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Biographical Sketch

Dr. Somnath Banerjee is an Associate Professor in the Department of Commerce and Management in the St. Xavier's University, Kolkata. Apart from having full time teaching experience of more than 20 years in the fields of Commerce and Management, he had a short stint in the Industry in Equity Research. He has delivered Management Development Programs for the corporate in various areas of Finance. He has presented his research papers in Indian and International conferences. His doctoral research was focussed in the area of Earnings Management in Indian firms. Application of Analytics in Finance is another area of his interest.

Areas of Specialisation and Research

His area of Specialization in M.com is Accounting and in MBA it is Finance. He has keen research interest in the areas of Earnings Management, Stock Price Prediction by Technical Analysis, Value Relevance of Accounting Information and Financial Modelling. Apart from that he takes keen interest in application of Analytics using packages.

Teaching Experience

1. Associate Professor at **St. Xavier's University, Kolkata** From 02.08.2021 Till Date
2. Assistant Professor (Finance) **Praxis Business School, Kolkata** From June 2020 to July 2021
3. Assistant Professor, NSHM Business School,
NSHM Knowledge Campus, Kolkata. From October 2010 to May 2020.
4. Lecturer, School of Management Sciences,
Bengal Engineering and Science University, Shibpur
(Presently IEST Shibpur) From January 2005 to September 2010.

Doctoral Thesis Guided and Awarded

Guided Ph.D. Thesis of Ms. Dpanwita Majumder at the Department of Commerce St. Xavier's University, Kolkata on the topic '**Interdependence Between Cryptocurrencies and Equity Market : An Empirical Study In India**'. Awarded on 29.04.2025.

Administrative Responsibility & Membership of Committees

1. **Head of the Department** of Management Studies from 01.07.2022 till 30.06.2025 at St. Xavier's University, Kolkata.
2. Member of The **Departmental Research Committee** of the Department of Commerce at St. Xavier's University, Kolkata.
3. Member of The **Research Advisory Committee** of St. Xavier's University, Kolkata.
4. Member of **Research and Development Cell** of St. Xavier's University, Kolkata.
5. **Convenor** of SXUK Innovation Council.

Publications

Article published in Peer-reviewed journals

(2025) Banerjee, Somnath., Dhar, Satyajit & Chattopadhyay, Debalina. **The Interrelationship between Cash Flow Volatility and Discretionary accruals in Select Indian Companies.** *International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research*, 7(6), 1-10.

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(2020) “**Factors Affecting Earnings Management: A summary of Literature.**”, International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts & Literature, (Banerjee Somnath, Vol. 8(11), Pp, 61-64, ISSN: 2321-8878).

(2020) “**Can Reputed Auditors reduce Earnings Management? A Study on Select Indian Companies.**”, International Journal of Advance Research in Commerce, Management & Social Sciences, (Banerjee Somnath, Vol. 3(4), Pp, 238-242, ISSN: 2581-7930).

(2016) “**Corporate Governance: In wider Perspective.**”, International Journal of Business & Management, (Banerjee Somnath, Vol. 4(8), Pp, 1-9, ISSN: 2321-8916).

Book Chapters

(2024) Majumder, Dipanwita., Pal, Biswabandhu., & Banerjee, Somnath. (2024). **Are Indian companies masking earnings manipulation with CSR?** In Dhar Satyajit & Sur Soma 9 Eds.), *Contemporary Issues in Accounting, Finance & Management*, Rohini Nandan.