## **CURRICULUM VITAE**



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## **Professional Profile**

- Pegan my career as a sub-editor with a leading Bengali daily, *Uttarbanga Sambad* in 2012 in Siliguri. Primarily my job was to edit copies sent by reporters, co-ordinate with reporters, translate national and international news from English to Bengali, translate post-editorial copies, select news and photographs for page make up, write feature stories etc. I was the chief editorial assistant in National and International news section. I worked as a field journalist as well. Did a few special *investigative stories*. Left *Uttarbanga Sambad* in August, 2017.
- ? Joined another leading Bengali daily, *Bartaman Patrika* as translator in August, 2017 in Kolkata. Left the job in July, 2019.
- ? Joined a sports news website, which is part of leading cricket website crictracker and Sports info

(joint venture), based in Kolkata (please check the link to see my published article: <a href="www.sports.info">www.sports.info</a> and choose Bengali from language section dropdown) as Translator cum Sub Editor since July 2019. Worked till July, 2020.

Currently working as full-time freelance translator and/or language expert for various national and international concerns.

Some of them are as following:

- 1. **Facebook**'s Bengali language expert with a leading language vendor **RWS Moravia.** Have been working with them since November 2020.
- 2. Bengali language expert for a leading localization agency based in California, named **Lilt.** I mainly translate for **Snap Chat's** user interface strings with them. Have been working for them for the last 2 years.
- 3. Bengali language expert with a California based organization, named Spec Translation for the last 2 years.
- 4. Bengali language expert for **Amazon's** shopping website. I have been directly working for the last 2 years with their European Headquarters office, which is based at Luxembourg.
- 5. Bengali translator with a start-up based in Bangladesh (Rangpur), named *Infinity Solutions* for the last 3 years.
- ? Achievement- I have written a book on the NRC debate of Assam, Titled Jader Kono Desh Nei (The Stateless People), which has been appreciated by many. It was my debut book, released in December 2018.

## **Academic Qualification**

Examinatio n	Year	University/ Board	College/ School	Divisi on
B. A. (Hons. in Political Science)	2010	University of Calcutta	A s u t o s h College	2 <sup>nd</sup> (54%)
H i g h e r Secondary	2007	West Bengal Council of H i g h e r Secondary Education	N a g a r	
Madhyamik Pariksha (Secondary Examination )		West Bengal Board of Secondary Education		1 <sup>st</sup> (60%)

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