### Academic Qualifications:

- Pursuing **Ph.D in Linguistics** from the English and Foreign Languages University, Hyderabad.
- Graduated First Class with an **M.A. in Linguistics** from Jadavpur University, Kolkata in 2019. Percentage: **83%**
- Graduated First Class with a B.A. in English (Hons.) from St. Xavier's College (Autonomous), Kolkata in 2017.
  Percentage: 69%
- Passed the **Indian School Certificate Examinations** (Standard XII), from St. Teresa's Secondary School, Kolkata in 2017, with **98%** marks.

### Additional Academic Qualifications:

- Qualified for **Assistant Professor** at the first attempt in the **National Eligibility Test (N.E.T.)** of July 2018, conducted by the University Grants Commission (U.G.C.).
- Wrote and defended **M.A. dissertation** titled "The Sound of Letters: A Study on the Influence of Orthography on Spoken Word Recognition in Bangla" under the supervision of Dr. Atanu Saha.

#### **Professional Interests:**

Teaching, copyediting, writing, research, photography.

#### Presentations/Conferences/Workshops:

- Participated in two psycholinguistic experiments under a project funded by the *European Research Council* and by the University of Oxford, December 2018, Jadavpur University
- Participated in a two-day national level workshop on "Phonology and DSpace Technology" organised by the School of Languages and Linguistics, February 2018, Jadavpur University.
- Participated in a national level workshop on "Second/Foreign Language Acquisition and Research", organised by the School of Languages and Linguistics, December 2017, Jadavpur University.
- Organised *Literaria 2016* as the Secretary of the English Academy in association with the Department of English, St. Xavier's College [Autonomous], Kolkata.
- Presented and defended "War on the 'Leaden' Front" at the Departmental Seminar on "Cartoon and Caricatures", October 2015, St. Xavier's College [Autonomous], Kolkata.

#### **Papers Written:**

- Masters' dissertation—"The Sound of Letters: A Study on the Influence of Orthography on Spoken Word Recognition in Bangla"
- "Orthographic Influence on Rhyme Monitoring in Bangla"

- "Effect of Orthographic Inconsistency on Word Recognition in Bangla"
- "The Legend of Good Women: A Commentary on the History of Feminist Literary Criticism during the Middle Ages"

## **Special Awards:**

- The **Telegraph School Awards for Excellence** for academic excellence by a student in the ISC Examinations, conducted by the CISCE.
- The **Governor's Award** in recognition of academic excellence in ISC Examinations, conducted by the CISCE.

# **Extra-Curricular:**

- Held the post of the Secretary of the English Academy in St. Xavier's College [Autonomous], Kolkata, 2016-17.
- Organised the annual launch of the magazine *Ode to Expressions*, in association with the English Academy of St. Xavier's College [Autonomous], Kolkata.
- Awarded 2<sup>nd</sup> position in the drama competition organised by the Bengali Literary Society of St. Xavier's College [Autonomous], Kolkata, February 2015.

# Languages:

English (proficient), Bengali (native speaker), Hindi (fair).

### **Other Interests:**

Photography, Poetry, Painting.