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Personal Details

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Currently pursuing a Doctor of Philosophy in Political Science from the Department of Political Science, University of North Bengal, since March 2021.

Educational Qualification

- \Rightarrow Qualified CBSE (X) in 2013 with 8.2 CGPA
- \Rightarrow Qualified WBCHSE (XII) in 2015 with 85.2%
- ⇒ Qualified Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Political Science from St. Joseph's College, North Point, Darjeeling, University of North Bengal in 2018 with 62.75%
- ⇒ Qualified Master of Arts in Political Science from the University of North Bengal in 2020 with 68%
- \Rightarrow Qualified UGC NET for Assistant Professor in Political Science in December 2018.
- \Rightarrow Qualified UGC NET for Junior Research Fellowship and Assistant Professor in Political Science in December 2019.

Other Qualifications

 \Rightarrow Diploma in Computer Application

⇒ College Internal Certificate Course (CICC) in the Career Oriented Programme of Communicative English

<u>Awards</u>

⇒ University Gold Medalist in B.A. Honours Examination, 2018 in Political Science for securing First Class First Position (University of North Bengal)

Seminars/ Conferences/ Workshops

- ⇒ Participated in the International Conference on 'Intellectual Property Rights', organised by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) and Research Cell, St. Joseph's College, North Point, Darjeeling, held during 4-5 March 2019.
- ⇒ Participated in the Collaboration Workshop of the Centre for Development Studies with Darjeeling Legal Aid Forum on '*Your Rights, Your Laws*' organised by the Department of Political Science, University of North Bengal, held on 13th March 2019.
- ⇒ Participated in the Collaboration Workshop of the Centre for Development Studies with Himalayan Nature and Adventure Foundation on '*Environment and Development*' organised by the Department of Political Science, University of North Bengal, held on 27th March 2019.
- ⇒ Participated and presented a paper titled 'Marriage and Human Rights in India' in the ICSSR-NERC Sponsored One Week Inter-Disciplinary National Workshop (Online) on Human Rights Education: Issues and Challenges in North East India organised by the Centre for Ethnic Studies and Research (CESR), Guwahati in collaboration with Department of Political Science, Moridhal College, Dhemaji and Department of Political Science, Morigaon College, Morigaon held from 7th August 2021 to 13th August 2021.
- ⇒ Presented a paper titled 'Digital Technologies and Elections in India: Challenges and Future Prospects' at the International Conference on Digital Governance and Digital Politics in South Asia organised by the Department of Political Science, St. Joseph's College, Darjeeling, held during 15-16 September 2022.
- ⇒ Participated in the Workshop on 'Research as Practice: Issues and Challenges in Methodology of Social Sciences' organised by the Centre for Development Studies, Department of Political Science, University of North Bengal from 23rd March 2023 to 28th March 2023.

- ⇒ Attended the Summer School on 'Quantitative Techniques in Social Science Research' organised jointly by Lokniti-CSDS and NITTE Education Trust at Bengaluru from 21 June to 1 July 2023.
- ⇒ Presented a paper titled 'A Man and a Machine in the Fourth Industrial Revolution in India: Issues and Concerns from a Gandhian Perspective' at the International Conference on India @ 75: The Gandhian Perspectives organised by the Department of Political Science and Department of History, University of North Bengal in collaboration with Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, Kolkata held during 28-29 August 2023.
- ⇒ Participated in a Three-day Workshop on 'Writing Academic Papers' organised by Omeo Kumar Das Institute of Social Change and Development, an Autonomous Research Institute of ICSSR, New Delhi and Government of Assam, Guwahati held during 12-14 September 2023.
- ⇒ Presented a paper titled 'Caste Prejudices and Perceptions in the Reservation Discourses in India: Reserved Castes on the Reservation for the Dominant Castes' at the International Seminar on Inequalities, Othering and Violence in Everyday Life (Interdisciplinary) organised by the Department of Sociology, Cluny Women's College, Kalimpong in association with IQAC of Cluny Women's College and in collaboration with and financial support from RC 28 (Sociology of Everyday Life of the Indian Sociological Society) held during 23-24 November 2023.

Key areas of research interest

Election Studies, Political Parties and Party Systems, State and Regional Politics, Ethnic-Identity Politics and Religion and Politics

Declaration: I Tshumila Lama, hereby declare that the statements provided herein are accurate to the best of my knowledge.

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