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- Junior Scientist Award (Bangyo Bhugol Mancha, Kolkata)
- Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship (JRF - 2013-2014)
- Maulana Azad National fellowship (JRF-2013-14)
- ICSSR Post-Doctorate Fellowship (2018-2020)

Professional Experiences:

- ICSSR Post-Doctorate fellow at the University of Raiganj

Research projects (Ongoing):

- Changing Pattern of occupational structure in the Darjiling District of West Bengal under the present state of Globalization.

Selective List of Publications:

1. Present status of life of the workers in selected tea gardens around Darjiling township area West Bengal: A Geo-environmental appraisal, *International Journal for Current Research and Techniques, Vol II (4), ISSN 2348-4446, 2015; 54-69*
2. Dimension of Changes in the Socio-Economic Life of the Tea Garden Labourers in Darjiling Himalaya: A Geographical Assessment, *International Multi Disciplinary Research Journal Vol 6 Issue (4), ISSN 2230-7850, 2016;*
3. Life of Plantation labourers in Darjiling Himalaya: A Case Study of Phoobshering Tea Estate, *North Asian International Research Journal of Social Science and Humanities, Vol 2 Issue (9) ISSN 2454-9827, 2016; 3-18*
4. Impact of Globalization in the Tea industry of Darjiling: A study on the selected Tea estates of Darjiling, Research review journals, Vol.03, issue(8), 448-451, 2018; 448-451
5. Education status of women workers in the tea industry of Darjiling: A geographical Analysis, *International Journal of Innovative Studies in Sociology and Humanities, Vol. 3, Issue (7), ISSN 2456-4931, 2018; 1-6.*
6. Rabha Ethnic Community of North Bengal: Analysis on socio-economic status, *Journal of emerging Technologies and innovative Research, Vol.5, Issues (8), ISSN 2349-5162, 2018; 692-695*

National and International Seminars attended and Presented Research Papers:

1. Moktan, R., (2015). Life and economy of the tea garden workers: A comparative study between Darjeeling hills and doors areas in North Bengal, *National Seminar on Social Wellbeing: Issues and Challenges in 21st Century India (7th January 2015) Organized by the Department of Geography University of Gour Banga*
2. Moktan, R., (2015). Literary status of tea garden workers in Darjeeling: An assessment on Tukvar Tea garden, *National Seminar on Bio Physical Environment and Human Interaction (21-22 February 2015) Organized by Bangiyo Bhugol Mancha, Kolkata, West Bengal*
3. Moktan, R., (2015). Education and Livelihood: A study of the Tukvar tea garden in Darjeeling, *National seminar on State Politics in India: Emerging issues and challenges (27-29 April, 2015) Organized by St Josephs College Darjeeling*

4. Moktan, R., (2016).The life and Socio-Economic status of Tea Garden labourers in Darjeeling Himalaya, 3⁷th *Institute of Indian Geographers Meet and International Conference on Land Resource Policies, Agriculture and Expanding Urban-Industrial Spaces* (11-13 February 2016) Organized by Department of Geography, Kurukshetra University, Harayana.
5. Moktan, R., (2014).Socio-Economic status of tea garden labourers around Darjeeling township area *National Seminar on Research Frontiers in Man-Nature Interface* (1-2 March 2014) Organised by the Dept. of Geography, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan
6. Moktan, R., (2017).Livelihood challenges in the forest and wildlife eco-sysytem of Darjeeling hills:A man environment relationships *National Seminar on Forest & Wildlife Eco-System and Human Society* (8th February 2017) Organised by Bangiyao Bhugol Mancha, Kolkata
7. Moktan, R., (2014).Changing pattern of Socio-Economic status of the tea garden labourers around Darjeeling township area, *National seminar on Global Climate Change and its Impact on Indian Subcontinent* (11-12 January 2014) Organised by Bangiyao Bhugol Mancha, Kolkata
8. Moktan, R., (2015).Unravelling the history of tea plantation labourers in Darjeeling himalaya *National conference on epistemologies, otherness, accommodations: Unravelling the diversities of North East India* (9-15 March 2015) Organized by Southfield College, Darjeeling
9. Moktan, R., (2017).Dimension of Changes in the life of the labourers, *International Conference on Darjeeling and The Eastern Himalayas: A Multi-Disciplinary Approach* (14-15 March2017) Organised by Salesian College Sonada
10. Moktan, R., (2017).Impact of tourist flow and unplanned urbanization in Darjeeling town, *National Seminar on Livelihood Challenges and Spatial Transformation in India* (24-25March 2017) Organised by Raiganj University,Raiganj,Uttar Dinajpur
11. Moktan, R., (2017).Impact of geomorphological environment on the development of tea industry in Darjeeling hills,3rd *International Seminar on 'Earth system processes and interruptions: Issues and Challenges*19-20th April 2017 organized by department of Geography Gour Banga University
12. Moktan, R., (2018).Changing scenario of man-environment relationship:A comparative study on the life and culture of the ethnic groups of Malanese in Himachal Himalaya and Rabhas in eastern Duars, *4th International seminar on Population Urbanisation and Environment:Contemporary issues and challenges*(21-22 March,2018)