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**Assistant Professor (Stage II)** 



#### Date of Birth:

13.04.1979

#### Area

Marketing and Systems Management

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#### **Education**

PhD in Business Management from School of Management, KIIT Deemed to be University, Bhubaneswar, Odisha, 2018

NET(Management), 2011

Masters: Business Administration, School of Management, KIIT University, Bhubaneswar, Orissa, 2008

Bachelors: Engineering in Electronics, Marathwada Institute of Technology, Aurangabad, Maharashtra, 2005

## Courses Taught at Department of Management, TU

Core: Business Statistics, Business Research Methodology, Rural Marketing, Brand Management, Sales and Distribution Management, Strategic Management, Production and Operations Management, Integrated marketing Communication, Marketing Management, Retail Management.

#### **Research Interests**

Analysis on mobile banking adoption behavior of Consumers; Cashless transaction and its impact on Financial Inclusion, Green Marketing, Ecotourism, online shopping behavior

### **Selected Publications**

Debnath, N. Sengupta, S. (2020) "Training Needs Analysis for Increasing the Capacity of the Ministerial Staff Under RD (Panchayat) Department: A Case in Tripura", Purvottaran, The Rise of North East, Paradigms of Development in the VUCA World, Edited by Dr. Debarshi Mukerjee and Dr. Mahasweta Saha, published by Bloomsburry, ISBN978-93-90513-01-7.

Debnath, N. (2020) "Factors that Influence Mobile Banking Behaviour of the Customers: A North East India Perspective", Purvottaran, The Rise of North East, Paradigms of Development in the VUCA World, Edited by Dr. Debarshi Mukerjee and Dr. Mahasweta Saha, published by Bloomsburry, ISBN 978-93-90513-01-7.

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Kumar, A., Debnath N. (2019) "A Gap Analysis of Mission Antyodaya Parameters focusing on Gram Panchayat Development Plan with Special Reference to Tripura" Indian Economic Journal, special issue, pp 01-10, ISSN: 0019-4662.

Kumar A., Debnath N., (2018) "Factors Affecting Mobile Banking Adoption Behaviour in North Eastern States of India" Intertional Journal of Mechanical Engineering and Technology, Issue 4 Volume 9, pp 479-483, ISSN:0976-6359.

Kumar A., Debnath N., Devdutta K., Singh G. (2018) "Dynamics of Mobile Banking Adoption Behaviour in North Eastern States of India"Intertional Journal of Mechanical Engineering and Technology, Issue 4 Volume 9, pp 484-488, ISSN:0976-6359.

KumarA., Debnath N. (2017) "Dynamics of Mobile Banking Services Usage Behaviour: A North East India Perspective"Indian Economic Journal, special issue, pp 27-35, ISSN: 0019-4662.

Kumar A., Debnath N. (2016) "Agriculture and Inclusive Growth: A North East India Perspective" The Indian Economic Journal, special issue, pp 12-22, ISSN: 0019-4662.

Kumar, A., Debnath, N., "Factors affecting mobile banking adoption in Agartala", Communication & Modern Indian Society, book chapter published by Global Publishing House India, ISBN 978-93-81563-39-7 pp 69-81.

Debnath, N., Kumar, A., Das, B. (2016) "Consumer Need Based Model "VICS": A New Approach to Financial Inclusion", Globalization, Growth, Governance and Goal (4G), book chapter published by Global Publishing House India, ISBN 978-93-81563-79-3, pp 130-149.

Kumar, A., Das, B., Debnath, N. (2015) "Value Based Sustainable Development through Cultural Rejuvenation, Human Development and Economic Growth", The Indian Economic Journal, Special Issue, PP 71-78

Chakraborty, KS., Das, M., Krisnankutty, R., Debnath, N., (2013) "Consumer Ethnocentrism in Backward Regions of India: A Case Study of Tripura", Review of Management Innovation and Creativity, Vol. 6, Issue 19

Debnath, N., (2013) "Marketing of a Green Product: Bamboo, a very special product of Tripura" The Rural marketing Journal, Vol.7, Issue 3, pp10-12

## **Working Papers**

Adoption Behaviour towards Online Health Information Portal in Tripura

The Moderating Role of Green Perceived Value (GPV) towards Green Cosmetics Purchase Intention of Consumer in Tripura.

Showrooming or Webrooming: What Triggers the Buying Intention of Customers and Why

Community Engagement in Eco-tourism and its impact on Management of Stakeholders' Livelihood

# **Academic Experience**

Assistant Professor, Department of Business Management, Tripura University from 16<sup>th</sup> September 2011 till now.

Faculty Associate, Faculty of Management Studies, ICFAI University, Tripura from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2009 to 15<sup>th</sup> September 2011.

## **Orientation Programme Attended**

39<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme organized by UGC-HRDC, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong 19<sup>th</sup> February 2017 to 20<sup>th</sup> March 2017

# **Faculty Development Programme participated**

5-Day online Faculty Development Programme on "Management Information System" from 8/2/2021 to 12/2/2021 organised by AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy.

3 Days Faculty Development program sponsored by AICTE for student Induction (FDP-SI) during 14-16 September 2019 at Tripura University.

8 Weeks NPTEL-AICTE Faculty Development Programme on Business Analytics & Text Mining Modelling Using Python with consolidated score of 55% during July-Sept 2019.

15-Day Refresher Course on "ICT: Improving Quality and Innovation in Higher Education" organized by Faculty Development Centre, Tripura University under Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching scheme, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of Higher Education, Government of India during 1<sup>st</sup> March 2019 to 15<sup>th</sup> March 2019.

7-Day Faculty Development Program in Business Studies, 24<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> March, 2014 organized by Department of Commerce and Department of Management, Tripura University (A Central University)

Faculty Development Program, 24th to 28th May, 2011 organized by ICFAI University, Tripura

Faculty Development Program, 7<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> June, 2010 organized by ICFAI University, Tripura

Faculty Development Program, 11<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> May, 2009 organized by ICFAI University, Tripura

# Workshop attended

!0 Days' Research Methodology Workshop for PhD, M.Phil and PDF Scholars Sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi organized by Department of Business Management, Tripura University from 18<sup>th</sup> February to 27<sup>th</sup> February 2019.

Author Workshop on "How to use Online Resources and Develop Skills to Write and Publish" on 25<sup>th</sup> March 2015 organized by Wiley in collaboration with Central Library, Tripura University

Workshop on "Understanding the books & Journal Article Publishing Process" on 26<sup>th</sup> September 2014 organized by Elsevier in Collaboration with Central Library, Tripura University

Workshop on "The Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition, Redressal) Act 2013" on 27<sup>th</sup> November 2014 organized by Women"s Grievances Redressal Committee in Collaboration with Women"s Studies Centre, Tripura University

21 hour Teachers Support Programmes for the BEC (Business English Certificate) organized by British Council of India

## Paper presented at various Seminar and Conferences

2 Day National Seminar on "Institution Business & Economy: A North-East Perspective" on 10<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> September 2016 organized by Economic Science Society of Tripura (ESSOT)

National Seminar on "Current Trends of Development in Communication, Innovation and Creativity in India" on 27-28<sup>th</sup> February 2016 organized by BBA Department of Holycross College, Agartala, Tripura

9<sup>th</sup> National Management Convention on "Sustainable Agribusiness in India" on 19-20 February, 2016 organized by KIIT School of Management, Bhubaneswar, Odisha, India

98<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Indian Economic Association on 27<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> December 2015 organized by The Indian Economic Association and Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad

National Seminar on Inclusive Growth through Financial Inclusion-A Paradigm Shift on 5-6 October 2015, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh organized by School of Studies in Economics, Vikram University, Ujjain & The India Economic Association

National Seminar on Development Policy for North-East India: Rationale, Initiatives and Impact on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2014 organized by Economic Science Society of Tripura (ESSOT) in collaboration with Department of Management, Tripura

UGC-Sponsored National Seminar on Inclusive Developmental Strategy and North-East India on 11<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2014 organized by Department of Commerce and Department of Economics, Ramthakur College, Agartala, Tripura

International conference by intellect base international academic consortium on 14-16 March 2013, Thailand, Bangkok organized by Intellect base international consortium

National Seminar on "Pedagogy-Trends in Teaching and Learning" on June 3-4 2011 organized by Faculty of Education, ICFAI University Tripura

One Day International Seminar on "Higher Education And Sustainable Livelihood" on 17<sup>th</sup> December 2010 organized by Assam University (A Central University) &CCLP Worldwide

# **Educational Projects**

## **Project in Engineering**

# **Microprocessor Based Intelligent Shop Security System**

It"s a sensor based project which can detect the fire, burglar and smoke and can intimate the owner of the shop and the fire brigade simultaneously by an automated dialing method to the telephone numbers inputted in it through a software programming technique. Generally being used at commercial places where the security is a major concern. This security device is a very common in present days to avoid any hazards.

### **Project in MBA**

# Marketing Strategy Of Coal tar and Coke: - COAL INDIA LTD

This project was to study and analyze the potential and of coal tar and coke in different parts of the state of West Bengal. Project includes a detail analysis of the segment in which the product is being sale and to find out the other opportunity if possible. It includes also determining the pricing strategy for more profitability and easy availability of the product to the end consumers. The extraction of the details clearly portrays that the product has been used mainly by the middle class segment family due to the reason like gradually shortage of liquid fuel like kerosene and steep up costly fuel like LPG. Its being observed in the sample of customer questioned for the project that not only the demand for coal tar and coke demands are growing up in this segment of family but also the cost efficiency is really pulling the customer for more usage of the product compare to what it was few years before.

# **Professional Experience**

#### **Lecture Delivered as Resource Person**

Acted as a resource person for the one day workshop on the subject "Community based ecotourism and Livelihood enhancement" organized by Forest Department, Project Management Unit, JICA Project, Government of Tripura on 2/12/2021.

Delivered lecture in Online Workshop on "Micro and Small Sectors" Organized by Economic Science Society of Tripura during 28-30 May 2020.

Delivered lecture on "Marketing and Demand Analysis" in the Entrepreneurship Development Programme (EDP) at Friends Electronics Institute India (FEII), IGM Hospital Lane, Near Rabindra Palli, Agartala, West Tripura on 17<sup>th</sup> May 2019 organised by Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship.

Acted as a reviewer in the 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference of Information System & Management Science (ISMS) during  $06^{th} - 07^{th}$  December 2019 at Tripura University, Suryamaninagar, Tripura

Acted as an Organizing Chair in the  $2^{nd}$  International Conference on Information Systems & Management Science (ISMS) during  $06^{th}-07^{th}$  December 2019 at Tripura University, Suryamaninagar, Tripura.

Delivered lecture in Management Development Programme (MDP) on Marketing Management, 24-29 January 2014 organized by Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise; MSME- Development Institute in Association with Department of Business Management, Tripura University

Eminent Jury for Level II Business Games 2013; the Case Study Session of the Business Games, 26<sup>th</sup> November 2013 organized by HR initiative section of Corporate HRD; Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC)

Delivered lecture on "A Brief Idea on Management and Its Importance" in the Workshop on Management Technique for Better Patients' Care for the In Service Nurses' of Tripura on 7<sup>th</sup> June 2009, organized by Trained Nurses 'Association of India-Tripura State Branch.

Counseling session conducted at IGNOU for M. Com, MBA and Tourism students

### Seminar/Conference/Workshop/Webinar organized

Acted as coordinator in 3 Day's online National Workshop on "Enhancing Digital Skills among the Youths of North Eastern States: Towards a Digital India" organised by the Department of Business Management, Tripura University and Sponsored by Rajiv Gandhi National Institute for Youth Development during 24/11/2020 to 26/11/2020.

Acted as a coordinator in 5-Day online Faculty Development Programme on the theme "Pedagogical Practices of New India under National Education Policy 2020 organized by the Department of Business Management, Tripura University in collaboration with Department of Management Studies, Assam University, Silchar on 7<sup>th</sup> October 2020.

Acted as a coordinator in online National Seminar on "Life Vs Livelihood: Impact of Covid-19 Pandemic on Indian Economy" organised by Department of Business Management in collaboration with Indian Economic Association on 22/07/2020.

### **Management Trainee**

Redington (India) Limited from 17<sup>th</sup> December 2007 to 19<sup>th</sup>December 2008

- Area Sales Manager Handling Retail for Region Mumbai
- Product Line: APC UPS.
- Excellent knowledge of distributor management.

#### **Responsibilities Include:**

- To handle the retail market of Mumbai for the APC UPS.
- > Core responsibilities include the primary sales handling.
- Responsible for the secondary sales and building up opportunity for more on primary sales.
- > To handle the logistic operations.
- To maintain all the SKU"s in the stock point as per the norm and to ensure FIFO model is practiced.
- Largely responsible to gain the market points by implementing various marketing promotions and sales drive.
- > Highly responsible for building up a data base of top clients for more profitability.

Lastly responsible for the commercials handling of the customers viz:- the payments and the credit offerings to the customer

### Other responsibilities and Memberships

Assistant Coordinator, Tripura University Business Incubator since December 2021

Placement Officer, Tripura University since November 2020

Member BPGS, Department of Business Management, TU

Convener Internal Complaint Committee (ICC) for MBA, Tripura University.

Deputation to Delhi-NCR for guiding MBA students for outbound industrial visit during 2016-17

Deputation to Delhi-NCR for guiding MBA students for outbound industrial visit during 2017-18

Deputation to Delhi-NCR for guiding MBA students for outbound industrial visit during 2018-19

Deputation to Delhi-NCR for guiding MBA students for outbound industrial visit during 2019-20

Deputation to Kailashahar for Conducting Admission Test (TUET) July 2016

Deputation to New Delhi for attending workshop related to setting up of Incubation Centre, at Tripura

University during November 2019

Member of BFS, Tripura University

Member of BPGS, Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Tripura University

Committee member of Sponsorship team for UDBHAAS 2015(A Cultural Fest) organized by Tripura University

Centre Coordinator for Conducting Management Aptitude Test (MAT) since 2014

Coordinator for AICTE approval Process for the Department of Management since 2015

EC Member of Indian Economic Association (IEA)

General Secretary of Economic Science Society of Tripura (ESSOT)