

Publications

Book

Becoming Assamese: Colonialism and New Subjectivities in Northeast India, Routledge, London, New York, New Delhi, 2016.

<https://www.routledge.com/Becoming-Assamese-Colonialism-and-New-Subjectivities-in-Northeast-India/Sengupta/p/book/9781138676077>

Monographs

Madhumita Sengupta, 'Of Alienations: State, Temples and the Elite in Nineteenth and Early Twentieth -century Assam', Occasional Paper 186, Centre For Studies in Social Sciences (CSSSC), Calcutta, March 2014.

Book chapters and Papers in edited volumes

- Madhumita Sengupta, 'Beyond Language: Envisioning Alternative Nationalities in Nineteenth-century Assam', in *Blending Region and Nation: Essays in Honour of Prof Amalendu Guha*, (eds.) Sajal Nag and Ishrat Alam, Primus, New Delhi, 2016 (Forthcoming).
- Madhumita Sengupta, 'Kamrupi, Then and Now: Reflections on Language, Nationalism and Boundaries' in Rita Kothari ed. *A Multilingual Nation: Translation in the Indian Context*. Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 2016 (Forthcoming).

Journal Articles

- Madhumita Sebgupta, 'War of Words: Language and Policies in Nineteenth-Century Assam', *Indian Historical Review*, 39, 2 (2012): 293-315.
- Madhumita Sengupta, 'Orienting Progress? Some Aspects of Education in Nineteenth - Century Assam', *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol XLVII No 29, July 21, 2012.
- Madhumita Sengupta, 'The Historiography on the Formation of Assamese Identity: A Review', *Journal of Peace and Democracy in South Asia*, vol. 2, Nos. 1&2, 2006, pp. 121-134; available at <http://www.digitalhimalaya.com/collections/journals/pdsa>.
(Reprinted in *The NEHU Journal*, vol. IV, Nos. 1& 2, 2006, pp. 13-24).
- Madhumita Sengupta, 'A Review of The Transformation of Assamese Identity: A Historical Survey, Udayon Misra' (H.K. Barpujari Endowment Lecture (4), The North East India History Association, Shillong, 2001), *The Calcutta Historical Journal*, Vol. 26, No.1, January- June, 2006, pp. 91-95.

Conference Proceedings

Madhumita Sengupta, 'Christian Missionaries and the Conversion of Language in Nineteenth-century Assam', Proceedings of the 22nd Himalayan Languages Symposium (HLS22), IIT Guwahati, 2016 (Forthcoming).

Presentations in Seminars/ Conferences:

- Presented a paper on 'A Synoptic View of the Formation of Assamese Identity, 1826-1947' at the International Conference on Peace and Reconciliation organized by York St. John University College, UK in August 2006.
- Presented a paper on 'Politics of Language: The Making of the Assamese Identity in the late 19th Century', at the ICHR International Seminar on Identity, Emotions and Culture: Languages and Literature in the Subcontinent, c.900-c.2000 organized by the Indian Council of Historical Research (ICHR) at the North East Hill University (NEHU), Shillong in May 2007.
- Invited Speaker in the ICHR-NERC Lecture Series Programme organized by the ICHR- NERC (North East Regional Centre) Guwahati in July 2007.
- Invited speaker in the Seminar on 'Cultures and Identities in Northeast India', organized by the Northeast India Centre for Studies in Local Ecology, Culture and History, West Bengal State University (WBSU), Barasat in December 2009.
- Presented a paper on 'Of Alienations: The State and Temples in Nineteenth and Early Twentieth Century Assam', at the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta (CSSSC) in the CSSSC– Ford Foundation Post-doctoral seminar on 'A Cultural History Archive for Eastern India', in December 2009.
- Invited speaker in the UGC sponsored State Seminar on 'From Regional Identity to Regionalism: A Fresh Look', organized by the Department of History, Mahisadal Raj College and Gram Janapad, Purba Medinipur, West Bengal in January 2011.
- Presented a paper on 'Orienting Progress: A Few Aspects of Education in Nineteenth Century Assam', at the Staff Seminar of the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta (CSSSC) in March, 2011.
- Invited speaker in the UGC-Sponsored National Seminar on "Colonial and Post-Colonial Eastern India: New Perspectives" organized by the Department of History, Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata in March 2011.
- Invited Talk on 'Education in Assam and Bengal: A Comparative Nineteenth-Century Perspective', at the International Seminar on 'Comparative Colonial Middle Classes', organized by the Department of History, Jadavpur University in March 2013.
- Presented a paper on 'Representing Traditions Recasting Worship: Some Aspects of Religious Change in Nineteenth-century Assam', at the "ANU International Religion Conference on 'Religious Transformation in Modern Asia'", organized by the Australian National University, Canberra during April 7- 9, 2016.
- Presented a paper on 'Christian Missionaries and the Conversion of Language in Nineteenth-century Assam', at the 22nd Himalayan Languages Symposium, organized by IIT Guwahati during June 8-10, 2016.