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**Area of Specialisation:** Poetry, Literary Theory, European Literature, Postcolonial Literature

**Research Area:** Indigenous and Contemporary Literature, Northeast Literature, Postcolonial Studies, Native American Literature

**Courses Taught:** Post-Colonial Literature, Poetry (14<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> Century), Literary Critical Theories

**Publication Details:**

1. Rebeka Debbarma, “Reflection of Culture and belief system of the traditional society in Kokborok folktales” in *Adhyayan*, Volume.1, 2021, pp. 59-68.

**Project Details:**

1. Minor Research Project titled “**Mapping the Art, Literature and Culture of the Ranglong Community of Tripura**” sponsored by Directorate of Kokborok & Other Minority languages, Government of Tripura as **Principal Investigator** (On going).
2. Completed a Minor research Project titled “**Issues and Challenges of Higher Education: A Study of the Under Graduate Students of MBB University**” sponsored by Maharaja Bir Bikram University, Agartala as **Co-Investigator**.

**Seminar/Conference/Workshops/Special Lectures Participated:**

Title of the Paper	Seminar/Conference/Special Lectures etc.	Organised by	Date
The Symbiotic Relationship: Exploring the interplay between Kokborok Language, Culture and Literature	Kokborok Day 2024	The Department of History Holy Cross College, Agartala	January 19,2024
Participated	NEP 2020 Orientation & Sensitization Programme	University Grants Commission Mission Malaviya Teacher Training Centre, National Institute of Educational planning and Administration, New Delhi	November 20-29, 2023
Cultural Consciousness in the Poems of Temsula Ao	Two-Day National Conference on “Reading Narratives/Storying Humanity: Society and Culture in South and Southeast Asia”	Department of English, Assam University, Silchar  Sponsored by ICSSR-NERC, Shillong	August 24-25, 2023
Participated	7-Day National level FDP/Workshop on ‘Emerging Dynamics and Trends in	Holy Cross College, Agartala	June 29-July 5, 2023

	Research Methodology and Research Publications'		
Buddhism in Tripura: A Link with Southeast Asia	Two-Day International Seminar on "Buddhism and Sanatana Dharma's Influence in South East Asia"	Department of Political Science, Maharaja Bir Bikram University, Agartala  Sponsored by  ICPR, New Delhi and Central Sanskrit University, New Delhi	April 28-29, 2023
Participated	Seminar on "Framing Course Curriculum under National Education Policy (NEP)-2020: Challenges and Role of Teachers"	Maharaja Bir Bikram University, Agartala, Tripura in collaboration with Maharaja Bir Bikram College, Bir Bikram Memorial College and Tripura Government Law College, Agartala, Tripura	December 13, 2021
The Role of HEIs in the Covid-19 Pandemic Situation	National Webinar on Covid 19: Issues and Challenges on Economy, Politics and Society	Department of Public Administration, MBB University in collaboration with Directorate of Information Technology, Government of Tripura	29/05/2020
Raja Rao's Kanthapura: A Literary Transcript of Gandhian Ideology	Mahatma Gandhi: Swaraj and Democracy in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century	Department of Public Administration, MBB University Agartala and ICSSR	25/04/2019-26/04/2019
Reconstructing the Ethnic Identity Crisis of the Borok (Tripuri) Community of Tripura: A Philosophical Enquiry	Representing the Self: Addressing Issues of Ethnicity and Identity across Domains	Holy Cross College, Agartala, Tripura	09/11/2017-10/11/2017
Participated	Language Ideologies and the 'Vernacular' in South Asian Colonial and Post-colonial Literature(s) and Public Spheres	Department of English, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi in collaboration with Heidelberg University, Germany	15/03/2021-17/03/2021
Participated	One Week National Level Online Workshop on "Improving Scientific Research Writing and Publication Skill"	Research and Publication Cell, IQAC, Srikishan Sarda College, Hailakandi, Assam and Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR)- North Eastern Regional Centre, Shillong	12/10/2020 – 18/10/2020
Participated	One Day International Webinar on Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhyay and His Relevance in Contemporary World	Department of Public Administration, MBB University	24/09/2020
	4-Week Induction/Orientation	Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi under the aegis of PANDIT MADAN	26/06/2020 –

Participated	Program for "Faculty in Universities/Colleges/Institutes of Higher Education"	MOHAN MALVAIYA NATIONAL MISSION ON TEACHERS AND TEACHING (MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT)	24/07/2020
Participated	ONE WEEK FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM "Online Teaching & Learning in India"	Guru Angad Dev Teaching Learning Centre, SGTB Khalsa College, University of Delhi under the Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching (PMMMNMTT) of MHRD in collaboration with Bodoland University Assam	17/06/2020-22/06/2020
Participated	Online teaching during a Pandemic	English Association, Motilal Nehru College	08/06/2020
Participated	One-Week Short Term Free Online Course on "Community University Engagement: Moving Towards Engaged Teaching, Research and Service"	Association of Indian Universities (AIU) in collaboration with Participatory Research In Asia (PRIA) International Academy.	18/05/2020 – 22/05/2020
Participated	National Science Day	Department of Applied Mathematics, MBB University.	28/02/2020
Participated	Intellectual Property Rights	MBB University in collaboration with TSCST, Directorate of Science, Technology and Environment, Govt of Tripura	26/02/2020
Participated	Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar & his Contemporaries	Department of Public Administration, MBB University, Agartala.	09/01/2020-10/01/2020
Participated	The English Text in a North East Classroom: Pedagogy Politics and Sociology of English Literature Teaching	Ministry of Doner and Department of English, Tripura University	02/11/2017-03/11/2017

### **Seminar/Conference/Workshops Conducted:**

1. National Seminar on “**Children’s Literature: Addressing the Role of Folktales**”, sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research North Eastern Regional Centre, NEHU Campus, Shillong on February 24-25, 2022.
2. National Seminar on “**Birsa Munda and Freedom Struggle of India.**”, sponsored by on The Department of English, MBB University in collaboration with Tribal Research and Cultural Institute under Tribal Welfare Department, Government of Tripura, Agartala on November 21, 2021.
3. National Seminar on “**Prospects and Challenges of Higher Education in the Light of National Education Policy,**” sponsored by MBB University, Agartala on January 27, 2021.
4. International Seminar on “**Pandemic Pedagogy: Issues and Challenges**”, sponsored by MBB University, Agartala on June 24, 2020

### **Involvement Beyond Academic Activities:**

1. **In- Charge**, Department of English, MBB University w.e.f August 10, 2021 to August 21, 2023.
2. **Coordinator**, Movie & Photography Club, MBB University
3. **Coordinator**, Centre to Develop Communication Skills of the Post-Graduate Students of the University
4. **Convener**, Committee constituted to identify the courses on Employability/Entrepreneurship/Skill Development and Value Added Courses in the existing Curriculum.
5. **Convener**, Expert Committee to explore the possibilities of opening of the Department of Japanese Language or Diploma/Certificate course in Japanese language in self-finance mode.
6. **Convener**. Expert Committee to frame the syllabus & Structure of one year Diploma course in Spanish Language in Self-finance mode.
7. **Convener**, Expert Committee to prepare Structure, Syllabus, eligibility criteria, question pattern and other modalities regarding 6 months certificate course in Video Production in Self-finance mode.