

Curriculum Vitae

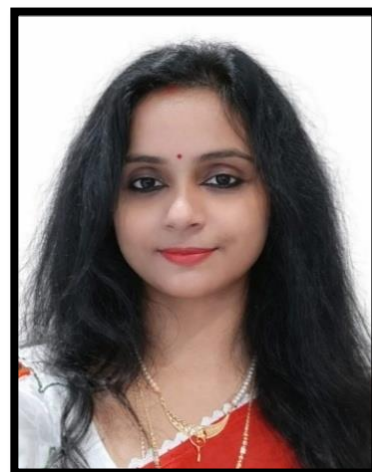
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EDUCATION QUALIFICATION

Course	Year	Division /Class	Board/ Institution
<i>Ph.D in Science (Anthropology)</i>	<i>2020</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>University of Calcutta</i>
<i>M.Sc (Anthropology)</i>	<i>2011</i>	<i>1st Class</i>	<i>University of Calcutta</i>
<i>B.Sc (Anthropology)</i>	<i>2009</i>	<i>1st Class</i>	<i>University of Calcutta</i>
<i>Higher Secondary</i>	<i>2006</i>	<i>1st Division</i>	<i>W.B.C.H.S.E</i>
<i>Secondary</i>	<i>2004</i>	<i>1st Division</i>	<i>W.B.B.S.E</i>

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Worked as sports scientist (Anthropometrist Grade I) at Sports Authority of India, Bangalore from 12th March to 10th December, 2021.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

- Worked as Project Fellow in UGC Major Research Project entitled “***Type 2 diabetes mellitus risk in adult Bengali population: Comparative evaluation of anthropometric and lifestyle variables in rural and urban areas of West Bengal, India***” at Department of Anthropology, University of Calcutta from 30/12/2011 to 31/12/2014 (Three year).

SCHOLARSHIP:

- The University Grants Commission, Government of India, PG Indira Gandhi Scholarship for Single Girl Child (2009-2011)
- The University Grants Commission, Swami Vivekananda Single Girl Child Scholarship for Research in Social Science for the year 2014-2015.

PROJECT:

- **Co-PI** of MSCB University-funded research project (**UFIRP**) entitled “*Bio-Cultural and Archaeological Study in Mayurbhanj: An Anthropological Insight*”. Project starting date: 24.07.2024. [Duration: 1 year, Grant: 400000] (Complete).
- **Principal Investigator** of **SEED MONEY GRANT PROJECT** funded by MSCB University for the session 2025-2026 entitled “*Menstrual Health and Hygiene Management among The Lodha Community of Mayurbhanj of Odisha*”. Project starting date: 16.08.2025. [Duration: 2 year, Grant: 200000]. (Ongoing).

PhD GUIDANCE

1. **Swapnashree Das**. Topic: Menstrual hygiene practices: A cross-sectional study among the Lodha adolescent girls of Mayurbhanj, Odisha. [**MRIF Fellow, Govt of Odisha**] (Continuing)
2. **Geetanjali Tudu**: Topic: Family planning and contraceptive behaviour: A comparative study on the Juang and Ho tribal population of Odisha. (Continuing)

BOOK EDITED:

- *Tribal Transformation and Development in Eastern India* (Editors: Basanta Kumar Mohanta, Monali Goswami, Laxman Kumar Sahoo, Bhubaneswar Sabar, **Priyanka Das**) AAYU Publication, New Delhi, 2025. [**ISBN No. 978-93-91685-65-2**]

LIST OF PUBLICATION:

- **Das P**, Bandyopadhyay AR, Ghosh JR. Family study on some head and face measurements. *Nrtattv*. 2013-2014; 3-6:114-121. [**ISSN No: 2249-9830**]

- Sarkar P, **Das P**, Dutta T, Chatterjee D, Bandyopadhyay AR. Association of ABO Blood Group with the Prognosis of Gynecological Cancer Patient: A Study on Bengali Hindu Caste Group of West Bengal, India. *Indian J Gynecol Oncolog*. 2018; 16:1-5. [ISSN No: 2363-8397]
- **Das P**, Ghosh JR, Chatterjee D, Bandyopadhyay AR. Inheritance of Craniofacial Indices: A Study on Bengalee Hindu Population of West Bengal, India. *Anthropology and Ethnology Open Access Journal*. 2018; 1(1): 1-6. [ISSN No : 2639-2119]
- Mitra S & **Das P**. Superficial fungal infection: An anthropological overview. *Anthropos India*. 2018; 4(1,2):263-276. [ISSN No : 2394-8396]
- **Das P**, Bandyopadhyay AR, Ghosh JR. Association between measures of obesity and hypertension in premenopausal urban Bengali women. *Human Biology Review*. 2019; 8(2): 115-125. [ISSN No: 2277- 4424]
- **Das P**, Bandyopadhyay AR, Ghosh JR. Segmental Body Composition and its Association with Age and Menopausal Status. *Acta Morphologica Et Anthropologica*. 2020; 27 (1-2): 61-67. [ISSN No: 2535-0811]
- Chaudhuri R, **Das P**, Sarkar P, Chatterjee D, Bandyopadhyay AR. Estimation of Optimal Obesity Cut-Offs among Tripuri and Halam Women of Tripura, Northeast India. *Papers on Anthropology*. 2020; XXIX/2, 83-91. [ISSN No: 1736-7646]
- Panda S, **Das P**, Goswami M. Do foot dimensions influence stature estimation: A study among the Bhumij tribal population of North Odisha, India. *Acta Morphologica Et Anthropologica*. 2025; 32 (1-2): 83-97. [ISSN No: 2535-0811]

BOOK CHAPTER

- Panda S, **Das P** & Goswami M. *Ethno-zoological practices among the Santal tribe of Mayurbhanj District of Odisha, India*. Published in book Tribal Transformation and Development in Eastern India, AAYU Publication, New Delhi, 2025, Pp 98-104 [ISBN No. 978-93-91685-65-2]
- Parida S, **Das P** and Goswami M. *A review study on the maternal and child health care practices among the tribal women of India*. Published in book Tribal Transformation and Development in Eastern India, AAYU Publication, New Delhi, 2025, Pp 105-117 [ISBN No. 978-93-91685-65-2]
- Panda M, **Das P** and Goswami M. *Prevalence of hypertension and its determinants among the tribal population of India: An anthropological Appraisal* Published in book Tribal Transformation and Development in Eastern India, AAYU Publication, New Delhi, 2025, Pp

37-51 [ISBN No. 978-93-91685-65-2]

- Panda S, **Das P** and Goswami M. *Prevalence of under-nutrition and morbidity pattern of the tribal children on India: An overview*. Published in book Tribal Transformation and Development in Eastern India, AAYU Publication, New Delhi, 2025, Pp 90-97 [ISBN No. 978-93-91685-65-2]
- Das S, Rana MR, **Das P**, Mitra S. *Breastfeeding practices among the Bathudi tribal populations of Mayurbhanj district of Odisha, India*. Health, health care and livelihood: The sociocultural insight from Odisha, 2025, Pp 95-113 [ISBN No. 978-93-48642-60-8]
- Murmu SR, Panda S, **Das P**, Goswami M. *Relationship between Digit Ratio (2D: 4D) and Hand grip strength of the Hill Kheria population: A particularly vulnerable tribal group of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*. Health, health care and livelihood: The sociocultural insight from Odisha, 2025, Pp 125-138 [ISBN No. 978-93-48642-60-8]
- Parida S, **Das P** and Goswami M “*Reproductive behavior of the women “A study among the Bhumij women of Mayurbhanj, Odisha, India”*”, Published in the book The Handbook of Tribal Studies in India, Routledge Series in 2025. **(Communicated)**

INVITED LECTURE/SESSION CHAIRED:

1. Delivered an invited lecture (online) on the topic entitled “**Somatotype: Know your Body**” Sports science lecture series, Organized by Sports Authority of India, NSSC, Bangalore on 30th April 2021 (Online, Zoom ID: 846-5114-8744, Passcode: ssls@11).
2. Delivered an invited lecture on the topic entitled “**Career Opportunities in Anthropology**” during 7 days workshop on recent trends in career opportunities in higher education in the light of NEP 2020 organized by the career counselling cell and IQAC at Haldia Government College, Purba Medinipur, West Bengal on 20th, December, 2023.
3. Delivered an invited lecture on the topic entitled “**Kinanthropometry: Concept Application and use in Anthropological Studies**” at the Department of Anthropology, Fakir Mohan University, Balasore, Odisha on 29th February, 2024.
4. Delivered an invited lecture on the topic entitled “**Career opportunities in Anthropology**” at the Department of Anthropology, Government General Degree College, Singur, Hoogly, West Bengal on 24th January, 2025.
5. Delivered an invited lecture on the topic entitled “**Photovoice**” at 7 day winter special camp (NSS Winter Fiasta: Celebrating Service and Community) organized by NSS PG Unit,

Maharaja Sriram Chandra Bhanja Deo University, Baripada from 30th January to 5th February, 2025 (Lecture on 4th February, 2025).

6. Delivered an invited lecture on the topic entitled “**Career opportunities in Anthropology**” at the Department of Anthropology, Fakir Mohan University, Balasore, Odisha on 6th March, 2025.
7. Delivered an invited lecture on the topic entitled “**Anthropology beyond Academics: Careers, Skills, and Opportunitie**” at the Department of Anthropology, Fakir Mohan University, Balasore, Odisha on 17th January, 2026.
8. Delivered an invited lecture during International Seminar on Food Anthropology on the topic entitled “**Nutrition Transition and Non-Communicable Diseases: An Anthropological approach**” at the Department of Anthropology, Acharya Prafulla Chandra College, in collaboration with IQAC helpd on 14th March, 2026.
9. **Chaired** a session during 52nd Annual Conference of The Anthropological Society in collaboration with Tripura University and IGNOU, Regional Centre. Agartala from 22nd to 24th November, 2022.
10. **Chaired** a session during Two Day National Seminar on Sustainable Development in a Globalizing World: Challenges and Opportunities organised by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University on 21st and 22nd March, 2025.

SEMINAR AND CONFERENCE ATTENDED/ PAPER PRESENTED:

1. **Das P**, Bandyopadhyay A R, “*Family Study on Some Head and Face Measurements In A Bengalee Population*” Proc. 100th Indian Science Congress held at University of Calcutta, Kolkata from January 3-7, 2013. (Pp. 90)
2. **Das P**, Bandyopadhyay A R, “*A Study on Anthropometric Appraisal of Inheritance of Cephalofacial Pattern In Bengalee Hindu Caste Population*” Proc. National Seminar On ‘Understanding Human Diversity: Anthropological and Museological Perspectives’ on 8th and 9th March 2013, organized by Indian Anthropological Society, Kolkata. (Pp.33)
3. **Das P**, Bandyopadhyay A R, Ghosh J R “*Comparative Evaluations of Adiposity Measures: Relationship with Blood Glucose and Type 2 Diabetes*” In The Two-Day Seminar On Current Trends in Research on Biological Anthropology in West Bengal on 21-22 March, 2013, organized by Indian statistical institute, Kolkata. (Pp.17)
4. **Das P**, Bandyopadhyay A R, Ghosh J R “*Body fat distribution and blood glucose level in*

- adult Bengalee females*” in the National Conference on Recent Trand in Research in Biological Anthropology in the Eastern and North-Eastern India held during 21-23 November, 2013, at Biological Anthropology Unit, Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata. (Pp.12)
5. **Das P**, Bandyopadhyay A R, Ghosh J R “*Central obesity and type 2 diabetes*” Proc. 11th INCAA Congress held at Dibrugarh University, Assam from February 21st to 23rd, 2014. (Pp. 90)
 6. **Das P**, Bandyopadhyay A R, Ghosh J R “*A study on the relationship between body fat distribution and blood glucose level in adult Bengalee females*” in the National Seminar on Ethnic Diversity in India & Ambedkar’s Idea on Social Justice held during March 26-28, 2014, at Department of Anthropology, University of Calcutta (Pp.1).
 7. **Das P**, Ghosh J R, Bandyopadhyay A R “*Obesity and Hypertension: A review*” Proc. 45th Annual Conference of the Indian Anthropological Society on the theme of Anthropology & Human welfare held during 23rd to 25th May, 2015 at Department of Anthropology, University of Calcutta, Kolkata (Pp.28).
 8. **Das P**, “*Obesity related hypertension in India: A review*” in IUAES Inter-Congress 2015 on Re-imagining Anthropological and Sociological Boundaries held during 15-17 July, 2015 at Thammasat University, Tha Prachan Campus, Bangkok, Thailand (Conference Book 4; Pp.19).
 9. **Das P**, Ghosh J R, Bandyopadhyay A R “*Facial Index: A study on the inheritance pattern in Bengali Hindu caste population*” in the National seminar on “human diversity and development: from local to global perspective” on March 27- 28, 2017 at Department of Anthropology, University of Calcutta. (Pp.30).
 10. **Das P**, Ghosh J R, Bandyopadhyay A R “*Hypertension and its socio-demographic concomitants: Across-sectional study on Bengalee Hindu caste females*” in International conference on indigenous people, human security and sustainable development: emerging challenges in the present global context held during 19th to 21st January, 2018 organized by IUAES and Department of Anthropology, West Bengal State University, Barasat, Kolkata. (Pp.122).
 11. **Das P**, Ghosh J R, Bandyopadhyay A R “*Obesity and Hypertension: A study on adult Bengalee Hindu caste females of West Bengal, India*” in the national seminar on Anthropology, health and development: trends and future perspectives on 20th and 21st February, 2018 organized by Department of Anthropology, University of Delhi. (Pp.51).
 12. **Das P**, Ghosh J R, Bandyopadhyay A R “*Age and menopausal status related changes in segmental body composition*” Proc. Indian Anthropological Congress held at Department of Anthropology, University of Delhi, from February 21st to 23rd, 2021. (Pp.149).

13. **Das P**, Ghosh J R, Bandyopadhyay A R “*Craniofacial Indices: An adult Indian population based study*” in national webinar on “Anthropology of Contemporary Era” organized by Department of Anthropology, University of North Bengal, from 2nd to 4th March, 2022.
14. **Das P**, Ghosh J R, Bandyopadhyay A R “*Age and BMI related changes in blood pressure among adult Bengalee speaking Hindu women of West Bengal, India*” in International seminar on Sustainable Development Goals 2030: Role of Anthropology in Social Inclusion and Tribal development organized by 52nd Annual Conference of The Anthropological Society in collaboration with Tripura University and IGNOU, Regional Centre. Agartala from 22nd to 24th November, 2022.
15. **Das P**, Ghosh J R, Bandyopadhyay A R “*Socio-demographic determinants of hypertension: A study among adult Indian women*” Proc. Indian Anthropological Congress held at Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, Sidhu-Kanhu Birsa University, from February 21st to 23rd, 2023 (Pp.45).
16. Panda M and **Das P** “*Non-communicable disease burden: A review study among Indian tribes*” Proc. Indian Anthropological Congress held at Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, Sidhu-Kanhu Birsa University, from February 21st to 23rd, 2023 (Pp. 42).
17. Panda M, **Das P** and M Goswami “*Prevalence of hypertension and its determinants among the tribal population of India: An Anthropological Appraisal*” in two day national seminar on tribal transformation and development in Eastern India organized by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University, Baripada, on 20th and 21st May, 2023. (Pp 25)
18. Parida S, **Das P** and Goswami M “*A review study on the maternal and child health care practices among the tribal women of India*” in two day national seminar on tribal transformation and development in Eastern India organized by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University, Baripada, on 20th and 21st May, 2023. (Pp 45)
19. Panda S, **Das P** and Goswami M “*Prevalence of undernutrition and morbidity of the tribal children of India: An overview*” in two day national seminar on tribal transformation and development in Eastern India organized by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University, Baripada, on 20th and 21st May, 2023. (Pp 47)
20. Panda S, **Das P** and Goswami M “*Ethno-zoological practices among the Santhal tribe of Mayurbhanj district of Odisha, India*” in two day national seminar on tribal transformation and development in Eastern India organized by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University, Baripada, on 20th and 21st May, 2023.(Pp 41).
21. Participated in a National Seminar entitled “Revisiting India’s Freedom Struggle: The Unsung Heros”- a collaborative programme “Krantiteertha” as a part of “Azaddi Ka Amrit Mahotsav”-

- organized by the Ministry of Culture, Govt of India and the Institute of Social and Cultural Studies, Kolkata in collaboration with MSCB University held on 8th August, 2023.
22. Participated in OHEPEE-IDP sponsored National Conference entitled “Past, Present and Future of Similipal” organized by the Centre for Simlipal Studies, MSCB University, Baripada on 22nd and 23rd July, 2023.
 23. Participated in intellectual property awareness program under National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission organized by Intellectual Property Office, India on 18th August, 2023 at MSCB University, Baripada.
 24. **Das P**, presented a poster at the National Science Day celebration held at Maharaja Sriram Chandra Bhanja Deo University on 28th February, 2024.
 25. Participated in State level seminar on “Fieldwork in Anthropology: Retrospect and Prospect” jointly organized by Indian Anthropological society and the Department of Anthropology, IQAC, Government General Degree College, Singur on 15th and 16th March, 2024.
 26. Panda S, Murmu D, **Das P** and Goswami M “*Assessment of Nutritional Status Status: A study among the Bhumij Tribal Adolescent Children of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*” Proc. Indian Anthropological Congress held at IGRMS, Bhopal(MP), from February 21st to 23rd, 2024 (Pp.109).
 27. Panda M, Giri P, **Das P** and Goswami M “*Prevalence of hypertension and its concomitants among the Bhumij tribal population of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*” Proc. Indian Anthropological Congress held at IGRMS, Bhopal (MP), from February 21st to 23rd, 2024 (Pp.46).
 28. Panda S, **Das P** and Goswami M “*Estimation of stature from foot measurements: A study among the Bhumij tribal population of Northern Odisha*” Proc. Indian Anthropological Congress held at IGRMS, Bhopal(MP), from February 21st to 23rd, 2024 (Pp.110).
 29. Nayak S, **Das P** and Goswami M “*Review Non-communicable disease and its concomitants: An Anthropological review*” Proc. Indian Anthropological Congress held at IGRMS, Bhopal (MP), from February 21st to 23rd, 2024 (Pp.45).
 30. Panda M, Giri P, **Das P** and Goswami M “*Determinants of Hypertension: A study among the Bhumij Tribal population of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*” in two day national seminar on Sustainability: Tribe, Health and Migration organized by Department of Anthropology and Centre of Excellence: Regional Development and Tribal Studies, Sambhalpur University, Burla, on 23rd and 24th March, 2024. (Pp .9)
 31. Nayak S, **Das P** and Goswami M “*Cardiovascular disease risk factor among the tribes of India: A systematic Review*” in two day national seminar on Sustainability: Tribe, Health and Migration organized by Department of Anthropology and Centre of Excellence: Regional Development and Tribal Studies, Sambhalpur University, Burla, on 23rd and 24th March, 2024.

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32. Parida S, Giri P, **Das P** and Goswami M “*Menstrual Characteristics and knowledge and hygiene practices: A study among Bhumij Adolescent Girls of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*” in two day national seminar on Sustainability: Tribe, Health and Migration organized by Department of Anthropology and Centre of Excellence: Regional Development and Tribal Studies, Sambhalpur University, Burla, on 23rd and 24th March, 2024. (Pp .19)
33. **Das P**, Ghosh J R, Bandyopadhyay A R “*Relationship of anthropometric variables with blood pressure levels and hypertension: A cross-sectional study among adult women of West Bengal, India*” in ISAK XVIII World Conference on Kinanthropometry: Theory to practice held during 5th to 7th August, 2024 at St Mary’s University, London, UK (Pp.07).
34. Das S, Pradhan S, **Das P**. “*Menstrual Hygiene Practices: A Cross-Sectional Study among the Bathudi Tribal Women of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*”. Odisha Research Conclave, Organised by Odisha State Higher Education Council & Fakir Mohan University, 26th to 28th December, 2024 (Pp.419).
35. Mohanta R, Sabar B, **Das P**, Goswami M, Mohanta BK. “*Bandana Parab of the Kudmi community of Mayurbhanj, Odisha: An Anthropological Introspection*” Odisha Research Conclave, Organised by Odisha State Higher Education Council & Fakir Mohan University, 26th to 28th December, 2024 (Pp. 474).
36. Das S, Rana MR, Mitra S, **Das P**. “*Breastfeeding practices among the Bathudi Tribal Population of Mayurbhanj District of Odisha, India*” in two day national seminar on Navigation health equality, Sustainability, and Development pathways to address the SDGs. Organized by Department of Anthropology, Fakir Mohan University, Balasore on 27th and 28th January, 2025.(Pp 116)
37. Panda S, Murmu SR, **Das P**, Goswami M. “*Relationship between Digit Ratio(2D: 4D) and Hand grip strength of the Hill Kheria population: A particularly vulnerable tribal group of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*” in two day national seminar on Navigation health equality, Sustainability, and Development pathways to address the SDGs. Organized by the Department of Anthropology, Fakir Mohan University, Balasore on 27th and 28th January 2025.(Pp 99)
[Best Paper Award]
38. Participated in two day national seminar on Navigation health equality, Sustainability, and Development pathways to address the SDGs. Organized by the Department of Anthropology, Fakir Mohan University, Balasore on 27th and 28th January 2025.
39. Das S and **Das P**. “*Menstrual Hygiene Practices among Indian Adolescent Girls: A review*” in Indian Anthropology congress organized by Anthropological Survey of India in collaboration with INCAA from 21st to 23rd February, 2025. (Pp 257)

40. Panda S, **Das P** and Goswami M. “*Foot dimension and Body Mass Index: A study among Bhumij Tribal population of Northern Odisha. India*” in Indian Anthropology congress organized by Anthropological Survey of India in collaboration with INCAA from 21st to 23rd February, 2025 (Pp 53)
41. Monhanta R, **Das P** and Goswami M. “*Obstetric health care practices, fertility and nutritional status of the hill kheria women: A study among a particularly vulnerable tribal group of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*” in Indian Anthropology congress organized by Anthropological Survey of India in collaboration with INCAA from 21st to 23rd February, 2025 (Pp 260)
42. Nayak S, Murmu DM, **Das P** and Goswami M. “*Association of nutritional status with socioeconomic variables: A study on the Bhumij Adolescent children of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*”. in Indian Anthropology congress organized by Anthropological Survey of India in collaboration with INCAA from 21st to 23rd February, 2025 (Pp 154)
43. Parida S, **Das P** and Goswami M. “*Reproductive and Child health care Practices : A study among the Bhumij women of Mayurbhanj, Odisha. India*”. in Indian Anthropology congress organized by Anthropological Survey of India in collaboration with INCAA from 21st to 23rd February, 2025 (Pp 281)
44. Panda M, Behera JJ, **Das P**, Goswami M. “*Incedence of hypertension among the hill kherias: A particularly Vulnerable tribal population of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*”. in Indian Anthropology congress organized by Anthropological Survey of India in collaboration with INCAA from 21st to 23rd February, 2025 (Pp 277).
45. **Das P**, presented a poster at the National Science Day celebration held at Maharaja Sriram Chandra Bhanja Deo University on 28th February, 2025.
46. Das S & **Das P**, “*Menstrual health and hygiene practices: A review study on Indian adolescent girls*” in Two Day National Seminar on Sustainable Development in a Globalizing World: Challenges and Opportunities organised by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University on 21st and 22nd March, 2025.
47. Rana M, **Das P**, Goswami M. “*Knowledge attitude and Hygiene Practices: A study among the Bathudi tribal women of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*” in Two Day National Seminar on Sustainable Development in a Globalizing World: Challenges and Opportunities organised by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University on 21st and 22nd March, 2025.
48. Mahanta Y, **Das P**, Goswami M. “*The relationship between the Digit ratio (2D:4D) and Hand grip strength: A cross-sectional study among the Bathudi tribal population of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*” in Two Day National Seminar on Sustainable Development in a Globalizing World: Challenges and Opportunities organised by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University on 21st and 22nd March, 2025.

49. Parhi L, **Das P**, Goswami M. “*Reproductive health status: A study Among the Bathudi tribal women of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*” in Two Day National Seminar on Sustainable Development in a Globalizing World: Challenges and Opportunities organised by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University on 21st and 22nd March, 2025.
50. Sahu B, **Das P**, Goswami M. “*Anthropometric characteristics and nutritional status of the adult Bathudi tribal population of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*” in Two Day National Seminar on Sustainable Development in a Globalizing World: Challenges and Opportunities organised by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University on 21st and 22nd March, 2025.
51. Mohanty BK, Panda S, **Das P**, Goswami M. “*Metabolic syndrome and its correlates among the tribes of India: An Anthropological Appraisal*” in Two Day National Seminar on Sustainable Development in a Globalizing World: Challenges and Opportunities organised by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University on 21st and 22nd March, 2025.
52. Bijayinee B, Baral S, Panda S, **Das P**, Goswami M. “*Assessment of Nutritional Status of adult Lodha tribal population of Mayurbhanj, Odisha, India*”. in Two Day National Seminar on Sustainable Development in a Globalizing World: Challenges and Opportunities organised by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University on 21st and 22nd March, 2025.
53. Mohanta R, Sabar B, **Das P**, Goswami M, Mohanta BK. “*Prevalence of hypertension and its concomitant: A study among the Bathudi tribal population of Mayurbhanj district, Odisha, India*” in Two Day National Seminar on Sustainable Development in a Globalizing World: Challenges and Opportunities organised by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University on 21st and 22nd March, 2025.
54. Tudu G, Mohanta C, **Das P**, Goswami M. *Health Status Of The Hill Kharia Tribal Population Of Mayurbhanj, Odisha* during 55th Annual Conference of the Indian Anthropological Society organized by The Department of Anthropology, Vidya Bhavana, In Collaboration with Anthropological Survey of India from 27th to 29th November, 2025.
55. Das S, Mamata Rana M, Panda S, **Das P** and Monali Goswami M. *Exploring Menstrual Health and Hygiene Practices among the Bathudi Tribal Women of Mayurbhanj, Odisha* during 55th Annual Conference of the Indian Anthropological Society organized by The Department of Anthropology, Vidya Bhavana, In Collaboration with Anthropological Survey of India from 27th to 29th November, 2025.
56. Mohanta R, Parhi L, Baral S, **Das P** and Goswami M. *Understanding Reproductive Health and Nutritional Status of the Hill Kharia and Bathudi Women of Mayurbhanj, Odisha*. during

55th Annual Conference of the Indian Anthropological Society organized by The Department of Anthropology, Vidya Bhavana, In Collaboration with Anthropological Survey of India from 27th to 29th November, 2025.

57. Sahu B, **Das P**, Goswami M. *Nutritional Status of the Adult Bathudi Tribal Population of Mayurbhanj, Odisha* during 55th Annual Conference of the Indian Anthropological Society organized by The Department of Anthropology, Vidya Bhavana, In Collaboration with Anthropological Survey of India from 27th to 29th November, 2025.
58. Tudu G and **Das P**. *Family planning challenges and Contraceptive use among tribal population in India: A Review* during Two -days national seminar on Tradition, transformation and Development tribal livelihood challenges in the 21st Century organized by Department of Anthropology, Fakir Mohan University, Odisha on 21st and 22nd January, 2026.
59. Das S and **Das P**. *A Review of Menstrual Health Management among Indian Adolescent Girls.* during Two -days national seminar on Tradition, transformation and Development tribal livelihood challenges in the 21st Century organized by Department of Anthropology, Fakir Mohan University, Odisha on 21st and 22nd January, 2026.
60. Mohanty BK, Mohanta Y, Panda S, **Das P** & Goswami M. *Association between Digit Ratio (2D:4D) and Handgrip Strength: A Study among the Bathudi Tribal Population of Mayurbhanj, Odisha.* during Indian Anthropology Congress, 2026 organised by Department of Anthropology and Center for study in social exclusion, Pondichery University from 21st to 23rd February, 2026.
61. Bijayinee B, Sahu D, Baral S, **Das P** & Goswami M. *Assessment of Nutritional Status: A Study among the Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Group of Mayurbhanj, Odisha* during Indian Anthropology Congress, 2026 organised by Department of Anthropology and Center for study in social exclusion, Pondichery University from 21st to 23rd February, 2026.
62. **Das P**, presented a poster at the National Science Day celebration held at Maharaja Sriram Chandra Bhanja Deo University on 28th February, 2026.
63. Maharana P, Sahu B, **Das P**, Goswami M. *Assessment of nutritional status: A study among the Bathudi Tribal population of Mayurbhanj, Odisha* during international seminar on Natural resource management and sustainable tribal development: Bio-Cultural issues and challenges on 26th and 27th February, 2026 organised by Department of Anthropology, Utkal University.

WORKSHOP ATTENDED:

1. Participated in Ten days **Research Methodology Course in Anthropology and Allied Sciences** conducted by the Department of Anthropology, West Bengal State University and funded by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi from 2nd to 11th December, 2013.
2. Participated in one day workshop on '**Develop Anthropology: Theory and Practical Method**' held on 5th July 2014, organized by Indian Institute of Bio-Social Research and Development at IBRAD Campus, Kolkata.
3. Participated in faculty Development Programme on **The Art of Paper Writing and Publishing** conducted at International Management Institute Kolkata on March 10, 2015.
4. Participated in winter school on **Research Methods in Biological Anthropology** from 13th to 20th January, 2016, organized by Indian statistical institute, Kolkata.
5. Participated in summer school on **Use and Application of SPSS** from 22nd to 25th August, 2017, organized by Indian statistical institute, Kolkata.
6. Participated in international workshop on **Anthropometry (ISAK Level-1 Accreditation course)** from 11th to 13th, December, 2017 organized by international society for the advancement of kinanthropometry (ISAK) UCAM, Murcia, Spain and Department of Anthropology, Acharya Prafulla Chandra College, New Barrackpore, Kolkata, India.
7. Participated in ten day workshop on **Research Methodology in Anthropology** from 6th to 16th March, 2018 organized jointly by the Department of Anthropology, University of Calcutta and Anthropological Survey of India.
8. Participated in international workshop on **Anthropometry (ISAK Level-2 Accreditation course)** from 26th to 29th, February, 2020 organized by international society for the advancement of kinanthropometry (ISAK) UCAM, Murcia, Spain and Department of Anthropology, West Bengal State University, Barasat, India.
9. Participated in international online workshop on **Kinanthropometry and Human Welfare**, on 7th December, 2021 organized by Department of Anthropology, University of Delhi, India.
10. Participated in workshop on **Operations Research in Public Health** organized by the Department of Preventive and Social Medicine, All India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health, Kolkata from 13th to 15th March, 2024.
11. Participated in workshop on **"Research Strategies in Biological Anthropology: Survey and Laboratory Methods"** organized by Biological Anthropology Unit, Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata from 24 to 26th July, 2024.
12. Participated in the two-day workshop online on **"Mastering the art of publishing Research**

Papers and Books” organized by Anthropos India Foundation on 30th November and 1st December, 2024.

13. Participated in training workshop on “**Mixed method and data analytics in Social Science**” organized by Sociological Research Unit, Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata and Giridih from 1st to 3rd September, 2025.

COURSE ATTENDED:

1. Participated in UGC sponsored one-week short term course (STC) on “**Soft Skills and Entrepreneurship Development**” organized in the Department of Home Science, University of Calcutta during 3rd to 9th January, 2020.
2. Participated in one week OHEEP-EDP sponsored short term training programme (FDP) on “**Techniques of Data Analysis in Social science**” organized by the Department of Economics, MSCB University, Baripada from 15th to 19th May, 2023.
3. Participated in UGC sponsored Online **9th Faculty Induction Programme** organized by MMTTC, Sambalpur University, from 3rd to 30th December, 2024.
4. Participated in **NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Programme** (Equivalent to One Week FDP) jointly Organized by MMTTC, Assam University, Silchar and Kamala Nehru Institute of Physical & Social Sciences, Sultanpur from 15th to 24th April 2025.
5. Participated in **One Week Faculty Development Programme (FDP)** on “**Understanding India: Indian Ethos and Knowledge System**” organized by MSCB University from 19th to 23rd May, 2025.
6. Participated in online **Refresher Course in Social Science** Organized by MMTTC, Punjabi University, Patiala from 8th to 23rd, July, 2025.
7. Participated in the PM-USHA sponsored lecture series, from roots to relevance : **One Week Faculty Development Programme (FDP)** on “**Understanding India: Indian Ethos and Knowledge System**” organized by MSCB University from 19th to 23rd May, 2025.
8. Participated in UGC sponsored Online **Refresher Course in Environmental Sciences** organized by MMTTC, Sambalpur University, from 24th February to 9th March, 2026.

EVENT ORGANIZED:

- **Coordinator** of training programme entitled “*Making tribal youth self-reliant: Skill Development training to graduating tribal youth of Maharaja Sriram Chandra Bhanja Deo University*” funded by The Rajib Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India. Tamil Nadu during 7th to 9th March, 2022.

- **Organizing committee member of the Orientation programme** entitled “*How to ensure gender equality in tribal area: Role of Youth*” funded by The Rajib Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India. Tamil Nadu during 13th to 15th, March, 2023.
- **Co-Coordinator** of Faculty Development Programme entitled “Research Methodology in Social Science” organized by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University and funded by OHEPEE-IDP during 27th May to 31st May, 2023.
- **Organizing Committee member** and **Treasurer** of National Seminar entitled “Tribal Transformation and Development in Eastern India” organized by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University and funded by OHEPEE-IDP during 20th and 21st May, 2023.
- **Organizing Committee member** of Two day National Seminar entitled “Social Work in 21st Century: Responding to Tribal Livelihood and Sustainable Development” organized by Department of Social Work and Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University in collaboration with Odisha Professional Social Worker’s Association and funded by OHEPEE-IDP during 11th and 12th December, 2023.
- **Organizing Secretary** of two day national seminar on sustainable development in a globalizing world: challenges and opportunities, organized by department of Anthropology and Tribal studies, MSCB University, Baripada, Odisha on 21st and 22nd March, 2025.
- **Co-Convenor** of 5 days workshop on “The Fundamental Research Approaches Of Social Science For Academic Inquiry” organized by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University and funded by PM-USHA during 8th to 13th December, 2025.
- **Co-Convenor** of 5 days workshop on “Touching the Stone Age: Hands-On Training in Stone Tool Knapping and Lithic Analysis” organized by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University and funded by PM-USHA during 17th to 21st, January, 2026.
- **Co-Convenor** of 5 days workshop on “Advanced Techniques in the Preservation of Tangible Tribal Cultural Heritage” organized by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University and funded by PM-USHA during 27th to 31st, January, 2026.
- **Co-Convenor** of Hands on training program on “Field Archaeology: Exploration and Excavation at Kamta (Kuliana)” organized by Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University and funded by PM-USHA during 12th to 19th March, 2026

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES:

- Reviewer of the online journal of Narasingha Dutta College [E-BIOS (ISSN: 2583-6447)]
- Reviewer of the Journal of Biological Sciences, Cambridge University Press.
- Reviewer of Nature Anthropology, An Official Journal of Shanghai Society of Anthropology, ISSN: 2959-7641 (Online), 2959-7633 (Print)
- Reviewer of the online journal Genus Homo, Dept of Anthropology, West Bengal State University (ISSN 2457-0028).
- Reviewer of the Journal of Marriage & Family Review, Tylor and Francis.

RESEARCH INTEREST:

Non-communicable diseases, Anthropometry, Body composition, Obesity, Public health, Tribal Health, Women Health, Sports Anthropometry.

COURSES TAUGHT (Theory)

- Human Evolution and Variation
- Demography, Health and Nutrition
- Human Genetics
- Forensic Anthropology
- Medical Anthropology
- Nutritional Anthropology
- Research Methodology
- Human Biology
- Sports Anthropology

COURSE TAUGHT (PRACTICAL)

- Craniometry
- Osteology
- ABO blood grouping
- Dermatoglyphics
- Hair morphology

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES:

- **Member of Board of Studies**, P. G Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies, MSCB University.
- **Member of Board of Studies**, Certificate course in Sports Coaching, Sports Authority of India
- **Member of Board of Studies**, P.G Department of Anthropology, DDCE, MSCB University
- **Member of Board of Studies**, P.G Department of Anthropology, F.M. University, Balasore

LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP:

- **President of Apex Club of Kolkata**. An organization working for betterment of the distressed children, women development, education, social awareness, and health.
- **Youth Member of Family Planning Association of India (Kolkata Branch)**. An organization delivering essential health services focusing on sexual and reproductive health in all over India.
- Life member of “**International Society of Advancement of Kinanthropometry**”
- Life member of “**Indian Anthropological Society**”.
- Life member of “**Indian National Confederation and Academy of Anthropologists**”.

DECLARATION

I hereby declare that all the above information is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.



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