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**Personal Details**

**Date of Birth- 21/02/1990**

**Sex- Female**

**Nationality- Indian**

**Category- General**

**Marital Status-Unmarried**

**Hobbies- Reading articles,  
writing, music**

**Languages known**

	<b>S</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>W</b>
<b>Eng</b>	✓	✓	✓
<b>Beng</b>	✓	✓	✓



**Career Highlights**

Engaged in Qualitative Research for over 10 years. Experienced in working as an Assistant Professor in a Private University for over 4 years, having total teaching experience of 11 years. Handled administrative responsibilities (including NAAC documentation) at the University as well the department level. Presently in the position of HOD in the Department of Sociology, Adamas University.

Worked as the Head Examiner, Examiner and Paper-setter for Government Universities like Calcutta University and Rabindrabharati University.

Organized several National level Webinars and seminars.

PhD thesis submitted.

### Academic Qualification

Institution	Degree	Year	Percentage
University of Burdwan	Pursuing PhD	Thesis Submitted- April 2024	
Jadavpur University	MPhil in Sociology	2017	58
UGC NET (Qualified 3 times)	Qualified NET for Assistant Professor in Sociology	2014 (June)	65.14
University of Calcutta	M.A in Sociology	2013	66.33 Ranked 1 <sup>st</sup> class 2 <sup>nd</sup>
Jogamaya Devi College(C.U)	B.A (hons) in Sociology	2011	59
Patha Bhavan School	Higher Secondary	2008	76
Bidya Bharati Girls' High School	Madhyamik Pariksha	2006	74

### Teaching Experience-11 years

**Working as an Assistant Professor in Sociology in the Department of Sociology in Adamas University from 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2020 (ongoing), serving as Head of the Department from 2022.**

#### **Worked as a Guest Lecturer in Sociology in**

- ✓ ***Department of Law, University of Calcutta from 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2016- 17<sup>th</sup> January, 2020***
- ✓ ***Rabindrabharati University from 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2018- 17<sup>th</sup> January, 2020.***
- ✓ ***Muralidhar Girls' college from 25<sup>th</sup> Nov 2013- 11<sup>th</sup> January, 2016.***

#### **Award/ Academic Recognition/ Major Professional Activity:**

- Ranked First Class Second in M.A in Sociology from University of Calcutta

- Scored Highest in B.A (Hons) 2<sup>nd</sup> Year in Sociology from Jogamaya Devi College.
- Scored Highest in B.A (Hons) 3<sup>rd</sup> Year in Sociology from Jogamaya Devi College.

### **Conference and Seminar Participation**

Participated and presented paper in –

1. XXXVIII All India Sociological Conference held by Indian Sociological Society in 2012
2. International Seminar on 'Meeting Youth Needs in the 21<sup>st</sup> century Canada and India: Youth work, Young People and Youth policy' organized by Department of Sociology, University of Calcutta in 2011.
3. 43<sup>rd</sup> All India Sociological Conference, held by Indian Sociological Society, Lucknow, 2017.
4. Participated as a delegate in the 3-day International Conference on Sociology of Religion in a Pluralistic Society held from 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> April, 2016 at Jadavpur University.
5. Participated in State Level annual two day seminar on 'Women in 21<sup>st</sup> century: Issues and Challenges' organized by Dept of Sociology, RBU on 26-27<sup>th</sup> March, 2018.
6. Participated in One day seminar on 'Beyond Gender: Issues and Challenges' organized by Dept of Sociology, RBU on February 12, 2019.
7. Participated in national webinar on VIOLENT PANDEMIC: No Space is secure for Women on 11<sup>th</sup> May 2020
8. Participated in International webinar on The role(s) of popular media in the contemporary process of religious change on 19<sup>th</sup> May 2020
9. Participated in international webinar on Qualitative Methods in the Sociology of Religion on 27<sup>th</sup> May 2020
10. Participated in International webinar on COVID-19 and Immigrants: How the social determinants of health contribute to vulnerability in Canada? On 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2020
11. Participated in International webinar on Sexing the Region: Thinking about

transgender identities in South Asia' on 3rd July 2020

12. Participated in national webinar on Swami Vivekananda's Idea on Pluralistic India on 12<sup>th</sup> January 2021
13. Participated in International webinar on 'Future of the Study of Religion in India' on 27<sup>th</sup> February, 2019
14. Participated in International webinar on Sexing the Region: Thinking about transgender identities in South Asia' by Dr. Debanuj Dasgupta

### **Published Works**

**Palit, K. (2018) *Redefining the need for Caffeine: the role of new age Cafés in everyday life.* SOCIAL TRENDS Journal of the Department of Sociology of North Bengal University Vol. 5, 31 March 2018; ISSN: 2348-6538 UGC Approved.**

**Palit, K. (2019) *Informal settlements: A study of displaced living in a Kolkata slum.* SOCIAL TRENDS Journal of the Department of Sociology of North Bengal University Vol. 6, 31 March 2019; ISSN: 2348-6538 UGC Approved.**

**Palit, K. (2021) *Rehabilitating the evicted: an empirical study of the state of rehabilitation in the outskirts of Kolkata, West Bengal.* International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research Volume: 7 | Issue: 9 | September 2021.**

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**Palit, K. (2021). *Work life balance and its effects on organizational commitment: an empirical study among the new middle class in Kolkata, West Bengal.* International Journal of Research and Development (IJRD). 66-70. 10.36713/epra8351.**

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**Palit, K. (2022). *Family relationships in India in the post economic reform era: a sociological study.* EPRA International Journal of Research and Development (IJRD), 7(6).**

<https://eprajournals.net/index.php/IJRD/article/view/502>

**Palit, K. (2022). *Community initiatives during the covid-19 pandemic: a ray of hope for India?* EPRA International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research (IJMR) 8(5).**

<https://eprajournals.com/IJMR/article/7018/abstract>

**Palit, K. (2022). *Coping with Change: The crisis of the Middle class in India after liberalization.* In Bhattacharya & Maitra (ed) (2022) Interrogating Crisis and Configuring responses: Indian**

Perspectives. Bharata Vidya Charcha Kendra. Bardhaman. ISBN- 978-81-956-177-0-8.

Palit, K (2023). Middle class expansion, Social mobility and the globalized market- The case of India. In Anirban Banerjee et al (ed) (2023) Social Space in the 21st century. Mittal Publications. ISBN- 978-9394569362.

<b><u>Strengths</u></b>
✓ Smart, dynamic
✓ Eager to play a positive role in a challenging environment
✓ Sincere and Hardworking
✓ Comprehensive problem-solving abilities

**Declaration-** I hereby declare that all the above furnished information is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date: 10.5.2024

Place: Kolkata

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