Name: Subrata Roy Chowdhury

Date of Birth: 12-10 1959

Passed M.A. in English from the University of Calcutta in the year 1981

Experience: Teaching since 8 February 1986

# **Research Experience**:

i)UGC sponsored Minor Research Project vide letter no PWH-048/07-08 dated 21 February 2008

ii) UGC sponsored Minor Research Project vide letter no F.PHW-61/12-13 dated 05-02.2013

## Participation in Seminar and Workshop as Resource Person

i)Participated as a Resource Person in UGC sponsored National Workshop on Communication Through Photography organized by Vivekananda College, Thakurpukur on 19-08-2011

ii)Participated as a Resource Person in UGC sponsored National Seminar on The Pioneering communicators of Pre –independent Bengal organized by Vivekananda College,Thakurpukur on 11-01-2013

iii) Conducted Workshop on Photography at Serampore College on 03-03-2011 organized by Communicative English Department and Add-on Course in Journalism and Mass Communication

iv)Participated as a Resource Person on World Photography Day Celebration organized by Vivekananda College,Thakurpukur on 19 August 2015

v)Participated as a Resource Person in a One day Seminar cum Workshop on Understanding Photography organized by Chandrapur College Burdwan on 17-03-2016

vi)Participated as a Resource Person in a seminar on Understanding Photography organized by BalagarhBijoykrishnaMahavidyalay on 22-09-2016

vii)Participated as a Resource Person in a seminar on The Basics of Photography with Emphasis on Composition and Framing organized by MCKV Institute of Engineering on 10-03-2017

viii)Participated in an International Workshop organized by Counter Foto, Dhaka and conducted by eminent Photo Journalist Philip Blenkinsop on and from 22 November to 26 November 2015

ix)Participated in a Ten Day International Workshop on Documentary Photography under the mentorship of SaifulHuqOmi. The workshop was jointly organized by Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira, Belur Math and Counter Foto, Dhaka during the period from 1<sup>st</sup> June to 25<sup>th</sup> June 2016

## **Awards and Degrees**

- i)Received international AFIAP Degree from the highest body of international photography Federation Internationale Del Art Photographique in the year 2012
- ii) Winner of 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize in Better Photography Photographer of the Year Contest, 2006
- iii)Received 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize in the Photography Competition organized by Ministry of Information and Culture, Government of West Bengal, 2010-2011

iv)Received Performance Award in HPA 2013 an international photography competition jointly organized by China Folklore Photographic Association and UNESCO. Visited Beijing, China to receive the award on being invited by HPA.

#### **Publications:**

My article **May His Tribe Increase** has been published on 4<sup>th</sup> November 2016 in an online magazine from France named Private

i)Here to Eternity: A Journey From Gangasagar to Kumbh Mela.

Co-author-Subrata Roy Chowdhury and Pinaki De, Alchemy Publishers, New Delhi, 2011

ii) The Ghats of Benaras: A Symphony of Life

Co-author-Pinaki De and Subrata Roy Chowdhury, Alchemy Publishers, New Delhi, 2011

iii) Edited ChanderDeshe, ChanderPahare: An Anthology on Ladakh, Tepantar Publication, 2012

Anthology includes two articles by me i)Bakhtin,Carnival o Ladakh(Page-59-63),ii)KaviAlvida Na Kahona(Page-46-57)

iv) Photography o Ganamadhyam: An Anthology on Photography and Mass Communication, Rupali Publishers, 2012, included an article by me Tumiki Keboli Chhobi (Page-23-27)

v)Edited Majar Galpo: A collection of Bengali Short Story written by ManishaDatta ,Rupali Publishers,2014

vi)SabarUporeManushSattya(page-26-29)

Jara Porijayee, Rwiti Prakashan, 2015

vii)Ananata ApaarTomayKe Jane(Page 92-95)

JaraPorijayee, Rwiti Prakashan, 2015

viii)FarshdangarSeshFarasi(Page84-86)

JaraPorijayee, Rwiti Prakashan, 2016

ix)Farasdangar Naru Da

Published in Sunday Supplement of Uttarbanga Sangbad,1st January 2017

Successfully working as Coordinator of Photography Course offered by this autonomous college since July 2013. Working also as a faculty member of Department of Photography.

Conducted seven Certificate Course on Photography-each of six months duration

July2013 to December 2013

January 2014 to June 2014

July 2014 to December 2014

January 2015 to June 2015

July 2015 to December 2015

January 2016 to June 2016

July 2016 to December 2016

More than 600 students participated in this course

Received Permission from Calcutta University to conduct One Year Diploma Course on Photography

# July 2016 to June 2016

Designed and framed the syllabus for these two hugely successful Certificate and Diploma Course

### International Student Exchange Program with Counter Foto, Dhaka, Bangladesh

Department of Photography of this college successfully conducted an international student exchange program with Counter FotoDhaka, Bangladesh. Seven students from Dhaka visited our college and attended workshop in our college for five days. Seven students from our college visited Dhaka and attended workshop in Bangladesh for five days. This international student exchange program was organized during the period from 1<sup>st</sup> June to 25 June 2016

This international student exchange program will also take place this year. A ten member Bangladeshi team will arrive at Belur Math on 31 may 2017 and they will attend workshop in our college from 1<sup>st</sup> June to 5th June 2017.Our students will visit Bangladesh later on.

Department has a website <u>www.vidyamandiraphoto.com</u> which regularly features Photo Story from young photographers.