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Academic Qualifications:

- Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Geography (*I.C.S.S.R. Doctoral Fellow*); Centre for the Study of Regional Development, School of Social Sciences, JNU, New Delhi.

Thesis: 'Urban Expansion and Consequences: A Geomorphological Perspective of Patna'

- Master of Philosophy (M.Phil.) in Geography; Centre for the Study of Regional Development, School of Social Sciences, JNU, New Delhi.

Dissertation: 'River Planform Dynamics in Response to Rapid Urbanization: A Case Study of Patna Regional Development Area'.

- Master of Arts (M.A.) in Geography; Faculty of Science, Department of Geography, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi.

Dissertation: 'The Perception and Condition of Solid Waste Management in Varanasi Municipal Corporation: A Case Study of Shivpur Ward'

- Bachelor of Arts (B.A. Hons.) in Geography; Department of Geography, Patna Women's College, Patna University, Patna. Research Project (C.P.E. scheme, U.G.C. for Undergraduate): 'Dimensions of Urban Poverty in Bihar: A Case study of Patna Municipal Corporation Area'.



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Awards:

- Prof. R.L. Singh Gold Medal for securing the First position at M.A./M.Sc. Geography Examination, 2013 (96th Convocation, 2014).
- B.H.U. Gold Medal for securing the First position at M.A./ M.Sc. Geography Examination, 2013 (96th Convocation, 2014).

Field of Specialization under the Subject/Discipline:

M.Phil. & PhD in Geomorphology and its related Aesthetics as specialization.

M.A. with Population and Settlement Geography as Specialization.

Total Teaching Experience: Guest Faculty at Centre for Labour Studies & Social Protection, School of Social Sciences and Humanities, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Guwahati, Assam.

Teaching at Miranda House since March 2023

List of Publications:

- (2017). The River Response to Urbanization: A Study of Patna Regional Development Area. *Transactions Institute of Indian Geographers*. Vol. 39, No. 2. Pp-271-280. ISSN 0970-985.
- (2016). River Plan-form Dynamics in Urban Area: A Case Study of Patna Regional Development Area of Bihar (Ch-9). In Raman, V.A.V. (ed.). *Geo- Anthropogenic Environment: An Appraisal*. A.K. Publication. Pp 12-25. ISBN: 978-93-85022-73-9.
- (2010). Dimensions of Urban Poverty in Bihar: A Case study of Patna Municipal Corporation Area. *Explore Annual Research Journal*. Vol. II, No. 1. Pp-79 -84. ISSN 2278 – 0297.



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Seminars/Workshops/Conferences attended:

Conference Papers:

- '*Geomorphology and Aesthetics: Understanding the Linkages by Case Study of River Ganga*' 42nd IIG (Institute of Indian Geographers) Annual Meet and International E-Conference, on Geography for People, Planet, Prosperity and Peace, 4-6 Oct 2021, in Savitribai Phule University, Pune, Maharashtra (India),
- '*Aesthetical Perspective of River Ganga Dynamics in Patna, Bihar (India)*' 34th International Geographical Congress (IGU), Virtual Conference, 16-20 Aug 2021, in Istanbul University, Istanbul.
- '*A study of the city Patna and the Ganga River*' 30th IGI Conference, held from 3-5 Oct 2018 in Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi (India).
- '*Dimensions of Urban Poverty in Bihar: A Case study of Patna Municipal Corporation Area*', under the C.P.E. scheme of U.G.C. 2010, Patna Women's College, Patna.

Workshops:

- Qualitative Data Analysis using ATLAS.ti Software, VART Research, June 2022.
- Qualitative Research Methods, VART Research, March 2022.
- Future Geographers – X: Exploring the career goals and competencies, 2022, Department of Geography, School of Basic and Applied Sciences, Adamas University, February 2022.
- Teaching Geography National Online Workshop, December 2021 organised by the University of Delhi. In collaboration with Gangadhar Meher University, Sambalpur and endorsed by The National Association of Geographers India (NAGI).
- AVM as a Tool in Research from August 23-28, 2021, ISID and ICSSR, New Delhi.
- Empowering Women through Entrepreneurship Program, from 21 July to 31 Aug, 2021, sponsored by NCW, organized by IIM, Bangalore, on India.
- Teaching and Online Teaching, from 15 June to 14 July, 2021, Palar Center for Learning, KFI, (Tamil Nadu).