# Paramita Das, Ph.D.

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#### Skills

Research Interest: Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Natural Language Processing, Generative AI, Responsible AI, Almorithman

sible AI, Algorithms.

Programming Languages: Python, Java, SQL, PySpark Frameworks: PyTorch, TensorFlow, Keras, Scikit-Learn

# Education

#### Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur

Jan 2019 — March 2025

Ph.D. in Computer Science and Engineering

• Thesis title— Collaborative Challenges in Wikipedia and Wikidata: Striking a balance between Quality and Quantity

o Supervisor: Prof. Animesh Mukherjee

# Indian Institute of Engineering Science & Technology Shibpur

Aug 2016 - Jun 2018

M. Tech in Computer Science and Engineering

o CGPA: 8.26 out of 10.0

• Dissertation topic: Computational Data Science

# Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology, West Bengal

Aug 2011 - Jun 2015

B. Tech in Computer Science and Engineering

• **CGPA:** 9.05 out of 10.0

## **Higher Secondary Examination**

2011

• **GPA:** 88.4%

# Work Experience

Research Associate Sept 2024 - Present

Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur

• Working on addressing key challenges in detecting and reducing social biases in SOTA Vision-Language Models (VLMs), such as CLIP, LLaVA.

#### Research Intern

Apr 2022 - Jun 2022

Wikimedia Foundation

- Proposed a language-agnostic predictive model for assessing the quality of Wikipedia articles across multiple languages.
- Created a large dataset of language-agnostic features and predicted quality scores for approximately 2 billion article revisions across over 300 language editions of Wikipedia, covering revisions up to the end of 2022, using the proposed model.

## Project Linked Person

Sept 2018 - Dec 2018

Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata

• Worked on addressing research challenges in Image Processing.

# **Publications**

- o Social Biases in Knowledge Representations of Wikidata separates Global North from Global South: *Paramita Das*, Sai Keerthana Karnam, Aditya Soni, Animesh Mukherjee, *WebSci 2025*. (Core B) 🗹
- o On the effective transfer of knowledge from English to Hindi Wikipedia: *Paramita Das*, Amartya Roy, Ritabrata Chakraborty, Animesh Mukherjee, *COLING 2025*. (Core B) ☑

- o Diversity matters: Robustness of bias measurements in Wikidata: *Paramita Das*, Sai Keerthana Karnam, Anirban Panda, Bhanu Prakash Reddy Guda, Soumya Sarkar, Animesh Mukherjee, *WebSci 2023*. (Core B) ☑
- Quality Change: Norm or Exception? Measurement, Analysis and Detection of Quality Change in Wikipedia: Paramita Das, Bhanu Prakash Reddy Guda, Sasi Bhusan Seelaboyina, Soumya Sarkar, Animesh Mukherjee, CSCW 2022. (Core A)
- When expertise gone missing: Uncovering the loss of prolific contributors in Wikipedia: Paramita Das, Bhanu Prakash Reddy Guda, Debajit Chakraborty, Soumya Sarkar, Animesh Mukherjee, ICADL 2021. (Core A)
- o Mining the online infosphere: A survey: S Adak, S Chakraborty, *Paramita Das*, M Das, A Dash, R Hazra, B Mathew, P Saha, S Sarkar, A Mukherjee, *Wiley Interdisciplinary Reviews: Data Mining and Knowledge Discovery 2022*. (Impact Factor- 10.30) 

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- o REVerSum: A Multi-staged Retrieval-Augmented Generation Method to Enhance Wikipedia Tail Biographies through Personal Narratives: Sayantan Adak, Pauras Mangesh Meher, *Paramita Das*, Animesh Mukherjee, *COLING 2025*. (Core B)
- o Accessibility metric for characterizing the relevance of conference papers: Paramita Das, Agniv Adhikari, Abhik Mukherjee, IEEE Region 10 Symposium (TENSYMP) 2019. ☑
- o Generating a representative keyword subset pertaining to an academic conference series: Agniv Adhikari, *Paramita Das*, Abhik Mukherjee, *Scientometrics 2019*. (Impact Factor- 3.8)

# Other Skills

#### **Achievements:**

- Received research fellowship from MHRD, India, as financial assistance for pursuing the Ph.D.
- Qualified UGC-NET for Assistant Professor in 2018.
- Awarded scholarship by the Government of India for outstanding performance in the Higher Secondary Examination (2011).
- Elected member of the Student Senate at IIT Kharagpur for 2020 and 2021.

**Teaching Experience:** Social Computing, Information Retrieval, Complex Networks, Theory of Algorithms.

Extracurricular Activities: Painting, Reading books, Solving puzzles.

## Reference

#### Prof. Animesh Mukherjee

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