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**Academic Record:**

B.A. (Sociology Hons.): Presidency College, University of Calcutta, (First Class First), 2009

M.A. (Sociology): Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, (First Class First), 2011

M.Phil (Social Sciences): Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta, Jadavpur University, 2013

Pursing Ph.D in Sociology: Department of Sociology, Jadavpur University

**Achievements:**

1. Received Scindia Silver Medal, Gwalior and Harish Chandra Kaviratna Memorial Book Prize, Arun Kumar Roy and Nirmal Chandra Basu Chaudhuri Memorial Prize, Department of Sociology Foundation Fund Prize (Donated by Prasanta Ray) from Presidency College for securing Highest Marks in BA Sociology (Honours) Part I, II, and III Examinations (2007 to 2009)
2. Received Certificate of Merit from University of Calcutta for securing First Class First position in BA Sociology (Honours) Part I, II and III Examinations (2007 to 2009)
3. Received T. K. Oommen Cash Prize and Certificate of Merit from Jawaharlal Nehru University for securing Highest FGPA in MA program in Sociology (2009-2011)
4. Cleared UGC NET-JRF in Sociology in December 2011

**Select Publications:**

1. 'Born to Procreate: Tracing the Figuration of the Maternal Body in Assisted Reproductive Technology' in A. Bandopadhyay and K. Dasgupta (ed.) *The 'Other' Universe: An Anthology of Women's Studies*, 2015
2. 'Debating the Naturalization of Maternal Body and Motherhood: A Critique of Reproductive Medicine and Assisted Reproduction' in S. Manna and S. Patra (ed.) *Motherhood: Demystification and Denouement*, 2016
3. 'Buried Past and Disengaged Present: Towards a Critique of Contemporary Sociological Practice in West Bengal', *Lady Brabourne College Journal of Social Sciences*, 2016
4. 'The 'New' Mother: Rethinking 'Care Ethics' through the Bournvita Advertisements' in S. Manna, S. Patra and S. Roy (ed.) *Sociology of Motherhood and Beyond: Roots and Rejuvenation*, 2017
5. 'Journeys of the Self: Everyday and the Question of Ethics', *Social Trends*, Vol. 4, 2017
6. 'Of Objective Claims and Located Accounts: An Ideological Plea to Rethink Knowledge in Assisted Reproductive Technologies from a Feminist Standpoint', *Social Trends*, Vol.5, 2018
7. 'Fixing Female Bodies through Reproductive Medicine and Assisted Reproduction: An Ideological Critique', *Social Trends*, Vol.6, 2019
8. 'আধুনিকতা, উত্তর-আধুনিকতা এবং তারপর সমাজবিদ্যার সাম্প্রতিক তত্ত্বের নতুন দিশার অন্বেষণ' বাসাবী চক্রবর্তী সম্পাদিত, *সমাজবিদ্যা: তাত্ত্বিক রূপরেখা*, সেতু, ২০২১