

BIO-DATA

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Religion : Hinduism
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Examination Passed	Institute/ University	Year of Passing	Class	Rank	% of Marks
B.A. (Hons. in English)	Vidyasagar University	1991	2 nd	1	58.75
M.A.in English, Spl. Papers- American Literature & Indo –Anglian Literature	Vidyasagar University	1993	2 nd	1	59.75
State Level Eligibility Test (SLET)	West Bengal College Service Commission	1994	-	-	-

Sex : Male

Academic Record:

Teaching Experience:

- Worked as Lecturer in English and Head, Department of English, in Hijli College P.O.-Hijli Co-operative, Kharagpur, Paschim Medinipur-721306, West Bengal, from 14th November, 1996 to 13th November 2002.
- Worked as Senior Lecturer in English and Head, Department of English, in Hijli College P.O.-Hijli Co-operative, Kharagpur, Paschim Medinipur-721306, West Bengal, from 14th November, 2002 to 13th November 2007.
- Worked as a Selection Grade Lecturer in English and Head, Department of English, in Hijli College P.O.-Hijli Co-operative, Kharagpur, Paschim Medinipur-721306, West Bengal, from 14th November, 2007 to 13th November 2010.

- Worked as Associate Professor in English and Head, Department of English, in Hijli College P.O.-Hijli Co-operative, Kharagpur, Paschim Medinipur-721306, West Bengal, from 14th November, 2010 to 20th August, 2015 and resuming the work as Associate Professor in English and Head, Department of English, in Hijli College, from 23rd December, 2016 till date.
- Worked as Teacher-in-charge of Hijli College, P.O.-Hijli Co-operative, Kharagpur, Paschim Medinipur-721306, West Bengal, from 21st August, 2015 to 22nd December, 2016.
- Performed the duty as a guest teacher at the Dept. of English, Vidyasagar University, from December, 2007 to June, 2014.
- Performing the duty as a PG Counsellor in English at the Raja N.L.Khan Women's Study Centre under Netaji Open University, from July, 2005 till date.

Awards/Scholarship/Fellowship obtained:

- Obtained Certificate of Merit from Vidyasagar University for standing 1st in the 2nd class in both B.A. (Hons.) and M.A. examination.
- Obtained Amiyabala Ghosh Endowment Medal for standing 1st in the 2nd class in M.A. examination.
- Awarded Ph. D. by Vidyasagar University on 21st June, 2018 for the thesis entitled "*A Confused Heap of Impressions*"? : *A Study of Thomas Hardy's Poems*

Publications:

- "*The Darking Thrush and the Hardy Mood*" in *Litscape*, volume 3, in November, 2006.
- "When I have fears that I may cease to be: On Keats' preoccupation with death" in the *Journal of the Department of English, Hijli College*, volume 1, in January, 2008.
- "A Feminist approach to Austen's *Sense and Sensibility*" in *Litscape*, volume 4, in March, 2008.
- "Sweet Flattery": A Study of Shakespeare's Sonnets" in the *Journal of the Department of English, Hijli College*, volume 1, in January, 2009.
- "In Quest of Love: A Study of Kamala Das's Poetry" in *Litscape*, volume 5, in 2009.
- "Thomas Hardy and an alternative tradition in Modern British Poetry" in the *Journal of the Department of English, Hijli College*, volume 3, in 2010.
- "Politics of Repression in Amitav Ghosh's *The Shadow Lines*" in UGC Seminar Proceedings entitled *Nation, Representation and Indian English Literature*, published by Contai P.K.College in 2012.
- "Amitav Ghosh's *The Hungry Tide*: A Critique of Rehabilitation" in UGC Seminar Proceedings entitled *Social Dimensions of Hazard Management*, published by Hijli College in 2012.

- “Cultural Displacement, Unhappy Marriages and Notes of Universality: A Reading of Jhumpa Lahiri’s Collection of Short Stories, *Interpreter of Maladies*” in UGC Seminar Proceedings entitled *Indian English Prose and Poetry: New Perspectives*, published by Midnapore College in 2012.
- “A Muse to the Poet: ‘One Rare Fair Woman in Thomas Hardy’s Life’ in *Middle Flight*, Volume 1 in November, 2012.
- “Madhuchchanda Karlekar’s *The Visitor: A Translation Study*” in the *Journal of the Department of English, Hijli College*, volume 4, in February, 2013.
- “Florence Henniker, Thomas Hardy and Thomas Hardy’s Sue” in *Litscape*, Volume 8, 2013.
- “Memory and Writing: A Study of Hardy’s *Poems of 1912-13*” in *Middle Flight*, Volume 3 in September, 2014.
- “Love as a Route of Exploration in the Poems of Kamala Das” in the *Journal of the Department of English, Hijli College*, volume 5, in September, 2017.

Seminar/Conference / Workshop Participation & Paper Presentation:

- Participated in a two day National Seminar on *Modernism and Beyond* organized by the Dept. of English, V.U. on 14 & 15th March, 1997.
- Participated in a one day workshop on syllabus revision at V.U. in 1998.
- Participated in a one day seminar on the syllabus of Environmental Study of Vidyasagar University, sponsored by U.G.C. & Govt. of W.B. on 28th May, 2000.
- Participated in a two day International seminar on *Post Colonial Perspectives on Indian English Literature*, organized by Dept. of English, V.U., on 5 & 6th Feb., 2001.
- Participated in a one day educational seminar organized by WBCUTA Midnapore West District Committee on 22nd Sept., 2001 at Raja N.L. Khan Women’s College, Midnapore.
- Participated in a one day State level seminar on *Problem and Prospect of Youth Resource under Human Resource Management* organized by K.D. College of Commerce, Midnapore sponsored by U.G.C. on 9th December, 2002.
- Participated in a one day international seminar on *New Literature in English* organized by Vidyasagar University, Midnapore on 24th February, 2003.
- Participated in a one day seminar on *Shakespeare: Recent Approaches* hosted by Dept. of English, Mahishadal Raj College in collaboration with V.U.E.T.C. on 5th April, 2003.
- Participated in a seminar on *Awareness of Undergraduate Colleges under Vidyasagar University about NAAC evaluation* at Garhbeta College, Paschim Medinipur on 29th July, 2003.
- Participated in a National Seminar on *Information Support for Rural Development* organized by Dept. of Library and Information Science, V.U. on 18th & 19th November, 2003.

- Participated in a seminar on SIKKHA-SHASTHAYA-VIGNAN AVIJAN-2003, at Vivekananda Satabarshiki Mahavidyalaya, Manikpara, Paschim Medinipur, organized by West Bengal College & University Teachers Association, Midnapore West District Committee, on 6th December, 2003.
- Participated in a State level seminar on *The Seventeenth Century British Literature*, hosted by Dept. of English, Midnapore College in collaboration with V.U.E.T.C. on 7th February, 2004.
- Participated in a seminar on *Post Modernism & Bengali Literature* organized Dept. of Bengali, Vidyasagar University, Midnapore on 10 & 11 March, 2004.
- Participated in a seminar on *The Obscurity of Modern Poetry* organized by Dept. of Bengali & Dept. of English, P.K. College, Contai, on 22.12.2004.
- Participated in a one day regional level seminar on *Indoor Environmental Pollution and its Monitoring* organized by Narajole College, Paschim Medinipur held on 18th January, 2005.
- Participated in a two day seminar on *Quality Assurance and Quality Management in Higher Education: A Post Globalization Perspective* hosted by Belda College, Paschim Medinipur on 19th & 20th January, 2005.
- Participated in a Regional Level one day seminar on *Self Help Groups: A New Way of Rural Development*, organized by K.D. College of Commerce on 4th March, 2005.
- Participated in a two day international seminar on *Empire and Literature*, organized by Dept. of English, V.U., Midnapore on 22 & 23, March, 2005.
- Participated in a State level seminar on *Re-reading the Eighteenth Century British Literature*, organized by Dept. of English, Tamralipta Mahavidyalaya, Tamluk, Purba Medinipur. on 2nd April, 2005.
- Participated in a seminar on *Role of Teaching Community in Conservation of Academic Climate and Standard in Educational Institution*, organized by W.B.C.U.T.A., Midnapore West District Committee on the occasion of its XIIIth Biennial Conference & XIVth Annual General Meeting on 19.11.2005 at K.D. College of Commerce, Midnapore.
- Participated in a workshop on *Under Graduate Syllabus*, organized by Tamralipta Mahavidyalaya, Tamluk, Purba Medinipur in collaboration with Vidyasagar University and WBCUTA, Midnapore District Committee on 12 January, 2006.
- Participated in a national seminar on *Quality Improvement in Higher Education: Role of NAAC Accredited Institutions*, organized by Panskura Banamali College, Panskura, Purba Medinipur on 30 & 31 Jan., 2006.
- Participated in a UGC-sponsored state level seminar on *Perspectives on the Shifting Course of English Literature*, organized by Sitananda College, Nandigram, Purba Medinipur on 10 March, 2006.
- Participated in a national seminar on *Australian Literature: Identity, Representation and Belonging*, organized by Seva Bharati Mahavidyalaya, Kapgari, Paschim Medinipur on 21 & 22 Feb. 2006.
- Participated in the American Literature Study Circle's Summer Course on American Literature, arranged by the Dept. of English, V.U., on July 25-26, 2006,

- Participated in a national seminar on ‘150 YEARS OF THE GREAT REVOLT OF 1857 & ITS RELEVANCE IN THE PRESENT INDIAN SCENARIO’ organized by Bankura Sammilani College, Bankura, sponsored by W.B.C.U.T.A. in its 77TH CONFERENCE on 18-19 Nov., 2006.
- Participated in a State level seminar on *19th Century British Romantic Poetry: New Readings*, organized by Dept. of English, Garhbeta College, Paschim Medinipur in collaboration with V.U.E.T.C. on 22 Nov., 2006.
- Participated in a National seminar on *Post Independence Indian Fiction (Eastern Region): A Comparative Study* organized by Kharagpur College, Kharagpur, sponsored by UGC on 24 – 25, Nov., 2006.
- Conducted and participated in a College level seminar on *Introducing Romanticism* organized by Dept. of English, Hijli College on 12 January, 2007.
- Participated in a UGC sponsored State - level seminar on *Reading Drama Today: Text and Performance* organized by Dept. of English, Vidyasagar University on 06 – 07 March, 2007.
- Participated in a seminar on ‘THE NATIONAL KNOWLEDGE COMMISSION-EMERGING CONTENTIONS IN THE REALM OF HIGHER EDUCATION’ organized by Pingla Thana Mahavidyalaya, Pingla, sponsored by W.B.C.U.T.A. in its XIV BIENNIAL CONFERENCE & XV Annual Meeting on 29 December, 2007.
- Conducted and participated in a College level seminar on *Shakesprearean Tragedy and Macbeth* organized by Dept. of English, Hijli College on 11 January, 2008.
- Participated in a National Seminar on *Reviewing Contact Zones : The Bengal Britain Connection* under UGC-Assisted DRS (SAP-III) Phase-II IN English organized by the department of English, University of Calcutta on 25 February, 2008.
- Participated in a State- level Seminar on *Victorian Literature: Text and Context* and in a panel discussion on *Teaching Victorian Literature at the Undergraduate level*, organized by Dept. of English, Egra S.S.B.College, Egra, Purba Medinipur, in collaboration with V.U.E.T.C. on 29th March, 2008.
- Participated in a UGC-sponsored National- level Seminar on *Bahu Bhashi Bharatiya Samaj Aur Sanskriti Ki Ekta : Hindi Aur Hindetar Bhasaon Ki Bhumika*, organized by Vidyasagar University at Vidyasagar University on 21st-22nd November, 2008.
- Participated in a UGC-sponsored State- level Seminar on *Postcolonial Perspectives in Indian English Literature*, organized by Dept. of English, Vivekananda Mission Mahavidyalaya, Chaitanyapur, Purba Medinipur on 17th December, 2008.
- Participated in a College level seminar on *Modern British Poetry* organized by Dept. of English, Hijli College on 16 January, 2009.
- Participated in a UGC-sponsored Regional- level Seminar on *Nation and Narration*, organized by Dept. of English, Sitananda College, Nandigram, Purba Medinipur on 21st-22nd February, 2009.
- Participated in an International Seminar on *Higher Education and Employability*, organized by VURSA at Vidyasagar University on 27th February, 2009.

- Participated in a State- level Seminar on *Modernism in English Literature*, organized by Dept. of English, Raja N.L.K.han Women's College, Paschim Medinipur, in collaboration with V.U.E.T.C. on 07th March, 2009.
- Participated in a one day International Seminar on *The Role of Publication Houses in Promoting Literature* organized by the Dept. of English, V.U. on 19th March, 2009.
- Participated in a seminar on 'YASHPAL COMMITTEE REPORT AND THE SHIFTING PARADIGMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN INDIA' organized by Debra T.S.K.S.Mahavidyalaya, Gangaramchawk, sponsored by W.B.C.U.T.A. in its XIV BIENNIAL CONFERENCE & XV Annual Meeting on 19th December, 2009.
- Participated in a National Seminar on *Translation of Dalit Literature: Problems and Prospects* under UGC-assisted DRS (SAP-III) Phase-I, organized by the Department of English, Vidyasagar University on 23-24 March, 2010.
- Participated in a National Workshop on *Approaches to and Strategies of Translating Dalit Literature* under UGC-assisted DRS (SAP-III) Phase-I, organized by the Department of English, Vidyasagar University on 19-21 August, 2010.
- Participated in a State- level Seminar on *Post-Modernist Perspectives on English Literature*, organized by Dept. of English, Panskura Banamali College, Purba Medinipur, in collaboration with V.U.E.T.C. on 28th August, 2010.
- Participated in a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Protecting the Rights of the Marginalized Women: Modes and Challenges*, organized by Women's Studies Centre, Vidyasagar University on 12th January, 2011.
- Participated in a National Workshop on *Documentation and Translation of Indigenous Languages and Literatures of West Bengal* under UGC-assisted DRS (SAP-III) Phase-I, organized by the Department of English, Vidyasagar University in collaboration with Bhasha Research and Publication Centre, Baroda, on 15-16 March, 2011.
- Participated in a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Women's Health: Recent Trends in Research*, organized by Women's Studies Centre, Vidyasagar University on 17th March, 2011.
- Presented a paper on "Amitav Ghosh's *The Hungry Tide: A Critique of Rehabilitation*" in a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Social Dimensions of Hazard Management*, organized by Department of Geography, Hijli College, on 4-5th November, 2011.
- Participated in a State- level Seminar on *History, Myth and Fiction: An Interface / Indian English Novels*, organized by Dept. of English, Kharagpur College, Paschim Medinipur, in collaboration with V.U.E.T.C. on 26th November, 2011.
- Participated in a Regional-level Seminar on "Ordinance of Universities in West Bengal : Advancement or Retrogression ?", organized by W.B.C.U.T.A. , Paschim Medinipur District Committee in its XVI BIENNIAL CONFERENCE & XVII Annual Meeting on 17th December, 2011.
- Presented a paper on "Politics of Repression in Amitav Ghosh's *The Shadow Lines*" in a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Representing the Nation in Indian English Literature*, organized by Department of English, P.K.College,

- Contai , in collaboration with Dept. of English, Sitananda College, Nandigram, Purba Medinipur, on 10-11th January, 2012.
- Participated in a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Safe and Environment-friendly Food-additives and Dyes*, organized by Department of Chemistry & Department of Physics, Hijli College in collaboration with Dept. of Chemistry, Mugberia Gangadhar Mahavidyalaya, Purba Medinipur, on 2st-3rd February, 2012.
 - Participated in a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Cultural Studies and Literary Applications*, organized by Dept. of English, Panskura Banamali College, Purba Medinipur, in collaboration with V.U.E.T.C. on 3rd - 4th February, 2012.
 - Participated in a State- level Seminar on *Re-reading Shakespeare and Donne*, organized by Dept. of English, Sukumar Sengupta Mahavidyalaya, Paschim Medinipur, on 27th November, 2012.
 - Presented a paper on “Cultural Displacement, Unhappy Marriages and Notes of Universality : A Reading of Jhumpa Lahiri’s Collection of Short Stories, *Interpreter of Maladies*” in a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Indian English Prose and Poetry : New Perspectives*, organized by Department of English, Midnapore College, in collaboration with K.D.College of Commerce and General Studies, Midnapore, on 06-07th December, 2012.
 - Participated in a National Seminar on *System of Governance in Higher Education*, organized by Dept. of Pol. Sc., Midnapore College, Paschim Medinipur, in collaboration with W.B.C.U.T.A., Paschim Medinipur District Committee. on 8th December, 2012.
 - Conducted and participated in a State-level seminar on *Indian English Poetry: Challenges and Achievement*, organized by Dept. of English, Hijli College on 13 February, 2013.
 - Participated in a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Remapping the English Literary Canon: Language, Society and Culture*, organized by Dept. of English, Vidyasagar University, on 18 -19th February, 2013.
 - Participated in a National Seminar on *Higher Education in India: 12th Five Year Plan* , organized by Dept. of Economics, Midnapore College, Paschim Medinipur, in collaboration with W.B.C.U.T.A. , Paschim Medinipur District Committee. on 28th December, 2013.
 - Participated in a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Writings from the Margins: Subaltern Literary Representations and the Politics of Canon making*, organized by Dept. of English, Vidyasagar University, Paschim Medinipur, on 04 & 05 March, 2014.
 - Participated in a National Seminar on *Recent Trends in Information Technology*, NSRTIT – 2015, organized by Dept. of Comp. Sc. and Application. Hijli College, Paschim Medinipur, on 07 October, 2015.
 - Presented a paper on “In Time of “The Breaking of Nations” and Thomas Hardy” in a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *War, Literature and Humanity: Rethinking English Literature in the Context of World War I*, organized by Department of English, P.K.College, Contai , in collaboration with Vidyasagar University English Teachers’ Consortium on 18-19th November, 2015.

- Participated in a National Seminar on *New Higher Education Policy in India: Problems and Prospects*, organized by K.D. College of Commerce and General Studies, Paschim Medinipur, in collaboration with W.B.C.U.T.A., Paschim Medinipur District Committee. on 30th January, 2016.
- Conducted and participated in a State - level seminar on *Introducing American Literature*, organized by Dept. of English, Hijli College on 15 March, 2016.
- Participated in a National Conference on *Documentation and Digitization of Cultural Texts and Languages: Problems and Prospects* under UGC-assisted DRS (SAP-III) Phase-II, organized by the Department of English, Vidyasagar University, on 29-30 March, 2016.
- Participated in a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Children's Literature: Modes and Meanings*, organized by Dept. of English, Vidyasagar University, Paschim Medinipur, on 31 March, 2016.
- Participated in a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Question of Identity in the Literature of Indian Diaspora in English*, organized by Dept. of English, Egra S.S.B. College, Purba Medinipur, in collaboration with Ramnagar College on 13 - 14 February, 2017.
- Participated in a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Environmentalism and Literature*, organized by Dept. of English, Vidyasagar University, Paschim Medinipur, on 21 March, 2017.
- Conducted and participated in a State - level seminar on *Dalit Literature in English Translation*, organized by Dept. of English, Hijli College on 7 March, 2018.

Other Relevant Particulars:

- Performed the duty of the evaluator of Students' Response Sheet pertaining to the P.G. Course conducted by D.D.E., V.U. in 1997.
- Successfully completed UGC sponsored Orientation Programme for University & College teachers from 1st March, 2001 to 30th March, 2001 organized by the Academic Staff of College, University of Calcutta, at the Dept. of English.
- Successfully completed UGC sponsored Refresher Course in English for University & College teachers from 6th to 28th August, 2001, organized by the Academic Staff of College, University of Calcutta, at the Dept. of English.
- Successfully completed UGC sponsored Refresher Course in English for University & College teachers from 03 January to 25 January, 2003 organized by UGC Refresher Course Centre, Vidyasagar University, Midnapore.
- Attended the programme of spot evaluation of answer script of RLST (A.T.) 2004 from 27.8.04 to 28.8.04 conducted by the W.B. Regional School Service Commission (Western Region), Bankura.
- Attended the programme of spot evaluation of answer script of RLST (A.T.) 2004 on 31.8.04 conducted by the W.B. Regional School Service Commission (Western Region), Bankura.

- Attended the programme of spot evaluation of answer script of RLST (A.T.) 2005 from 16.11.05 to 17.11.05 conducted by the W.B. Regional School Service Commission (Western Region), Bankura.
- Attended the programme of spot evaluation of answer script of RLST (A.T.) as well as acted as Subject Expert in 2006, conducted by the W.B. Regional School Service Commission (Western Region), Bankura.
- Attended the programme of spot evaluation of answer script of RLST (A.T.) as well as acted as Subject Expert in 2007, conducted by the W.B. Regional School Service Commission (Western Region), Bankura.
- Successfully completed UGC sponsored Refresher Course in English for University & College teachers from 20th February to 11th March, 2008, organized by the Academic Staff of College, University of Calcutta, at the Dept. of English.
- Performing the duties of Paper Setter, Reviewer and Examiner of B.A. Part (I & II) General Examination of Vidyasagar University since 1997 till date and of B.A. Part-(I&II) Honours Examination of Vidyasagar University since 2004 till date.
- Performed the duty as a counsellor of the students of Bridge Course conducted by D.D.E., Vidyasagar University, from 1997 to 2002.
- Performed the duty as a counsellor of the students of P.G. Course conducted by Netaji Subhash Open University since 2005 till date.
- Performing and performed the duty as a member of Hijli College Governing Body from 2000 to 2016, as Bursar from 2001 to 2015, as member of Finance Committee from 2000 to 2016, a member of Purchase Committee from 2000 to 2016, as member of Building Committee from 2000 to 2016, as member of Discipline Committee from 2004 to 2016, as Coordinator of NAAC Committee up to NAAC Peer Team Visit in 2007, as the editor of the college magazine from 1997 to 2007, as the editor of the college wall magazine in 2007 etc.
- Performed the duty of University Nominee in the UGC Building Committee of Bhatler College, Dantan from 2000 to 2003.
- Attended the programme of spot evaluation of answer script of RLST (A.T.) as well as acted as Subject Expert in 2008, conducted by the W.B. Regional School Service Commission (Western Region), Bankura.
- Member of UG Board of Studies in English from 2008 to 2012.
- Attended the programme of spot evaluation of answer script of RLST (A.T.) as well as acted as Subject Expert in 2009, conducted by the W.B. Regional School Service Commission (Western Region), Bankura.
- Enrolled as a Ph. D. scholar in Vidyasagar University from 2nd December, 2010.
- Acted as University Nominee in the Governing Body of Midnapore College from 2009 to 2010.
- Acted as University Nominee in the Governing Body of Silda Chandrasekhar College from 2011-14.
- Working as the Co-ordinator of the UGC Remedial Coaching Scheme at Hijli College from 2011 till date.
- Taking classes under UGC Remedial Coaching Scheme & UGC Entry to Services Scheme at Hijli College from 2011 till date.

- Completed a UGC–approved Minor Research Project from September, 2009 to March, 2011.
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