

1. Details of the Teacher/ Academic :

Name & Date of Birth :	SWARAJ BASU, 01/01/1959
Date of Joining in IGNOU:	05/12/1988
Current Designation :	Professor in History, SOSS
Pay Scale as on date :	205006/-- (Basic)
Qualifications :	M.Phil and Ph.D in History, Calcutta University; Post-Graduate Diploma in Distance Education, IGNOU.

2. Honour/Award/Fellowship/membership of Professional body/ Statutory body (internal/ external) received by the Teacher/ Academic: *(give name of the recipient, Honour, Award Fellowship name and agency name date of receipt/ period; give name of statutory body and institution/ Apex body etc and period)*

Member, Board of Management, IGNOU,

Member, Planning Board, IGNOU

Member, Academic Council, IGNOU

Member, Research Council, IGNOU

Member Secretary, Distance Education Council, IGNOU,

Member Secretary, Joint Committee of University Grants Commission, All India Council for Technical Education and Distance Education Council,

Member, Board of Studies, School of Sciences, School of Translation Studies and School of Social Sciences, IGNOU,

Member, Executive Body of Pandit Sundarlal Sharma Open University, Chhattisgarh,

Member, The Court, Rabindra Bharati University, West Bengal,

Member, Executive Council, Uttarakhand Open University,

Member, Academic Council, Uttarakhand Open University,

Member, Distance Education Advisory Board, Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya Hindi Viswavidyalaya,

Member, Board of Studies, Indira Gandhi University, Haryana,

Member, Advisory Committee of India's Freedom Struggle Project, Indian Council of Historical Research, New Delhi.

3. Books/Book Chapter:

- Co-author/co-editor if any, title, place of publication, publisher, Year, page (no) s, ISBN No.,

(Duly authenticated by the Director/ Head of School/ Division/ Unit/Centre / Cell)

- Author1, Co author 1, Co author 2, Title of chapter/book, place of publication, publisher, Year, page (no) s, ISBN No.

BOOKS:

Dynamics of a Caste Movement: The Rajbansis of North Bengal, 1910-1947, Manohar Publisher, Delhi, 2003.

An Unforgettable Dalit Voice: Life, Writings and Speeches of M. C. Rajah, Manohar Publisher, Delhi, 2012 (Edited Volume)

Readings on Dalit Identity: History, Literature and Religion, Orient BlackSwan, Delhi, 2016 (Edited Volume)

Ambedkar's Ideas on Pakistan, South Asia Press, Delhi (Edited Volume, Under Publication).

4. Research Articles/Publications (including Policy Documents, Reports/ Mimeos) :

- Author/ co-author (if any), title, Name of Journal, Volume, page no. (s), Year, ISSN No
 - Author/ co-author, title, Name of Journal, Volume, page no, Year, ISSN No.
- i) The Colonial State and the Indigenous Society: Creation of the Rajbansi identity in Bengal: In S. Bandyopadhyay, A. Dasgupta and W.V. Schendel (eds.), *Bengal: Communities, Development and States*, Manohar Publisher, Delhi, 1994;
 - ii) Is Creation of New States the Answer to People's Aspiration, in *Mainstream* (Journal), September, 2000;
 - iii) Higher Education and Globalisation: Meeting the Challenge, in *Mainstream* (Journal), April, 2001;
 - iv) Poona Pact and the Issue of Dalit Representation, in *Indian History Congress Proceedings*, 2001;
 - v) Bengal: Contesting Notions of Caste Identity, in *Contemporary India*, Vol.2, No.3, Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, 2003,
 - vi) Nation, Identity and Australia's Past, in D.Gopal and Dennis Rumley (eds.), *India and Australia, Issues and Opportunities*, Delhi, 2004;
 - vii) Religion and Militant Nationalism: Early Twentieth Century Bengal, in B.K.Bhattacharya(ed.), *India's Freedom Movement-Legacy of Bipin Chandra Pal*, Delhi, 2007;
 - viii) Towards Convergence in Higher Education, in Staff and Educational Development International, Vol.11, 2007;
 - ix) Whose Nation? Understanding Nationalism in India and Australia, in D.Gopal (ed.), *India-Australia Relations: Convergences and Divergences*, Delhi, 2008,
 - x) Dalits and Indigenous Australians: Affirmative Actions and Existing Realities, in D.Gopal and Alan Mayne (eds.), *Cultural Diversity, Governance and Policy:India-Australia*, Delhi, 2009;
 - xi) Higher Education in a Changing World, in *Staff and Educational Development International*, 2009;

(Duly authenticated by the Director/ Head of School/ Division/ Unit/Centre / Cell)

- xii) Gandhi and the Poona Pact, in *IGNOU Text on Gandhian Studies*, 2010;
- xiii) Gandhi and The Depressed Classes, in *IGNOU Text on Gandhian Studies*, 2010;
- xiv) Gandhi and Religious Harmony, in *IGNOU Text on Gandhian Studies*, 2010;
- xv) Kshatriyahood to Statehood: Voices of the Rajbansis of North Bengal, Debal K. Singha Roy (ed.), *Dissenting Voices and Transformative Actions, Social Movements in a Globalizing World*, Delhi, Manohar Publishers, Delhi, 2010.
- xvi) Distance Learning in North-East: An Overview, jointly with Manjulika Srivastava in *University News*, published by Association of Indian Universities, September 20-26, 2010
- xvii) Rethinking 'Openness' in Open Universities in India, *University News*, July 25-31, 2011.
- xviii) Look Beyond Conventional Wisdom: Need for National Policy on ODL, jointly with Manjulika Srivastava in *University News*, published by Association of Indian Universities, July 02-08, 2012.
- xix) Gorkhas, Adivasis and Others in North Bengal, in *Economic and Political Weekly*, September 01, 2012.
- xx) What Made Ambedkar Great, in Biswamoy Pati (ed.), *Invoking Contributions, Receptions, Legacies: Ambedkar*, Primus Books, Delhi, 2014;
- xxi) Tolerance: The Essence of Indian Culture, in Sabyasachi Bhattacharya(ed.), *Indian Cultural Unity: A Reappraisal*, Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture, Kolkata, 2014.
- xxii) Is ODL Facing an Identity Crisis, in *University News*, published by Association of Indian Universities, February 9-15, 2015;
- xxiii) Dr. B. R. Ambedkar on Humanism, in Sudhir Singh (ed.), *Relevance of Ambedkar Today*, Pentagon Press, New Delhi, 2017

5. Book Review published :

- Author/ co-author (if any), title, Name of Journal, Volume, page no. (s), Year, ISSN No.)
- Author/ co-author, title, Name of Journal, Volume, page no, Year, ISSN No.

Reviewed a good number of books in Indian Economic and Social History Review, Indian Historical Quarterly, etc

6. Presentation/Invited talk/Chair in National or International Seminar/Conference/ Workshops (Please do not mention if it is only participation without presentation)

- Author, Co author 1, Co author 2, Title of presentation/Talk/Lecture, Conference Name Organizing institute, City, date and Year.
- 1) Delivered second foundation day lecture at K.K.Handique State Open University, Guwahati,
 - 2) Delivered Memorial lecture at Punjabi University, Patiala,
 - 3) Delivered Memorial lecture at North Bengal University, West Bengal.
 - 4) Participated as Resource Person in a large number of workshops on different areas of open and distance learning in state open universities and directorate of distance education in conventional universities in India.

(Duly authenticated by the Director/ Head of School/ Division/ Unit/Centre / Cell)

- 5) Given key note presentation in Distance Education Conference organized by Vardhaman Mahavir Open University, Kota, Rajasthan on 'Rethinking Openness in Open Universities in India'.
- 6) Given Key note address on a seminar on distance education at Netaji Subhas Open University, Kolkata

Participated in a large number of seminars organized by different universities and other academic bodies.

7. Study Tour Organised/ Participated/ Attachment Organized/Internship

- List of the tour with name of coordinating body and duration
- Name of coordinating body and duration

NA

8. Consultancy assignment (if any):

- Organization/ agency, cost, title of consultancy, duration

NA

9. Details of Institution/ Government/ Industry Sponsored Research Projects and Amount (Both completed and ongoing):

- Agency, amount, duration with dates and status i.e. ongoing/ completed

NA

10. Details of PhD and MPhil Scholars (including those awarded degree):

- Name and enrolment no., year of registration, year of completion/ award

Ms. Swati Sengupta, Ph.D awarded

Ms. Neha Lal, Ph.D awarded

Ms. Nisha Singh, registered in 2017 for Ph.D

Ms. Hansa Rawat, registered in 2018 for Ph.D

Ms. Nikeeta Verma, registered in 2018 for Ph.D

Ms. Mukesh Kumari, registered in 2018 for Ph.D

11. Details of Programmes/ Courses coordinated and developed:

- Programmes coordinated and period
- Courses coordinated and period
- Courses edited and period
- SLM: Units written and period
- Courses/ Units translated and period
- Audio programmes (title, Course, period)
- Video programmes (title and Course, period)
- Training programmes developed / coordinated, duration and dates

Programme co-ordinator of M.A. in History

(Duly authenticated by the Director/ Head of School/ Division/ Unit/Centre / Cell)

Courses co-ordinated-Ehi-07, Ehi-05, Ts-3, Ts-6, Bhie-107, Bhic-111, Bhic-114, Bhie-131, Bhie-142, Mhi-01, 02, 04

Units written/edited more than 50 over a period of 30 years

Audio programmes made 5 and video programmes made 4.

12. Details of Counselling sessions conducted:(Programme/ Course, dates and duration)

- Face to Face
- Radio counselling
- Teleconferencing
- Web conferencing

Records of radio and teleconferencing are not maintained by me but participated in a number of such activities.

13. Research Credentials: (data to be obtained from Indian Citation Index/Google Scholar (Access to Indian Citation Index is available on the IGNOU Library web Page) Goggle Scholar is a free source that can be accessed by anyone, anywhere.)

Research interest and specialization	h-index cumulative	i-10 index Cumulative	Citations Cumulative
Modern history and education			

14. Details of Patents granted (if any): NA

15. Contribution to IGNOU's corporate life:

- Chairperson/ Member of Committee and name of the Committee and date/ period

Records not maintained but participated in various committees in different capacities

16. Administrative position/s held in the University

- Designation and duration

Director, Distance Education Council 2005-2008

Director, School of Social Sciences, 2016 till date

17. Any other contribution/information

Signature of Teacher /Academic

Signature of Director/ Head