# **Curriculum Vitae**

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Research Interest: Quality of Life, Poverty and Inequality, Higher Education, Climate Change.

#### **Publications:**

#### **Research Journals:**

 Sarkar Ghose D (2018), 'Making Patna Smart and Sustainable: Aspirations and Responsibilities of the Citizen', Geographical Perspective, Volume 19, pp 55-70, ISSN 0970-809X.

- 2. Sarkar Ghose D(2015), 'Urban Poverty in Bihar: A case study of Urban Poor of Patna Urban Agglomeration', Geographical Review of India, Volume 77, No 3, pp 243-257, ISSN 0375-6386.
- 3. Sarkar Ghose D (2015), 'Infrastructural Constraints of Development of Bihar', Geographical Perspective, Volume 16, pp 47-57, ISSN 0970-809X.
- 4. Sarkar Ghose D (2015), 'Impact of Social Environment on Quality of life of Working Women in Patna' Research Journal of Humanities and Social Science, Volume 5, pp 54-63, ISSN 2277-2022.
- Sarkar Ghose D (2014), 'Urban Growth and Environmental Degradation in India with special reference to Patna M.C., Bihar', Research Journal of Humanities and Social Science, Volume 4, pp 105-117, ISSN 2277-2022.
- Sarkar Ghose D(2014), 'Locational Conflict in Urban Bihar: A Case study of Poor Migrants of Patna M.C.', Geographical Perspective, Volume 15, pp 107-120, ISSN 0970-809X.
- 7. Sarkar Ghose D & Chowdhury A (2011), 'Level of Health and Nutrition of Working Women in Patna Municipal Corporation Area, Bihar, India,' Regional Symbiosis, Volume 19, pp 99-105, ISSN 0972-2041.

- 8. Sarkar Ghose D & Chowdhury A (2009), 'Quality of Life of Working Women: A case study of Patna Municipal Corporation Area, Bihar,' Geographical Review of India, Volume 71, No 2, pp 190-207, ISSN 0970-809X.
- 9. Ghose D (2008), 'Housing Problems in Bihar: Some suggestive measures to solve the issue', Geographical Perspective, Volume 9, ISSN 0970-809X.
- 10. Ghose D (2005), 'Human Resources of Bihar and Jharkhand', Geographical Perspectives, Volume 6, pp 40-50.

### **Proceedings**

1. Sarkar Ghose D (2013), 'Changing Pattern of Female Literacy in Bihar: A case study of Urban Poor of Patna M.C.', pp 43-52, ISBN 978-81-926605-0-9.

#### **Books Published/Edited**

- 1. Sarkar Ghose D (2019), 'Urban Poverty and Deprivation', Rajesh Publications, New Delhi.
- Sister Maria Rashmi, Sarkar Ghose D & Chowhury A (ed) (2017) 'Development and management of Urban Infrastructure in India', Rajesh Publications, New Delhi, ISBN 978-93-83684-38-0.
- 3. Sister Maria Rashmi, Sarkar Ghose D & Chowdhury A (ed) (2013), 'Urban Poverty: Issues and Challenges', Rajesh Publications, ISBN 81-85891-25-8.
- 4. Sarkar Ghose D & Chowdhury A (2011), 'Quality of Life of Working Women in Bihar' Novelty & Co., Patna, ISBN:81-86931-85-6.

#### **Book Chapters**

- Sarkar Ghose D & Chowdhury A (2018), 'Level of Empowerment among Working
   Dalit Women in Patna' in S Roy(ed) 'Dalit Society and Politics', Synergy Books
   India, New Delhi.
- 2. Ghsoe D & Sarkar Ghose D & (2017), 'Planning a Smart City in Indian Context: A case study of Patna Urban Agglomeration,' in Sr. Rashmi, Sarkar Ghose D, Chowdhury A (ed), 'Development and Management of Urban Infrastructure in India', Rajesh Publications, New Delhi.

- 3. Sarkar Ghose D (2017), 'Problems and Prospects of Urban Industry: A case study of Sudha Dairy Industry, Bihar.', in Sr. Rashmi, Sarkar Ghose D, Chowdhury A (ed), 'Development and Management of Urban Infrastructure in India', Rajesh Publication, New Delhi.
- 4. Sarkar Ghose D (2015), 'Rural Urban Migration and Conflict in the city: A case study of Patna M.C., Bihar', in Roy et al (ed), 'Development and Conflict', Mitram, Kolkata, 63-83, ISBN 973-93-80036-75-5.
- 5. Sarkar Ghose D (2015), 'Public Distribution System and Food Security among Urban Poor: A case study of Patna Municipal Corporation Area, Bihar' in Sr. Maria Dipasha (ed), 'Food Security in India: Issues and Challenges', Rajesh Publications, New Delhi, 35-51, ISBN 978-93-83684-18-2.
- 6. Sarkar Ghose D(2013), 'Role of Media in enhancing opportunities of Girl students of Bihar, in Sinha & Roy (ed), 'Women's Rights are Human Rights: Role of Non-State Actors', Patna Women's College Publications, Patna, 71-83, ISBN 978-81-927627-0-8.
- 7. Sarkar D (2012), 'Regional Disparities in Human Development in South Asia' in S. Adhikari & B.R.K. Sinha (ed), 'Human Development, Equity and Gender Justice, New Century Publications, New Delhi, pp 14-33, ISBN 978-81-300-2.
- 8. Sarkar Ghose D (2011), 'Human Resources of Bihar: Some strategies of development' in Markandey & Simhadri (ed), 'Globalization, Environment & Human Development', Rawat Publications, Jaipur, pp 190-205, ISBN 81-316-0378-4.
- 9. Sarkar Ghose D (2007), 'Wetlands in India and its utilizations', in S.K. Sinha(ed), 'Floodplain Wetlands in Bihar', Department of Botany and UGC Centre of Biotechnology and NABARD, pp 9-21.
- 10. Ghose D(2005), 'Rural-Urban Migration and Urban development in Patna' in B Thakur(ed) in 'Urban and Regional Development in India' in Vol. I, Concept Publication, New Delhi, ISBN 81-8069-199-3, pp 36-45.

# **Papers Presented/Lecture Delivered:**

**1.**Presented a paper titled 'Challenges of Higher Education in Bihar' in NAAC sponsored National Seminar on "Excellence in Higher Education: Emerging Concerns and the Road Ahead" organized by IQAC, Patna Women's College in collaboration with St. Xaviers college of Education(Autonomous), Patna, on 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> February, 2019.

- 2. Presented a paper titled 'Higher Education in Bihar: Issues and Challenges' in a National Seminar on Bihar in 21<sup>st</sup> century, organized by St. Xavier's College and St. Xavier's College of Management and Technology, Patna on 20<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> January,2018.
- 3. Presented a paper titled 'Making Patna Smart and Sustainable: Aspirations and responsibilities of citizens' in Annual Conference and National Seminar on 'Urban Dynamics & Smart City Prospect in Bihar & Jharkhand', organized by The Association of Geographers, Bihar and Jharkhand(AGBJ) and P.G. Department of Geography, A.N. College, Patna on 8<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> October, 2017.
- 4. Presented a paper titled 'Economic Well-being and Health Status of Working Women in Patna, Bihar, in the National Seminar organized by St. Xavier's College and St. Xavier's College of Management and Technology, Patna on 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> April, 2017.
- 5. Presented a paper titled 'Level of Empowerment among the working Dalit Women in Patna' in UGC sponsored National Seminar on 'Dalit Society and Politics: Emerging trends in Indian Political System' organized by the Department of Political Science, Patna Women's College, Patna University on 6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.
- 6. Presented a paper on 'Drinking Water Pollution and vulnerability of diseases: A case study of Patna M.C., Bihar' in 6<sup>th</sup> NAGI International Conference organized by Nalanda Open University, Patna on November 18-20, 2016.
- 7. Presented a paper on 'Quality of Life of Women Workforce in Patna, Bihar' in International Conference on 'Gender Issues: Properties and Challenges' organized by Centre of Gender Studies, Patna in collaboration with Department of Philosophy, Magadh Mahila College, Patna and Department of History, Patna Women's College, Patna on 7-9<sup>th</sup> February, 2016.
- 8. Presented a paper on 'Urban Industry in Bihar: A case study of Sudha dairy Industry, Patna', in the National Seminar on 'Development and Management of Urban Infrastructure in India: Growth, Constraints and Prospects' organized by Department of Geography, Patna Women's College, Patna University, Patna on January 18<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>, 2016.
- Presented a paper on 'Planning a Smart City in Indian Context: A case study of Patna U.A., Bihar', organized by Department of Geography, Patna Women's College, Patna University, Patna on January 18<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>, 2016.

- 10. Presented a paper titled 'An approach to Eco-consciousness for sustainable development in Patna, Bihar' in a National Seminar on 'Knowledge Society for Sustainable development', organized by St. Xavier's College of Management and Technology, Patna on 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> April, 2015.
- 11. Presented a paper titled 'Infrastructural Constraints of Development in Bihar' organized by Association of Geographers of Bihar and Jharkhand and Kolhan University, Chaibasa on 31<sup>st</sup> Januay-1<sup>st</sup> February, 2015.
- 12. Presented a paper titled 'ICT and Women Empowerment: A case study of Married Women of Patna', in a National Seminar on "ICT and Women Empowerment', organized by Department of Computer Science in collaboration with Computer Society of India on 22<sup>nd</sup> January, 2015.
- 13. Presented a paper titled 'Poverty and Resource Management in an Urban Society: A case study of Urban Poor of Patna Urban Agglomerations' in 36<sup>th</sup> Indian Geography Congress, Jaipur, organized by National Association of Geographers India(NAGI)in Department of Geography, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur on 17<sup>th</sup> -19<sup>th</sup> November, 2014.
- 14. Presented a paper titled 'Rural-Urban Migration & Conflict in the city: A case study of Patna' in XVth Annual Conference of AGBJ and ICSSR sponsored National Seminar on 'Development and Locational Conflicts' in Nirmal College, Ranchi on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> December, 2013.
- 15. Presented a paper titled 'Changing pattern of female literacy in Bihar in UGC sponsored National Seminar on 'Female Literacy in Bihar: Progress, Future Prospects and its Psycho-Social Impact, in Ganga Devi Mahila College, Patna on 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> May, 2013.
- 16. Presented a paper titled 'Public Distribution System and Food Security among urban poor of Patna in UGC sponsored National Seminar on 'Food Security in India: Issues and Challenges' organized by Department of Economics, Patna Women's College, Patna on 29<sup>th</sup> &30<sup>th</sup> August, 2013.
- 17. Presented a paper titled 'Urban Growth and Environmental Degradation in India with special reference to Patna M.C., Bihar in UGC sponsored National Seminar on Environmental Degradation: Issues and Challenges' organized by Department of Geography, Government Women's College, Gulzarbagh on 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2012.

- 18. Presented a paper titled 'Challenges of Ageing Population of Urban Bihar' in UGC sponsored National Seminar on Emerging Dynamics of Ageing: From Awareness to Action.
- 19. Presented a paper titled 'Role of Media in enhancing opportunities of girl students of Bihar' in UGC sponsored National Seminar on Women's Right is Human Rights: Role of Non-State Actors, organized by Department of Political Science, Patna Women's College on 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> February, 2012.
- 20. Presented a paper titled 'Poverty, Migration and its impact on Urban Economy of Bihar' in Govt. of Bihar sponsored Workshop on Identifying Resource Complex Region and Regional Development Strategy for Bihar' on 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2012.
- 21. Presented a paper on 'Urban Poverty of Bihar in 21<sup>st</sup> century: A Case study of Patna Municipal Corporation Area' in UGC sponsored National Seminar on 'Urban Poverty: Issues and Challenges, organized by Department of Geography, Patna Women's College, Patna University, Patna on 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2012.
- 22. Presented a paper titled 'Urban Informal Sector: A case study of Street Vendors of Patna Municipal Corporation Area' in 33<sup>rd</sup> Indian Geography Congress organized by National Association of Geographers India(NAGI) in Department of Geography, University of Burdwan, on 11<sup>th</sup> -13<sup>th</sup> November, 2011.
- 23. Presented a paper titled 'Justification of Special category status of Bihar' in National Seminar organized by Department of Geography, Patna University, Patna on 23<sup>rd</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2011.
- 24. Presented a paper titled 'Social Environment and Quality of life of Working women: A case study of Patna Municipal Corporation Area' in Indian Geography Congress organized by National Association of Geographers India(NAGI) in Rani Durgawati University, Jabalpur on 20<sup>th</sup> November, 2009.
- 25. Presented a paper titled as 'Housing Problems in Bihar-some suggestive measures to solve them' at IXthe Annual Conference of Associations of Geographers, Bihar and Jharkhand hosted by NOU, Patna on 9<sup>th</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> December, 2007.
- 26. Presented a paper titled as 'Regional Disparities of Human Development in India' in a seminar organized by Nalanda Open University, Patna on 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2007.

- 27. Presented a paper titled as 'Population Pressure and Air Pollution in Patna Municipal Corporation Area in a National Seminar on Environmental Protection and Sustainable Development: Challenges of 21<sup>st</sup> Century organized by BIA, BSPCB and Government of Bihar on 10<sup>th</sup> -11<sup>th</sup> March, 2007.
- 28. Presented a paper titled as 'Impact of slums in Urban Society of Bihar: A case study of Patna Municipal Corporation Area in Indian Geography Congress of National Association of Geographers India(NAGI) and the Department of Geography, Magadh University, Bodhgaya from 10<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> November, 2006.
- 29. Presented a paper titled as 'Human Resources of Bihar: Some strategies for development' in the International Indian Geography Congress, Department of Geography, Osmania University, Hyderabad, 5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> October, 2006.
- 30. Presented a paper titled as 'Dependent Population: A major impediment to growth in Bihar' in National Seminar on 'Development Constraints in Bihar', organized by Nalanda Open University, Patna held on 29<sup>th</sup> -30<sup>th</sup> March, 2006.
- 31. Presented a paper titled as 'Regional Disparities of Human Development in South Asia' in National Seminar on 'Social Well-being and Human Development' organized by Department of Geography, B.N. College, Patna University, Patna on 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> March, 2006.
- 32. Presented a paper titled as 'Wetlands in India and their utilization' in National seminar on 'Environmental Status and Appropriate use of floodplain wetlands of Bihar, organized by UGC centre of Biotechnology and Department of Botany, B.N. College, Patna University, Patna held on 14-15<sup>th</sup> May, 2005.
- 33. Presented a paper titled Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in India as a resource person in a workshop of Dissemination of Census data organized by Directorate of Census Operations, Patna on 10<sup>th</sup> July, 2004.

## Ph.D. and other Supervisions –

- 1. Currently supervising five students for their Ph. D. Works.
- 2. Supervising UG students for their project works.

# **Teaching Experiences**

- 1. As Associate Professor from 25<sup>th</sup> June, 2015.
- 2. As Assistant Professor from 25th June, 2003.
- 3. As Honorary Lecturer from 1997.
- 4. As JRF and SRF from 1992.

### **Administrative Experiences-**

- 1. Head, Department of Geography, Patna Women's College from September, 2018.
- 2. Working as Placement Officer of Patna Women's College from January 2006 till date.

# **Other Experiences**

- 1. Appointed as examiner in University and Administrative Examinations.
- 2. Worked as Rapporteur In National Seminars organized in Nalanda Open University, Indian Geography Congress held in Magadh University, Patna University, Patna Women's College, department of Education, Govt of Bihar.
- 3. Worked as Joint Convener and Organizing Secretary in National Seminars and National Workshops sponsored by UGC.
- 4. Worked as honorary geographer in GIS Bihar Project.

# Recently Attended Seminars, Workshops and Training Programmes-

- 1. Participated as delegate and Rapporteur in the Two-day National Workshop on Research Methodology and Application of SPSS organized by IQAC, Patna Women's College in collaboration with Department of MCA, Patna Women's College, Patna University on 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> March, 2018.
- 2. Participated as Rappoteur in ICPR sponsored National Seminar on 'Morality and Politics: The Perspective of Jayprakash Narayan' organized by Department of PMIR, Patna University, Department of Political Science, Patna Women's College, Patna University on 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> February, 2018.
- 3. Attended MHRD sponsored workshop on Awareness of National Mission on Educational Technology through ICT (NMEICT) organized by National Institute of Technology(NIT), Patna at Patna Women's College on 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2014.
- 4. Participated UGC sponsored National Workshop on 'Application of Remote Sensing and GIS in Geographical Studies' organized by the Department of Geography, Patna Women's College, Patna on 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2013.

- 5. Participated as the Member of P.R. & Public Relation Committee in the two-day conference on 'Higher Education: Exploring New Trends' organized by Nalanda open University, Patna and Maulana Haque Arabic & Persian University, Patna under the aegis of Governor's Secretariat, Bihar, Raj Bhawan, Patna on 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2013.
- 6. Participated in NAAC sponsored National Workshop on 'Institutional Healthy Practices: Opportunities and Strategies organized by Internal Quality Assurance Cell(IQAC), Patna Women's College, Patna University on 20<sup>th</sup> February, 2013.
- 7. Attended UGC sponsored State Level Workshop on Management of Stress among Children and Adolescents organized by the Department of Psychology, Patna Women's College, Patna University on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 2012.
- 8. Attended International Seminar on Rabindranath Tagore organized by Department of Bengali, P.U. on 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> February, 2012.
- 9.Attended UGC sponsored Workshop on INFLIBNET, organized by Department of Computer Science, Patna Women's College, Patna University on 18<sup>th</sup> February, 2011.
- 10. Attended Placement Officer-Principal's Meet organized by IBM Daksh, Girgaonon 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> August, 2007.
- 11.Attended National Conference on Environmental Education for sustainable Lifestyle organized by Department of Zoology, PWC, on 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2006.

## **Orientation and Refreshers Course**

- 1. Participated UGC sponsored Refresher Course in Geography from 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2010 to 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2010, organized by Academic Staff College, Patna University.
- Participated in UGC sponsored Refresher Course in Environmental Science from 1<sup>st</sup>
   December to 21<sup>st</sup> December, 2008 organized by Academic Staff College, Patna University.
- 3. Participated UGC sponsored Orientation Course from 11<sup>th</sup> July 2005 to 5<sup>th</sup> August, 2005 organized by Academic Staff College, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.

# **Academic Qualifications**;

**1.** M.A. from Jawaharlal Nehru University(1991) with (7.32)A Minus grade:

2. Ph. D. from Patna University (2002) with topic 'Changing Pattern of Female Literacy

in Class I U.A./Cities of Bihar (1901-1991): A case Study of Patna and Ranchi

Urban Agglomerations.'

**Minor Research Projects:** 

1. Submitted UGC sponsored Minor Research Project as Principal Investigator on 'Quality

of Life of Working Women in Patna Municipal Corporation Area' in August 2009.

2. Submitted UGC sponsored Minor Research Project as Principal Investigator on Urban

Poverty in Bihar: A case study of Patna Urban Agglomerations' in January, 2014.

Award

1. Received Institutional Researcher of the year award (2014-15) for completing UGC

Minor Research Works.

**Scholarships** 

1. Merit Scholar in West Bengal Secondary Examination in 1982

2. Qualified in Junior Research Fellowship and Eligibility of Lectureship Examination of

UGC (Human Geography) in 1991

3. Qualified in Junior Research Fellowship and Eligibility of Lectureship Examination of

UGC-CSIR (Earth-Atmosphere and Oceanic Science) in 1991.

**Diploma Course-**

1. Post Graduate Diploma in Human Resource Management(PGDHRM) from Indira

Gandhi National Open University.

2. Diploma in System Analysis and COBOL Programming from NICM,

3. Diploma in Computer Operator from NICM.

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