



UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA

FACULTY ACADEMIC PROFILE

Full name of the faculty member: Dr. LILY BANERJEE

Designation: Associate Professor (Department of Languages- Russian)

Specialization: Russian Language and Literature, General, Socio and Psycho- Linguistics.



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Academic qualifications:

College / University from which the degree was obtained	Abbreviation of the degree
University of Calcutta	B.A. History (Hons.)
Russian Peoples' Friendship University , Moscow , Russia.	M.A.- (1+5 year course) in Philology (Russian Language and Literature)
Institute of Russian Language named after V.V. Vinogradov. Russian Academy of Sciences , Moscow. Russia.	Ph.D. in Philology (Russian Language, General, Socio and Psycho- Linguistics.)

RESEARCH INTERESTS: Russian language & literature. Linguistic approach to the study of Russian literature. Comparative study of Russian linguistic and literature. Methodology of teaching of Russian in foreign and Indian auditorium. Russian literature in the eyes of critics. Iconography in Russia. Russian Indology, Indo-Russian Relations past and present.

Administrative Appointments/ Other notable activities:

- Convenor, Ph.D. Research Advisory Committee in Russian.
- Chairperson, PG Board of Studies in Russian.
- Worked as Head/In-charge, Department of Languages from May 2016
- Participated in Syllabus making Program for M.A. Semester Course in Russian (under CBCS), C.U.
- Organized Programmes with the delegations from foreign countries to enhance international connections.
- Organized film show, quiz, musical programmes and interactive sessions for our students and faculties with the Foreign Embassy and Cultural Centre.
- Organised a lecture and film show with Korean Cultural Centre on 3rd April 2017. Korean teacher Mr. Guk Jin Shin delivered a lecture on “Korean Culture”, at the Dept. of Languages.
- The Vice Consul & Director of Russian Centre of Science and Culture (Gorky Sadan) in Kolkata, Yuri Vasilyevich Dubovoy delivered a lecture “RUSSIA: MODERNITY THROUGH THE PRISM OF HISTORY” for the students of Russian and other languages at the Department of languages, C.U. on 07.07.2017.
- Mr. Kim Kyung Han, Minister Counselor of the Political Section at the Embassy of Korea delivered a lecture on the topic “Understanding Korea’s Economic Development and Changing Dynamics of Korea-India Bilateral Cooperation” for the students of Department of languages at University of Calcutta on 07.09.2017.
- Organized an interaction session between Monica López Prat, (Assistant Professor at Fine Arts University of Barcelona, Spain) and the Students and Faculty of Spanish Language at our Department on 30.09.2019.

Research Experience:

Worked as Research Fellow in Russian Studies at The Asiatic Society, Kolkata (2001-2008)

Research Guidance: **Supervisor** - Number of researchers pursuing Ph.D: 3 (three)
Associate Supervisor- Number of researchers pursuing Ph.D: 1 (one)

M.A. Dissertation:

1. Worked as Guide Supervisor of 07 (seven) students. M.A.Part-II (Completed).
2. Worked as Guide Supervisor of 1 (one) student. M.A. 4th semester (under CBCS), 2020.

Membership of Learned Societies:

- Life Member of Paschimbanga Itihash Samsad, Kolkata.
- Member of INDAPRYAL (Indian Association of Teachers of Russian Language and Literature), New Delhi.

Select list of Publications:

Journals/Books:

1. **“Rush Buddhijibider drishtite bharote British ouponibeshikota.”**- (“British Colonialism in India in the eyes of Russian Intelligentsia”), full paper was published (in Bengali), in the journal “Itihas Anusandhan” Vol- 24, Paschim Banga Itihas Samsad, Kolkata, 24th January, 2010, p-1151-1157; along with Reference.
2. **“Life and Scholarly Activities of Gerasim Stepanovich Lebedev.”** full paper was published (in English) in “Gerasim Lebedev i Ivo Vremia”, Dokladi i Sobshenia, Mezhdunarodnaya Nauchnaya Konferentsia, (**“Gerasim Lebedev and His Time”, Papers and Information, International scientific conference**, 15-16. December, 2009, Yaroslavl, Isshyo ni pozdna), Yaroslavl, Russia, 2010, p-58-69, along with Reference. (ISBN: 978-5-904457-10-5).
3. **“Nikolai Konstantinovich Roerich : Bishyoshanti o Songskriti.”**- (“Nikolai Konstantinovich Roerich: World peace and Culture”), full paper was published (in Bengali) in the journal “Itihas Anusandhan” Vol- 26, Paschim Banga Itihas Samsad, Kolkata, 24th January, 2012, p-1374-1378; along with Reference. (ISBN: 978-81-910874-20).
4. **“Sergey Diagilev O Ballets Russes”**- (“Sergey Diagilev and Ballets Russes”) full paper was published (in Bengali) in the journal “Itihas Anusandhan” Vol- 27, Paschim Banga Itihas Samsad, Kolkata, 24th January, 2013, p-1261-1267; along with Reference. (ISBN: 978-81-910874-3-7).
5. **“Rush Ikoner Itikotha”**- (“A Chronicle of Russian Icons”), full Paper was published (in Bengali), in the journal “Itihas Anusandhan” Vol- 28, Paschim Banga Itihas Samsad, Kolkata, 24th January, 2014, p- 1115-1121; along with Reference. (ISBN: 978-81-910874-4-4), **Peer-Reviewed Volume.**
6. **“Методика преподавания фонетики русского языка в бенгальской аудитории”** (Method of teaching of Russian Phonetics in Bengali auditorium) ”- full paper published (in Russian) in the Book “Сталинградская гвоздика”. Выпуск - 4, Chapter- III, p- 104-110, along with Reference. Volgograd State Social and Pedagogical University. Фортесс, 2019, Russia, (ISBN: 978-5-903705-26-9).
7. Paper **“Theatrical World of Gerasim Lebedev in Bengal”** accepted for publication by Peter the Great Museum of Anthropology and Ethnography of the Russian Academy of Sciences (Kunstkamera) Saint-Petersburg, Russia. 2020.

Other Publications:

1. "Сопоставительный анализ вокалических систем русского и бенгальского языков" . Рус. деп. в ИНИОН РАН. № 51545. М. 1996. ("Comparative analysis of Vocalic system of Russian and Bengali languages," Rus. Dep. in INION RAN (Russian Academy of Sciences), № 51545. М. 1996), (in Russian).
2. "Система фонем русского языка в сопоставлении с фонетикой бенгальского языка" (System of phonemes of the Russian language in comparison with the phonetics of the Bengali language). **Internet publication** published in Russian websites. "Chelovek I Nauka" www.cheloveknauka.com

Conference / Seminar:

1. **Participated** in the International Conference "Contemporary trends in Russian Language and Literature-Issues& Perspectives", at The Russian Centre of Science and Culture, New Delhi, on 9th- 10th December, 2004 and presented a paper "Phoneticheskie Trudnosti Bengalskikh Studentov Pri Usvoyenii Russkikh Soglasnikh Zvukov" (in Russian) .
2. **Participated** in the XXVth Annual conference of the Paschim Banga Itihas Samsad held on 24th – 26th January, 2009 at Rabindra Bharati University and presented a Paper entitled "Rush Buddhijibider Drishtite Bharate British Ouponibeshikota"(in Bengali).
3. **Participated** in "Gerasim Lebedev i Ivo Vremia", Dokladi i Sobshenia, Mezhdunarodnaya Nauchnaya Konferentsia, ("Gerasim Lebedev and His Time", Papers and Information, International scientific Conference, 15-16. December, 2009, Yaroslavl, Russia.) Presented the paper entitled "Life and Scholarly Activities of Gerasim Stepanovich Lebedev," full paper was **published** (in English).
4. **Participated** in the XXVII th Annual conference of the Paschim Banga Itihas Samsad held on 24th – 26th January, 2011 at University of Calcutta (Alipur campus) and presented the Paper entitled "Nikolai Konstantinovich Roerich: Bishyoshanti o Songoskriti."- (in Bengali).
5. **Participated** in the International Seminar on "Gerasim Lebedev and his Legacy- A Chronicle of Indo-Russian Relation" organized by the Department of languages, University of Calcutta at Kolkata on 22nd- 23rd February, 2011 and presented the Paper entitled "Gerasim Stepanovich Lebedev and Bengali Theatre."(in English).
6. **Participated** in the XXVIIIth Annual conference of the Paschim Banga Itihas Samsad held on 24th – 26th January, 2012 at Vivekananda College, Kolkata and presented the Paper entitled " Sergey Diagilev O Ballets Russes"- (in Bengali).

7. **Participated** in the XXIXth Annual conference of the Paschim Banga Itihas Samsad held on 24th -26th January, 2013 at Lady Brabourne College, Kolkata and presented the Paper entitled “Rush Ikoner Itikotha”- (in Bengali).
8. **Participated** in the Regional Seminar on “Indian Philosophy, its legacy as seen through Tolstoy’s Literature” organized by the Department of languages, University of Calcutta at Kolkata on 30th Sept- 1 st Oct , 2013 and presented the Paper entitled “ Lev Tolstoy’s Doctrine of Peace and Nonviolence” (in English).
9. Paper accepted for participation “ Gerasim Lebedev – Legacy of Bengali Theatre” by the II nd International conference on “Gerasim Lebedev and His Time (1749-1817), 27-28 November, 2013” organized by Yaroslavl State Pedagogical University, Institute of Russian Literature and Culture, Yaroslavl, Russia.
- 10 . **Participated** in the XXXI Annual conference of the Paschim Banga Itihas Samsad held on 22nd – 24 th January, 2015, at Calcutta University, Alipur Campus, Kolkata and presented the Paper entitled “Lev Tolstoy o Bharoter Ahimsa Andolon” – (in Bengali).
11. **Participated** in the XXXII Annual conference of the Paschim Banga Itihas Samsad held on 24th – 26th January, 2016 at Dirozio Memorial College, Rajarhat- Gopalpur, North 24 parganas and presented the Paper entitled “ Rush- Bharot kutnoitik somporoker sekal- ekal” (in Bengali).
12. **Participated** in the programme organized by the Institute of Russian Language, Gorky Sadan dedicated to the Day of Russian Language 218th Birth Anniversary of *Alexander Sergeyevich Pushkin* , The National Poet of Russia held on 6th June 2017, Gorky Sadan, Kolkata and presented the Paper entitled “ Pushkin I Dekabristi” (Pushkin and Decembrists) – (in Russian).
13. **Attended**: Показательный урок русского языка для начинающих. Проводила преподаватель Елена Белихина института русского языка им. Пушкина. (Demonstration lesson of Russian for beginners. Conducted by professor Elena Belikhina from Pushkin Institute of the Russian Language, Moscow) - at Kolkata Book fair on 30th January, 2020.
14. **Attended**: Lecture “ Жажда апокалиптических выхрей и созданиние Нового Мира. Русская литература XX столетия: от Серебрянного века к Советской эстетике” (Thirst for apocalyptic waste and the creation of a New World. Russian literature of the twentieth century: from the Silver Age to Soviet aesthetics ") - delivered by Vadim Polonsky. Director, Institute of World Literature named after A.M Gorky, Russian Academy of Sciences. Moscow - at Kolkata Book fair on 30th January, 2020.