

# Dipannita Das

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## Present position

- Visiting Faculty

## Work Experience

- Teaching: 6 years
- Research/Industrial: 8 years

## Personal Profile

Dipannita Das is currently a research fellow at Symbiosis International University, Pune. She has worked for more than eight years as a reporter and senior correspondent with organizations like The New Indian Express (Bangalore) and Times of India (Bangalore and Pune). She has been engaged with academia in various capacities for six years, notably as visiting faculty and full-time head of academics with multiple academic institutions. Her research interests are in technology-enabled new forms of journalism and qualitative research.

## Course(s) Taught (Only Titles)

1. Journalism Project
2. Introduction to Digital Media
3. Writing Skills for Media

## Field of Specialization/Areas of Interests

- Technology enabled new forms of Journalism
- Digital Media
- Qualitative Research

## Education

- **Master of Science/Arts-** (Master of Journalism and Mass Communication ): 2004  
Visva Bharati University, Santiniketan (West Bengal)
- **Bachelor of Science-** (Bachelor of Arts (English literature)): 2001  
Calcutta University (West Bengal)

## Fellowship/Awards/ Certifications/Achievements/Recognitions

1. Awarded first place for a paper presentation titled 'Impact of Social Media on Journalism: A New Dimension to the News Industry' Department of Mass Communication, at the International Conference on 'New Media Practices: Changing Audiences, Opportunities Revitalizing Theories of Production and Promotion,' organized by The Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune (10th January 2018).

2. 'Mohan Kodarkar Parisansta Award 2014' from Shrishti Environment and Sustainable Society (SESS) in recognition of studious journalism and impacting news articles for the water policy formulations at local, state, and central levels (February 24, 2014).

## Employment History

Example:

1) **Organization** : Seamedu School of Pro-Expressionism

**Role** : Assistant Head of Academics- Journalism and Mass Communication

**Duration** : Three years

<b>Responsibilities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reporting</li><li>• Contribute news stories</li></ul>
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2) **Organization** : The New Indian Express and The Times of India

**Role** : Journalist

**Duration** : Eight years

<b>Responsibilities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reporting</li><li>• Contribute news stories</li></ul>
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3) **Organization** : Symbiosis International University, Pune

**Role** : Research scholar

**Duration** : Two and half years

<b>Responsibilities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Research</li><li>• Teaching</li></ul>
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## Research Publications in National and International Journals

The Swedish School of Social Science, University of Helsinki, Media and Communication Studies, Finland: Paper titled 'The emerging new journalistic forms and innovation in print news media' at the 'Automation and Data-Driven Journalism Beyond the Western World' conference (5-6<sup>th</sup> May 2021)

Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune: Paper titled `Media and communication times of crisis: A case study of Pune flood, 2019,' presented at the one-day national conference on `Crisis Communication (6<sup>th</sup> January 2020)

Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune: Paper titled `Impact of Social Media on Journalism: A New Dimension to the News Industry' Department of Mass Communication, presented at the International Conference on `New Media Practices: Changing Audiences, Opportunities Revitalizing Theories of Production and Promotion' (10<sup>th</sup> January 2018)

### **Participation in Conferences/Seminars/Symposia/Workshop:**

- Newswriters.in: Data Storytelling course (12<sup>th</sup> September to 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2022)
- Sage Journals: Navigating Peer Review (21 September 2022)
- Ekta News Coalition and Google News Initiative: Fact-checking training (June 20, 2022)
- Research Academy, Elsevier: Webinar on `Unleashing the True Power of Collaboration with Researcher Discovery Feature On Scopus' (12th April 2022)
- Symbiosis International University: FDP on `Researching and Publishing in Media and Communication Studies -Contemporary Perspective' (March 29, 2022)
- Commacad: E-workshop on `Case Study Writing' (12<sup>th</sup> March 2022)
- Commacad: E-workshop on `Systematic Literature Review' (12-13<sup>th</sup> February 2022)
- Bharatiya Vidyapeeth's Institute of Computer Applications and Management (BVICAM), New Delhi: Webinar on Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Mass Media (29<sup>th</sup> January 2022)
- Commacad: E-workshop on `Research Paper Writing' (22<sup>nd</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2022)

### **Additional skills/Activities**

Rashtrapati Award in Girl's Guide from Late Dr.Shankar Dayal Sharma, 1996.

## **Course Content Developed (e-content)**

'Introduction to the advertising industry and advertising management' for Master of Arts (Mass Communication), Online (OL), Symbiosis Institute of Media and Communication, Pune (2023).



