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FACULTY ACADEMIC PROFILE/ CV

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Academic qualifications:

University from which the degree was obtained	Abbreviation of the degree
Gauhati University	LL.B
Law School, Banaras Hindu University	LL. M.; Ph. D.

Positions held/ holding:

Presently **Professor, Dean and Secretary at the Faculty of Law**, University of Calcutta. Served as the **Head of the Department of Law**, University of Calcutta (with effect from 28. 07. 2009 to 27. 07. 2011) and as the **Head of the School of Private Law and Comparative Jurisprudence** and also as the **Head of the Centre for Human Right and**

Citizenship Studies at the West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences (WB NUJS), Kolkata (with effect from 24. 08. 2007 to 30. 04. 2009).

Research interests:

- **Constitutional Law, International Law and Human Rights, Intellectual Property Rights and Contemporary Legal Issues.**

Research guidance:

Number of researchers awarded Ph. D degrees: 5 (FIVE)

Number of researchers working for Ph. D: 8 (EIGHT)

Select List of Publications:

a) **Journals:**

- (i) **J. K. Das**, “Evolution of Three Generations of Human Rights and Role of National Human Rights Commission,” 1 **Indian Human Rights Law Review**, (2016) pp. 1-16 (**ISSN : 2230-7036**).
- (ii) J. K. Das, “Right to Education of Indigenous Peoples and Their Culture and Language in International Human Rights Perspective” 1(4) **Journal of Development Management and Communication** (2014) pp. 442-453, (**ISSN: 2348-7739**).
- (iii) J. K. Das, “Examination of Contemporary Status of Fair Dealing in Copyright Law India,” 7 **Journal of the Shivani Gaurav Memorial Law College** (2014) pp. 43-63 (**ISSN: 0976-9684**).
- (iv) J. K. Das, “New Dimensions of Intellectual Property Rights in India,” 3(2) **Pragyan: Journal of Law**,” (2013) pp. 11-33 (**ISSN: 2278-8093**).
- (v) J. K. Das, “Copyright Protection for Computer Softwares and Databases: From Sweat of the Brow to Modicum of Creativity,” 3(2) **Indian Journal of Law and Justice**, (2012) pp. 261-278 (**ISSN: 2278-8093**).
- (vi) J. K. Das, “Rights of Indigenous Peoples Related to Development and Environmental Security: A Comparative Human Rights Perspective,” 3(2) **Indian Human Rights Law Review** (2012) pp. 261-278 (**ISSN: 2230- 7036**).
- (vii) J. K. Das, “Investigation Techniques in Criminal Cases and the Right to Health in India” 12(3) **Asia - Pacific Journal on Human Rights and the Law, Kluwer Law International , The Hague/London/ Boston** (2011) pp. 56- 80 (**ISSN: 1388-1906, Online ISSN: 1571-8158**).
- (viii) J. K. Das, “TRIPS Agreement and Intellectual Property Rights: An Indian Perspective” 16 (6) **International Trade Law & Regulation**, Sweet and Maxwell, Thomson Reuters, London, (2010) pp.165-173 (**ISSN: 1357-3136**).
- (ix) J. K. Das, “The Right of Self-determination of Indigenous Peoples: Developing Dynamics of Human Rights”, 33 **Indian Journal of International Law**, Indian Society of International Law , New Delhi (2003) pp.705-728 (**ISSN : 0019-5294**).

- (x) J. K. Das, "Accessing Judicial Remedies for Human Rights Protection in India," 9 *Vidyasthai Law Journal* (2011) 1-25, ISSN 0975-4210.
- (xi) J. K. Das, "Rethinking Theoretical Foundations of the Law of Civil Procedure : Prospect and Retrospect" 53 *Journal of the Indian Law Institute, Indian Law Institute, New Delhi* (2011) pp.1- 31(ISSN: 0019-3731).
- (xii) J. K. Das, "The Province of Second Appeal to the High Court has been Determined and Re-determined: Role of the Apex Court", 37 *Indian Bar Review, Bar Council of India Trust, New Delhi* (2011) pp. 1-29 (ISSN: 0973-7480).
- (xiii) J. K. Das , "Constitutional Validity of CPC (Amendment) Acts 1999 and 2002: Role of Judiciary" 44 (3 and 4) *Journal of Constitutional and Parliamentary Studies, Institute of Constitutional and Parliamentary Studies (ICPS), New Delhi* (2010, July-December) pp. 246-263 (ISSN: 0022- 0043).
- (xiv) J. K. Das, " Role of the Apex Court in Determining Interest and Costs in Civil Proceedings " 2 *Indian Journal of Law and Justice, Department of Law, University of North Bengal* (2011) pp. 13-31 (ISSN: 0976-3570).
- (xv) J. K. Das, "Legal Framework for Copyright Protection: Its Philosophical Justification and Practical Implications on Indigenous Peoples" *The Banaras Law Journal, Faculty of Law, Banaras Hindu University* (2004) Vol. 33 pp. 157-180 (ISSN: 0522-0815).
- (xvi) J. K . Das, "Protection of Rights of Indigenous Peoples under Human Rights Law", 1 *Indian Human Rights Law Review, (A Peer Reviewed Referred Journal)* (2010) pp. 197-227 (ISSN: 2230-7036).
- (xvii) J. K. Das, "Justifications of Rejection of Plaint in Civil Suits with Special Reference to Cause of Action", 11 (1) *"Nyaya Deep": The Official Journal of NALSA, National Legal Services Authority, New Delhi* (2011) pp. 17-39 (ISSN: 0972-2343).
- (xviii) J. K. Das, "Original Works in Internet Technology, Computer Programs, Databases and Copyright Law" 1 *Calcutta Law Times* (2011) pp. 1-16 (ISSN: 0971-748X).
- (xix) J. K . Das, "Terrorism, Human Rights and Peace: The Tripura Experience" 2 *Calcutta Law Times* (2006) pp. 9-18 (ISSN: 0971-748 X).
- (xx) J.K. Das, "Indigenous Peoples, Development and Environment: The New Approach in International Human Rights Law," 1 *Calcutta Law Times* (2003) pp.6-14 (ISSN: 0971- 748X).
- (xxi) J. K. Das, "Apex Court on Substantial Question of Law: An Appraisal" 3 *Calcutta Law Times* (2012) pp.6-16 (ISSN: 0971- 748X).
- (xxii) J. K. Das, "Emerging Trends of Rights of Persons with Disabilities" 3 *Calcutta Law Times* (2011) pp.1-8 (ISSN: 0971 -748X).
- (xxiii) J. K. Das, "Facets of Inherent Powers of Civil Court: An Appraisal" *Vidhik Chetana: A Research Journal of Juridical Science* (2011) pp. 6-33 (ISSN: 0976-9684).

b) **Books/ Book Chapters :**

Books

- (xxiv) J. K. Das, *Human Rights Law and Practice* (PHI Learning Private Limited, Delhi, 2016) pp. xxxii+702 (ISBN: 978-81-203-5272-8).
- (xxv) J. K. Das, *Law of Copyright*, (PHI Learning Private Limited, Delhi, 2015) pp. xxxii+604 (ISBN: 978-81-203-5090-8).
- (xxvi) J. K. Das, *Civil Procedure*, (PHI Learning Private Limited, Delhi, 2014) pp. xc+1066 (ISBN 978-81-203-4829-5).
- (xxvii) J. K. Das, *Intellectual Property Rights*, Kamal Law House, Kolkata, 2008) pp. 1011 (ISSN: 81-7534-500-4).
- (xxviii) J. K. Das, *Legal Framework for Engineering Arbitration in India*, (R. Cambray and Co., Kolkata, 2005) pp. 394 (ISBN: 81-89659-00-6).
- (xxix) J. K. Das, *Human Rights and Indigenous Peoples*, APH Publishing Corporation, New Delhi (2001/ Reprint 2011) pp. 454 (ISBN: 83-7648-2439)
- (xxx) J. K. Das, *Indigenous Peoples, Sustainable Development and Human Rights*, (Ganga Kaveri Publishing House, Varanasi, 1997) pp. 165 (ISBN: 81-85694-22-2).

Book Chapters

- (xxxi) J. K. Das, “Enforcement of Patent Rights in India with Special Reference to Pharmaceuticals,” in S.C. Roy (ed.) *Working of Patents Law and Pharmaceutical Implications*, (Mewar University Press, New Delhi, 2015) pp. 279-290 (ISBN: 978-98-85212-23-9).
- (xxxii) J. K. Das, “Protection and Enforcement of Human Rights in India: Role of the Apex Court”, in Manik Chakrabarty (ed.), *Human Rights in Twenty First Century: An Anthology*, (Deep and Deep Publication Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi, 2011) pp.34-65 (ISBN: 81-8629-547-4) .
- (xxxiii) J. K. Das, “Intellectual Property Rights and Its Enforcement in India with Special Reference to TRIPS Agreement” in Shankarashis Mukherjee (Ed.), *Confluence : A Collection of Essays*, (UGC Academic Staff College, University of Calcutta, 2009) pp. 83-116.
- (xxxiv) J. K. Das , “Legal Protection of Creativity under Copyright Law : An Overview” in Shiv Sahai Singh (ed.) *The Intellectual Property Rights*, (Deep and Deep Publication Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi, 2004) pp. 224-235 (ISBN: 81-7629-547-7) .

c) **Conference/ Seminar:**

1. National Seminar held on the 26 May, 2016 on “Working of the Procedural Law in India”, organized by the Department of Law, University of Calcutta (**chaired a session and presented a paper**).
2. UGC Sponsored National Seminar on “Human Rights” held on March 10, 2016, organized by city college of Commerce and Business Administration, Calcutta (**chaired a session and presented a paper**).
3. National Seminar on “Capital Market Reforms and Regulations in India: Issues and Challenges” held on October 7, 2015, Organized by the Department of Commerce, University of Calcutta (**chaired a session and presented a paper**).
4. National Seminar held on the 24-25 May, 2014 on “Globalization and Governance:

- Challenges and Opportunities”, organized by the Faculty of Law, IMS UNISON University (**chaired a session and presented a paper**).
5. Seminar on “Pre-conception and Pre-natal Diagnostic Technique Act” held on 2 April 2014 organized by the Department of Law, University of Calcutta (**chaired a session and presented a paper**).
 6. International Seminar on “New Frontiers of Law in a Globalised World: Prospects and Challenges” held on 18 February, 2013, organized by the Department of Law, University of Calcutta in collaboration with the British Council (**chaired a session and presented a paper**).
 7. Coordinated Three Day (21-23 August, 2013) Regional Teachers Training Programme on “International Humanitarian Law,” held at the Department of Law, University of Calcutta in collaboration with the International Committee of Red Cross (ICRC).
 8. UGC Sponsored National Seminar on “Human Rights in 21st Century: The Issues and Challenges”, organized by the Department of Law, the University of Burdwan held on 30 and 31 July 2011 at DDE Auditorium, Burdwan (**chaired a session and presented a paper**).
 9. UGC Sponsored National Seminar on “Emerging Jurisprudence of Intellectual Property Rights”, organized by the Department of Law, JNV University, Jodhpur held on 19 and 20 July, 2011 (**chaired a session and presented a paper**).
 10. UGC Sponsored National Seminar on “Terrorism in India: The Emerging Issues and Challenges”, organized by the JCC LAW COLLEGE in Collaboration with Department of International Relations, Jadavpur University, held on 8 and 9 December, 2011(**chaired a session and presented a paper**).
 11. Workshop on “Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000” organized by the State Legal Services Authority, West Bengal held on 18 June, 2011 at the Auditorium of the Centenary Building , High Court at Calcutta (Participated).
 12. Regional Workshop on “Disability” organized by National Human Rights Commission and Centre for Human Rights and Citizenship Studies of West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences , Kolkata, on 22 and 23 August, 2008 (**participated**) .
 13. First International and Thirtieth All India Criminology Conference of the Indian Society of Criminology held on 23 to 25 February, 2007 organized by the Department of Law, University of Calcutta, on the theme “Crime and justice in a Changing World” (**participated and presented a paper**).
 14. “Three Day Regional Outreach Training Programme on Rights of Persons with Disabilities” held on 19 to 21 January, 2005, organized by the West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences , Kolkata, in collaboration with the Canadian Human Rights Commission and the Indira Gandhi National Open University, India.
 15. Second “International Law” Conference of the Indian Society of International Law, held at India Habited Centre, New Delhi, 14 to 17 November, 2004 (**participated and presented a paper**).
 16. Two day National Seminar on “The Law of Intellectual Property Rights” organized by the Department of Law, University of Burdwan on 2 to 3 August, 2003, in collaboration with Ministry of Human Resource Development of India, New Delhi (**participated and presented a paper**).
 17. National Seminar on “Ethics, Economics, Education and Law” organized by the Centre of Advance Study in Philosophy, Jadavpur University, Kolkata in collaboration with Centre for Studies in Civilizations and the Project of History of Indian Science , Philosophy and Culture, New Delhi held on 15 to 17 April, 2004(**participated**).
 18. National Seminar on “Enforcement of Copyright Law” organized by the Department of Law, Osmania University, Hyderabad on 10 and 11 January, 2004 (**participated and presented a paper**).
 19. Eastern Regional Training Program on “Juvenile Justice” organized by the West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences, Kolkata, sponsored by the Ministry of Social

- Justice and Empowerment, Government of India held on 31 March to 2 April, 2002(**participated**).
20. Second “West Bengal Social Science Congress” organized by the Hoogly Mahsin College in collaboration with the Indian Academy of Social Sciences, New Delhi held on 15 to 17 November, 2002(**participated and presented a paper**).
 21. Workshop on “Law, Technology and Development” organized by the West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences, Kolkata, sponsored by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, New Delhi, held on 18 to 24 July, 2002(**participated**).
 22. Fulbright Program on “Roundtable Discussion on Fact-based Teaching and Legal Research” hosted by the United States Educational Foundation in India in collaboration with the West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences, Kolkata, held on 18 to 19 April, 2002 (**participated**).
 23. “Patent awareness Workshop” organized by the Patent Office, Kolkata in Collaboration with the West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences, Kolkata, held on 27 February, 2002(**participated**).
 24. Regional Seminar on “Environment Considerations in Forest Management with Special Reference to Biodiversity Conservation” organized by the Kota Government P.G. College, Rajasthan, held on 15 September, 2001(**participated and presented a paper**).
 25. Bar Association of India’s 40th Year Commemorative Conference on “New Dimensions of Law” held at New Delhi on 30 September 2001 to 1 October, 2000 (**participated and presented a paper**).
 26. Conference on “Development of Kota District in 21st Century” organized by the KARANI NAGAR VIKASH SAMITY, Kota, Rajasthan held on 16 to 21 January, 2000(**participated and presented a paper**).
 27. Two day Workshop- Cum – Clinic on “Environment and Energy Management – Audit and Regulations” held on 20 to 21 August, 1998 organized by Centre of Plant Engineering Services, Ranchi, Jharkhand (**participated and presented a paper**).

Membership of Learned Societies:

Indian Law Institute, New Delhi; Indian Society of International Law, New Delhi.

Invited lectures delivered: 25 in numbers.

Awards:

Recipient of Doctoral Research Fellowship of the Ministry of HRD, Government of India, New Delhi.