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Education

- Ph.D. in Mass Communication & Journalism, Sikkim University, 2023
- M.Phil. in Mass Communication & Journalism, Sikkim University, 2015
- M.A. in Mass Communication & Journalism, Sikkim University, 2012
- B.A. in Mass Communication & Journalism, University of North Bengal, 2009
- UGC-NET in Mass Communication & Journalism, 2012
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Experience

- Assistant Professor, School of Media and Communication, Adamas University (February 2025 – Present)
- Assistant Professor, Amity University Chhattisgarh (November 2023 – January 2025)
- Assistant Professor & Head, Department of Mass Communication, Salesian College, Darjeeling (September 2017 – May 2021)
- Visiting Faculty, Sikkim University (July 2013 – December 2015)

Research Publications

- Giri, P. (2026). Peripheral publics and digital participation: deliberation in Northeast India's news media. *Media International Australia* (OnlineFirst). <https://doi.org/10.1177/1329878X261463276>
- Giri, P., & Gogoi, D. M. (2026). Digital news media as micro-public spheres in Northeast India: A structural analysis. *Media Asia*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01296612.2026.2617250>
- Giri, P. (2023). Representation of immigration in Northeast India's online news media: The communitarian framing approach. *Salesian Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences*. <https://doi.org/10.66946/guineis.v9.a131>
- Giri, P. (2018). Historical roots of Nepali public sphere in colonial Darjeeling. *Salesian Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences*, 9(2), 110–123. <https://doi.org/10.51818/sjhss.09.2018.81-90>

Conference Presentations

- Social Media and Political Discourse in India's Northeast – International Conference on Conflicts through Media Discourse Globally, Mother Teresa Women's University, Chennai, 16–17 September 2021.
- Social Media as the Emerging Public Sphere: A Study on Immigration Discourse in Northeast India – International Conference on Humanities through Literature, Film, and Media, Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT), Chennai, 19–20 October 2021.
- The Gorkhaland Movement: A Structural and Critical Analysis – National Seminar on Conflict in South Asia: Consequences and Implications, Don Bosco College, Golaghat, Assam, 16–17 March 2018.

- Nepali Theatre in Darjeeling: Construction and Representation of Nepali Identity – International Conference on Darjeeling and the Eastern Himalayas, Salesian College, Darjeeling, 14–15 March 2017.
- Identity Politics, Theatre and Nepali Public Sphere in Darjeeling: A Historical and Structural Assessment – 4th International Conference on India’s North-East: People, Power and Perspective, Sikkim University, Gangtok, 24–26 November 2016.

Faculty Development & Training

- NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme – 23, Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme (MM-TTP), UGC, organized by The University of Burdwan, 19 February – 3 March 2025 (Grade: A).
- Faculty Development Programme on Transforming Education in the Light of the National Education Policy and Understanding the Different Accreditation Bodies, IQAC, Adamas University in collaboration with AADC (AIU), 3–12 June 2025, Kolkata.

Workshops / Symposium Participation

- Inter-Disciplinary Research Methods Workshop, Salesian College, Darjeeling, 22 February 2020.
- International Symposium on Hill University and Prospects of Higher Education in Darjeeling, Southfield College, Darjeeling, 4 September 2018.
- 17th Research Scholars Workshop, Salesian College, 9 December 2017.
- Media Workshop on Climate Change Reporting in the Himalayas, Ministry of Science & Technology, Government of India, Gangtok, Sikkim, 25–27 March 2017.