

Alok Das

Designation: Associate Professor

Qualifications: M.A., M.Phil.

- **M.Phil.** from University of Calcutta on “The Role of Hindu Patriot and Three Rebellions of 1850s”

About Me: Alok Das completed his Post-Graduation from the Department of Political Science, University of Calcutta, specializing in the history of socialist thought. He received his M.Phil. Degree from the Faculty of Arts, University of Calcutta. He joined West Bengal Education Service in 1986 and has been teaching courses at the Undergraduate and Post-Graduate levels for the last 35 years.

Current Teaching: Alok Das teaches Political Theory, Western Political Thought, Indian Political Thought and Movement and Indian Government and Politics at the undergraduate level. He was associated with Distance Education, Department of Political Science, Kalyani University (2007-2008). He has taught Political Theory, Western Marxism and Indian Political Thought at the Post-graduate level.

Research Interests: He is interested in Cultural Studies and Post-colonial theory.

Enterprise and Commercial Activities:

Projects:

ICSSR Project Undertaken and Completed, as Co-researcher under CEMPD on “Negotiating Globalization: The World of Auto-Rickshaw pullers in Kolkata.” (Amount: 6 lakhs (approx.) Submitted on 01-04-2011

Selected Publications:

1. Co-author of 'Uchhamadhyamik Rashtrabignan' (a book at the higher secondary level in Bengali 2013, published by West Bengal State Book Board, Govt. Of West Bengal, Funded by the Department of Human Resources, Govt. of India under the scheme of Writing Text Book in Regional Languages.
2. “Ādhunik Rashtra Bharat-e O Europe e”, in Dipak Das (ed.) *Rajneeti Tattvakatha*, Volume 1, Ekushey Publication, 2005.
3. “Liberalism: A Communitarian Critique”, in Dipak Das (ed.) *Rajneeti Tattvakatha*, Volume 1, Ekushey Publication, 2005.
4. Delivered invited lecture on “The Prospect of Studying Political Science at the Higher Education Level” at Basirhat College in 2008.

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