



# Paula Banerjee

Scholar and Academic Administrator

## PROFILE:

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Professor Paula Banerjee, best known for her work on women in borderlands and women and forced migration, was the former Vice Chancellor of Sanskrit University and the former President of International Association for Studies in Forced Migration.



# Educational Qualifications

Post-Doctoral Research: MSH Paris,  
Fellowship from  
Institute of Advanced Studies, MSH, 2004

PhD: 1993, University of Cincinnati, USA.  
"Neither Antagonist nor Ally: Indo-US Relations from 1954 to 1966," Recipient of  
Advanced Taft fellowship

M.A.: 1989, University of Cincinnati, USA. Recipient of Taft Fellowship  
Degree Awarded "With Distinction"



# Current Academic and Administrative Positions:


- 1) Professor, Department of South and Southeast Asian Studies, University of Calcutta.
- 2) Court Member, Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata.
- 3) Court Member, West Bengal State Women's University, Diamond Harbour, Kolkata.
- 4) Governing Body Member, GB Pant Institute of Social Science, Allahabad.
- 5) Gender Focal Point, South Asia, Global Program for Prevention of Armed Conflict, Netherlands.
- 6) Governing Body Member (International), Women Founders Collective, USA.
- 7) International Editorial Board, Journal of Refugee Studies, Oxford University.
- 8) Editor, Refugee Watch, Calcutta Research Group.
- 9) Governing Body Member, Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group, Kolkata.
- 10) Team Member, Transnational Perspectives in Gender Studies, Germany.



# SCHOLARSHIP

## Publication

### Books

- 1) Statelessness in South Asia, (Orient BlackSwan, New Delhi, 2016) co-editors Atig Ghosh and Anasua Basu Raychoudhury.
  - 2) Unstable Populations, Anxious States, (Samya, Kolkata, 2013)
  - 3) "Forced Migration and Displacement," Guest Editor, Peace Prints, Vol. 4, No. 1 (Summer 2012)
  - 4) "Women in Borderlands: India," Guest Editor, Journal of Borderlands Studies, Volume 27, No. 1, 2012.
  - 5) Women in Indian Borderlands (Sage Publications, New Delhi, 2011) co-editor Anasua Basu Raychoudhury.
  - 6) UNSCR 1325: Women, Peace, and Security (Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Government of Finland, 2010.)
  - 7) Borders, Histories and Existences: Gender and Beyond (Sage, New Delhi, 2010).
  - 8) Migration and Circles of Insecurities (Rupa, New Delhi, 2010) co-author Ranabir Samaddar.
  - 9) Marginalities and Justice (Sage, New Delhi, 2009) Co-editor Sanjay Chaturvedi.
  - 10) Women and Peace Politics (Sage, New Delhi, 2008)
  - 11) Autonomy: Beyond Kant and Hermeneutics (Anthem, New Delhi, 2007) Co- editor Samir Das
  
  - 12) Internal Displacement in South Asia (Sage Publications, New Delhi, 2005). Co- editors Sabyasachi Basu Raychoudhury and Samir Das.
  - 13) When Ambitions Clash: Indo-US Relations 1947-1974 (South Asian Publishers, New Delhi, 2003).
  - 14) Girls in the Twilight Zone: South and Southeast Asian Scenario (University of Calcutta, Kolkata, 2003). Co-editor Lipi Ghosh.
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# Papers Published (in Books and Journals): 2000-2021

- 1)** "The Pandemic Tale: A Dangerous Time of Migrant Women in South Asia" in IWM Post, Vienna, Institut für die Wissenschaften vom Menschen (Institute for Human Sciences, Vienna, 2021).
- 2)** "India's Response to Humanitarianism: A Synopsis," ed. Alistair B. Cook and Lina Gong eds. Humanitarianism in the Asia-Pacific: Engaging the Debate in Policy and Practice (Springer, Singapore, 2021)
- 3)** "The Acts and Facts of Women's Autonomy in India" in Gilles Tarabout and Ranabir Samaddar (eds), Conflict, Power and the Landscape of Constitutionalism, Diogene, Vol. 53, Issue 4, (E-Print 2020)
- 4)** Paula Banerjee and Ranabir Samaddar, "Insecure Nation, Insecure Migrant: Postcolonial Echoes from India's Northeast," in McGrath and Young eds. Mobilizing Global Knowledge: Refugee Research in an Age of Displacement (University of Calgary Press, Calgary, 2019) pp. 107-125.
- 5)** Paula Banerjee and Sucharita Sengupta, "Popular Movements in Post-independent West Bengal Movement in Calcutta, 1953-54," Ranabir Samaddar ed., From Popular Movement to Rebellion: the Naxalite Decade (Social Science Press, New Delhi, 2018).
- 6)** "Ports and Crime", in Brett Neilson, Ned Rossiter and Ranabir Samaddar (eds), Logistical Asia: The Labour Making a World Region, Singapore, Palgrave Macmillan, 2018.
- 7)** "Criminalising the Trafficked," Economic and Political Weekly: Review of Women's Studies, Vol. 51, Issues 44 & 45, November 5, 2016.
- 8)** "Peace via Social Justice and/or Security," with Roger McGinty, Cultures of Governance and Peace: A Comparison of EU and Indian Theoretical and Policy Approaches ed. J. Peter Burgess et. al, (Manchester University Press, Manchester, 2016).
- 9)** "Permanent exceptions to citizens: the stateless in South Asia," International Journal of Migration and Border Studies Vol. 2, Issue 2, 2016.
- 10)** "Women, Conflict and Governance in Nagaland," in Ranabir Samaddar eds. Government of Peace: Social Governance, Security and the Problematic of Peace (Ashgate, Surrey, 2015)
- 11)** "Women Peace and Security: The Context of Northeast India," in Asha Hans and Swarna Rajagopalan edited Openings For Peace: UNSCR 1325, Women and Security in India, (Sage Publications, New Delhi, 2016)

- 12)** Economic and Political Weekly: Review on Women's Studies, Vol 49, Issue 43-44, October 2, 2014.
- 13)** "Forced Migration in South Asia," eds. Elena Fiddian-Qasmiyeh, Gil Loescher, Katy Long, and Nando Sigona, Oxford Handbook of Refugee and Forced Migration Studies Online Publication August 2014, [https://www.oxfordhandbooks.com/view/10.1093/oxfordhb-9780199652433.001.0001/oxfordhb-9780199652433-e-030](https://www.oxfordhandbooks.com/view/10.1093/oxfordhb/9780199652433.001.0001/oxfordhb-9780199652433-e-030)
- 14)** "Bengal Border Revisited" in Paula Banerjee ed. Journal of Borderland Studies (Vol. 27, No. 1, 2012) pp. 31-44.
- 15)** "Response to Landau," Journal of Refugee Studies (Vol 25, Issue 4) pp. 570- 573
- 16)** "A Saga of Forced Migration: India," Roger Zetter ed. World Disaster Report 2012.
- 17)** "Report on Development Induced Displacement in India," in Nadeeka Withana ed. Ending the Displacement Cycle: Finding Durable Solutions through Return and Resettlement (RCSS, Colombo, 2011).
- 18)** "IDP Protection at the National Level: Experience from South Asia," Ranjana Ray ed. Development Displacement and Marginalisation (The Asiatic Society, Kolkata, 2011).
- 19)** "Mapping Minority Rights and Protection in India," in Samir Das ed. Minorities in South Asia and in Europe (Samya, Kolkata, 2010).
- 20)** "Negotiating Differences," Lipi Ghosh ed., (Routledge, New Delhi, 2009).
- 21)** "Gendered Face of Extraordinary Powers in North-East India," Peace Studies Reader IV (Sage Publications, New Delhi, 2009).
- 22)** "Women, Trafficking and Statelessness," in Debashree Mukherjee and Shahiuz Zaman Ed. Stateless Women of South Asia (Icfa University Press, Hyderabad, 2009) pp. 61-82.
- 23)** "Communities, Gender and the Border: A Legal Narrative on India's North East, in Kalpana Kannabiran and Ranbir Singh eds., Challenging the Rule(s) of Law: Colonialism, Criminology and Human Rights in India (Sage, New Delhi, 2008) pp.
- 24)** "Mapping Minority Rights and Protection in India," Policies and Practices 14 (Kolkata, 2007)
- 25)** "Forced Migration, Women and the Nation State in South Asia," Prachya 2 (Kolkata, 2007).
- 26)** "Trafficking and Statelessness of Women in South Asia," Refugee Watch (Kolkata, 2006)
- 27)** "IDP protection at the national level in South Asia," Forced Migration Review, Special Issue: Putting IDPs on the Map, 2006, <https://core.ac.uk/download/pdf/25840321.pdf>
- 28)** "Women's Autonomy: Beyond Rights and Representations," in Ranabir Samaddar ed. Politics of Autonomy (Sage, New Delhi, 2005) pp.49-70.
- 29)** "Femme en Inde: Legislation et realites" in Diogene 212, 2005, pp. 107-127.
- 30)** "Assamese Women: Victims or Actors?" in Imdad Hussain ed., The Guwahati Declaration and the Road to Peace in Assam (Akansha, New Delhi, 2005).

"Borders as Unsettled Markers," Peace Studies Reader, Vol. I (Sage Publications, 2004).

"Peacekeeping and Conflict Management: South Asia," and "Peace Movements: South Asia," Encyclopedia of Women in Islamic Cultures Vol. 2 (Brill Publications, Netherlands, 2005)

"Women's Interventions for Peace in Northeast," O.P. Mishra eds., Forced Migration in the South Asian Region (Manak, 2004)"Refugee Women and Fundamental Inadequacies in International Responses in South Asia," Joshva Raja, ed., Refugees and their Right to Communicate (WACC, 2003).

"Aliens in the Colonial World," Refugees and the State: Practices of Asylum and Care in India 1947-2000 (Sage Publications, New Delhi, 2003).

"Frontiers and Borders: Spaces of Sharing, Spaces of Conflict," Ranabir Samaddar ed. Space, Territory and the State: New Readings in International Politics (Orient Longman, 2002).

"Between Two Armed Patriarchies: Women in Assam and Nagaland," Rita Manchanda ed. Beyond Victimhood to Agency: Women War and Peace in South Asia (Sage Publications, 2001).

"The Line of Control in Kashmir," Helmut Reifeld, Ranabir Samaddar eds. Peace As Process (Manohar, 2001).

"Peace Initiatives of Naga Women," Canadian Women's Studies, Vol 19, Winter 2000.

"Indo-Bangladesh Cross Border Migration and Trade," Economic and Political Weekly Vol 34. No. 36 (September 4, 1999) pp. 2549-2551 co-authors Sanjay Hazarika, Monirul Hussein and Ranabir Samaddar

## Reports Published:

**1)** Transforming Power to Put Women at the Heart of Peacebuilding: A collection of regional-focused essays on feminist peace and security, Oxfam 2021,

<https://oxfamilibrary.openrepository.com/handle/10546/621051>

**2)** Negotiations of engaged scholarship and equity through a global network of refugee scholars with Michaela Hynie, Susan McGrath and Julie Young Scholarly and Research Communication Vol. 5 No. 3 (2014): Special Issue: Community-Based Participatory Research

**3)** In the Light of UNSCR 1325: NAP for India (WinG, 2013)

**4)** Women in Forced Migration (CRG 2006)

**5)** Report on the Status of Minorities in India (ICES, Colombo, 2005)

**6)** Debates on Women's Autonomy in India (CRG 2005)

**7)** Across the Experiences: Naga Women in Sri Lanka (WISCOMP, New Delhi 2003)

**8)** Second Civil Society Dialogue on Human Rights and Peace (CRG 2002)

**9)** First Civil Society Dialogue on Human Rights and Peace (CRG 2001)

**10)** Voices of Internally Displaced Persons (CRG 2006)



# Invited Lectures and Keynotes 2017-2021

- 1) "GCR Impact on Gender, Protection and Care," TISS, June 2021.
- 2) "SDG, Women's Empowerment and Workplace Harassment," International Program, I-move International Foundation, June 2021.
- 3) "Gender Security and Global Politics," IIHSG and Amity University, Distinguished Speaker, February 2021.
- 4) "Women and Borders in the Northeast of India," Brooklyn College and City University of New York, December 2020.
- 5) "Role of Leadership and Communication in Empowering Communities," Lalitha Kunichetty Palepu Memorial Endowment Lecture, DK Government College for Women, December 2020.
- 7) "Indo-US Relation and its Impact on Asian Region," St. Francis College, November 2020.
- 8) "WPS 1325 and Forced Migration," Oxfam-LSE, October 2020.  
"COVID-19: Redrawn Borders, Redefined Lives" (Online public lecture jointly with Sandro Mezzadra), July 2020.
- 9) Valedictory Lecture, Orientation Course on Gender Sensitization in Economics, University of Calcutta, March 2018.
- 10) Valedictory Lecture, UGC-HRD Orientation Course, Burdwan University, March 2018.
- 11) Orientation Course on Gender Studies, Vidyasagar University, Medinipore, January 2018.
- 12) P.K. Das Memorial Lecture, Nehru College of Educational and Charitable Trust, Coimbatore, December 2017.
- 13) Feminist Methodology, Department of Political Science, Delhi University, September, 2017.
- 14) Caste, Gender and Violence, Bielefeld University, Germany, May 2017.

## **Paper Presenter in Other International Seminars and Workshops in 2007-2021:**

- 1) "Local Media Discourses on the Bengal Bangladesh Border", in the Conference on the Global Protection of Migrants and Refugees, Kolkata, November 2020.
- 2) "Effects of Covid 19 on Higher Education," German Consulate General, Kolkata, August 2020.
- 3) "Rohingya Women Refugees," in a panel on Rohingya Question and Its Implication for South Asia, American Consulate Kolkata, September 2017.

- 4) "Rohingya Refugee Women" panel in IASFM 16, Poznan, Poland July 2017.
- 5) "What has Feminism to do Forced Migration Studies?", Carl Von Ossietzsky University, Germany, November 2016.
- 6) "Trafficking and Asian Connectivity," Asian Connectivity Seminar 5, Seoul, April 2016.
- 7) "Port and Crime," CRG and Western Sydney University, Kolkata, December 2015
- 8) "Women in Bengal-Bangladesh Borderlands," Oldenburg, May 2015.
- 9) "Women in South Asian Peace Movements," BICC, Bonn, 27-28) October 2014.
- 10) "Problems of Statelessness," Javeriana Universidad, Bogota, 18 July 2014.
- 11) "Refugee Protection and Security," University of Cincinnati, 13 March 2014.
- 12) "Women Refugees in South Asia,:" Syracuse University, 28 January 2014.
- 13) "Women Peace and War in South Asia," SUNY, Oswego, 22 November, 2013
- 14) "Women and Peacemaking in Northeast India: UNSCR 1325," 4 March, CSW 57, UN Plaza, New York
- 15) "Forced Migration and Feminization of Protest," IASFM 13, 7 January, 2013, Kolkata.
- 16) "Women and Peace," Annual Convention of Indian Association of International Studies, 10-12 December 2012
- 17) "Women, Conflict and Governance: Case of Nagaland," Core Seminar of EU, Rome, October 2012
- 18) "Crime and Criminals in Indo-Bangladesh Border," in National Seminal of Australian Association for Asian Studies, 7-9 July 2012,
- 19) "Women and Borders in NE India," International Seminar on Democracy and Governance, Hong Kong University, February 2012
- 20) "Women, Border and Crime," Seminar on Women and Borders, Monash University, Prato, Italy, April 2012
- 21) "Women and Development Induced Displacement," IASFM 13, Uganda, July 2011.
- 22) "Development Induced Displacement in India," Sri Lanka, RCSS, February 2011
- 23) "Development Aid and Gender Empowerment," UN Women and Embassy of Finland in New York, New York, February 2011.
- 24) "Women in Indo-Bangladesh Border," York University, Canada, November 2010
- 25) "Circles of Insecurity," New School, New York, October 2010.
- 26) "Women and Prevention of Armed Conflict," Sri Lanka, RCSS, March 2010
- 27) "Indian Women and UNSCR 1325", GPPAC, Katmandu, April 2010
- 28) "AIDS as a Border Phenomena," RIB, Dhaka, Nov. 2009
- 29) "Border and Humanitarian Interventions," IASFM 12, Nicosia, July, 2009.



- 30)** "Borders Of South Asia, " CRG-UNHCR Workshop, December 2008.
- 31)** "Circles of Insecurity," Institute of Development Studies, Helsinki University, Helsinki, November 2008.
- 32)** "Women in Peace Movements in India," TAPRI, Tampere University, Tampere, November 2008.
- 33)** "Local Solidarities, Planetary Lessons - Lessons of Contemporary Women's Autonomous Movements In India," Helsinki University, Helsinki, March 2008
- 34)** "Negotiating With a Difference: Minorities in South Asia," Tampere University, Tampere, March 2008.
- 35)** "IDP Women and development related Displacement in India," January 2008, IAFSM, Cairo.
- 36)** "AIDS in Asia and Africa" Millikin University, Decature, USA, October 2007.
- 37)** "Women IDPs in South Asia," American University Cairo, March 2007.
- 38)** Women and Peace in South Asia, University of Paris VII, March 2007.
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# LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCES

## Academic Leadership Positions

### **Dean of Arts, University of Calcutta:**

- a) University of Calcutta is ranked anywhere between 1st and 4th positions among all universities, both public and private ([www.caluniv.ac.in](http://www.caluniv.ac.in)).
- b) I was selected as the Dean of Arts for a three-year term in 2016.
- c) I supervised the teaching and curricula of 32 teaching Departments and 10 research centres, with a student strength of over five thousand.
- d) As the Dean I was responsible for the workings of the department of Humanities and Social Sciences of over 100 Colleges including their accreditation for MA.
- e) I was part of all career advancements and hiring of the teachers, arbitrate between departments, preside over changes in curricula, admissions etc.
- f) Before my term ended, I was selected by an independent selection committee under the aegis of the government as the Vice Chancellor of another Public University.

### **President International Association For Studies in Forced Migration:**

- a) I was elected the President of IASFM ([www.iasfm.org](http://www.iasfm.org)) for consecutive 2 terms and retired in July 2016.
- b) I was the first Asian President of the organization with its administrative office in Georgetown University.
- c) The organization has a member base of 300 scholars and universities such as the Oxford University, U.K., the Georgetown University, USA, and the York University, Canada, Calcutta Research Group India.

### **Selected Fellowships**

- a) Visiting Scholar, IWM, Vienna, 2021
- b) Fulbright Scholar in Residence, SUNY, 2013-2014.
- c) SITRA – CIMO Fellow, Institute of Development Studies, University of Helsinki, Finland, October-November, 2008.
- d) Institute of advanced Studies, MSH Paris, 2004

## **Coordinator of Projects and Workshops:**

- 1)** Academic Advisory Board Member, Summer School, Open Society Foundation, London, 2021.
- 2)** Consultant Oxfam, South and Southeast Asia, for a research on Transforming Power to Put Women in the Heart of Peace Building: WPS 1325, 2020-2021.
- 3)** Coordinator, for Research Project on Social Sciences, UGC-UPE, March- September 2017.
- 4)** Coordinator of CRG-UNHCR Program on Statelessness. 2011-2013
- 5)** Coordinator CRG-UNHCR Program on Protection of Forced Migrants 2010
- 6)** ICSSR Research Project on Women in Indian Borderlands 2009-2011
- 7)** Coordinator UNHCR Workshops on Protection Issues, December 2010
- 8)** Coordinator of a Women's Program on Postcolonialism and Citizenship of Women composed of India, France and Algeria, 2005-2008.
- 9)** Coordinator, CRG-Brookings Program on IDP Voices, 2005-2007.
- 10)** Coordinator of a series of workshops on the Guiding Principles in South Asia (held in Kathmandu, Dhaka, Islamabad, Guwahati, Colombo and Bangkok) 1 June 2004- 31 March 2005.
- 11)** Coordinator of "Annual Winter Course on Forced Migration," Kolkata 1 October-15 December, 2004.
- 12)** Coordinator of "Annual Winter Course on Forced Migration," Kolkata 1 October-15 December, 2003
- 13)** Coordinator of a dialogue on Autonomy and Peace, CRG-ICES, Colombo, Shillong, April 2003.
- 14)** Coordinator, "Women's Dialogue on Human Rights and Peace in Northeast," Funded by Konrad Adaneur Stiftung, Germany, July, 2002.
- 15)** Coordinator, "Women's Dialogue on Human Rights and Peace in South Asia," (International Seminar) USIS, Kolkata, 9-10 April, 2002.
- 16)** Joint Convenor, "Alternatives to the Problems of Girl Child in South and Southeast Asia," (International Seminar) DSSEAS, November 2001.
- 17)** Coordinator, "Dialogue on Human Rights and Peace in East and Northeast," KAS, October 2001.
- 18)** Joint Convenor, "Cross Border migration and the Situation of Refugees in South and Southeast Asia, DSSEAS, Kolkata, March 2001.
- 19)** Coordinator, "Women's Initiatives for Peace," Sri Lanka, January 2001.

# Administrative Leadership Position

## Vice Chancellor, Sanskrit College and University, Kolkata.

a) I was appointed as the Vice Chancellor of a two-year-old boutique university for languages, humanities, and social sciences in 2017 for two years.

([www.sanskritcollegeanduniversity.org.in](http://www.sanskritcollegeanduniversity.org.in)).

b) I helped to raise enough funding to create a second campus.

c) I handled a budget of about 4 million USD and began 7 new post graduate departments.

d) I also got 42 government accredited new posts as well. From a student base of only 92, when I took charge of the university, I increased it to 600 + in two years of my tenure.

e) I created a robust base of researchers and scholars and began a 4-year PhD and 2-year MPhil. Programs

f) I signed 2 MOUs with SUNY Oswego and Texas Women's University.

## Director Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group ([www.mcrpg.ac.in](http://www.mcrpg.ac.in))

a) I acted as director of a number of research organizations of which the most significant being the Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group, as it was a non-governmental think tank with an international profile.

b) The organization is known internationally for its stellar research in migration and peace studies. I was elected as the Director for two years.

c) I was able to lead research programs with EURAC; the Western Sydney University, Australia; the Dhaka University, Bangladesh, the Regional Centre for Strategic Studies, Sri Lanka, and others.

d) I worked with a budget of USD 500,000 and our donors included Ford Foundation, Rosa Luxemburg Stiftung, Brookings Institution, UNHCR, Asia Pacific Forum etc.

## Other Leadership Positions

1) Governing Body Member, Centre For Studies in Social Sciences, Kolkata.

2) Governing Body Member, North East Hill University, Shillong.

3) Governing Body Member, Central University of Rajasthan, Ajmer.

4) Court Member, Central University of Karnataka, Gulbarga.

5) Professor and Head, Department of South and Southeast Asian Studies, University of Calcutta.

6) Director, Institute of Foreign Policy Studies, University of Calcutta, Kolkata.

7) Director, Centre for South and Southeast Asian Studies, University of Calcutta, Kolkata.

8) Chairperson, UGC Committee on Autonomy of Mata Gurji College, Punjab, 2017.

9) Chairperson, UGC Expert Committee for Autonomy of Dhalakshmi Srinivasan College of Arts and Science for Women, Perambalur, 2017.



# Teaching Experiences

## **Full Professor, University of Calcutta 2011- ongoing**

- a) I have been teaching in the University of Calcutta From 1997.
  - b) I was in Undergraduate teaching from 1997-2000
  - c) From 2000 onwards I taught graduate students in degree Programs.
- My position is Full time and Substantive

**Courses Taught:** I am not expected to teach more than one course a semester.

### **1. Introduction to Theories of Asian Studies (50 Marks)**

- Unit 1: Theories and Area studies approach- Indianisation
- Unit 2: Theories and Area studies approach- Localisation vs. Convergence
- Unit 3: Early instances of state formation in Burma & Siam
- Unit 4: Early instances of state formation in Cambodia & Indonesia

### **2. Post-Colonial Politics in South & Southeast Asia 1990- 2015 (50 Marks)**

- Unit 1: Globalisation & South and South East Asian Response
- Unit 2: Growth of New Civil Society.
- Unit 3: Neo Globalisation & Resource Politics
- Unit 4: Age of Asianism
- Unit 5: China and other USA as players.

### **3. Development, People and Resource Politics (50 marks)**

- Unit 1: Conceptual Paradigms - Definitions
- Unit 2: Governance- Majority, Minority and Electoral Politics in South Asia
- Unit 3: Resources – Energy Politics, Demand for Clean Energy and other Resources.
- Unit 4: Development and People's Movements

### **4. Forced Migration Studies (50 marks)**

- Unit 1: Nationalism, Ethnicity and Partition
- Unit 2: Environmental degradation, resourced politics and forced Migration
- Unit 3: Women and children in forced migration, Victimhood and Gender Justice
- Unit 4: International regimes of protection, regional conventions and declarations and Best practices of refugee rehabilitation

## **6. Peace Studies (50 marks)**

Unit1: Theories and Histories of Peace Making

Unit 2: Liberation Movements and Partitions and Inter-Community Conflicts and Peace Making

Unit 3: Trans-national Threats and Borders as a Zone of War and Peace

Unit 4: Peace Makers and Peace Wreckers.

### **International Teaching Positions, Visiting Professorships and Other Awards: 2001-2020**

**1) Visiting Professor, Oldenburg University, Germany, May 2015-2021.**

**Lecturer in Migration and Gender Studies**

**2) Visiting Fellow, Institute of Human Sciences, Vienna, January 2017, 2021.**

**3) Visiting Professor, SUNY Oswego and OCC, Fall 2013 – Spring 2014.**

**Initiated Two Courses (a) Refugees (b) Mission Impossible: Prospects of Peace in Sub-Saharan Africa and South, Southeast and Central Asia**

**4) Visiting Professor Bielefeld University, Germany, April 2012**

**5) Visiting Professor, Millikin University, USA, August-December 2011**

**IR Theories (b) Studies in Post-Colonial Displacements.**

**6) Consultant MFA Finland, Development Aid and 1325, February 2011.**

**7) Advisory Board Member on India-China Program, New School, USA, 2010**

**8) Consultant, IDS Finland (Ministry of Foreign Affairs) 2009-2010**

**9) Visiting Professor, Millikin University, USA, October-November 2010**

**10) Visiting Professor, MSH, Paris, Dec 2009.**

**11) SITRA – CIMO Fellow, Institute of Development Studies,**

**University of Helsinki, Finland, October-November, 2008.**

**12) Visiting Professor, University of Paris VII, September October 2005.**

**13) Visiting Professor, International Program on Advanced Studies, MSH, Paris, Jan- April, 2004.**

**14) Researcher, Non-Traditional Security and Gender, WISCOMP, New Delhi, 2003- 2005.**

**15) Team Leader and Researcher, Minority Status Report for India, ICES, Colombo, 2004.**

**16) Coordinator, CRG-UNHCR Project of Refugee Rehabilitation and Care in India, 2001-2002**

**17) Coordinator "Women's Network for Peace in South Asia," WISCOMP, 2000- 200**

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# Referees

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Rector, and President

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**5. Ranabir Samaddar**

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