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### **EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

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<i>Period</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Institution</i>	<i>Board/University</i>	<i>Percentage Scale</i>
2011-13	<i>M.Phil (Sociology)</i>	<i>Sikkim University, Sikkim</i>	<i>Sikkim University</i>	<i>7.38scale</i>
2009-11	<i>MA(Sociology)</i>	<i>Sikkim University, Sikkim</i>	<i>Sikkim University</i>	<i>74.5%</i>
2007-09	<i>BA(English)</i>	<i>Cluny Women's College, West Bengal</i>	<i>North Bengal University</i>	<i>49.75%</i>
2006	<i>Class XII(Arts)</i>	<i>Paljor Namgyal Girls Senior Secondary School, Sikkim</i>	<i>C.B.S.E</i>	<i>79%</i>
2004	<i>Class X</i>	<i>Baha'i School, Sikkim</i>	<i>C.B.S.E</i>	<i>73.2%</i>

❖ **MPhil Topic: A Sociological Study of Traditional Health Practices Among the Lepcha Community of Kalimpong.**

### **ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS**

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- Awarded Gold Medal for scoring the highest in M.A. in Sociology, 2011, at the Second Convocation of Sikkim University, held at Manan Bhavan, Gangtok.
- Cleared National Eligibility Test (NET) on 2010 and 2012 conducted by UGC, (University Grant Commission).
- Awarded with Junior Research Fellowship (JRF) on 2012 by UGC, (University Grant Commission).
- Awarded Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship by UGC on 2011-2012.
- Certificate of Excellence awarded by KSS Foundation for obtaining the highest grade in Masters in Social Systems and Anthropology, First year examination 2009-10.

