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- Indian Economic Association (IEA)
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Completed Research Projects:

Title of Research Project: “Forests, Environment and Sustainable Development: A Field Level Study of Jalpaiguri District of West Bengal in India” University Grants Commission (UGC) Minor Research Project, Funded by the Government of India [UGC Reference No.: F. PHW-289/13- 14 (ERO) Date: 01-Aug-14, ID No. WN5-002, S. No. 222452]

Major Thrust Areas in Research:

Public Economics, Development Economics, Resource Economics, Local Self-Government, Tribal Economics (Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes), Forests Management, Environment and Sustainable Development.

Published Books:

Sl. No.	Name of the Book	Author (s)	Year	ISBN No.	Publisher
1.	Economic Development in India: Problems, Prospects and Policies	Tapan Kumar Ghosh, Abdul Matin Ahmed & Sidhartha Sankar Laha	2024	978-93-92816-76-5	Abhijeet Publications, India
2.	Rural Development in India: With Special Emphasis on Women Empowerment	Dr. Tapan Kumar Ghosh & Dr. Sidhartha Sankar Laha	2023	978-93-92816-57-4	Abhijeet Publications, India
3.	Agriculture and Rural Development in India: Challenges and Opportunities	Dr. Sidhartha Sankar Laha & Dr. Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2023	978-93-92816-64-2	Abhijeet Publications, India
4.	Regional Disparities and Social Sector Development in India: With Special Emphasis on Health and Education	Dr. Satyen Sarkar & Dr. Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2023	978-93-91844-29-5	Serials Publications Pvt. Ltd., India
5.	Regional Disparities in Economic Development: Policies and Prospects for Balanced Development	Dr. Tapan Kumar Ghosh & Dr. Satyen Sarkar	2022	978-93-91844-18-9	Serials Publications Pvt. Ltd., India
6.	Education in India: Impact of Covid-19 Crisis and Contemporary Issues	Tapan Kumar Ghosh & Kanak Kanti Bagchi	2021	978-93-91844-22-6	Serials Publications Pvt. Ltd., India
7.	The Scheduled Castes in India: New Challenges in Covid-19 Pandemic Scenario	Tapan Kumar Ghosh & Paramita Dasgupta	2021	978-93-91012-14-4	New Delhi Publishers, India
8.	COVID-19 Pandemic and its Multidimensional Impact: The Road Ahead	Tapan Kumar Ghosh, Tonmoy Chatterjee & Indrajit Ghosh	2021	978-81-950760-2-4	Serials Publications Pvt. Ltd., India
9.	Forests, Environment and Sustainable Development in India: Issues and Challenges	Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2017	978-620-2-07282-3	LAP LAMBERT Academic Publishing, Mauritius
10.	Local Self-Government in India: Finances, Functions and Functionaries	Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2017	978-3-330-05005-1	LAP LAMBERT Academic Publishing, Germany
11.	Finances of Panchayats in West Bengal: Current State and Prospective Areas of Resource Generation	Tapan Kumar Ghosh & Kanak Kanti Bagchi	2016	978-93-5074-250-1	Abhijeet Publications, India

Chapter in Edited Books:

Sl. No.	Name of the Book & Editor	Author (s)	Year	Title of the Paper	Publisher & ISBN No.
1.	International Trade, Economic Crisis and the Sustainable Development Goals (Tonmoy Chatterjee)	Paramita Dasgupta and Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2024	COVID-19 Crisis and India's Drive to Clean Energy Use for Sustainable Development	Emerald Publishing , United Kingdom (978-1-83753-587-3)
2.	Development in India: Studies on Promises & Prospects (Prof. (Dr.) Ram Krishna Mandal & Dr. Debkumar Mukhopadhyay)	Dr. Tapan Kumar Ghosh and Dr. Paramita Dasgupta	2024	Illegal Migration from South Asia to India: A Critical Analysis	Raghav Publication , India (ISBN: 978-93-93655-69-1)
3.	Major Hindrances for Development of India even after 75 years of Independence (Dr. Debkumar Mukhopadhyay & Dr. Ram Krishna Mandal)	Srabantika Ghosh and Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2023	Reservation Facilities for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes in West Bengal- A study	Raghav Publication , India (ISBN: 978-93-93655-36-3)
4.	The Impact of COVID-19 on the Economy (Dr. Ram Krishna Mandal & Dr. M. Q. Khan)	Tapan Kumar Ghosh and Paramita Dasgupta	2021	Economic Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic in India	Raghav Publication , India (ISBN: 978-93-85679-15-5)
5.	Disadvantaged Groups and the COVID-19 Crisis in India: No One Left Behind (Anil Bhumali & Sujoy Kanti Ghoshal)	Tapan Kumar Ghosh and Paramita Dasgupta	2021	Economic Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on the Disadvantaged Groups of India	Authorspress , India (ISBN: 978-93-90891-47-4)
6.	Agricultural Growth in India – Land Use Pattern, Irrigation and Crisis (Dr. Ramayan Prasad)	Satyen Sarkar and Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2017	Inter-temporal Analysis of Agricultural Sector in West Bengal	Shandilya Publisher , India (ISBN: 978-81-936378-0-7)
7.	The Tribes of North Bengal and Sikkim – A Changing Scenario in the Twentieth Century (Bipul Mandal & Manadev Roy)	Tapan Kumar Ghosh and Swapan Ghosh	2016	Socio-Economic Condition of Scheduled Tribes in North Bengal and the Role of Panchayat Raj Institutions	Academic Enterprise , India (ISBN: 81-87121-22-X)

8.	Employment Policies and Programmes – Opportunities and Challenges (Anil Kumar Thakur & Dr. B. P. Chandramohan),	Tapan Kumar Ghosh, Paramita Dasgupta, Satyen Sarkar & Kanak Kanti Bagchi	2014	Role of MGNREGA in Rural Employment: A Case Study of Dakshin Dinajpur District of West Bengal	Regal Publication , India (ISBN: 9788184843606)
9.	Economy of North Bengal – A District Level Study (D.C. Sarkar)	Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2013	Finances of Panchayats in North Bengal – A Field Level Study of Dakshin Dinajpur District	N.L. Publishers , India (ISBN: 97-81-86860-59-5)
10.	Fifty Years of Panchayati Raj and Decentralised Development (Rakesh Hooja & Sunil Dutt)	Kanak Kanti Bagchi & Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2010	Finances of Panchayats in West Bengal: New Areas of Resource Mobilisation	Kanishka Publications , India (ISBN: 9788184571875)
11.	Economics of Good Governance (Dr. Anil Kumar Thakur & Dr. Parmanand Singh),	Kanak Kanti Bagchi & Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2009	Economics of Good Governance: Implications for Resource Mobilisation by Gram Panchayats in West Bengal	Deep and Deep Publications , India (ISBN: 8184501579)
12.	Development of Scheduled Caste (Anil Bhuimali)	Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2007	Rights and Privileges of the Scheduled Castes Community of India	Serials Publications , India (ISBN: 978-81-8387-123-5)

Article published in Journals:

Sl. No.	Name of the Journal	Author (s)	Year	Title of the Paper	Remarks
1.	The Research Journal of Social Sciences	Dr. Satyen Sarkar & Dr. Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2019	Employment Generation through MUDRA Yojana and MGNREGA in West Bengal State	Vol. 10, No. 2 (February), Pp. 103-116. (ISSN ONLINE: 2456-1356)
2.	International Journal of Research in Social Sciences	Dr. Satyen Sarkar & Dr. Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2018	Environmental Development and People's Participation in Gram Panchayat: A Case Study in West Bengal State	Vol. 8, No. 10 (October), Pp. 605-629. (ISSN: 2249-2496)
3.	The Indian Economic Journal	Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2017	Social Inequality, Discrimination and Exclusion from Main Stream of the Dalits in India	Special Issue (December), Pp. 288-305. (ISSN: 0019-4662)
4.	Economic Affairs	Satyen Sarkar & Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2017	Agricultural Development in West Bengal: An Inter-temporal Analysis	Vol. 62, No. 3 (September), Pp. 483-494. (ISSN: 0424-2513)
5.	Researchers World: Journal of Arts, Science & Commerce	Dr. Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2017	Economic Reforms on Local Self-Government Finance: A Case Study in India	Vol. VIII, No. 3(7), (July), Pp. 16-28. (ISSN: 2231-4172)

6.	International Journal of Innovative Research and Advanced Studies	Dr. Satyen Sarkar & Dr. Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2017	Infrastructural Development Disparities in West Bengal, India	Vol. 4, No. 1 (January), Pp. 238-244. (ISSN ONLINE: 2394-4404)
7.	Abacus – Journal of Multidisciplinary Studies	Swapan Ghosh & Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2015	Good Governance – Implications for Resource Mobilisation by Local Governance in West Bengal	Vol. I, No. 1 (August), Pp. 100-122. (ISSN: 2454-3233)
8.	The Grassroots Governance Journal	Swapan Ghosh & Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2014	Economics of Good Governance and Local Resource Mobilisation	Vol. XII, No. 2 (July-December), Pp. 185-203. (ISSN: 0973-0257)
9.	International Journal of Social Sciences & Interdisciplinary Research	Tapan Kumar Ghosh & Paramita Dasgupta	2014	Changes in the Structure and Functions of Panchayati Raj Institutions in West Bengal	Vol. 3, No. 1 (January), Pp. 62-74. (ISSN ONLINE: 2277-3630)
10.	The Indian Economic Journal	Satyen Sarkar, Paramita Dasgupta, Tapan Kr. Ghosh & Kanak Kanti Bagchi	2013	District – Wise Dimensions of Agricultural Sector Development in West Bengal	Special Issue (December), Pp. 344-362. (ISSN: 0019-4662)
11.	Indian Journal of Experimentation and Innovation in Education	Gour Sundar Ghosh & Dr. Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2013	Teacher Education Scenario in India: Some Issues of Contemporary Concerns	Vol. 2, No. 6 (November), Pp. 153-163. (ISSN ONLINE: 2278-1730)
12.	ISDA Journal	Satyen Sarkar & Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2013	Industrial Development in West Bengal: A District Level Study	Vol. 23, No. 3 (July-September), Pp. 275-297. (ISSN: 0971-2550)
13.	South Asian Journal of Human Rights	Tapan Kumar Ghosh, Paramita Dasgupta & K. K. Bagchi	2013	Utilisation of Funds Obtained Through Various Centrally Sponsored Schemes – A Study of Two Districts of West Bengal	Vol. 9, Nos. 1-2 (January-December), Pp. 113-136. (ISSN: 0973-2489)
14.	ISDA Journal	Dr. Tapan Kumar Ghosh & Sanjib Mandal	2013	Joint Forest Management in West Bengal: A Study on Participatory Development	Vol. 23, No. 1 (January-March), Pp. 31-58. (ISSN: 0971-2550)
15.	The Indian Economic Journal	Tapan Kumar Ghosh, Paramita Dasgupta, Satyen Sarkar & Kanak Kanti Bagchi	2012	Role of MGNREGA in Rural Employment – A Case Study of Dakshin Dinajpur District of West Bengal	Special Issue (December), Pp. 342-360. (ISSN: 0019-4662)
16.	ISDA Journal	Dr. Tapan Kumar Ghosh & Paramita Dasgupta	2012	A Fiscal Domain for Panchayati Raj Institutions of West Bengal	Vol. 22, No. 3 (July-September), Pp. 193-219. (ISSN: 0971-2550)

17.	The Indian Economic Journal	Tapan Kumar Ghosh, Paramita Dasgupta & Satyen Sarkar	2011	Decentralisation and Devolution of Powers, Functions and Financial Resources to Gram Panchayats – A Study	Special Issue (December), Pp. 58-73. (ISSN: 0019-4662)
18.	The Indian Economic Journal	Kanak Kanti Bagchi & Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2011	Development Participation Through Decision Making and Cost Sharing – A Case Study of Four Gram Panchayats in Two Districts of West Bengal	Special Issue (December), Pp. 24-36. (ISSN: 0019-4662)
19.	The IUP Journal of Governance and Public Policy	Tapan Kumar Ghosh & Satyen Sarkar	2011	Tax Administration of the Third Tier: A Study of Two Districts of West Bengal	Vol. 6, No. 4 (December), Pp. 67-82. (ISSN: 0973-3736)
20.	The ICFAI University Journal of Public Finance	Tapan Kumar Ghosh & Paramita Dasgupta	2010	Finances of Local Self – Governments in West Bengal	Vol. VIII, No. 1 & 2 (February & May), Pp. 21-47. (ISSN: 0972-9356)
21.	The ICFAI University Journal of Public Finance	Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2009	Impact of Economic Reforms on Panchayat Finance – A Study of the Gram Panchayat Experiment in North Bengal	Vol. VII, No. 1 (February), Pp. 16-34. (ISSN: 0972-9356)
22.	ISDA Journal	Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2008	Economic, Social, Political and Service Influences on the Status and Well - Being of the Scheduled Castes Community in India	Vol. 18, No. 3 (July-September), Pp. 179-199. (ISSN: 0971-2550)
23.	The Grassroots Governance Journal	Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2008	Financial Resources of Panchayati Raj Institutions: A Study of the Gram Panchayat Experiment in West Bengal	Vol. VI, No. 1 (June), Pp. 59-80. (ISSN: 0973-0257)
24.	The Indian Economic Journal'	Kanak Kanti Bagchi & Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2007	Economics of Good Governance: Implications for Resource Mobilisation by Gram Panchayats in West Bengal",	Special Issue (December), Pp. 1247-1257. (ISSN: 0019-4662)
25.	ISDA Journal	Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2006	Local Resource Mobilisation by Gram Panchayats in West Bengal	Vol. 16, No. 4 (October-December), Pp. 304-329. (ISSN: 0971-2550)
26.	The Indian Journal of Public Administration	Kanak Kanti Bagchi & Tapan Kumar Ghosh	2004	Finances of Panchayats in West Bengal – New Areas of Resource Mobilisation	Vol. L, No. 3 (July-September), Pp. 777-791. (ISSN: 0019-5561)

Paper Presented in an International Seminar:

Sl.	Name & Venue	Date	Seminar Theme	Title of Paper
1.	4 th World Social Science Forum, 2018 held at Fukuoka, Japan	25 th – 28 th September, 2018	“Migrations and Human Security: Myanmar, Iraq, Bangladesh and India”	Cross-border Migration from South Asia to India: A Threat to India’s Internal Security
2.	5 th International Congress of Bengal Studies (ICBS5), Jahangirnagar University, Dhaka, Bangladesh	25 th – 28 th January, 2018	“All Areas of Bengal Studies”	Economic Reforms on Local Self-Government Finance: A Field Level Study in West Bengal, India
3.	26 th Annual Conference of the World History Association (WHA), Northeastern University, Boston, United States of America	22 nd – 24 th June, 2017	“Food in World History”	“Food Security and Public Distribution System in India: A Field Level Study”
4.	2 nd World Congress of Comparative Economics (WCCE), Higher School of Economics, Saint Petersburg, Russia	15 th – 17 th June, 2017	“1917 – 2017: Revolution and Evolution in Economic Development”	“Social Inequality and the Rights and Privileges of the Dalits Community in India – A Case Study”
5.	World Social Science Forum 2015 (WSSF 2015), Durban International Convention Centre, Durban, South Africa	13 th – 16 th September, 2015	“Transforming Global Relations for a just World”	Social Inequality and Constitutional Safeguards for Dalits in India – A Field Level Study

Paper Presented in National Seminars/Workshops:

Sl.	Name & Venue	Date	Seminar Theme	Title of Paper
1.	19 th University Level Workshop (Organized by Department of Economics, University of North Bengal), West Bengal, India	22 nd March, 2013	Research Methodology and Application	Application on Research Methodology in Economics
2.	95 th Annual Conference of The Indian Economic Association (Organized by GITAM University) Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh, India	27 th – 29 th December, 2012	Human Resource development and Employment Pattern	Role of MGNREGA in Rural Employment – A Case Study of Dakshin Dinajpur District of West Bengal
3.	94 th Annual Conference of The Indian Economic Association (Organized by Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed University), Pune, India	27 th – 29 th December, 2011	Governance Reform Through Decentralisation	Decentralisation and Devolution of Powers, Functions and Financial Resources to Gram Panchayats – A Study
4.	15 th University Level Workshop (Organized by Department of Economics, University of North Bengal), West Bengal, India	27 th – 28 th March, 2009	Research Methodology and Training in Economics	Implications of Secondary Data in Social Science Research
5.	UGC - Sponsored State - Level Seminar (Organized by Malda College), West Bengal, India	15 th – 16 th November, 2008	Higher Education and Employability	Teacher Education Scenario in West Bengal, India

6.	89 th Annual Conference of The Indian Economic Association (Organized by Department of Economics, Kurukshetra University), Haryana, India	27 th – 29 th December, 2006	Economics of Health and Education in India	Education, Health and Human Development in West Bengal
7.	11 th University Level Workshop (Organized by Department of Economics, University of North Bengal), West Bengal, India	18 th March, 2005	Research Methodology and Applications	Implications of Primary Data in Social Science Research
8.	National Seminar Cum Workshop (Organized by the North Bengal University Officers' Association), West Bengal, India	5 th – 6 th February, 2005	Urban Development Experience in West Bengal	Finances of Municipalities in West Bengal
9.	10 th University Level Workshop (Organized by Department of Economics, University of North Bengal), West Bengal, India	25 th – 26 th March, 2004	Research Methodology & Training in Economics	Resource Mobilisation by Gram Panchayats
10.	National Seminar (Organized by Department of Political Science, University of North Bengal), West Bengal, India	17 th – 18 th March, 2004	India's North East Society, Economy and Polity	Agriculture in Economic Development of the North – Eastern States – Constraints and Potentialities
11.	National Seminar (Organized by the North Bengal University Officers' Association), West Bengal, India	17 th – 18 th January, 2004	Panchayat Experience in West Bengal	Finances of Panchayats in West Bengal
12.	9 th University Level Workshop (Organized by Department of Economics, University of North Bengal), West Bengal, India	28 th – 29 th March, 2003	Research Methodology & Training in Economics	Role of Panchayati Raj Institutions in West Bengal