

CURRICULUM VITAE

Name: SUGATA NANDI

Academic Qualification: MA, MPhil, PhD (JNU, New Delhi)

Teaching Experience: 18 years and 2 months

Specialization: Modern Indian and European History, History of Crime, History of Magic.

Courses Taught: Indian National Movement, Western Historiography, Indian Historiography, Social History of Colonial India, Industrial Revolution in Britain, Ideas of Early Modern European Government, Comparative History of Modern European Revolutions, History of Law and Criminality in Colonial India (for MPhil and PhD students).

Areas of Research Interest: History of Criminality, Marginalities and Marginal Cultures, Colonial Bureaucracy and Police, Urban History and History of Magic in the Modern World.

Major Publications: -

1. Chapter titled 'For sake of a Better City: early activities of the Calcutta Improvement Trust' in A.Banerjee, D. Sarakar et. al. edited *Combating Disaster: Perspectives in the New Millenium*, ACB Publications, Kolkata, 2005.
2. Article titled 'Constructing the Criminal: Politics of Social Imaginary of the Goonda', in *Social Scientist*, 2010, March-April , Volume 38.
3. Chapter titled 'Inventing Extraordinary Criminality: Study of Criminalization by the Calcutta Goondas Act', in *Legal Histories of the British Empire: Laws, engagements and legacies* ed. by J. McLaren and S. Dorsett, New York, London; Routledge, 2014.
4. Article titled 'Respectable Anxiety, Plebeian Criminality: Politics of the Goondas Act (1923) of Colonial Calcutta' in Journal – *Crime, History and Societies*, 2016, Vol. 20, No.2.
5. Chapter titled 'Unlikely Tragic Heroes: Gangsters translated into Hindi Films' in Barbara Korte, Simon Wendt and Nicole Falkenhayner edited volume titled *Heroism as a Global Phenomenon in Contemporary Culture*, New York and London; Routledge, 2019.
6. Chapter titled 'Goondas of Calcutta: Crimes and Policing in Colonial India' in K. Jaishankar edited *Routledge Handook of South Asian Criminology*, New York and London; Routledge, 2020.

7. Chapter titled 'Insurrectionary City: police, public and disorder in Calcutta, 1920-47' in Urvi Mukherjee and Suchandra Ghosh edited volume on Urban History of India, from Routledge. (Forthcoming)
8. Chapter titled 'Migration and Crime in a Colonial City: Migrant Workers and the Goondas Act of Colonial Calcutta', in C. Rao Yagati edited volume from Primus (Forthcoming).

Research Projects/Fellowships: 1. UGC Minor Research Fellowship 2004-2006. 2. SARAI-Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, Delhi, Fellowship 2006. 3. SARAI-Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, Delhi, Senior Research Fellowship 2007. 4. Fulbright-Nehru Doctoral and Professional Research Fellowship 2011-12 at University of Washington, Seattle, USA. 5. Visiting Research Fellowship at the Institute for Advanced Studies in the Humanities, the University of Edinburgh, UK, September – December 2018. 6. Visiting Research Fellowship at the Senate House Library, University of London, UK, July - September 2019.

Special Distinctions / Other Notable Activities: Presented papers at twenty one international conferences. Given public lecture on the history of globalization of Indian Magic at the University of London as the First Senate House Library Visiting Research Fellow.