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| | MA/M.sc | Philosophy | Gauhati University | 1995 |
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| PH.D. DETAILS | | | | |
| 7 | Title of the Thesis | MORAL PHILOSOPHY OF J.S.MILL AND G.E.MOORE- A CRITICAL AND COMPARATIVE STUDY | | |
| | Field of specialization under subject/discipline | NORMATIVE ETHICS, META-ETHICS | | |
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| 11 | HONOURS AND AWARDS | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Secured the First Position in BA in Philosophy 2. Recipient of Gold Medal for securing the First position in MA in Philosophy 3. Recipient of Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan Prize for obtaining the First position in MA in Philosophy 4. Awarded Greek Government Scholarship by the Hellenic Ministry of Education and Religious Affairs at the frame of the Bilateral Cultural Program between Greece and India for pursuing research in the Dept. of Communication and Mass Media of the University of Athens, Athens, Greece from September 2001 to June 2002. | | |
| 12 | CURRENT RESEARCH PROJECT/Field of Research | Normative Ethics, Medical Ethics , Development Ethics, Social and Political Philosophy, Contemporary Indian Philosophy | | |

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| 13 | TECHNICAL UNDERSTANDING AND EXPERIENCE | Utilitarianism, Longtermism, Effective Altruism, Integrated ethical scheme, Ethical development |
| 14 | SUMMARY OF RESEARCH EXPERIENCE | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Examination of J.S.Mill’s Utilitarian moral philosophy focusing on his conceptions of individuality, utility, liberty, justice, gender-equality and happiness. • Examination of G.E. Moore’s utilitarian moral philosophy focusing on his conception of good, right, duty, freedom and examination of his meta-ethical stance • Ethical perspective of Advaita Vedanta • Ethics and children literature • Rabindranath Tagore’s views on ethics of giving and his perspective regarding freedom • Raja Rammohun Roy’s views concerning religious reformation and social welfare • Conceptual clarification of Euthanasia and practical significance of its two different methods • Currently working on development ethics of J.S.Mill and other contemporary Indian and western thinkers |
| 15 | EXPERIENCE OF PROJECT MANAGEMENT | Worked as a project coordinator of the NORM project (NORMalizing Mask Wearing) of SEVA (Society for Equitable Voluntary Action) to prevent the spread of COVID-19 infection in collaboration with Global NORM team of Yale University (USA), IPA, J-PAL and CSBC (Asoka University) for launching pilot project (NORM) in Baduria block, North 24 Parganas, West Bengal, sponsored by Luxmi Charitable Trust from June 2021-December 2021 |
| 16 | COMPLETE LIST OF PUBLICATIONS (Maintain Harvard Format) | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mitra, Madhumita (2024) ‘Understanding Utility and Justice in the Light of J.S. Mill’s Conception of ‘Justly Constituted’ Family.’ <i>Philosophy and the Life-world</i>, 26,pp.290-303. DOI: http://dx.doi.org/10.62424/JPLW.2024.18.00.22 2. Mitra, Madhumita.(2022) ‘Raja Rammohun er Darshanchintai Dharmiya Sanskar o Somaj Kalyan’ (Religious Reformation and Social Welfare in the Philosophical Thoughts of Raja Rammohun) <i>SKBU Journal of Philosophy</i>(Peer-reviewed) II, Issue I, pp. 11-24. ISSN : 2584-0126. 3. Mitra, Madhumita (2022) ‘Mill’s Notion of Individuality: An Analysis’. <i>Gauhati University Journal of Philosophy</i>, Vol.7, pp. 47-60. ISSN: 2456-3285. (UGC –CARE Listed Journal). 4. Mitra, Madhumita (2021) ‘Was G.E. Moore an Act or Rule Utilitarian?’ <i>Gauhati University Journal of Philosophy</i>, 6, pp. 53-62. ISSN: 2456-3285. 5. Mitra, Madhumita.(2020) ‘Mill’s Appeal to the Verdict of Competent Judges: A Non-hedonistic Appeal’. <i>Rabindra Bharati Journal of Philosophy</i>, XXI, pp. 66-82. ISSN: 09730087. (UGC–CARE Listed Journal) |

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| 17 | Extracurricular Activities | <p>6. Mitra, Madhumita (2020) 'Does Mill Demand Too Much Morality from a Moral Agent?' <i>Philosophical Papers</i> 16, pp.129-138. ISSN: 0976-4496 Journal of the Department of Philosophy, North-Bengal University(Peer reviewed)</p> <p>7. Mitra, Madhumita (2019) 'Understanding Mill's Utilitarianism in the light of his Views on Marital Friendship'. <i>Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences (JHSS)</i>, 16, pp.113-128. ISSN: 0973-8737. (An international refereed journal)</p> <p>8. Mitra, Madhumita (2018) 'A Pleasurable Life : J.S.Mill Re-visited'. <i>XXIII World Philosophy Congress Proceedings</i>, 12, Ethics, pp. 241-245.</p> <p>9. Mitra, Madhumita (2017) 'J.S. Mill's Notion of Qualitative Superiority of Pleasure: A Reappraisal'. <i>Philosophy Pathways</i>, 210, An Electronic Journal Published by International Society for Philosophers and distributed by the University of Sheffield. ISSN: 2043-0728.</p> <p>10. Mitra, Madhumita. (2016) 'J.S. Mill's view on Gender Equality: A Re-examination'. <i>Proceedings of Conference of the International Journal of Arts and Sciences</i> , 9(2) , pp. 289-298. ISSN: 1943-6114.(Refereed Proceedings)</p> <p>11. Mitra, Madhumita.(2013-14) 'Tagore's view on Freedom: A Philosophical Analysis'. <i>International Journal of Bengal Studies</i>, 4-5, pp.382 – 403, ISSN-2277-7717 (Peer Reviewed Journal)</p> <p>12. Mitra, Madhumita (2012) 'Advaita Vedanta and Ethical Implausibility'. <i>Modern Perspectives on Vedanta</i>. pp 270– 279. (Proceedings of 20th International Congress of Vedanta) (ed)G.N. Jha, B.Singh, R.P.Singh and D.Misra. D.K. Printworld: New Delhi. ISBN :978-81-246-0639-1.(Refereed Proceedings)</p> <p>13. Mitra, Madhumita (2011) 'Moral Superiority of Passive Euthanasia- A Myth'. Proceedings of the First Asian Conference on Ethics, Religion and Philosophy,pp.138-148.ISSN-2185-6141 conference held in Osaka, Japan. (www.iafor.org)</p> <p>14. Mitra, Madhumita. (2009-2010) 'God and Morality: G.E. Moore's view'. <i>Journal of the Department of Philosophy</i>, IX, pp.131-141 University of Calcutta, ISSN-2277-985X. (Peer Reviewed)</p> <p>15. Mitra, Madhumita. (2009) 'Ethics in Panchatantra'. <i>PHILOSOPHICAL PAPERS</i>, 6, pp. 74-85 Journal of the Department of Philosophy, North-Bengal University, (Peer-Reviewed)</p> <p>16. Mitra, Madhumita (2006) 'Quality of life Vs. Sanctity of life - In the context of Euthanasia'. <i>JINASA</i> 2(1), pp 39-47.(Peer-Reviewed)</p> |
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