

Profile

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Book :

1. (As a sole author)

Autobiographies and Women Activists; A New Perspective of Open and Distance Learning, 2017, Netaji Subhas Open University, Kolkata, ISBN: 978-93-82112-58-7.

2. Edited Volumes:

1. Gender, Culture, Politics: Bengal in the 20th Century, ISBN: 978-93-82112-32-7. Year: 2016.
2. Relocating Contemporary Politics: Issues and Challenges, ISBN978-93-88207-24-9, Year 2019.
3. Contemporary International Relations, ISBN978-93-88207-62-1, Year- 2019 (co-edited with Dr. A. Bhattacharyya)
4. NSOU Journal of Social Sciences, ISSN2581-5512, Year: 2017.

Articles in Journals:

1. 'Communist Party in West Bengal and Some Gendered Paradoxes' in *Summerhill*, IIAS Review Vol XXVI, No. 2, ISSN: 0972-1452, Winter 2020.(UGC Care Enlisted Journal).
2. Beyond a Conjugal Life, Tagore's Home and the World: A Gendered Perspective in NSOU Journal of Social Sciences, ISSN2581-5512, pp 45-50, Year: 2017.

Chapters in Books:

1. 'Gender and Autobiography: Relocating the Bengali 'Other' in Left Politics', in Gender, Culture, Politics: Bengal in the 20th Century, ISBN: 978-93-82112-32-7. Year: 2016.
2. 'Parliamentary Democracy and the Communist Other', in Malyasree Mukherjee & Nibedita Saha ed. *Rethinking India's Democracy*, ISBN: 978-81-7648-235-2, Year: 2017, pp 104-119.

3. An “other” Modernity: Women’s Question in Colonial Bengal in S. Chaudhuri & C. Basu ed. *Caste, Gender and Media- Significant Sociological Trends in India*, ISBN:978-93-82112-57-0, Year: 2017.
4. ‘Debating Open and Distance Learning: A Feminist Perspective’ in Modak D & C. Basu ed. *Teaching Social Sciences through Open and Distance Learning: A 21st century perspective*, NSOU Publication, Kolkata, Year: 2017, ISBN: 978-93-82112-59-5.

Accepted Papers in Edited Books/Journals:

1. ‘Emergency Aid’ in *The Palgrave Encyclopedia of Global Security Studies* ed. by Manish Thapa and Scott Nicholas Romaniuk.
2. ‘Gendering the Communist History: Women Comrades in the Communist Party in Bengal’ in *Gender and Nationalism in Late Colonial Bengal* ed. By Dr Ishanee Mukherjee.

Paper Presentation:

1. Paper Presented on ‘Election, Communist Party and Second Sex: Some Gendered Observation in the 21st Century’ at the International Conference on Elections and Political Parties in South Asia: A 21st Century Perspective, jointly organized by University of Kalyani and Research Committee 23, International Political Science Association (IPSA RC-23). Year: 2016-17

Minor Research Project:

1. Title: Searching for an Inner Voice: Bengali Women Political Activists through their Autobiographies; Fifties & Sixties. Funding Agency: - UGC (Completed Project in 2016).

Invited Lectures:

1. Invited Lecture on Electoral Politics and Marginalisation of Gender: A Retrospect of Left Parties in West Bengal at University of Allahabad. Year 2018.
2. Invited Lecture on Mapping Women based Movements in Indian context at Ramkrishna Sarada Mission Vivekananda Vidyabhavan. Year 2015
3. Invited Lecture on Gender and Environment: A new dimensions in Politics at Kalyani Mahavidyalaya. Year 2017

4. Invited Lecture in a webinar on 'Gender and Society in the Pandemic' organised by ICC, NSOU. Year- 2020.

Other Academic Activities:

1. Delivered series of Video lectures as a Resource Person in Political Science for a MHRD Project through ICT (NME- ICT). Year 2015-2016.
2. Co chaired a session in the National Seminar at University of Allahabad, Year 2018.