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AREAS OF INTEREST

Modern Indian History, Indo-Tibetan trade History, Himalayan studies, Sino-Tibet relations

EDUCATION

MPhil. (2017), Dept. of History, faculty of Social Science, University of Delhi, India
Dissertation – Indo - Tibetan Trade through Kalimpong, *circa* 1904-1950

M.A, in History (2014), Jadavpur University, Kolkata, India

B.A (Hons.) in History (2012), Jadavpur University, Kolkata, India

PAST POSITIONS

Research Assistant: to Dr. Tshering Chonzom Bhutia, Associate fellow, Institute of Chinese Studies, Delhi on a project titled **Indian and Chinese Ethnic Minority Policies**

Research Intern: Institute of Chinese Studies (October 2016-Jan 2017)

SELECT PRESENTATIONS

Panel discussion, organized by the National Foundation for India, Silk Route or other Silk Route , Great Game, Spookery and trade (3 february 2018)

Wednesday Seminar, Institute of Chinese Studies (26 April 2017), Delhi: Anglo-Tibetan Trade Relations: Transaction of Wool from 1904 to 1947

Research Scholars workshop, University of Delhi (3-4 March 2015): ‘Socio-Economic Transformation of the Eastern Himalayan Town of Kalimpong’

PUBLICATIONS

Book Review (forthcoming): *Tibet's relations with the Himalaya*, ed. by Siddiq Wahid in China Report.

Blog: China and the US Withdrawal from the Paris Climate change Agreement, ICS Delhi Blog, 9 July 2017, <https://icsdelhiblogs.wordpress.com/2017/07/09/china-and-the-us-withdrawal-from-the-paris-climate-change-agreement/#more-690>

Book Review: The Ethnic Conflict and Protest in Tibet and Xinjiang—Unrest in China's West, Ben Hillman and Gray Tuttle (ed.), in China Report, Vol. 53, No. 2 May 2017, New Delhi; Sage Publications, pp. 283-285

Article: Sino-Indian Trade Through Sikkim: The promise of Jelep La, *ICS Analysis*, Issue no. 46, May 2017, Delhi; Institute of Chinese Studies, <http://www.icsin.org/publications/sino-indian-border-trade-the-promise-of-jelep-la>

FIELDWORK

Kalimpong (North Bengal), India, December 2014
Dharamshala (Himachal Pradesh), India, July 2016

OTHER EXPERIENCES

2017 (27 June – 7 July), Delegation Member: Indian Scholar's Delegation to China, organized by Institute of Chinese Studies – Embassy of PRC in India.

2016 (July 4-27), 22nd Annual Gurukul in Dharamshala for university students, organized by the Foundation for HH the Dalai Lama

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

Bengali, English, Hindi, Nepali, preliminary Tibetan (Passed Beginner and Intermediate level).