Curriculum Vitae



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Languages known (speaking, reading and writing)- English, Bengali and Hindi

Areas of Research Interest

Urban housing and urban governance, dynamics of small towns, livelihoods of the urban poor, migration and urban labour market.

Experience

Assistant Professor In Geography, **Presidency University**, **Kolkata**, from December 2018 to till date.

Assistant Professor in Geography, Barasat College, Kolkata, from June 2017 to December 2018.

Assistant Professor in Geography, **Miranda House, University of Delhi**, from July 2016 to May 2017.

Teaching Assistant (Under Graduate Geography) at Centre for the Study of Regional development, **Jawaharlal Nehru University**, during the winter and monsoon semester 2015 and winter semester 2016.

Teaching

Academic Achievements

'First Class First' Award for 1st Rank in Geography Honours Examination (2005-08) in the University of Burdwan.

Award

Won **Second Prize** for the research article on "**Emerging Pattern of Urban Growth and Urban Development in India: Implications for Policy Perspectives and Governance**", in the Census Data Dissemination Workshop, organised by Centre for the Study of Regional Development and Office of the Registrar General of India, on 23rd January, 2015.

Selected for Indian Council of Social Science Research's travel grant to present research paper in the 13th International Asian Urbanization Conference, from 6-8 January, 2016 in Yogyakarta, Indonesia. (Declined).

UGC JRF in Geography (2012).

Scholarship

Publications

- **Guin, Debarshi** (2019) Contemporary Perspectives of Small Towns In India: A Review. *Habitat International*, 86 (2019), pp. 19-27. (**Impact factor 3.00, Elsevier Publications**).
- **Guin, Debarshi** (2018) From Large Villages to Small Towns: a Study of Rural Transformation in New Census Towns, India. *International Journal of Rural Management*, 14 (2), pp. 87-109. (**SAGE Publications**.)
- Guin, Debarshi (2016) Urban Transition in West Bengal, India. *Journal of Asian and African Studies*. **52** (**8**) pp. 1258-1276. (Impact factor 0.527, SAGE Publications).
- **Guin, Debarshi** (2016) (Re)Analyzing Indian Cities through the Lens of Sustainable Development Goals. *Urban India*, 36 (2), pp. 6-27.
- **Guin Debarshi** and Dey, Anindita (2016) Employment-Oriented Urban-Ward Migration and Migrants in Urban Labour Market in Post-Reform India. *Indian Journal of Regional Science*, 47 (2), 37-50.
- **Guin, Debarshi** & Das, Dipendra Nath (2015) New Census Towns in West Bengal: 'Census Activism' or Sectoral Diversification?. *Economic and Political Weekly*, 50 (14), 68-72.
- **Guin, Debarshi** & Das, Dipendra Nath (2015) Spatial Perspectives of the New Census Towns, 2011: A Case Study of West Bengal. *Environment and Urbanisation ASIA*, 6 (2): 109-124. (SAGE Publications).
- Guin, Debarshi (2015) Emerging Pattern of Urban Growth and Development in India. *Man and Development*, 37 (2): 1-24.

Paper Presented

2018

2015

Living on the Edge: Migration, Housing Tenure and Livelihoods in the Suburbs of Delhi, in the conference on "**Livable Cities: Transforming Sustainability and its Challenges**"; Organised by the Department of Geography, Shaheed Bhagat Singh College, University of Delhi, on February 5th -7th, 2018.

Emerging Pattern of Urban Growth and Urban Development in India: Implications for Policy Perspectives and Governance, in the Census Data Dissemination Workshop, organised by Centre for the Study of Regional Development and Office of the Registrar General of India, on 23rd January, 2015

Emergence of New Towns and their Impact on Urbanisation: A Case Study of West Bengal, in Census Data Dissemination Workshop; Organised by ISI Kolkata and Directorate of Census Operations, West Bengal, on 19th December, 2014.

Nature of Work Force of the New Urban Centres in West Bengal (2011): Implications for Policy Formulation in 46th Regional Science Conference on 'Issues in Regional Development'; Organised by The Department of Geography, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong.

Artificially Inflated Urbanisation? Re-visioning New Census Towns of West Bengal, 2011 in the national seminar on Dimensions of Urbanisation, Environmental Change and Sustainable Development in Developing Countries'; Organised by Dr. Bhupendra Nath Dutta Smriti 2014 Mahavidyalaya, Hatgobindapur, Burdwan.

Emerging Pattern of Urbanisation in India: A Spatial Perspective, in the 34th Geographers' Meet, IIG; Organised by Centre for the Studies in Earth Science, Trivandam.

Urban Dynamics of West Bengal, in the 34th Geographers' Meet, NAGI; Organised by The Department of Geography, Patna University, Patna.

Employment Unemployment Situations in West Bengal: An Analysis of Recent NSS Data, in the national seminar on Geography of Today: Problems and Prospects; Organised by Indian Geographical Foundation, Kolkata.

Workshop Attended

Census Data Dissemination Workshop, on 23rd January, 2015, in Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, organised by Centre for the Study of Regional Development and Office of the Registrar General of India.

Census Data Dissemination Workshop, on 19th December, 2014, in Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata.

Second **PhD Workshop** on '**Comparative Urban and Regional Research**' from 28th July to 30th July, 2014, in **Indian Institute for Human Settlements**, Bangalore.

Referee for International Journals

Urban Studies (2019).
Journal of Asian and African Studies (2019).
Development in Practice (2018).