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Designation- Working as Faculty (SACT-1) at the Dept. of English, Onda Thana Mahavidyalaya, Onda, Bankura, affiliated to Bankura University, West Bengal.

Highest Academic Qualification: Ph.D. in English, Lalit Narayan Mithila University, 2023 [Title of the thesis-“A Survey of Reading Comprehension in Second Language Acquisition (with Reference to Learners of West Bengal)”]

Education: Graduated from Bankura Sammilani College (The University of Burdwan) in the year 2008.

Completed Masters in English Literature from Chhatrapati Shahu Ji Maharaj University in the year 2010.

Areas of interest –

His area of interest includes English Language teaching (ELT), Indian Writings in English, Indian Classical literature, British literature, American literature and Postcolonial study. Through his academic writings, he delves into ELT, Language Acquisition, LRSW, Comprehension proficiency in Second Language, English as Foreign Language (EFL) Learning, Second Language Skills, Second Language Acquisition (SLA), English Communication, Language and Communication, Business Communication, Artificial Intelligence, VR & AR in language teaching and learning, Education etc. He has published many research papers in various national and international journals.

Memberships:

Member of the Association for English Studies of India (AESI), Formerly known as Indian Association of English Studies, Estd.1940.

Member, ELT@I- English Language Teachers Association of India, Chennai, Tamilnadu.

Academic Qualification:

Name of the Examination/Degree	Board / University	Subject(s)	Year	Division (%)
Madhyamik Examination	West Bengal Board of Secondary Education	Beng, Eng, Math, Geo,Phy.Sci, Life Sci, Hist. Physical Education	2003	1 st
Higher Secondary	West Bengal Council of Higher Secondary Education	Beng, Eng, Pol. Sci, Philosophy, Sanskrit, political Science.	2005	1 st
B.A (Honours) in English	Bankura Sammilani College (The University of Burdwan)	English (Hons)	2008	2 nd
M.A in English	Chhatrapati Shahu Ji Maharaj University	English Literature	2010	2 nd
Ph.D. in English	Lalit Narayan Mithila University	English	2023	NA
WBSET	WBCSC	ENGLISH	2026	NA

Reviewer:

International Journal of Language and Linguistics (IJLL), Science Publishing Group,1
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Courses taught- U.G. Courses (CBCS, NEP), English literature, English language &
Linguistics

List of Publications:

1. Language Efficiency of English among Primary School Students in relation to Residence and Role of Teachers (2022) in *ICJRT*, ISSN: 2320-2882, Vol-10, Issue 4, 2022.
2. English Language Learning in Rural Areas: An Overview in context of West Bengal (2022) in UGC CARE, ISSN: 2349-5138, Vol-9, Issue-2, 2022.
3. Issues and Challenges of School Students of Bankura regarding English Language Proficiency (2020) in *The Indian Journal of English Studies*, ISSN: L 0537-1988, Vol-LVII, 2020.
4. Indian EFL Teachers' Reflections on Sudden E-Adoption vis-à-vis Covid-19 in *International Journal of Technology Diffusion (IJTD)* 13 (1), 1-15, 2022.
5. Enhancing Second Language Acquisition through Artificial Intelligence (AI): Current Insights and Future Directions, 10.54850/jrspelt.7.39.003 7 (39), 1-8, 2023
6. Factors Affecting Teaching-Learning of English as a Second Language, *International Education and Research Journal* 9 (Issue: 7, Year 2023), 70-72, 2023
7. An investigation of reading comprehension challenges and strategies among English as a second language learners in West Bengal, *Education@ ETMA* 2 (3), 72-81, 2023

8. The Influence of Second Language on Learners' Cognitive and Linguistic Progress at Elementary Level, *Ilkogretim Online*, 20 (5), 8915-8922, 2021
9. Unlocking Potential: Early Childhood Special Education (ECSE) and Its Profound Impact on Children's Development, *International Journal of Early Childhood Special Education (INT-JECSE)*, DOI: 10.48047/intjecse/V14I7.374, ISSN: 1308-5581 Vol 14, Issue 07, 2022.

Book Chapters-

1. Enhancing communicative Competence: Exploring Effective Practices in ELT, ISBN-9789360958251, Authorspress (National), New Delhi, 2024.
2. Language Acquisition Skills: Importance, Factors and Educators' Role Fostering Proficiency, ISBN-9789360958251, Authorspress (National), New Delhi, 2024.
3. The Metropolis Unveiled: Exploring Arun Kolatkar's Poetic Landscape, ISBN-9788126939725, Atlantic (National), New Delhi, 2025.
4. ELT and AI: Exploring a New Dimension, ISBN-9789360959197, Authorspress (National), New Delhi, 2025.
5. Reclaiming Bharatiya Gnana Parampara: Amish Tripathi's Literary Approach, ISBN-9789360957087, Authorspress (National), New Delhi, 2026.

Edited Books:

1. **English Language Teaching: Exploring Innovative Approaches and Practices**, ISBN- 978-93-6095-825-1, Authorspress (National), New Delhi, 2024.
2. **Remapping the Cannon: A Journey across Indian Poetry in English**, ISBN- 978-81-2693-972-5, Atlantic (National), New Delhi, 2025.
3. **Critical Pedagogy in ELT: Empowering Learners**, ISBN- 978-93-6095-919-7, Authorspress (National), New Delhi, 2025.
4. **Reclaiming the Glorious Past: Mingling Indian Knowledge Systems and Classical Literature**, ISBN- 978-93-6095-708-7, Authorspress (National), New Delhi, 2026.

Research Papers Presentations:

- i) Presented a Paper in One day State level Seminar entitled “Banga Katha Sahitye Barane Smarane Trayee Bandopadhyay” organised by Onda Thana Mahavidyalaya, Bankura, 2014.
- ii) Presented a Paper in One day State level Seminar entitled “Interdisciplinary Approach to Posthumanist Literature” organised by Onda Thana Mahavidyalaya, Bankura on 12 March, 2016.
- iii) Presented a Paper in Two Days National Level Seminar entitled “Inclusivity in Teacher Education” organised by Udyog College of Education, Bankura on 8-9 April 2018.
- iv) Presented a paper in 64th All India English Teachers’ Conference organised by PG Dept. of English Research Centre, Magadh University Bodhgaya, Bihar-824234 from 06-08 Feb, 2020 on “An Overview of Literatures in English Language: Continuity and Departure”.
- v) Presented a paper on “Matribhashar sankat o muktir upay”, one day International Seminar organised by the Dept. of Bengali, Ramananda College, Bishnupur on 24 Feb, 2020.

vi) Presented a Paper in One day International Seminar entitled “*Bish shotoke Banglar Samaj, Sahitya o Itihas*” organised by Onda Thana Mahavidyalaya, Bankura on 28 November, 2021.

vii) Presented a Paper in One day International Seminar entitled “*Mangalkavya: Rup o Rupantor*” organised by Onda Thana Mahavidyalaya, Bankura on 28 November, 2025.

viii) Presented a paper in International Conference organised by PG Dept.of English, Lalit Narayan Mithila University, Darbhanga, Bihar from 12 -13th April, 2025 entitled “Reading and Comprehension: An Introspection on Second Language Acquisition”.

ix) Presented a Paper in Two day International Seminar entitled “*Voices from the Margins: A Study from Selected Texts*” organised by the Dept. of English, Kashipur M. M Mahavidyalaya, Purulia from 28-29th March, 2023.

x) Presented a paper in 68th All India English Teachers’ Conference organised by PG Dept. of English and other Foreign Languages, Mahatma Gandhi Kashi Vidyapith, Varanasi, UP from 10-12th Jan, 2026 entitled “Digital Literacy to Enhance Teaching Learning: An Introspection”.

Participations in Seminar / Webinar:

- i) Participated in Webinar on “Language Universals and Communication Typology: An Introduction to Essential English Language” organised by *St. Xavier’s College for women*, Aluva, Kerala, India on 21st May 2020.
- ii) Participated in Webinar on “Contemporary Trends in Literature and Culture organised by *SRM Institute of Science and Technology*”, Ramapuram Campus, Chennai, India on 14th July, 2020.

- iii) Participated in ELT SUMMIT organised by *ISEL*, Pune, India on 10-11th July, 2021.
- iv) Participated in Five Day Faculty Development Program on “*Recent Trends in English Language Teaching*” organised by Reva University, Bengaluru, India on 22-26th June, 2020.
- v) Participated in Webinar on “*Trends in English Language Teaching, Bilingual Education and E- Learning*” organised by Khagarijan College, Nagaon, Assam, India on 4th July, 2021.
- vi) Participated in Webinar on “*The Future of Translation Studies: Challenges & Prospects*” organised by RNAR COLLEGE, Samastipur, Bihar, India on 21st May 2020.
- vii) Participated in Seminar on “*Politics of Gender Inequality and Problems of Sustainable Development: Issues & Challenges*” organised by Onda Thana Mahavidyalaya on 19th March, 2016.

Other Activities:

Delivered Lecture as a Chief Speaker on “*Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav*” organised by the Central Bureau of Communication, Govt. of India on 16th July, 2022.