

FACULTY ACADEMIC PROFILE



Full Name of the Faculty Member: Karan Vora

Designation: Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science

CONTACT INFORMATION

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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

Degree	Name of the College / University	Class Obtained	Area of Specialization	Year(s)
PhD	Department of Political Science, Presidency University		Diplomacy	Ongoing
PG Diploma	School of Business Administration, Momoyama Gakuin University (St. Andrew's University), Osaka, Japan		Japanese Arts, Culture, Security, History	2016-2017
Master of Arts in Political Science with International Relations	Department of Political Science and International Relations, Jadavpur University	First Class; Total: 71.1%; CGPA: 9.46	Peace, Security and Conflict	2014-2017
Bachelor of Arts in Political and	Sardar Patel University	First Class with O; Equivalent	International Relations	2011-2014

International Relations		Percentage: 92.3%; CGPA: 9.23		
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POSITION HOLDING (FULL TIME)

Assistant Professor, **Department of Political Science, Chandidas Mahavidyalaya**, March 15, 2024 - Present

POSITIONS HELD (FULL TIME)

Assistant Professor (College Sanctioned), **Department of Political Science, The Bhawanipur Education Society College, University of Calcutta**, January 1, 2024 - March 13, 2024

College Whole Time Teacher, **Department of Political Science, The Bhawanipur Education Society College, University of Calcutta**, August 1, 2019 - December 31, 2023

Lecturer, **Department of Political Science and International Relations, Institute of Language Studies and Applied Social Sciences**, July 17, 2017 - May 31, 2019

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Digital Diplomacy

Indian Foreign Policy

International Political and Economic Organizations

ACADEMIC AWARDS, RECOGNITIONS AND MILESTONES

Qualified the **UGC-NET** for eligibility for Assistant Professor in **Political Science**; June 2020 (held in November 2020)

Qualified the **UGC Junior Research Fellowship (JRF)** in **Defence and Strategic Studies** and the **UGC-NET** for eligibility for Assistant Professor, with a 99.7 percentile score; December 2018

Qualified the **UGC-NET** for eligibility for Assistant Professor in **International and Area Studies**; July 2018

Recipient of of the prestigious **JASSO Scholarship** for a Student Exchange Programme between Jadavpur University and Momoyama Gakuin University, Osaka Japan; September 2015 - July 2016

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Authored an article on **The Swift Agenda: A Study of the Politics of Taylor Swift's Works** in a UGC-CARE Listed Peer-Reviewed Journal, **Journal of the Asiatic Society of Mumbai**; ISSN: **0972-0766**, Vol. **XCVI**, No.**31**, **2023**; December 2023

Authored a chapter, **"Fabianism"** in **Theories, Process and Politics** book, as a part of Series on Theories of Humanities & Social Sciences, published by Gangchil Publishers, edited by Pradip Basu, in June, 2022.

Authored a chapter, **"The Bhawanipur-ing of a Family"** in **Mosaics of a Locale: stories of Bhawanipur**, edited by Debjani Ganguly and Dr. Debika Banerji, published by Upanayan Publications, in January, 2021.

Co-authored a research paper, **Opportunities and Prospects in Online Teaching**, in a UGC-CARE Listed Peer-Reviewed Journal, **Akshar Wangmay**; ISSN: **2229-4949**; January 2021

Authored a Journal Article, **A Comparison of the Goods and Services Tax between India and Other Countries** in SMTR: International Peer-reviewed Research Journal; Volume - 06, Issue - 01; UGC Journal Number - 42703; ; ISSN: **2321-5968**; October 2018

Authored a Journal Article, **The Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Trade Partnership: An Appraisal** in SMTR: International Peer-reviewed Research Journal; Volume - 06, Issue - 01; UGC Journal Number - 42703; ISSN: **2321-5968**; March 2018

Research paper titled, **A Chance to Peace** in Student's Volume of Jadavpur Journal of International Relations called **Exploring Conflicts in International Relations: 21st Century**; ISSN: **2348-7496**; 2014

Authored an article, **Seeking Suburban Tranquility** in a magazine, Life In Kansai published in Osaka, Japan; July 2016

PAPER PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES

Panelist and Speaker on **"Palestine and Digital Diplomacy: Opportunities and Prospects"** at the **International and Interdisciplinary Perspective on Digital Transformation: The Case of Developing and Emerging Economies**, organized by National Institute for Oriental Languages and Civilizations (INALCO, Paris) and Moscow State University, 17 September 2021.

Presented a research paper on “**Use of Memes in Foreign Policy: an Emerging Trend**” at the **Symposium on Emotions and Foreign Policy in Global International Relations: The West and the Rest** organized by the MSCA IF Project EMOFORTE and the Public Discourse Research Group of the Institute Culture and Society, held at the University of Navarra, Spain, 7th-8th June, 2022.

Presented a paper titled **Lessons Learnt from the international Criminal Court**, at the **International Conference on 100 Years of International Relations**, organised by the Bengal Institute of Political Studies and the School of International Relations and Strategic Studies, Jadavpur University; September 7, 2019

Presented a paper titled **India's Nuclear Weapons Policy** in the Student's Seminar on the theme **Indian Foreign Policy** at the Department of International Relations, Jadavpur University; February 25, 2015

Presented a research paper titled **Political Parties and their Influence on Indian Democracy** at the UGC sponsored Two Day National seminar on **Indian Parliamentary System and Democracy** at the PG department of political science Sardar Patel University; February 23-24, 2012

SPECIAL INVITATIONS

Invited for and delivered an Expert Lecture on “**Research Methodology**” at the **Faculty of Arts, CVM University**, Anand, Gujarat, 8th February, 2023.

Invited and served as a **Judge** for the **Howrah District-level Youth Parliament Competition for schools**, 2022-2023, by the Office of the District Inspector of Schools, Government of West Bengal, 23rd and 24th September, 2022.

Invited and served as a **Judge** for the **Howrah District-level Youth Parliament Competition for colleges**, 2022-2023, by the Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira organized under the Office of the District Magistrate of Howrah, Government of West Bengal, 26th September, 2022.

Karan Vora
March 18, 2024