

# CURRICULUM VITAE

**Prof. (Dr.) Ashis Kumar Panigrahi, Ph.D, D.Sc,**  
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**Former Head, Department of Zoology,**  
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**University of Kalyani. West Bengal, India**



## Personal Information:

**Date of Birth** : 26.08.1961

## ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION:

DEGREE OBTAINED	MAIN SUBJECT	UNIVERSITY	YEAR	POSITION/CLASS
1. B.Sc(Hons)	Zoology	Utkal	1980	1 <sup>st</sup> Class with distinction
2.M.Sc(Zoology)	Fish & Fisheries	Kalyani	1982	1 <sup>st</sup> class
3. Ph.D. (Thesis title: Lethal effects of petroleum oil, crude oils and petro effluent on fish and fish food organisms)	Fishery Science & Ecotoxicology	Kalyani	1988	N.A.
4.D.Sc(Doctorate in Science)	Studies on Aquatic Pollution of some important tributaries of the Ganga River in southern part of West Bengal, India, with special emphasis on the Development of the Fishermen Community.	Berhampur University, Odisha	2021	

## Experiences In Teaching, Service, Research And Extension: 36 years.

**Teaching Experiences: 26 years approx (University of Animal and Fishery Sciences and University of Kalyani) and Service experience 12 years as Fishery Technical Officer, Planning and Development Cell, Govt. of West Bengal.**

## Achievement (Different Prestigious Awards Received)

- Received Life Time Achievement award ,2021 from confederation of Indian University, New Delhi.
- Received “Clean Environment Education and Promotion Award 2018” in 2nd World Clean Environment Summit.
- Received “Swami Vivekananda Excellence Award” in the year of 2017 from the Confederation of Indian Universities, New Delhi.
- Received “Bharat Sikha Ratna Award” in the year 2016 from the Confederation of Indian

- Universities, New Delhi.
- v. **“Eminent scientist of the year 2015”** award received from ICEE, Kolkata & Association of Indian Universities, New Delhi, March, 2016 at Bharathir University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu.
  - vi. **Fellow award** from Zoological Society of India (Cal), FZS (Cal) received in 2015.
  - vii. **“Dr. G. K. Kulkarni Gold Medal Award”** in Aquaculture and Fisheries, 2013.
  - viii. **“DR. V.R.P.Sinha Gold Medal Award, 2012”** for outstanding research and contribution in the field of Limnology from Zoological Society of India.
  - ix. **Acted as Coordinator of Examinations** for four years in West Bengal University of Animal and Fishery Sciences (2003-2007).
  - x. **Worked as Head of the Dept.** in Fisheries Extension under W.B.U.A.F.S from 2003 to 2007.
  - xi. **Acted as a Chief Executive Officer** for fisheries cooperative development under Government of West Bengal at CADC. (from 1992-2000)
  - xii. **Acted as Head Examiner** in Pisciculture of West Bengal Board of Secondary Education from 1993 to 2000.
  - xiii. **Acted as Fishery Technical Officer and In-Charge of Fishery Section** at CADC, under Planning and Development cell, Govt. of West Bengal. (From 1987-2000)
  - xiv. **Worked as Head of The Department of Zoology** under Kalyani University from 2012 to 2014 and 2018-2020.

#### **Other Achievement: Administrative Experiences.(Past experience)**

- i. Co-ordinator of Environmental Biotechnology Centres (ENVIS), University of Kalyani.
- ii. Chairman Establishment Committee, University of Kalyani.
- iii. Chairman Staff quarter Allotment Committee, University of Kalyani.
- iv. Chairman Departmental Research Committee, University of Kalyani.
- v. Chairman U.G. and P.G. Board of Studies in Zoology, University of Kalyani.
- vi. Chairman Board of Studies Zoology, Distance mode, University of Kalyani.
- vii. Head of the Dept. of Zoology, University of Kalyani.

#### **Life Members and Fellow of different Societies.**

- i. **Society for Science and Environment (FSSE), Bhopal.**
- ii. **Zoological society of India (FZSI), Budhgoya.**
- iii. **Association of Aquaculturists CIFA, Bhubaneswar.**
- iv. **Society for Environment and Biological Association (SEBA), Kolkata.**
- v. **West Bengal Vigyan Mancha.**
- vi. **Zoological society of India, Kolkata.**
- vii. **International Foundation for Environment and Ecology.**
- viii. **Central Calcutta Society and Cultural Organization for Youth.**
- ix. **Fellow of Zoological Society of Indian,**
- x. **Fellow of Zoological society of Kolkata.**
- xi. **Fellow of Glocal Environment & Social Association.**
- xii. **Fellow of Nepal Aquaculture Society.**

#### **National Seminar and Conferences attended and presented papers: - 75**

#### **International seminar attended and presented papers: - 20**

#### **Area of Research Interest**

Fisheries & Aquaculture, Aquatic & Industrial Pollution, Biodiversity & Conservation and Eco-Toxicology.

#### **Ph.D. Guidance:**

**Awarded – 24**  
**Thesis submitted - 02**  
**Current Ph.D. Scholar- 08**  
**M.Phil Guided- 50**

## Master degree Dissertation Guided- 120

### Publications:

- i. Papers Published: 160 + 3 communicated.
- ii. Books Published: 06.
- iii. Contributed chapters in different books: 18.
- iv. Article published: 60

### Present Activity :

- i. Recently awarded D.Sc. Degree on River Pollution - impacts & controls measures.
- ii. Engaged in Diversified research activities
- iii. At present working as Pro- Vice Chancellor (Academic & Administrative) of Burdwan University since June 2020.

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