

Faculty Profile



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About

Lopamudra Bandyopadhyay was born and educated in Kolkata, West Bengal. She did her schooling from La-Martinere for Girls, Kolkata, and thereafter, acquired her Bachelors in Political Science from Presidency College, Kolkata. Later on she proceeded to get her Master's degree in International Relations from Jadavpur University, Kolkata, (where she was placed second in the university) and was finally awarded Doctoral degree (PhD) from Jadavpur University in International Relations. The title of her thesis: "The Emerging Catastrophic Terrorism: Goals, Methods and Countermeasures." She was also awarded Post Graduate Certificate in Cyber Laws from Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), New Delhi, India.

Lopamudra Bandyopadhyay taught at the undergraduate level at Jadavpur University as Junior and Senior Research Fellow under the State Government Fellowship Programme. After being awarded PhD, she worked for Global India Foundation, a premiere research organisation which worked on projects of national and international importance in close collaboration with the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA), Government of India. In the year

2014, she participated in a U.S, National Security Program under the Fulbright Program and was awarded Certificate for the Study of the United States Institute (SUSI) on U.S. National Security Policymaking by the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State, United States of America, in April 2014 at the Department of State, Washington, DC. The program was hosted by the Institute for Training and Development (ITD), Amherst, MA, from March 7, 2014 to April 19, 2014. She joined Panchur College as Assistant Professor in Political Science from September 1, 2014. She was the Head of the Department (HoD) of the Department of Political Science at Panchur College from September, 2014 to October, 2024. She took over as the Teacher-in-Charge of Panchur College from November, 2024.

Awards and Fellowships

- NET – (International Relations and Defence Studies)
- Junior Research Fellow (JRF) in the Department of International Relations, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, India.
- Senior Research Fellow (SRF) in the Department of International Relations, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, India.
- Certificate for the Study of the United States Institute (SUSI) on U.S. National Security Policymaking (Under the Fulbright Program) by the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State, United States of America, in April 2014 at the Department of State, Washington, DC. The program was hosted by the Institute for Training and Development (ITD), Amherst, MA, from March 7, 2014 to April 19, 2014.

Areas of Interest

- Terrorism and Weapons of Mass Destruction
 - Defence and Strategic Studies
 - Cyber Security and Cyber Laws
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