

## Faculty Profile



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### Research / Selected Publication:

1. Dr. Bindhiya Rai presented a paper titled “Eco-Tourism And Sustainable Development: A Study On Sikkim Tourism”, National Seminar Organised By Gyan Jyoti College, Siliguri And Bharatya Itihas Sankalan Samiti Sponsored By Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Institute Of Asian Studies Held On 13th-14th February 2020.
2. Dr. Bindhiya Rai presented a paper titled Special Provision In India: Case Study Of Sikkim”, A National Level Seminar Organised By Dept. Of Political Science Kalimpong College In Collaboration With Centre For Training And Research In Public Finance And Policy (Ctrpfp) Kolkata On 30th-31st March, 2019.
3. Dr. Bindhiya Rai published a paper titled “Bhutan-Tibet Relations: A Historical Prospective”, Quest Journal of Research in Humanities and Social science, Vol. 8, Issue-11 Nov. 2020, 60 76, Quest Journal Inc.
4. Dr. Bindhiya Rai published a paper titled “Bhutan 1960s to 1980s: From Civic to Ethnic Nationalism”, Asian journal of Social Science and Management technology, Vol. 2, issue 5, Sept.-Oct. 2020.

5. Dr. Bindhiya Rai, published a paper titled The ‘Tibet Factor’ in the Bhutanisation Process in 1960s-80s: A Critical Examination The Calcutta Journal of Global Affairs, Vol.-7, Issue-22, May, 2023,CENERES-K, 180-199