

BIDISHA BHATTACHARJEE, PhD

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- 2018** **PhD in Linguistics**, University of Delhi, India
Some Syntactic and Semantic Aspects of Negation in Bangla.
I investigated the role of negation in Bangla and Romance languages where negation occurs without any negative interpretation at LF.
- 2011** **MPhil in Linguistics**, University of Delhi, India
The Structure of Complex Predicates in Bangla: A First Phase Syntax Account
Disambiguation of complex predicates of verb constructions.
- 2008** **MA in Linguistics**, University of Delhi, India
- 2006** **BA in Bengali**, Calcutta University, India
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SKILLS

Data Collection

- Extensive experience in speech and text data collection processes, survey-based fieldwork
- Collected speech data from native speakers of endangered languages in remote parts of India
- Designed prompts and surveys for data collection, supervised data collection efforts of the team

Transcription

- Skilled in speech transcription using IPA, transcription used in creating endangered languages archives
- freelance transcriber with YYZ Translations and others agencies

Data Analysis

- Skilled data analyst for linguistic feature and pattern extraction, excellent writing skills

Project management and leadership

- Coordinator of several fieldworks and seminars in universities and non-profit organizations.

Research

- 12 years of complex linguistic analysis, excellent understanding of multilingual data

Translation & Proof-reading

- Freelance translator with Tata Consultancy Services, India Habitat Centre and others
 - Proof reader for Mitra & Ghosh Publishers, Kolkata, and Bangla Akademi, Dhaka
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WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2015-2020** Asst. Professor & Program coordinator, Centre for Endangered Languages (CFEL),
Visva-Bharati
- 2017-2019** Adjunct Faculty in Department of Modern European Languages, Literatures and Culture
Studies, Visva-Bharati
- 2012-2015** Senior Research Fellow in University of Delhi, Delhi
- 2011-2012** Project Assistant in Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata
- 2008-2011** Junior Research Fellow in University of Delhi, Delhi
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Awards: Junior and Senior Research Fellowship by University Grant Commission (UGC)

Languages: Bangla, Hindi, English