




## FACULTY PROFILE

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| Designation                    | Assistant Professor   |            |           |   |
| Date of Joining                | 12.12.2023  |            |           |   |
| Academic Qualifications        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>PhD (<i>Registered</i>) – Mizoram University</b></li><li>• <b>MPhil (<i>Commerce</i>) - Mizoram University</b><br/>(<i>1<sup>st</sup> Class – Grade A</i>)</li><li>• <b>MBA (<i>Finance</i>) – Sikkim Manipal University</b><br/>(<i>1<sup>st</sup> Class – Grade A</i>)</li><li>• <b>M.Com (<i>Accounting and Finance</i>) – University of North Bengal (<i>1<sup>st</sup> Class</i>)</b></li><li>• <b>B. Com (<i>Honours</i>) – University of North Bengal (<i>1<sup>st</sup> Class</i>)</b></li></ul> |            |           |   |
| Academic Achievements          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Qualified West Bengal SET (<i>Management</i>) - 2022</b></li><li>• <b>Qualified UGC NET (<i>Management</i>) - July 2016</b></li><li>• <b>Qualified UGC NET (<i>Commerce</i>) - December 2012</b></li><li>• <b>Qualified UGC NET (<i>Commerce</i>) - June 2012</b></li><li>• <b>Qualified West Bengal SET (<i>Commerce</i>) - 2011</b></li></ul>  |            |           |   |
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| <b>Teaching Experiences<br/>(Present &amp; Previous)</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presently working as <b>Assistant Professor</b> in the Department of Commerce, <b>Rabindra Mahavidyalaya</b>, Champadanga, Hooghly, W.B. since 12.12.2023.</li> <li>• Worked as <b>Assistant Professor</b> in the Department of Commerce and Management, <b>North Bengal St. Xavier's College</b> from 02.07.2018 – 11.12.2023.</li> <li>• Worked as <b>Guest Faculty</b> in the Department of Commerce, <b>Sikkim University</b> from 30-08-2013 to 24-07-2014.</li> <li>• Worked as <b>PGT in Commerce</b> at <b>Holy Cross School</b>, Tadong from 29-06-2009 to 24-02-2014.</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Research Interests</b>                                | Entrepreneurship, Accounting, Finance and Banking  |
| <b>Research Guidance<br/>(Master's Theses)</b>           | Supervised Ten Students for Post-Graduation Dissertation in the Department of Commerce, Sikkim University in the year 2014.  |
| <b>Awards</b>  | Awarded <b>Silver Medal</b> for obtaining <b>1<sup>st</sup> class second</b> at the M.Com. Examination, 2008 by the University of North Bengal.  |
| <b>Administrative<br/>Responsibilities</b>               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Head of Department of Management (BBA) at North Bengal St. Xavier's College from 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2022 – 11<sup>th</sup> December 2023.</li> <li>• Member of various Committees and Cells at North Bengal St. Xavier's College.</li> <li>• Member of Academic Council, North Bengal St. Xavier's College.</li> <li>• <i>Paper-setter</i> and <i>Examiner</i> of BCom (H+P) and BBA (H) semester-end examinations under University of North Bengal.</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Research Articles in<br/>Journals</b>                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chhetri, K., &amp; Ramswamy, R. (2018). Socio-economic Determinants of Agripreneurship: Daramdin Floriculture Cluster in Sikkim. <i>Small Enterprises Development, Management &amp; Extension (SEDME) Journal</i>, 45(1), 61-77. [UGC CARE Listed International Refereed Journal ISSN No. 0970-8464 and e-ISSN No. 2456-1223]</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Paper Presented in<br/>Seminars/Conferences</b>       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presented a paper titled '<i>Impact of Clusters on Entrepreneurship: A Study of Daramdin Rose Cluster, Sikkim</i>' at a National Conference on "<b>Entrepreneurship, Innovation and Society</b>" organized by Centre for Global Management &amp; Responsible Leadership (CGMRL), XLRI, Jamshedpur, India along with St. Anthony's College, Shillong, held during 13-15 December 2018.</li> <li>• Presented a paper titled '<i>Socio-economic Characteristics of Agripreneurship in Daramdin Floriculture Cluster in Sikkim</i>' at a National Seminar on "<b>Social Work and Rural Development in North-East India</b>" organized by the Department of Social Work, Mizoram University, Aizawl, Mizoram, held during 22-23 March 2018.</li> <li>• Presented a paper titled '<i>Promoting Green Entrepreneurship Among Floriculture</i></li> </ul> |

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|  | <p><i>Farmers Through Cluster Development in Sikkim: A study of Daramdin Rose Cluster</i> at a National Seminar on “<b>Agribusiness and Carbon Management</b>” organized by the Department of Management, Mizoram University, Aizawl, Mizoram sponsored by ICSSR New Delhi, NEC Shillong, NABARD Mizoram and ZOFISFED LTD., held during 30-31 October 2017.</p>  |
| <b>Conferences/Seminars/ Webinars/Workshops Attended</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Two-Day Workshop on “<i>Research Methodology and Time Series Data Analysis</i>” organized by the Department of Commerce and Management, North Bengal St. Xavier’s College, Rajganj, West Bengal held during 10-11 June, 2022.</li> <li>• Faculty Development Programme (Virtual) on “<i>Thesis Writing</i>” organized by Loyala Institute of Business Administration (LIBA), Chennai, Tamil Nadu held during January 20, 2022.</li> <li>• One-Week Workshop on “<i>Research Methodology and Data Analysis</i>” organized by Department of Commerce and Financial Studies (DCFS), Central University of Jharkhand, Ranchi, Jharkhand held during 6-10 September, 2021.</li> <li>• One-Week Workshop on “<i>Resilience Strategy for Indian Economy: Role of Commerce and Accounting in New Normal</i>” organized by Department of Commerce, University of Calcutta in collaboration with Indian Accounting Association, Kolkata Branch and The Institute of Cost Accountants of India and supported by London Overseas Centre of Cost Accountants held during 13-14 February, 2021.</li> <li>• International Webinar on “<i>Academic Writing: Writing Across the Curriculum</i>” organized by Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Sikkim Manipal University, Gangtok, Sikkim held on September 8, 2020.</li> <li>• International Webinar on “<i>Research in Social Sciences</i>” organized by Department of Geography, Nowgong Girls, Nagaon, Assam held on August 30, 2020.</li> <li>• International Webinar on “<i>Application of Statistics in Contemporary Issues</i>” organized by Department of Statistics in Collaboration with IQAC, Krishnagar Government College, Krishnagar, Nadia, West Bengal held on August 02, 2020.</li> <li>• National Workshop on “<i>EDP for Agro, Alternative &amp; Ecotourism</i>” organized by the Department of Commerce, Mizoram University and Sponsored by Ministry of Tourism (MR Division), Government held during on 26-27 October, 2017.</li> </ul> |

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|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National Level Workshop on “<i>Investor Awareness in North-East India</i>”, jointly organized by the Department of Management, Sikkim University and Bombay Stock Exchange Ltd. held on November 22, 2013.</li> <li>• National Symposium on “<i>Recent Trends in Management Studies &amp; Practices in the Context of Liberalized Regime</i>” organized by Department of Management, University of North Bengal held during 16-17 March, 2013.</li> <li>• Workshop on “<i>Climate Change and Mountain Areas: Awareness, Adaptation &amp; Sustainability</i>” organized by FOSEP, Darjeeling held during December 17-18, 2012.</li> </ul> |
| <p style="text-align: center;"><b>UGC<br/>Refresher/Orientation/<br/>Short-Term Courses<br/>Attended</b></p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participated and Completed UGC sponsored Short-Term Course (Online) on “<i>PhD Scholars Interaction Programme</i>” conducted by UGC-HRDC Mizoram University held during 14<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> October, 2021.</li> <li>• Participated and Completed UGC sponsored 30<sup>th</sup> Orientation Course conducted by UGC-HRDC Mizoram University held during 28<sup>th</sup> July - 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2020. (<b>Awarded Grade A</b>).</li> </ul>   |



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