

## PROFESSOR (DR.) SAMAR KUMAR BISWAS, (M.Sc. Ph.D., CU)

Professor of Anthropology, University of North Bengal,  
(Specialization in Social-Cultural Anthropology), &  
Chief Editor of the Journal of *"Man, Environment and Society"*



### MEMBERS OF LEARNED SOCIETIES:

#### Life Member of-

- (i) Indian Anthropological Society (IAS).
- (ii) Indian National Confederation and Academy of Anthropologists (INCAA).
- (iii) Indian Association for Social Sciences and Health (IASSH).
- (iv) Centre for Alternative Research and Development (CARID).
- (v) Folkloristic Education and research institute (FERI).
- (vi) Dalit Samanay Samity.

### ABOUT:

Dr. Samar Kumar Biswas was born on 2<sup>nd</sup> December 1974. Presently, Dr. Biswas is a Professor (w.e.f. 13.08.2018) in the Department of Anthropology, University of North Bengal, India and Chief Editor of the Journal of *"Man, Environment and Society"*. He joined on 13.8.2001 as the First Founder Faculty Member of the Department of Anthropology, University of North Bengal.

He passed M.Sc. with a first class in Social-Cultural Anthropology in 1996 from Calcutta University. He was the UGC NET Fellow (JRF) and awarded Ph.D. in 2010 on *'Environmental Degradation and Socio-Economic Implications: A Study on Sagar Islands, West Bengal'* in Anthropology from Calcutta University.

He has conducted study/fieldwork on 25 ethnic communities/areas of which North Bengal's Ethnic Communities are 12 such as Toto, Sherpa, Lepcha, Limboo, Drukpa, Tamang, Rabha, Mech, Garo, Rajbanshi, Kharwar, Chuniya, etc.

He has completed 6 Research Projects (2 UGC & 4 NBU funded) while another 2 Projects are ongoing. Mainly he has concentrated on the study of *'Culture and Livelihood of the Tribes and Rural people'* with respect to Deforestation, Land Erosion, Other Environmental Changes, Land Alienation, Migration and various and various Socio-Political and other Changing Factors.

Under his supervision, Four research scholars have been awarded Ph.D. He is the author of over 70 research articles, Co-editor of 1 Book, and Chief Editor of 8 Volumes/Issues of Reputed Journal/s. He had taken an active role as an expert in making Documentary

**Films** on Two Himalayan Indigenous/Tribal Communities: (i) **'Tribes of Bengal: Toto'** & (ii) **Lepchas of Bengal'** 2006.

He has participated in **162 National/International Seminars etc.** where he has **presented over 110 research papers**, delivered **19 invitee talks**, chaired **13 Sessions** and **Convened 2 Panels**. He has **visited 5 Countries** and as Director, organized **4 National level seminars**.

He is the former Head of the Department of Anthropology, Coordinator of the Centre for Differently Aabled Persons (CDAP) and Coordinator of Equal Opportunity Cell (EOC).

**His Prime Research Interests** are in the Areas/Fields of- *Environment, Culture & Society, Tribal/Indigenous Communities, Dalits, Weaker Sections, Women, Rural Society, Health, Ethnic Issues and Culture of Peace Studies.*

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**SUBJECT SPECIALIZATION:**

**SOCIAL-CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY**

**AREAS OF RESEARCH INTEREST:**

*Environment, Culture & Society, Tribal/Indigenous Communities, Dalits, Weaker Sections, Women, Rural Society, Health, Ethnic Issues and Culture of Peace Studies.*

<b>No. of Ph.D. Students (Awarded):</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>No. of Ph.D. Students (Supervising):</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>No. of M.Phil. Students (Ongoing) :</b>	<b>1</b>

**NO. OF PUBLICATIONS**

<b>(a) Book/s:</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>(b) Journal (Volume/Issues):</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>(c) Research Articles :</b>	<b>70</b>
<b>(d) Documentary Films on Toto &amp; Lepcha, (Expert):</b>	<b>2</b>

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES (Teaching & Research ):**

**26 Years**

**Teaching Experiences (in Anthropology, NBU):**

**21 Years**

	(a) Professor of Anthropology, NBU, w.e.f. 13.08.2018. (b) Associate Professor of Anthropology, NBU w.e.f. 13.08.2015. (c) Assistant Professor of Anthropology, NBU from. 13.08.2001.	
<b>Seminars/Conferences, Invited Speakers etc.</b>		
	(a) Seminar etc. Attended:	161
	(b) Paper Presented in Seminar etc.:	110
	(c) Seminar Organised as Director:	4
	(d) Seminar Panel Convener:	2
	(e) Invited Lectures:	18
	(f) Session Chaired:	3
	(g) Country Visited:	5
<b>RESEARCH EXPERIENCES:</b>		<b>26 Years</b>
	Research & Teaching in NBU:	21 Years
	Research in Other Institutes:	5 Years
	Ethnic Communities & Areas Studied:	25
	North Bengal's Ethnic Communities Studied:	12
	Himalayan & Sub-Himalayan Ethnic Communities Studied	10
<b>RESEARCH PROJECTS:</b>		<b>7</b>
<b>Research Project (Completed):</b>		<b>6 (Six)</b>
(i)	<i>"Deforestation and Land Alienation: Living on the Edge A Study on an Endangered Tribe, TOTO"</i> , UGC funded 4 Years Major Research Project (2013-2017).	
(ii)	<i>"Environmental Degradation and Socio-Economic Implications: A Study on Sagar Islands, West Bengal"</i> . UGC funded 2 Years Minor Research Project (2007 to 2009).	
(iii)	<i>"Culture and Livelihood of the Sherpas"</i> . NBU funded 1 Year Minor Research Project (2015 - 2016).	
(iv)	<i>"Culture and Livelihood of the Lepchas"</i> (NBU funded 2 Years Minor Research Project 2020 - 2022).	
(v)	<i>"Ragging an Anthropological study: Causes, Consequences and Remedies"</i> . NBU funded 1 Year Minor Research Project (2013 - 2014).	

(vi) <i>“Occupation and Health: A Study among the Stone Crushers of Balasan Colony of Darjeeling District in West Bengal”</i> . Worked as Principal Investigator and Ph.D. Supervisor on NBU funded 5 Years Ph.D. Research Project (w.e.f. 17.05.2007).	
<b>Research Project (Ongoing):</b>	<b>1(One)</b>
(i) <i>“Interdisciplinary curricula on indigenous and tribal peoples’ studies”</i> . A 2 Years 2 Months (October 2020 and ending on 31 December 2022) collaborative Project of the University of Lapland, Finland. Project Funded by Finnish National Agency for Education (EDUFI), Finland. Fund Amount & Agency.	
<b>Worked in Research Projects (Other Institutes):</b>	<b>5 (Five)</b>
(i) <i>‘Educational Problems of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes’</i> . Worked as: <b>Research Assistant</b> . Funded by Dr. Ambedkar chair in Anthropology, Calcutta University. Period: <b>1 Year</b> (March 1997 to February 1998).	
(ii) <i>‘Community Psychiatry’</i> . Worked as <b>Research Assistant</b> . Funded by Institute of Psychiatry Govt. of West Bengal and Swiss Tropical Institute, Switzerland Period: <b>5 Months</b> (March 1998 to July 1998).	
(iii) <i>‘Agricultural Development and Education’</i> . Post Hold: Research Assistant. Funded by Dr. Ambedkar chair in Anthropology, Calcutta University. Period: <b>1 year 11 months</b> (August 1998 to June 2000).	
(iv) <b>‘Tribes of Bengal: Toto’ 2006, A Documentary Film</b> (Funded by CIIL, MHRD).	
(v) <b>‘Lepchas of Bengal’ 2006, A Documentary Film:</b> (Funded by CIIL, MHRD).	
❖ Worked as a Subject <b>Expert</b> and <b>helped</b> the Producer to make <b>Two Documentary Films in 2006</b> . These projects were funded by the Central Institute of Indian Languages (CIIL), Ministry of Human Resource Development (HRD), Govt. of India.	
<b>Ethnic Communities/Areas Studied (Details):</b>	<b>25</b>
(i) <b>Kol/Ho</b> in Orissa (1994). (ii) <b>Mundas</b> in Orissa (1994) and Jharkhand (1995). (iii) <b>Afforestation</b> in an Agrarian Society in West Bengal (1996). (iv) <b>Chamars (Muchi)</b> in a village in West Bengal (1998). (v) <b>Migrant Mundas</b> in a village of West Bengal (1998). (vi) <b>Agrarian Society</b> in West Bengal (1998). (vii) <b>Rabhas</b> in West Bengal (2003), (North Bengal). (viii) <b>Rajbanshi Stone Crushers</b> of North Bengal (2004-2013). (ix) <b>Totos</b> of North Bengal (2004, 2013-2017)., (x) <b>Chuniyas</b> of North Bengal (2005). (xi) <b>Rajbanshis</b> of North Bengal (2004-2016). (xii) <b>Kumors (Potters)</b> of North Bengal (2005).	

- (xiii) **Rajbanshi Child Workers/Labour** in North Bengal (2004).
- (xiv) **Environment, Occupation and Health** (2004).
- (xv) **Meches** of North Bengal (2006).
- (xvi) **Drukpas/ Dukpas** of North Bengal (2007).
- (xvii) **Santals** in North Bengal (2008,2016).
- (xviii) **Tea Labourers** of North Bengal (2008, 2011, 2017).
- (xix) **Kharwars** of North Bengal, (2008).
- (xx) **Garos** of North Bengal (2009).
- (xxi) **Marwaris** of Siliguri, North Bengal (2010).
- (xxii) **Tamangs** of North Bengal (2011).
- (xxiii) **Sherpas** of Darjeeling, North Bengal (2013, and 2015-2016).
- (xxiv) **Lepchas** of Kalimpong, West Bengal (2017, 2020-2022).
- (xxv) **Limboos** of Kalimpong, West Bengal (2019, 2022).

**North Bengal's Ethnic Communities Studied:**

**12**

(i) <b>RABHA</b> (2003)	(ii) <b>RAJBANSHI</b> (2004-2016)
(iii) <b>TOTO</b> (2004, 2013-2017),	(iv) <b>CHUNIYA</b> (2005)
(v) <b>MECH</b> (2006)	(vi) <b>DUKPA/DRUKPA</b> (2007)
(vii) <b>KHARWAR</b> (2008)	(viii) <b>GARO</b> (2009)
(ix) <b>TAMANG</b> (2011)	(x) <b>SHERPA</b> (2013, 2015-2016)
(xi) <b>LEPCHA</b> (2017)	(xii) <b>LIMBOO</b> (2019, 2022)

**Ph.D. Awarded under my Supervision (Details):**

**4**

(i) <i>'Occupation and Health: A Study among the Stone Crushers of Balasan Colony of Darjeeling District in West Bengal'</i> (Awarded on 21.01.2016).
(ii) <i>'Status of Child Workers of Balasan River Basin, Matigara Block, Darjeeling District'</i> (Awarded on 15.02.2016).
(iii) <i>'A study on the Satra Institutions of Assam with Special Reference to Barpeta Satra and its relations with the Hatis (Cluster of Settlements)'</i> , (Awarded in 07.05.2018).
(iv) <i>'Socio-Cultural Manifestation of "Jarwa Reserve": A study on the interaction of Jarwa and their Neighbouring Communities'</i> (Awarded in 07.8.2020).

**Administrative Experience (in NBU):**

**20 Years**

1. <b>Head</b> , Dept. of Anthropology (02.9.2016 to 01.9.2018):	<b>2 Years</b>
2. <b>Coordinator</b> , Differently Aabled Persons (CDAP), (April 2013 to 2020):	<b>7 Years</b>
3. <b>Coordinator</b> , Equal Opportunity Cell (EOC), (2013 to 2020.):	<b>7 Years</b>
4. <b>Chairman</b> of NBU Cooperative Society:	<b>1 Year</b>
5. <b>President</b> of North Bengal University Teachers Council (NBUTC), (April	<b>1 Year</b>

	2022 to March 2023):	
6.	<b>Secretary</b> of North Bengal University Teachers Council (NBUTC), (March 2013 to July 2016):	<b>3 Years</b>
7.	<b>Joint- Secretary</b> Cum Treasurer of NBUTC (2003-2005):	<b>2 Years</b>
8.	<b>Member</b> of NBU PG Board (21 years):	<b>21 Years</b>
9.	<b>Member</b> of NBU Board of Research Studies (21 years):	<b>21 Years</b>
10.	<b>Member</b> , CSLLC (Centre for Studies in Local Language & Culture), NBU, (2008-2017):	<b>9 Years</b>
11.	<b>Member</b> of NBU CDAP:	<b>6 Years</b>
12.	<b>Member</b> of NBU Roster Committee:	<b>2 Years</b>
13.	<b>Member</b> of NBU Pay Implementation Committee:	<b>1 Year</b>
14.	<b>Member</b> of NBU Anti Ragging Committee (2013 to 2015):	<b>2 Years</b>
15.	<b>Member</b> of NBU Mess Committee:	<b>2 Years</b>
16.	<b>Member</b> of the Sports Board of Siliguri Maahakuma Parishad (SMKP), (2016 to 2018):	<b>2 Years</b>

## **PUBLICATIONS (DETAILS)**

<b>BOOK/S:</b>		<b>1</b>
1.	<b>Co-Editor</b> " <i>Gender Violence in India: Perspectives, Issues and Way Forward</i> ". 2013. A.K. Singh, S.P. Singh and <b>S.K. Biswas</b> (eds). New Delhi: Balvikas Prakashan Pvt. Ltd. (ISBN: 81-7669-016-3).	
<b>JOURNAL ISSUES:</b>		<b>8</b>
<b>List of Journals</b>		
1.	<b>Co-Editor</b> , ' <i>North Bengal Anthropologists</i> ' 2008, Vol.1, No.1.	
2.	<b>Managing Editor</b> , ' <i>North Bengal Anthropologist annually</i> ' 2015, Vol 3 (ISSN: 2320-8376).	
3.	<b>Managing Editor</b> , ' <i>North Bengal Anthropologist annually</i> ' 2016, Vol 4. 2016, (ISSN: 2320-8376).	
4.	<b>Managing Editor</b> , ' <i>North Bengal Anthropologist annually</i> ' 2018, Vol 6. (ISSN: 2320-8376).	
5.	<b>Chief Editor</b> , ' <i>Journal of Man, Environment And Society</i> ', 2020, Vol. 1 (1), (ISSN: 2582-7669), <a href="http://www.arfjournals.com">www.arfjournals.com</a> .	
6.	<b>Chief Editor</b> , ' <i>Journal of Man, Environment And Society</i> ', 2020, Vol. 1 (2), (ISSN: 2582-7669), <a href="http://www.arfjournals.com">www.arfjournals.com</a> .	



7.	<b>Chief Editor</b> , <i>Journal of Man, Environment And Society</i> , 2021, Vol. 2 (1), (ISSN: 2582-7669), <a href="http://www.arfjournals.com">www.arfjournals.com</a> .
8.	<b>Chief Editor</b> , <i>Journal of Man, Environment And Society</i> , 2021, Vol. 2 (2), (ISSN: 2582-7669), <a href="http://www.arfjournals.com">www.arfjournals.com</a>
<b>RESEARCH ARTICLES:</b>	
<b>70</b>	
<b>List of Published Articles</b>	
1.	<b>'Samataler Rabha: Samaj O Sanskriti Paribartaner Prekshapat' (in Bengali), March, 2004</b> , In Goutam Roy (ed.), <i>'Uttar Banger Janajati O Luptopray Lokosanskriti'</i> , 120-136. Baitanik Patrika Goshthi, Siliguri.
2.	<b>'Asantosh Karan'(in Bengali), March 2005</b> , In Goutam Roy (ed.), <i>'Santras'</i> , 81-93. Baitanik Patrika Goshthi, Siliguri.
3.	<b>The Stone Crushing Women of Balasan River Bed: An Appeal from Humanitarian Perspective, January-December, 2005</b> , <i>South Asian Journal of Human Rights (SAJHR), Special Issue: Poverty and Human Rights of Women</i> , 1(1-2): 141-157. (ISSN 0973-2489).
4.	<b>Impact of Globalization on a Tribal Community, (July 2006)</b> , in V. B. Jugale and Y.V. Jugale (eds.) <i>The State of Indian Economy, Volume: I: Rethinking Globalization: 200-214</i> ; Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN: 8183870467).
5.	<b>Effect of Land Alienation: A Study between a Scheduled caste and a Primitive Tribal Group, (July 2006)</b> , In S.H. Samel (ed.), <i>Rights of Dalit</i> , 89-114. Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN 81-8387-042-2).
6.	<b>Health Situation Among the Stone Crushers of Balasan River Bed in Siliguri, West Bengal, India, (July 2007)</b> , In B. Chaudhuri and S. Chaudhuri (eds.) <i>Health, Environment Development and Other Essays: Anthropological Perspectives</i> , 5: 182-202. Inter India Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN-81-210-0429-2 (Set); ISBN -81-210-0434-9).
7.	<b>Child Health: A Socio-Cultural Perspective, Study on the Rajbansi of East Rangia Village in Darjeeling District, West Bengal, India, (July 2007)</b> , In B. Chaudhuri and S. Chaudhuri (eds.) <i>Anthropology and Human Rights in Contemporary Era</i> , 3: 241-265. Inter India Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN-81-210-0429-2 (Set); ISBN -81-210-0432-2).
8.	<b>Women's Rights: A Theoretical Appraisal, (2008)</b> , <i>Indian Journal of Development Research and Social Action</i> , 4(1-2): 99-110. (ISSN 0973-3116; and 970973311007).
9.	<b>Child Worker- Poverty and Hunger: A Study Among the Stone Crushers of Balasan River Bed, (July 2006)</b> , <i>Indian Journal of Human Rights and Justice</i> , 2(1-2): 25-37. Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISSN: 0973-3418).
10.	<b>The Chuniya: A Little Known Community, (July 2007)</b> , <i>Bulletin of the Cultural Research Institute</i> , XXIII (1): 28-33. Cultural Research Institute, Govt. of West Bengal, Kolkata. (ISSN: 0011-2895).

11.	<b>The Rajbanshi Stone Crushers of Balasan River Bed, Siliguri, West Bengal, (July 2007)</b> , <i>Journal of the Indian Anthropological Society</i> , 42(2): 165-175. (ISSN: 0019-43871).
12.	<b>Women Rights in Indian Society: An Anthropological Observation, (2007)</b> , <i>Indian Journal of Human Rights and the Law</i> , 4(1-2): 1-26. Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISSN: 0973-0818).
13.	<b>Disadvantaged Migrant People on Balasan River Bed, (2007)</b> , In A. Bhuimali (ed.) <i>Development of Scheduled Caste</i> , 101-117. Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN: 978-81-8387-123-5).
14.	<b>Culture and Peace: The Major Constraint in Indian Society, (2007)</b> , <i>Indian Journal of Human Rights and Social Justice</i> , 2(1-2): 137-152. Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISSN: 0973-6271).
15.	<b>Forest in Tribal Life: Some Observation on Totos in Jalpaiguri District of West Bengal, (March 2008)</b> , <i>North Bengal Anthropologist</i> , 1(1): 1-9. A Journal of Department of Anthropology, University of North Bengal, Darjeeling.
16.	<b>Anthropology and HIV/AIDS: Critical Issues and Challenges in A Vulnerable Region of North Bengal, (2008)</b> , In G.R. Krishnamurthy, A.K. Singh and S.K. Bajpai (eds.) <i>Indian Health Scenario Perspectives and Dimensions</i> , 145-171. Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN- 978-81-8387-156-3).
17.	<b>Women's Rights: A Theoretical Appraisal, (2008)</b> , <i>Indian Journal of Development Research and Social Action</i> , 4(1-2): 99-109. Global Research Publications, New Delhi. (ISSN: 0973-3116).
18.	<b>Socio-Cultural Factors for Child Survival: A Study on the Resettled Rajbansis of Darjeeling District, (2008)</b> , <i>Bulletin of the Department of Anthropology Dibrugarh University</i> , 36: 43-58.
19.	<b>A Socio-Economic Study on Displaced Rajbansis, (2008)</b> , in V.B. Jugale (ed.) in <i>Demography, Economic Inequality, Women and Other Essays</i> , 231-251. Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN- 81-8387-060-0).
20.	<b>Misery of Displacement: A study on the Rajbansis of Tarijot Colony, (July-December, 2008)</b> , <i>Voice of Dalit</i> , 1(2): 217-230. (ISSN: 0974-3545).
21.	<b>Impact of Ecological and Environmental Change on a Primitive Tribe, (2008)</b> , In V.B. Jugale (ed.) in <i>Demography, Economic Inequality, Women and Other Essays</i> , 252-271. Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN- 81-8387-060-0).
22.	<b>The Totos in transition, (2008)</b> , In R.M.Sarkar (ed.) <i>Primitive Tribal Groups in India: Tradition, Development and Transformation</i> , 200-218. Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN: 978- 81-8387-186-0).
23.	<b>Folk Culture of North Bengal Tribes, (2009)</b> , In A.K. Danda, R.K. Mutatkar and D. K. Midya (eds.) <i>Essay on Cultural Anthropology</i> , 316-334. Indian National Confederation



	and Academy of Anthropologists, Jhargram and Indira Gandhi Rashtriya Manav Sangrahalaya, Bhopal. (ISBN: 81 - 903866 - 7 - 0).
24.	<b>Depletion of Resources and Violence against Women: An Anthropological Observation, (2009)</b> , In A.K. Singh, S.P. Singh and S.P. Pandey (eds.) <i>Domestic Violence Against Women in India</i> , 400-418. Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN: 978-81-907891-2-7).
25.	<b>Socio-Economic Crisis and Its Consequences on a Little Known Tribal Community in West Bengal, India, (2009)</b> , In E. Kolig, V. SM. Angeles and S. Wong (eds.) <i>Identity in Crossroad Civilisations</i> , 8:97-114. Amsterdam University Press, Amsterdam. (ISBN: 9789089641274).
26.	<b>Factors Related to the Health Situation of the Stone Crushers: A Study of Balasan River Bed in Siliguri, West Bengal, (2009)</b> , In D.K. Adak, A. Chattopadhyay and P. Bharati (eds.) <i>People of Contemporary West Bengal</i> , 354-362. Mohit Publications, New Delhi (ISBN: 978-81-7445-448-5).
27.	<b>Empowerment of Women: An Anthropological Approach, (2010)</b> , In A.K. Singh, S.P. Singh and D.S. Sutaria (eds.) <i>Gender Budgeting and Women Empowerment in India</i> , 408-424. Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN: 978-81-8387-313-0).
28.	<b>Folk Culture in Front of Serious Challenge: A Case Study on the Tribes of North Bengal, (2010)</b> , In P. Chakravorty and N. Gupta (eds.) <i>Dance Matters</i> : 40-54. Routledge Taylor & Francis Group, New Delhi. (ISBN: 978-0-415-55375-9).
29.	<b>Depletion of Resources and Its Impact on Food, Nutrition and Health: An Anthropological Observation, (2011)</b> , In U.V. Somayajulu' C.P. Prakasam, N. Audinarayana and K. E. Vaidyanathan (eds.) <i>Health, Poverty and Human Development Perspectives and Issues</i> , 201-215. Global Research Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN: 978-81-89630-24-9).
30.	<b>Prevalence of Consanguinity and Offspring Mortality- An Observation among the Chunias in North Bengal, (July -December 2011)</b> , <i>Journal of the Anthropological Survey of India</i> , 60(2): 309 – 320. (ISSN: 2277- 436X).
31.	<b>Microfinance and Empowerment of Women: An Anthropological Analysis, (2012)</b> , In A.K. Singh, S.P.Singh, Nobert Koubek and O.P. Shukla (eds.) <i>Micro Financing and Women Empowerment Emerging Perspective</i> , Issues and Strategies, Vol. II: 743–765. New Royal Book Company, Lucknow (ISBN: 978-93-80685-31-1).
32.	<b>Women Trafficking: An Emerging Social Problems, (2012)</b> , In A.K. Singh, A.P. Singh and P.A. Khan (eds.) <i>Trafficking in Women and Children in India Emerging Perspective Issues and Strategies</i> , 137-158. Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN: 9788183874656).
33.	<b>Child Abuse in an Unorganised Sector: A Case Study, (2012)</b> , In A.K. Singh, and J. Chaoudhury (eds.) <i>Violence Against Women and Children Issues and Concerns</i> , 27-34. Serials Publications, New Delhi. (ISBN: 978-81-8387-525-7).

34.	<b>Ignorance, Exploitation and Poverty: A Case Study on the Totos, (2012)</b> , In Dipak Midya (ed.) <i>Indigenous People in India: Identity, Empowerment and Discontent</i> , 111-119. APH Publishing Corporation, New Delhi. (ISBN: 978-81-313-1439-5).
35.	<b>Suicide: An Anthropological Study at Sagar Block, West Bengal, (2012)</b> , In S. Biswas, et al., (eds.) <i>Human Health: A Bio-cultural Synthesis</i> , 85-99. Cosmo New Delhi. (ISBN No. 9788170223863).
36.	<b>The Drukpas of West Bengal, India, (2012)</b> , <i>Bulletin of the Cultural Research Institute</i> , XXIV (1&2): 50-56. Cultural Research Institute, Govt. of West Bengal, Kolkata. (ISSN: 0011-2895).
37.	<b>Environmental Degradation and Its Impact on Human Society with Special Reference to Suicide, (2012)</b> , In B. Chaudhuri (ed.) <i>Human Rights</i> : 150-160. Zhishi Chanquan Publishing House, China, in Huang Zhongcai (Editor in Chief), <i>Anthropology and Ethnology Today Series</i> ; Book series of the 16 <sup>th</sup> World Congress of IUAES. (ISBN No. 978-7-5130-0832-7).
38.	<b>Are the Laws sufficient to Protect Child Rights and Development, (2012)</b> , <i>Indian Journal of Human Rights and the Law</i> , 9(1-2): 171-177. (ISSN 0973-0818).
39.	<b>'Kaloprobehe Namashudra'(in Bengali), (2012)</b> , <i>Chaturthabarta</i> , 1(2):24-29. (ISSN 2319-1325). Mira Press, Siliguri.
40.	<b>Struggle for Survival: A Study on the Stone Crushers, 2011-2012.</b> <i>Journal of Lifelong Learning and Development</i> , III(1-2): 24-35. (ISSN 2231-4121).
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