

Prof. (Dr.) Sarbani Mitra

**Dr. Sarbani Mitra** did her graduation with Mathematics Honours from Calcutta University. She pursued MBA from Calcutta University with specialization in Marketing Management. She has received her Ph.D. Degree in *Business Administration from the Department of Business Administration under the Faculty of Engineering, Technology and Management*, University of Kalyani. Currently she is working as Professor and Head, Department of Executive Management (EPGPM); Department of Fire Safety Management (ADFSM) and Department of Supply Chain & Logistics Management (PGDSC&LM); and Faculty Member of the Department of Environment Management, Indian Institute of Social Welfare and Business Management (IISWBM), the first Management Institute of the country.

Dr. Mitra is actively engaged in teaching on various dimensions of environmental, social as well as marketing studies. She has about 20 years of research and teaching experience in the field of Environment, Social and Safety Management. She has been associated with more than 90 research and consultancy projects in the fields of Socio-Economy, Environment, Health, Safety, CSR-CD activities, etc. funded by World Bank, ADB, JBIC, NTPC, UNDP, WBPDCL, WBPCB, WBIDC, KMDA, WBSEDCL, APL, Reliance, etc. as Project Team Leader.

She has published more than 40 research papers in various National and International Journals, more than 95 proceedings in International and National Conferences/Seminar and a textbook on *Environmental Management & Business Strategies* and one *Handbook on Industrial Ecology - Waste Management Strategies* as Co-Author and contributed chapters in various books. She visited Houston, Texas, USA to present a paper at 4<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Environmental Science and Technology, sponsored by American Academy of Sciences.

She has been empaneled as *Ph.D. Guide in Public Systems, Social Welfare and Management under University of Calcutta at IISWBM*. She has also been empaneled as *Ph.D. Guide in Business Management, Department of Business Management* and *Commerce, Department of Commerce under University of Calcutta*. She is currently guiding three (3) Ph.D. scholars of University of Calcutta. Two (2) Ph.D. scholars have been awarded under University of Calcutta under her supervision. Four (4) students have successfully completed M.Phil in Management under University of Calcutta under her supervision.

In her career, she has organised more than 35 MDPs for industrial engineers/employees of various public and private enterprises viz., Steel Authority of India Limited, Schneider Electric Infrastructure Limited, CESC, Tata Steel, Indian Oil Management Academy, NTPC, various Thermal Power Stations of WBPDCL (Sagardighi, Santadih, Bandel, Bakreswar, Sagardighi, Kolaghat), NHPC Limited, Mitra S K Private Limited, Castrol India Limited, ESAB India Limited, Ispat Industries Limited - Dolvi, Mumbai on Safety, Health and Environment; Environmental Pollution Control and Management; Sustainability/Triple Bottom Line Reporting/Disclosure Practices; Environment, Social and Corporate Governance; Risk Analysis & Disaster Management; Awareness on Corporate Social Responsibility; Land Acquisition Issues and R&R; General Management; etc.

Dr. Mitra received Jitendra Nath Bhaduri Memorial Medal as 'Best Student for Environment Management' for the session 1996 – 1998. She received 1<sup>st</sup> Prize of 'IBS Kokata – The Telegraph Award' for Management Writing as the Best Research Paper of the International Conference, Organized by ICFAI Business School, Kolkata in association with AIMS. She also received 'Young Scientists Award' in the National Seminar on *Climate Change: Challenges and* 

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She is a member of the Editorial Board of two International Journals and a National Journal. She has been selected as Research Paper Reviewer of three International Journals - African Journal of Business Management; African Journal of Marketing Management and Issues in Business Management and Economics (IBME) and one National Journal - SDMIMD Journal of Management.

She is Life Member of Indian Water Works Association. She has been selected as Paper Setter and Examiner of the Department of Business Administration – Public Systems, University of Calcutta; Department of Business Administration, University of Kalyani; Department of Commerce, Barrackpore Rastraguru Surendranath College, Barrackpore; Department of Business Administration, Vidyasagar University. She is a Member of Technical Evaluation Committee (Constituted by the Directorate of Vocational Education & Training) of the Department of Technical Education, Training and Skill Development under National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC), Government of India for implementing National Skill Qualification Framework (NSQF) under School Education System. She has been invited as Guest Speaker in several occassions of Live Broadcast/Telecast for Career Counselling Programme. She served her duty as Advisor in Interview Board for the purpose of selection of candidates for recruitment to the post of Social Worker, Grade-III in the Directorate of ESI (MB) Scheme under the Labour Department of Public Service Commission.