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Bio note

- Tanika Bhattacharya is the Associate Professor in the Department of Philosophy, Kidderpore College
- Date of Joining-31.03.2000
- Period of service till date 24 years 9 months
- Educational Qualification- A First-Class Post-Graduate and M-Phil. in Philosophy from Jadavpur University.
- **She is a registered Research Scholar who has been pursuing her research on Philosophical Aesthetics from Jadavpur University Philosophy Department under the supervision of Professor Prayas Sarkar,**
- **Her most recent talks on Aesthetics of Indian Classical Music are widely accepted among the philosophers, musicians and musicologists. Tanika Bhattacharya's painstaking effort to preserve the rich cultural heritage of India through writings and musical performances has received appreciation. Tanika Bhattacharya is also a practicing vocalist. As a result, she can easily handle both the theory and practice of music with confidence.**
- Her other areas of interest are Social and Political Philosophy, Western Philosophy & Ethics
- Professor Bhattacharya regularly performs in different parts of India and abroad. A top-grade artist of Prasar Bharati she already has released three music albums. She is a regular performer in television and films.

Journal Edited:

- *Bangla Kirtan. a folk tradition of Bengal*, Volume-1, Music (Movement for Understanding Sangeet,an Indian Concept),May-2009.

- Presentation of Papers as Resource Person
- Presented paper titled ***Musical Thoughts of Rabindranath*** at a One-day State Level Seminar on ***Aesthetic Philosophy of Rabindranath Tagore*** organised by Darshan Bhavan,Jadavpur University in collaboration with Rabindranath Tagore Study Centre and Philosophy Department,Jadavpur University on 8.3 2010
- Presented paper titled ***Creativity in Art*** at a special lecture session organized by the Philosophy Department of East Calcutta Girls' College on 14.3.2014
- Presented paper titled ***Right to Life with Special reference to Euthanasia*** at a special lecture session organized by the Philosophy Department of Shri Shikshayatan College, on 21.3 2014.
- Presented paper titled ***Right To Life with Special Reference to Child Health*** at a one day National Seminar on ***Women and Health:Special Ethical Issues*** on 24th March,2014 at West Bengal State University,Barasat.
- Presented paper ***Understanding Art-Objects*** at a Two-Day National Seminar on ***Art & Aesthetics***, organised by Darshan Bhavan,Jadavpur University at H.L.Roy Memorial Hall,Jadavpur University in collaboration with the University Grants Commission and Indian Council of Philosophical Research,New-Delhi on March 2015.
- Presented paper on ***Understanding the Ineffable***, at a Three Day National Seminar on ***Art, Language and Emotion***,organized by Indian Council of Philosophical Research,New-Delhi at Indian International Centre,New-Delhi April 2015.