonachakra* (35), 2014, 167-181.
- 2017
- (xxxv) “Notes Toward A Gathering: Sciences and Methodologies” in *Following Forkhead Paths: Discussions on the Narrative* edited by Debashree Dattaray, Epsita Halder, Sudip Bhattacharya, Kolkata: SetuPrakashani.
- (xxxvi) “Sexual Difference in a Different Religiosity: Writing the Nation in “My Life”” in *Philosophia: A Journal of Feminist Continental Philosophy* Volume 7 Number 1.
- (xxxvii) “‘The Lady Vanishes’: Sexual Difference and the Politics of Writing Pain” in *Salesian Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences* Volume 8 Number 2.
- 2018
- (xxxviii) “Of Identities and Other Desires: Thinking Sexualities through Bangla Fiction” in *The Visva-Bharati Quarterly* New Series Volume 27 Number 2 and 3.
- (xxxix) “Feminism and the Question of Man: Negotiating the Impossible” in *Men and Feminism in India*, edited by Romit Chowdhury and Zaid al Baset; Oxford, New York, New Delhi: Routledge.
- 2019
- (xl) “Introduction” to *Ethics and Politics in Tagore, Coetzee and Certain Scenes of Teaching* by Gayatri Chakravorty Spivak, New Delhi, London, New York: Oxford University Press.
- (xli) “Caste and Gender: Generalities of Experience” in *Sanglap: Journal of Literary and Cultural Inquiry* Vol. 5 No. 3, 2019, 99-111.

- (xlii) “Of Identities and Other Desires: Thinking Sexualities through Bangla Fiction” in *Histories of Desire: Sexualities and Culture in Modern India*, edited by Sanjay Srivastava and Rajeev Kumarakondoth, Cambridge University Press, 23-39.
- (xliii) “Bhumika” (Introduction to) a set of essays on Body and Politics in *Charbak*, February 2019.
- 2020
- (xliv) “The Poet and the City: The Many Ways of Gendering the Modern” in *Historicising Gendered Modernities in India*, edited by Amitabha Chatterjee. New Delhi: Primus.
- 2021
- (xlv) “NareebaderNanakotha: Discipline-erGheratopeaarLonghonerRajniti” in *NareebaderNanapaath*, ed., Ritu Sen Chaudhuri, to be published by Ananda Publishers (2021).
- 2022
- (xlvi) “Supti o Hingsha: SantraserSomokaleSouptikparba” in *MahabharateHingsha*, ed., Anirban Bhattacharya, Alochonachakra: Kolkata (2022).
- 2023
- (xlvii) “Discipliner SanghatiaarBibhajitoChinta (Pratham Parba)” a Dialogue, Anirban Das and Ritu Sen Chaudhuri, in *Merujeen*, A Digital Magazine published from Kolkata, 2023.
- (xlviii) “SahityerKajarItihiser Seema” in *Anustup 57 (4)*, *Ranajit Guha BisheshSankhya*, 2023.

Forthcoming and Submission

Submitted, “Introduction” (co-authored) in *Feminist Inscriptions: Response beyond Reaction*, edited by Anirban Das and Ritu Sen Chaudhuri.

Submitted, “Feminist Politics, Theory and the Question of the Outside: Reflections” in *Feminist Inscriptions: Response beyond Reaction*, edited by Anirban Das and Ritu Sen Chaudhuri.

Bangla (Articles)

Magazines and Newspapers:

- (i) ‘Bamponthikothabarta’ in *Bishongbad* 1995.
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