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Date of Birth 16th June, 1980

Nationality Indian

Languages English, Bengali, Hindi

Teaching Fields

Microeconomics, Development Economics, International Economics, Managerial Economics

Research Fields

International Economics, Labour Market, Development Economics

Educational Background

- Ph. D. in Economics, 2015

Thesis Title: *Aspects of Trade Liberalization and Labour Market related Issues in a Developing Economy*

Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata, WB, India

- M. Sc. in Economics, 2002-2004

University of Calcutta, Kolkata, WB, India

- B. Sc. in Economics, 19989– 2002

College: Hooghly Mohsin College

Burdwan University, Kolkata, WB, India

Professional Experience

Experience of teaching at UG Level:

- Associate Professor in Economics in St. Paul's Cathedral Mission College, Kolkata from 2023 to till date.

- Assistant Professor in Economics in St. Paul's Cathedral Mission College, Kolkata during 2008 – 2023.
- Lecturer at a substantive post (in Lien Vacancy) in the Dept. of Economics of St. Paul's Cathedral Mission College, Kolkata from 1.08.2007 to 31.05.2008.
- Part-time Lecturer in the Dept. of Economics of Hooghly Mohsin College, Hooghly from 1.07.2007 to 31.07.2007.
- Part-time Lecturer in the Dept. of Economics of Hooghly Women's College, Hooghly from 1.07.2006 to 31.07.2007.
- Part-time Lecturer in the Dept. of Economics of Khalisani Mahavidyalaya, Chandannagar from 1.09.2005 to 31.01.2007.

Experience of teaching at PG Level:

- Visiting faculty in the Dept. of Economics of Calcutta University from 2017 to till date
- Guest Teacher of International Trade Special Paper at PG course in the Dept. of Economics of Rabindra Bharati University during the academic session 2015-2016.

Publications

1. Mitra (2023): "Exportable Product Quality and International Fragmentation in a Small Open Economy" in Gupta and Dwibedi ed. *'International Trade, Economic Development and National Welfare'*, Routledge, March, 2023
2. Mitra, S. and K. Gupta (2020): "Fragmentation, Skill Formation and International Capital Mobility", *The Singapore Economic Review*, Vol 65(2), 2020.

3. Mitra, S. and K. Gupta (2019): "FDI, Informal Wage and Inequality: An Inquiry into the Welfare Conditions of a Developing Country", *International Journal of Research and Analytical Reviews*, Vol 6(2), May, 2019.
4. Mitra, S., T. Chatterjee and K. Gupta (2018): "Product Differentiation, Quality of Innovation and Capital Mobility: A general Equilibrium Analysis", *Advances in Theory and Policy: Essays in Honour of Ronald Jones*, edited by S. Marjit and S. Kar, Cambridge University Press.
5. Mitra, S. and K. Gupta (2012): "Foreign Capital, Wage Inequality and Welfare in the Presence of Technology Transfer", *The Asian Economic Review*, Vol 54(3), December, 2012.
6. Mitra, S. and K. Gupta (2010): "Skilled-Unskilled Wage Gap in a Small Developing Economy: The Role of Trade Liberalization", *The Indian Economic Journal*, Vol 57(4), January –March, 2010.
7. Mitra, S. (2010): "Liberalization and Informal Sector in General Equilibrium", *Rabindra Bharati University Journal of Economics*, Vol. IV, 2010.

Paper Presentations in Seminar/Conferences/Workshops

International

- Presented a paper, titled "FDI, Informal Wage and Inequality: An Inquiry into Welfare Conditions of a Developing Country", in the UGC,SAP(DRS-I)-sponsored Two-day International Seminar on *Contemporary Development of Backward Regions with Special Reference to Poverty, Inequality and Non-Farm Employment in West Bengal*, organized by the Department of Economics with Rural Development, Vidyasagar University, Midnapore held in Vidyasagar University during 28-29 March, 2018.

- One paper was accepted for presentation at Lincoln University Conference, UK in 2017.
- Presented a paper, titled “Product Differentiation, Quality of Innovation and Capital Mobility: A general Equilibrium Analysis” in the two-day international conference: *50 years of Simple General Equilibrium Models and Policy implications in Open Developing Economies – Historical and Emerging Issues*, held at the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta (CSSSC) during 17-18 November, 2015.
- Presented a paper, titled “Skilled-Unskilled Wage Gap in a Small Open Economy: The Role of Trade Liberalization”, in the 43rd Annual Conference of The Indian Econometric Society (TIES) held at IIT-Bombay during January 5-7, 2007.

National

- Presented a paper, titled “Fragmentation, Skill Formation and International Capital Mobility”, in the UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Contemporary Issues in Development Economics*, held at Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata, on 26th and 27th Feb, 2015.

Resource Person

1. As a resource person, developed **six modules for CBCS compliant MOOC** on Economics, titled ‘**International Economics**’ for undergraduate students in **SWAYAM** platform as part of NME-ICT funded by Ministry of Education, GOI and assigned to EMRC, St. Xavier’s College(Autonomous), Kolkata through CEC, the National Nodal Agency for undergraduate MOOC courses.
2. Delivered one lecture on “**Women in the Era of Globalization**” and gave judgment to the Students’ Debate Competition in Women’s Day Programme, organized by the Gender Studies Group and IQAC of St. Paul’s Cathedral Mission College on June 26, 2021.

3. Delivered one 3 hour Lecture on **“Trade and Development”** in an Add-On Course on Development Studies organised by Department of Economics, Women's Christian College in collaboration with Department of Economics, St. Paul's Cathedral Mission College & Department of Economics, Maulana Azad College on **June 14, 2023**.

OP/RC/FDP Participation (2020 Onwards)

- 1) Refresher Course in *Environment and Sustainability* organized by UGC-HRDC, Burdwan University from 03.01.2020 to 16.01.2020.
- 2) Refresher Course in *Women's Studies* organized by UGC-HRDC, North Bengal University from 12.01.2021 to 25.01.2021.
- 3) Participated in 7-day Faculty Development Programme (in blended mode) on *Understanding the many Naunces of Indian Art and Architecture: An Aesthetic Journey*, organized by St. Paul's Cathedral Mission College in collaboration with Surendranath College for Women during 8 -16 October, 2023.
- 4) Participated in 8-day Faculty Development Programme (in online mode) on *MYRIAD MOVEMENTS: TRAVEL, MIGRATION AND THE DYNAMICS OF CONTACT* from 22nd to 29th September 2024, organised by St. Paul's Cathedral Mission College, Kolkata in collaboration with Surendranath College for Women, Kolkata

Seminar/ Webinar/ Workshop Participation (2020 Onwards)

- 1) **One Day workshop on CBCS Curriculum** in Economics organized by Department of Economics, Heramba Chandra College on 22nd February 2020.

- 2) One day International Webinar on 'Tomorrow's Habit' organize by IQAC, Dept. of Physiology, Dept. of Economics and Science Innovation Centre, Vijaygarh Jyotish Ray College, Jadavpur in collaboration with Creative Science Club Kolkata on 19th June 2020 from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.
- 3) One day International Webinar on 'Tomorrow's Habit' organize by IQAC, Dept. of Physiology, Dept. of Economics and Science Innovation Centre, Vijaygarh Jyotish Ray College, Jadavpur in collaboration with Creative Science Club Kolkata on 19th June 2020 from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.
- 4) State Level Webinar entitled "Challenges for the Indian Economy in the Post-Covid Era: The State of Migrant Labourers and Policy Issues of the Government", jointly organised by the Department of Economics and Internal Quality Assurance Cell, New Alipore College on 26.06.2020.
- 5) "Impact of Lockdown on Indian Economy: Challenges and Prospects", Organized by the Department of Economics, Jogesh Chandra Chaudhuri College on 30 June 2020.
- 6) Webinar on "Health Cre in India and Covid-19: Less Attention and More Extravaganza", jointly organized by IQAC of K. K. Das College, Kolkata and Prabhu Jagatbandhu College, Howrah held on 28th June 2020.
- 7) National Webinar Series on "Future of Institutional Education, Economy and Society in the Post-Covid Era" Jointly organized by IQAC, Gokhale Memorial Girls' College, Kolkata & IQAC, Vijaygarh Jyotish Ray College, Kolkata on 27th of May 2020 (Session 1).
- 8) National Webinar Series on "Future of Institutional Education, Economy and Society in the Post-Covid Era" Jointly organized by IQAC, Gokhale Memorial Girls' College, Kolkata & IQAC, Vijaygarh Jyotish Ray College, Kolkata on 25th of May 2020.
- 9) International Webinar on "COVID 19: Emerging Challenges and Capacity Building", organized by I.Q.A.C., Bangabasi Morning College during 26th and 27th June 2020.

- 10) Webinar on “Pandemics and Economics”, delivered by Prof. Anup Sinha, Former Professor, Institute of Management Calcutta on 3rd June 2020, jointly organized by Dept. of Economics and IQAC, Gurudas College, Kolkata.
- 11) International Webinar on “Impact of Covid-19 on the Labour Market of the World Economy & Responses for Revival”, organized by Dept. of Economics, The Heritage College, Kolkata on 16th June 2020.
- 12) The International Webinar Series on “Emergence of New Economic Order in Post- Covid Era”, Organized by Department of Economics in collaboration with IQAC, Vijaygarh Jyotish Ray College, Kolkata on 17th June & 18th June 2020.
- 13) International webinar on “From where do Research Ideas in Economics, Mathematics, Finance and Statistics Come? A Case Study”, organized by Dept. of Economics and Dept. of Mathematics in collaboration with IQAC, Dinabandhu Andrews College, Kolkata on 5th February 2021.
- 14) **Two-day State level seminar** on “CAS, WBHS and other Service Benefits for College Employees” organized by Women’s College, Calcutta in collaboration with Bhairab Ganguly College on 8th and 9th June 2021.
- 15) International Webinar on “Impact of Lockdown on Higher Education in USA and India”, organized by Dept. of Economics and IQAC of Panihati Mahavidyalaya on 27th July 2020.
- 16) Webinar organized by the IQAC & the Department of Economics on 18th July, 2020 on “Situation Assessment Survey of Students’ Households During the Lockdown Period” (A survey conducted by the Department of Statistics, All India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health).
- 17) One-day National Webinar entitled “India-China Economic Relationship: The Road Ahead”, organized by the Dept. of Economics, Netaji Nagar College for Women, Kolkata on 15th July 2020 from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.
- 18) International Webinar entitled “Life and Livelihood of the Migrants in India: Lessons Learnt from the Pandemic”, organized by Dept. of Economics, Surendranath College, Kolkata on 6th July 2020.

- 19) One-day International Webinar on “The Impact of Covid-19 on the Economy & Society’ organized jointly by the Dept. of Commerce and the IQAC, Dinabandhu Andrews College, on 28th July 2020.
- 20) “National Webinar 2020, Policies to Fight Covid Pandemic Pandemic: Issues and Concerns” organized by Dept. of Economics, Dhruba Chand Halder College, in Collaboration with Dept. of Economics, Nabagram Hiralal Paul College, on 10th July 2020.
- 21) International Webinar entitled “Global Economic Impact of Covid-19 Pandemic”, jointly organised by the Department of Economics and Internal Quality Assurance Cell, New Alipore College on 21.07.2020. from 7P M to 9P M.
- 22) **Three-day online Workshop and Training Programme** entitled “Developing Skills through ICT Tools and Techniques” organized by the IQAC of Gokhale Memorial Girls’ College, Kolkata from 2.07.2020 to 4.07.2020.
- 23) Webinar on *Open* Educational Resources (OER) on 1st July, 2020 (Wednesday) during 2:00-4.00 p.m., organized by Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), SPCMC.
- 24) The Annual Arthabisleshon (online) Workshop on *Indian Economy in the Post Pandemic Era* organized jointly by Women’s Christian College and Society for Economic Research in Bengali (SERB) with financial support from the Eastern Regional Centre, ICSSR on March 18, 2022.
- 25) International One-Day National Webinar on “A Glimpse of Indian Economy: An Experience of Pandemic due to COVID 19” organised by the Department of Economics & IQAC, Asansol Girls’ College, Asansol, West Bengal, on 18th July 2021.
- 26) The “National Youth Day” celebration programme (online) organized by National Service Scheme (NSS), Jadavpur University on 12th January 2022.

- 27) Two-Day International Webinar organised by the Department of Economics Gokhale Memorial Girls' College, Kolkata on 9th and 10th July 2021.
- 28) IP Awareness/Training program under National Intellectual Property Awareness on May 14, 2022.
- 29) The State Level Webinar on "Rethinking Gandhi : The man, his life and legacy" organised by the Department of History (under the aegis of IQAC), Vidyasagar Metropolitan College on October 02, 2021.
- 30) Participated as an organising member in the International Webinar on "A Contemporary Perspective of the Economy in the Post-pandemic Era", jointly organized by the Department of Economics and the IQAC of St. Paul's C. M. College on 12th November 2022.
- 31) Participated in One Day ICSSR-ERC sponsored international seminar on "Contemporary Issues in International Trade and Economic Development", organised jointly by *Arthaniti: Journal of Economic Theory and Practice* and Department of Economics, University of Calcutta on 22nd December 2022.
- 32) Attended the **orientation workshop** for teachers on the content and pedagogy of the **CVAC syllabus "Value-oriented Life-skill Education"** organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell of St. Paul's Cathedral Mission College on 22nd November 2023.
- 33) Participated in the **International Seminar** on 'Issues in Development and Inequality' organized by the Department of Economics, University of Calcutta with financial support from the Eastern Regional Centre, ICSSR held on 27th July 2023.
- 34) Attended the **orientation programme** on "MOOCs and E-content Development" organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell of St. Paul's C. M. College as part of its faculty development initiative on 19th September 2023