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**EDUCATION**

**Doctoral Studies**

**April 2016 – current(submitted thesis)**

- University Of Kolkata (Kolkata, India)
- Completed coursework on research methodology  
Western political thought, environmental politics  
Media and politics.

**Summer School (International Relations)**

**July 2014**

- University Of Exeter (Exeter, United Kingdom)
- Successful presentation on 'Causes of war'

**Master of Arts (Political Science)**

**Sept 2011 – June 2013**

- Presidency University (Kolkata, India)
- Dissertation Topic: *Indias Nuclear Policy*
- Grade: 7.20 (out of 10), 66 (in percentage)
- Secured First class

**Bachelor of Arts (Political Science)**

**July 2008 – May 2011**

- Jadavpur University (Kolkata, India)
- Ranked 1<sup>st</sup> in the Entrance Examination

- CGPA: 8.00 (out of 10), 62.11 (in percentage)
- Secured first class

#### **Higher Secondary Examination (12<sup>th</sup> Standard)**

**March 2008**

- Carmel High School (Kolkata, India)
- Marks Obtained: 84.25% in the Arts Category

#### **Secondary Examination (10<sup>th</sup> Standard)**

**March 2006**

- Nava Nalanda High School (Kolkata, India)
  - Marks Obtained: 71.75%
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### **Research Publications :**

#### **Book Chapter:**

- 1, S.Chattopadhyay and Sampa Sarkar (ed.), "Womens' Emancipation: Its Strategic and Challenging Aspects on Literature and Society", " Women Emancipation: Gender, Governance and Grass root Politics of India", Sahityashree Publications, ISBN :81-86386-84-10, 2019
2. Dr. Satyawan Mane ed., "Representation of Women in Literature", 'Women in mythology: A feminist Lens', VishwaBharati Research Centre, 2020, ISBN: 978-93-89264-41-8, 2020
3. Pradip Basu ed., "The Conceptual Understanding of Women Empowerment", 'Theories Society Politics' Avenel Press, ISBN: 978-93-90873-80-7, 2021
4. Pradip Basu ed., "The Women in Naxalbari Movement: The Discourse of Unchanged Gender Stereotype", Setu Prakashani, ISBN: 978-81-957060-1-3, 2023

#### **Journal Publications:**

1. Bhattacharya Swati (2015), "India's Nuclear Policy: A tryst between domestic politics and strategic regional threat perception", JAIR Journal of International Relations (ICSSR), ISSN :2348-496

2. Bhattacharya Swati (2018), "English as a medium of Instruction In Teaching in Colleges/Universities", International Journal of English Learning and Teaching Skills Vol 1, No 3, ISSN: 2639-7412 (print), ISSN: 2638-5546 online)

3. Bhattacharya Swati (2021), "Reservation and the journey of women in politics in India" International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research and Technology, Peer Reviewed Refereed Journal, also published in conference Proceedings of National Conference on 'Dynamics of Women's Movement in India : Historical Legacy and Contemporary Challenges' Supported by Indian Council of Historical Research ISSN NO : 2582-7359 (Impact Factor : 6.328)

4. Bhattacharya Swati (2021), "'Unfair Gender Challenges of a pandemic: Women from Self Help Group winning the challenge and leading the way forward'", Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences (An International Refereed Journal), Volume 18, Scottish Church College, ISSN:0973-8738

#### **Paper Presentation:**

1. "Depiction of women in media in the era of globalization: battling the stereotypes or riding the empowerment wave?", International conference on Socio-Political Impact of Globalization on Women in Developing Countries: Issues, Threats and Opportunities, Organized by The Jadavpur Association of International Relations in collaboration with Kolkata Society for Asian Studies and CSS, 2015

2. "Indias' Engagement with China in terms of Nuclear Policy", National Conference on India in the Emerging International Order: Issues and Opportunities, Organized by Jadavpur Association of International Relations in collaboration with MAKAIKAS and ICSSR and St. Joseph College Darjeeling, Darjeeling, 2016

3. "English as a Medium of Instruction in Teaching in College/University", organized by Institute of Engineering and Management, titled 'International Conference on English Language and Teaching Skills', 2018
4. "Social Science research and use of quantitative methods" on a one-day national level workshop titled "Social Science Research: Methods and Problems" organized by Department of Political Science, Presidency University, Kolkata in collaboration with Council for Political Studies, Kolkata.
5. "Women Emancipation: Gender, Governance and Grass root Politics of India", One day UGC Sponsored International seminar titled "Women's Emancipation: Its' Strategic and Challenging Aspects in Literature and Society" organized by IQAC Sreerampore Girls' College, 2019
6. "Women Empowerment through participation in grass-root politics in India", National Conference, titled "'Women's Issues and Everyday Life: Power, Resistance and Representation', organized by St. Xavier's College (Autonomous), 2020
7. "Evaluation of 'quotas' as the corrective measure to ensure women empowerment in India" An International Seminar on Responding to Regional Disparities and Poverty – A Focus on the Women Empowerment Perspectives Sponsored by National Commission for Women New Delhi, India, organized by Diamond Harbour Womens' University, 2020
8. "Forced Migration and sexual violence of migrant women", Participation in One- Day International Teacher's Workshop on Forced Migration: Humanity at Crossroads on 9<sup>th</sup> July,2020 organized by Departments of History and Political Science, Shivnath Sastri College, and the Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group
9. "Women Empowerment through participation in grass-root politics in India" An International Conference on "Women in Politics and Power", Organized by Centre for Regional Research and Sustainability Studies, 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> April 2021

10. "Reservation and the journey of women in politics in India" National Conference on 'Dynamics of Women's Movement in India: Historical Legacy and Contemporary Challenges' Supported by Indian Council of Historical Research Organized by M.R Nathwani College of Arts Mumbai, December 2021.

11. "Gender Challenges During Pandemic: The Reality of Domestic Violence and the Story of Unsung Women as Covid Warriors" an International Conference on 'The Developing World and the COVID-19 Pandemic: Issues, Challenges and Policy Responses' organized by Jadavpur Association of International Relations (JAIR, Jadavpur University) on 20 August 2021

12. "The Shadow Pandemic and Need for Gender Specific Policy Interventions" an International Conference, "Can the world survive?" for Panel 'Sexual and Gendered Violence in times of insecurity', Organized by The British International Studies Association, held in New Castle Upon Tyne, United Kingdom, 15-17<sup>th</sup> June 2022

## WORK

### Times Of India

## EXPERIENCE

Worked as an *Intern Journalist*

### Hope Foundation (NGO)

Worked as an *Intern*

### Akar Prakar Art Gallery

*Copy Editor for Journal "Art Varta"*

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## EXTRA-

### Freelance Content Writing

## CURRICULAR

Published 4 editorials in *The Telegraph*

## ACTIVITIES

Published articles in the Jadavpur University Faculty of Arts Students Magazine

### Dancing

Graduated in Bharatnatyam (traditional Indian dance form) (2007)

Learnt Western dance for 2 years

### **Swimming**

Swimmer from Indian Life-saving Society for 14 years

Practiced as an advanced level swimmer at Kolkata Sports Association

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## **SKILLS**

### **Technical Skills**

Microsoft Office, Windows XP/7/8

### **Languages**

Bengali (mother tongue), English (full working proficiency), Hindi (limited working proficiency)

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## **HOBBIES**

Drawing (*finished third year in drawing*), Debating (*participated in 'Inter School Debate' organized by The Statesman*)