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Assistant Professor
Indian Institute of Dalit Studies, New Delhi

Designation: Assistant Professor

Date of Joining: June, 2013

Research Area:

Gender and Intersectionality, Social Exclusion; Urban Deprivation and Vulnerability, spatial analysis, slum studies.

Teaching Areas

1. Course teaches to PhD students: Research Methodology in IIDS –

A. Literature Review

B. Observation

C. Mapping- basics of GIS

D. Optional Course: Urban Inequality-Processes and Outcomes

E. Theory Course: Political Inequality

Qualifications:

<i>Examination</i>	<i>Year of passing</i>	<i>Boards/ University</i>	<i>Institute</i>	<i>Percentage/ F.G.P.A</i>	<i>Division</i>
Madhyamik (10th standard)	1999	West Bengal Board of Secondary Education	Holy Child Institute	72.64 %	1st division
Higher Secondary (12th Standard)	2001	West Bengal Council of Higher Secondary Education	Rammohan College	65%	1st division
B.A. (Hons) Geography	2004	University of Calcutta	Rammohan College	63%	1st Class
M.A. (Geography)	2006	Jawaharlal Nehru University	CSR/D/SS	6.57/ A-	1st Class
M.Phil. (Geography)	2009	JNU	CSR/D/SS	6.75	A-
PhD (Geography)	2010-2014	Jawaharlal Nehru University	CSR/D/SSS		Awarded in 2014
NET (National Eligibility Test for Lectureship)	June, 2007	Geography	Awarded		

Total Work Experience: 8 years in Research

Research Project:

1. *'North East Women in Delhi: Discrimination and Vulnerabilities'* sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) for two years (2016-18); position: Project Director: Dr. Mala Mukherjee; (Total Budget-Rs.25 Lakh)
2. **Digital Technology and Women from Marginalised Communities in Selected Slums of Delhi: Issues of Knowledge, Availability and Access'** sponsored by National Commission for Women (NCW)- sponsored by National Commission of Women (2018-19)- Budget Rs. 5 Lakh
3. **Ongoing Research:** The Impact Assessment of SCSP/TSP being Implemented in Karnataka, sponsored by SCSP/TSP Cell, Social Welfare Department, Govt. of Karnataka, Bengaluru.

Best Publications:

1. of Kolkata Metropolis: A Continuation of Colonial Legacy” ARPN Journal of Science and Technology, volume: 2, Special Issue, ICESR 2012; 365-380 pp; ISSN 2225-7217
2. Mukherjee. Mala (2017): Mapping of Regional Disparity in Standard of Living: Issues and Challenges to Urban Resilience in India, Amity Journal of Economics 2(1), (35-50), ©2017 ADMAA, ISSN: 2456-155X (Online), ISSN: 2455-9733 (Print), RNI: UPENG/2017/72669
3. “Mapping of Urban Growth pockets, Hot spots of Poverty and Land Use Changes in Kolkata Metropolis: Its Impact on Urban Resource Management” Published in Indian Cartographer; Vol. 32, 2012 by Organising Committee XXXII INCA International Congress National Hydrographic Office Dehradun-248001Pages: 205, 214, 266; ISSN: 0972-8392

Joint Publications-

4. Acharya Sanghmitra, Mukherjee Mala & Kumar Kanhaiya (2015): “Enabling Environment for Social Inclusion in Universal Access to Antenatal Care in Selected Villages of UP, MP and Karnataka”; Journal of Social Inclusion Studies, Volume:1, number-2, January-June 2015; ISSN 2394-4811
5. Mala Mukherjee, Chandrani Dutta (2018): ‘Contested Urban Spaces in Delhi: Experiences of Discrimination of Women from Northeast India’, First Published December 17, 2018 <https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/10.1177/2394481118812310>

6. Sanghamitra S Acharya, Mala Mukherjee and Chandrani Dutta (2020) : The Shadow Pandemic in India: ‘Staying Home’ and The Safety of Women During Lockdown, published in Special Issue: Gender in Crisis. COVID-19 and its Impact, Issue 76 (2020), Gender Forum, An International Journal for Gender Studies. pp-46-61, ISSN 1613-1878, published by Universitat zu Koln, (University of Cologne), Germany, edited by Sarah Youssef.

Chapters in Edited Book:

1. Mukherjee Mala (2013): “Urban Growth and Spatial Transformation: A Comparison Between Kolkata Urban Agglomeration and Kolkata Municipal Corporation” Page-128-143 published in the book “Contemporary Urbanisation In India Issues and Challenges” edited by Prof. Anuradha Banerjee; Concept Publishing Company PVT. LTD. New Delhi-110059; ISBN 81-8069-954-4
2. Mukherjee. Mala (2018): “Impact of Urban Growth, Land Use Changes on Socio-Economic Vulnerability in the East Kolkata Wetland: An Assessment through Sustainable Livelihood Approach,” published in POPULATION, DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTE; edited by C.M. Lakshmana ; ISBN: 9788131609422, Rawat Publication, Jaipur.
3. Mukherjee, Mala (2019): Energy Deprivation and Usage of Biomass Fuel: An Assessment of Health Vulnerability in Urban Slums- published in Contemporary Health Issues in India: Challenges and Responses Ed. Prof. Anuradha Banerjee, Rajesh Publication, New Delhi.
4. Mukherjee, Mala (2021): Ambedkar on Women’s Empowerment and the Status of Dalit Women in Karnataka, published in B R Ambedkar: The Quest for Justice, volume-iv, (chapter 5) Ed. Akash Singh Rathore, pp 116, Oxford University Press, New Delhi
5. ‘Correlates of Health Care among Women and Children in Odisha: Understanding Barriers in Access’ chapter co-written by Sanghamitra S Acharya, and Mala Mukherjee and Golak K. Patra ‘Gendered Discriminations’ edited book, Women Reinventing Development: The Odisha Experience, editors Asha Hans, Amrita Patel, Bidyut Mohanty, Swarnamayee Tripathy, Akaar Publication, ISBN 9781032051710, June 28, 2021

International Travel and Award

- 1) “GIS Mapping of Urban Growth, Spatial Transformation and Characteristics of Slum Wards in Kolkata: A Comparison between KMC and KUA” at Annual

Conference of Royal Geographical Society, held in Edinburgh, Scotland, UK on 3 to 5 July, 2012 (Travel Grant Awarded by ICSSR, 2012)

- 2) ***“Socio-Economic Status And Living Condition Of Low Income Families In Kolkata”*** in 2nd Asian Population Association Conference held in Bangkok on 26- 29 August in 2012 (Travel Grant Awarded by APA, 2012)
- 3) ***3. “Urban Deprivation and Social Vulnerability in Indian Slums: A History of Social Exclusion”*** in International IPOP Conference 2015: Is Inequality Increasing Again? What Population Science can tell us? organised by Institute National D’Etudes Demographiques, Paris, France, held in University of Paris Ouest-Nanterre la Defense on 2-3 July, 2015 (Travel Grant Awarded by INED, Paris)
- 4) ***“Female Migration for Non-Marital Purposes: Understanding Social and Demographic Correlates of Barriers”*** in INTERNATIONAL YOUNG RESEARCHERS’ CONFERENCE, The impacts and challenges of demographic change, organised by Institute National D’Etudes Demographiques, Paris, on 22-23 (September, 2016 (Travel Grant Awarded by INED, Paris)
- 5) **Dissemination Workshop of the Global Sustainable Development Report 2019, held from 18 – 21 November 2019 in Jakarta, Indonesia**, Participated as UN Delegate, contributed to the group work sessions, enriched the experience exchange and enhanced the networking among policy makers, scientists and business representatives. (Organized by The Division for Sustainable Development Goals of the United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN DESA/DSDG).

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