

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA

FACULTY ACADEMIC PROFILE/CV

1 Full name of the faculty member: Jayanti Basu

2 **Designation:** Professor, Dept. of Applied Psychology

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6 Academic Qualifications:

College/University Abbreviation of the degree

University of Calcutta BA (Hons) in Psychology, 1979

University of Calcutta MA in Psychology, 1981

University of Calcutta PhD, 1989

7 **Positions held/holding:**

Lecturer, Cept. of Psychology, CU 1986-1998 Reader, Applied Psychology, CU 1998-2006 Professor, Applied Psychology, CU 2006 --

8 Research Interests

Gender, Ego function, Psychological assessment, Relationship, Aggression, Moral Psychology, Psychotherapy process

9 Research Guidance

Number of researchers awarded Ph.D degrees: 15; Ongoing 4

10 Projects:

Completed Projects:

Title of the Project	Name of funding agency	Duration	Remarks
Aggressive reactions to frustration as a function of some personality variables among college students	UGC (Minor)	July 1998 – July 2000	Co-investigator with Dr. Nilanjana Sanyal, PI, Dept. of Psychology, CU (Minor project)
Identification of pathologically aggressive youths and adolescents and assessment of some psychosocial risk factors	UGC (Minor)	July 1999 – July 2001	Minor project
Risk factors, prevention and culture compliant intervention for some psychiatric disorders prevalent among women	DST, WB (major)	Dec 2000 – Dec, 2003	Major project
Mental health of Bengali women in relation to gendered perception of self and others	WSRC, CU (minor)	Nov 2001 – May 2002	Minor project
Life History Construction & Mass violence in South East Asia'	Syndicated international study	Dec 1999 – Dec, 2004	Launched by CSDS, New Delhi. The project involves researchers from India, Bangladesh, Pakistan and Srilanka.
Mental Health And Neuropsychological Status Of The Aged And Their Impact On The Care And Perceived Value Of The Aged In and around Kolkata	DST, WB (major)	May 2008 – April, 2010	Major project

11 Select list of publications: (Since 2011)

- a) Journals:
 - 1. Dasgupta, S. & Basu, J. (2011) Marital quality and gender role stereotype. *Psychological Studies*, 56 (4), 360-367
 - 2. Dutta, D., Basu, J. & Bandyopadhyay, G. (2011) Depression, Personality Characteristics, and Gain Among Female Patients Suffering From Somatoform Disorder And Chronic Physical Pain In Comparison To Normal Controls. SIS Journal of Projective Psychology & Mental Health, 16(2), 177-185.
 - 3. Ray Chaudhuri, M. & Basu, J. (2011) Strategic HR interventions in managerial perception: reflections from a gender perspective. In K. Maran (Ed.). *Competency building strategies in business and technology*. Chennai: Masilamani Pathippagam. 858-861.
 - 4. Basu, J., Dasgupta, S., Chakraborty, U. & Basu, S. (2012) Variants of the Indian Gender Role Identity Scale (IGRIS) for different age groups in Bengali population. *Journal of Indian Academy of Applied Psychology*, 38(2) 305-310.
 - 5. Adhikari, S., Basu, J., Das, S. K. & Misra, A. (2012) Effects of Age, Stage of Disease and Educational level on Cognitive Dysfunction in Non-demented Idiopathic Parkinsonism: Preliminary report. *Industrial Psychiatry Journal*, 21(1), 32-38.
 - 6. Duggal, C. & Basu, J. (2012) How Does Belief in God Influence Our Mental Health and Existential Status? *Indian Journal of Clinical Psychology*, *39* (2),138-146.
 - 7. Choudhuri, S. & Basu, J. (2013) Rational versus Intuitive Reasoning in Moral Judgement: A Review of Current Research Trends and New Directions. *JIAAP*, 39(2) 164-173.
 - 8. Ray Chaudhuri, M., Basu, J. & Fadeyibi, I. O. (2013) Industry Types, Managerial Levels and Strategic HR Interventions: Exploring Total SHRI Scores in the 'ASHRIMP' Scale in India. *Singapore Management Journal*, 2 (2), 48-64.
 - 9. Basu, J. (2014). Psychologists' ambivalence toward ambiguity: Relocating the projective test debate for multiple interpretative hypotheses. SIS Journal of Projective Psychology & Mental health, 21 (1), 25-36.
 - Banerjee, S. & Basu, J. (2014) Personality Factors, Attachment Style And Coping Strategies In Couples With Good And Poor Marital Quality. *Psychological Studies*, 59(1), 59-67. DOI 10.1007/s12646-013-0233-7
 - 11. Banerjee, P. & Basu, J (2016) Therapeutic Relationship as a Change Agent in Psychotherapy: An Interpretative Phenomenological Analysis. *Journal of Humanistic Psychology*, 56 (2), 171-193. doi: 10.1177/0022167814561547

- 12. Basu, J. (2016): Present status and challenges of intellectual assessment in India, *International Journal of School & Educational Psychology*, DOI: 10.1080/21683603.2016.1163676
- 13. Malakar, P. & Basu, J. (2017) Subclinical obsessive-compulsive symptoms, cognitive processes, school achievement, and intelligence-achievement relationship in adolescents. *International Journal of School & Educational Psychology*, *5*(2), 115-125. DOI: 10.1080/21683603.2016.1197169.
- 14. Bhattacharya, O., Chatterjee, A. & Basu, J. (2017). Humility: An Emerging Construct in Moral Psychology. *Psychological Studies*, 62(1), 1-11. doi:10.1007/s12646-017-0387-9.
- 15. Basu, J. (2017) Projective hypothesis. *Encyclopaedia of Personality and Individual Differences*, edited by Virgil Zeigler-Hill and Todd K. Shackelford. Springer International Publishing. 10.1007/978-3-319-28099-8_64-1.
- 16. Majumdar, A. & Basu, J. (2017) Assessing ego functions of young professionals engaged in performing and visual arts and control: A comparative study. *Indian Journal of Health and Well Being*, 8(10), 1178-1183.
- 17. Chandra, S. & Basu, J. (2017) Post Traumatic Stress Disorder following Socio-Political Disaster in Nandigram, West Bengal: Comparison between Younger and Older Group of Women. *Indian Journal of Private Psychiatry*, 11(2), 5-10.
- 18. Chandra, S. & Basu, J. (2017) Post-traumatic stress disorder following Soco-political disaster in Nandigram, West Bengal, India: Comparison between younger and older group of women. *Indian journal of Private Psychiatry*, 11(2), 5-10.
- 19. Choudhuri, S. & Basu, J. (2019 March 13) Traditional Stories as Possible Vignettes in the Research of Moral Judgement: A Preliminary Report Using Stories from Mahabharata. *Psychology & Developing Societies*, *31*(1), 187-219. Doi: https://doi.org/10.1177/0971333618825072 (Sage)
- 20. Basu, J. (2019 April 16). Place Spirituality in the imaginary locus: How real is the nonreal? *Archive for the Psychology of Religion, 41*(1), 33-37. https://doi.org/10.1177/0084672418824065
- 21. Mukherjee, Urbi, Basu, J. & Banerjee, U. (2019) Attachment, aggression orientation and emotion regulation in patients with borderline personality disorder- An interpersonal perspective. humanities & Social Science Sttudies, 8(1) 70-81.
- 22. Basu, J. (2019) A Possible Psychology of 'Selves' in India? Reflections enthused by a chronic dissenter. *Psychological Studies*, *64*, 332-341. DOI: 10.1007/s12646-019-00525-y
- 23. Basu, J. (2020) Ambivalences and ambiguities: A personal journey with Mohandas. Samiksa, 63 (Special issue on Gandhi Seminar), 73-80.
- 24. Dwivedi M, Dubey N, Pansari AJ, Bapi RS, Das M, Guha M, Banerjee R, Pramanick G, Basu J and Ghosh A (2021) Effects of Meditation on Structural Changes of the Brain in Patients With Mild Cognitive Impairment or Alzheimer's Disease Dementia. *Front. Hum. Neurosci.* 15:728993. doi: 10.3389/fnhum.2021.728993 (12 November 2021)

b) Books/Book Chapters

- 1. 'Reconstructing the Bengal partition: The psyche under a different violence', Kolkata: Samya. 2013..
- 2. Basu, J. (2012) Challenges of psychological test development for military personnel deployed in low intensity conflict areas: Indian context. In Gurpreet Kaur & Manas Mondal (Eds), *Psychometric Testing in Armed Forces: Issues and Challenges*. (pp. 223-252) New Delhi: Pentagon Press.
- 3. Basu, J., Samanta, Matangini, Basu, Sipra, & Bhattacharya, Mahua (2018) Gender in Relation to Mental Health: Masculinity, Femininity, Modernity and Daily Hassles in Relation to Subjective Wellbeing in G. Misra (Ed). *Psychosocial Interventions for Health and Wellbeing* (pp. 313-333). New Delhi: Springer
- 4. Basu, J. (2019) Internal Monologue. In Virgil Zeigler-Hill and Todd K. Shackelford (eds). *Encyclopedia of Personality and Individual Differences*. 10.1007/978-3-319-28099-8_689-1
- Basu, J. & Bhattacharyya, N. K. (2021). Applied Psychology at the University of Calcutta: Heritage and State-of-the-art. In G. Misra, N. Sanyal & S. De (Eds). Psychology in Modern India: Historical, Methodological and Future Perspectives (pp. 61-84). Springer.
- 6. Basu, J. (2021) Psychology of Consciousness: A Traveller Through a Crisscrossed History. In Ramala Sarma (Ed), *Understanding Mind*, *Consciousness and Person* (pp. 1-26). New Delhi: Rawat Publications.

12 Membership of Learned Societies: Membership of professional bodies, societies etc.:

Associate Life member of Indian Association of Clinical Psychology, Indian Psychiatric Association, Associate member of Indian Psychoanalytical Society, Life member of Somatic Inkblot Society, Society for Behavioral Medicine, Indian Association of Applied Psychology.

13 Invited lectures delivered/ Resource person for workshops: (Selected List since 2011)

Name of the seminar	Organizer , Venue	Name of the paper presented	Date / year	
33 rd Annual International Conference of ISPA	VIT, Vellore	Adolescent behaviour and implications for training and guidance	20-23 July, 2011	
Training Program for Judges	Academy of Judicial Services, Kolkata	Criminal Psychology	August 2011	
Seminar on qualitative methods	PRU, ISI	Qualitative approaches to research in Psychology	7 March, 2012	
Workshop on Qualitative research 16 th International & 47th	NIMHANS	Qualitative research in clinical practice	14 June, 2012	
National Conference of Indian Academy of Applied Psychology, 2012	TIST, Kochi	Aggression in homeless psychotic women assessed through three projective tests	15-17 June, 2012	
Workshop on Trauma Management	Dept. of Psychology, CU in collaboratio n with NAoP	Soft violence in the context of Bengal partition	1 st Oct, 2012	
NAOP Conference	Christ University, Bangalore	Psychology in India : A collaborative effort	10-12 Dec, 2012	
Workshop on Projective tests	Dibrugarh University	Projective tests with special reference to Rorschach Test	26-27 April, 2012	
Two-day Seminar on: Psycho-social Dimensions of Aggression	Dept. Of Philosophy. JU	Sanctioned aggression: Psychosocial perspective	23-24 March, 2013	
International conference on Developmental Disability	Dept. Of Psychology, CU	From Childhood disorders to Neurodevelop-mental disorders: From DSM IV to DSM 5	5-7 March, 2014	
International Conference on Cross cultural perspectives	Dept. Of Psychology, Korea	Traditional stories as possible vignettes: Preliminary reports on moral elements and moral	20-22 March, 2014	

of moral psychology	University	conflicts in stories from Indian	
National Conference on Qualitative research: From people to papers	Dept. Of Nursing Calcutta Medical College	Reliability and validity of Qualitative research	26-27 May 2014
International Conference on Stress Management Professional	NI-MSME - Hyderabad	Stress management Draft Policy	6-8 Nov, 2014
Workshop on Qualitative methods	CIP, RAnchi	Qualitative methods: AN overview	Nov 2015
Silver Jubilee conference of NAoP 2016	Dept. of Psychology, Allahabad University	Professional Psychology, competence and culture: Why and how we may collaborate	4 th Feb 2016
Workshop on Psychodynamic psychotherapy	LGB Regional Institute Of Mental Health, Tejpur, Assam	Psychodynamic psychotherapy	22-23 Oct, 2018
Workshop on Methodological aspects of psychosocial clinical research	Ambedkar University, Delhi	Research methods for psychosocial clinical issues	8-9 Feb, 2019
Seminar on Gandhi: The person and his philosophy	Indian Psychoanal ytical Society, Kolkata	Ambivalences and inner conflicts: A personal journey with Mohandas	1-2 March , 2019
Seminar on Clinic Critique Culture: Philosophy and Praxis of Psychoanalysis in India	Ambedkar University, Delhi	Psychoanalysis versus spiritual perspectives: Comments on pigeonholing	12-13 April, 2019
Workshop on Psychodynamic psychotherapy	MDU, Haryana	Psychodynamic psychotherapy techniques	14 April, 2019

14 Other notable activities:

- Editor, Journal of Indian Academy of Applied Psychology, 2015---2017
- Associate editor of Journal of Indian Academy of Applied Psychology, 2011-2015
- Guest Editor, Prof. Sultan Akhtar Memorial Volume of JIAAP, 2015, Vol. 38(3).
- Member of the Editorial Board / Occasional Reviewer of National and international Journals, some of which are: Edutech, Journal of Indian Health Psychology; Indian Social & Psychological Studies, Psychological Studies; Pakistan Journal of Psychological Researches, S I S Journal Of Projective Psychology & Mental Health, Psychological Reports etc.