

Curriculum Vitae

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Educational Qualification:

- Bachelors in Political Science (Honours) from St. Josephs College, Darjeeling.
- Masters in International Relations/Politics from Sikkim University, Sikkim
- M.Phil in International Relations/Politics from Sikkim University, Sikkim
- Pursuing PhD (Deregistered in June 2017) in Centre for South Asian Studies, School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi

Experience and Publications:

Joined Lilabati Mahavidyalaya, Jateswar as Assistant Professor in the Department of Political Science on 16 December, 2016 (currently working)

Presented during the International Seminar, on “Global Issues in Contemporary Art Culture and Society” organised by IQAC Birpara College, on 30-31st March, 2017 on the topic “Drug Abuse Among Youths in th Hills and the Terrai”.

Presented during the International Seminar, on “Bartaman Artha Samajik Pariprekshite Thakur Panchanan Barman-r Chinta O Chetna” organised by Department of Bengali, Lilabati Mahavidyalaya, on 16-17th November 2022 on the topic “A Prespective on Panchanan Barma’s Life and Philosophy”.

Presented during the National Seminar, on “Border and Boundaries: India and its Neighbours” organised by Kurseong College, on 24-25th March, 2023 on the topic “Rethinking Borders: Perspective from the Borderland Communities”.

Presented during the National Seminar, on “Jagadguru Shri Shankaracharya Vyakyanmala” organised by Lilabati Mahavidyalaya, on 21st March, 2024 on the topic “Teachings of Jagadguru Adi Shankaracharya”.

'An Identity in Flux: Tibetans in Sikkim and Darjeeling Hills', in Wahid, Siddiq (eds.), 2017, Tibet's Relations with the Himalayas, New Delhi, Academic Foundation

Book review on "New Nepal: The fault lines, by Nishchal Nath Pandey, New Delhi, Sage, 2010, xiv p 165 pp., ISBN 978-81-321-0316-5" Contemporary south Asia.

Presented during the 10th International Conference on Globalization and cultural Practices in Mountain Areas: Dynamics, Dimensions and Implications, organized by Sikkim University in collaboration with Japan Foundation on 13-14th December, 2011, Gangtok, East Sikkim, India on the topic "Globalization and Cultural Assertion in the Eastern Himalayas: A Study of Lhotshampas"

Presented during the National Seminar, on "Federalism, Foreign Policy and Border States: Dynamics from the North East States" organised by Sikkim University, Department of International Relations/Politics, on 22-23 March, 2013 on the topic "Understanding Open and Close Borders and its Realities"

Presented during the Seminar, on "Tibet and its Relations with the Himalayas" organised by FNVA in Collaboration with Department of International Relations/Politics, Sikkim University on 13-15 April, 2013 on the topic "An Identity at Flux: Tibetans in Sikkim and Darjeeling Hills". Presented on series same paper on 25-27 October 2013 at Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar.

Attended Research workshop at V. V. Giri National Labour Institute, New Delhi, 18-22 February, 2013

Attended Research Methodology Course at Sikkim University, Department of International Relations/Politics, Gangtok, 3-12 March, 2013

Participated in Pandit Hridayanath kunzru Memorial Lecture Series 2016 on 'Migration and Refugees in International Affairs', organized by School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, April 4 to 9, 2016

Participated in Summer Program on "English for Academic Writing: From Synopsis to Thesis Writing" organised by Linguistic Empowerment Cell, Jawaharlal Nehru University, from 1 May to 15 May, 2015

Qualified University Grants Commission, National Eligibility Test for Lectureship on 8th October, 2010

Masters dissertation on "Refugees in South Asia: A Case Study of Bhutanese Refugees in Nepal" 2010.

M.Phil thesis on "State, State, Global Governance and Resettlement: Understanding Bhutanese Refugee Resettlement process", 2012.

Area of Interest:

Civil Society, Non state actors, governance, Refugees, Displacement,
Social and cultural identity, and Eastern Himalayas

Hobbies:

Singing and listening music, travelling, trekking and social interaction

I undersigned, certify that to the best of my knowledge, this bio-data correctly describes me,
my qualification and my experience.

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