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ACADEMIC DETAILS

- 3 year post-graduate diploma in film and television [Specialization: Sound; Session: 2005-2008, **SRFTI (India), Kolkata.**] /68.45%
- **Dolby Scholarship** holder (2007).
- **SRFTI** merit scholarship holder (2006).
- Fellow Member of **Asian Film Academy** (2007), **Pushan**, South Korea.
- **IELTS** (International English Language Testing System), band score 7 (2008)
- **B.Sc (Hons)** in Physics (**Calcutta University/RKMVCC**)/49.62% (2004)
- ‘**Star Marks**’ Holder in Higher Secondary Examination (10+2)./76.1% (2001)
- ‘**National Merit Scholarship**’ holder in Madhyamik Examination (10)./87.5% (1999)

EXPERIENCE

- Director, Producer, Sound Designer of the **CBFC** certified documentary **INDIAN MUSEUM KOLKATA** (27/07/2021 to 14/03/2022)./Special Festival Mention by **DSPFF-22**, India; Finalist by **First Time Filmmaker Session@Pinewood Studios**, the UK; Finalist by **Independent Video Film Festival of Youtube Art Club Pavlos Paraschakis-2022** Greece; Finalist by **CINEINTELLIGENCE (КиноИнтеллект) 2025**, Moscow, Russia; Semi-Finalist by **Festival del Cinema di Cefalu-2022**, Italy; Semi-Finalist by **Egyptian American Festival 2023**, the US; Quarter-Finalist by **Student World Impact Film Festival 2023**, the US; Nominee by **A Royal Chance Film Festival 2024**, Beverly Hills, the US; Nominee by **Rivers International Film Festival 2024**, Port Harcourt, Nigeria; Honorable Mention/Quarter-Finalist by **WideScreen Film & Music Video Festival 2024**, Toronto, Canada; Official Selections by **KSIFF-2022**, India; **Lift-Off Global Network**, the UK; **Black Cat Award Film Festival 2022**, Bolivia; **Indic Film Utsav 2022**, Hyderabad, India; **Lahore International Film Festival Awards – LIFFA 2024**, Lahore, Pakistan; **Kuala Lumpur International Film Academy Awards - 2025**, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia; **Ahmedabad International Film Festival –AIFF - 2025**, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India; **FESTIVAL ANGAELICA 2025**, Pasadena, California, the USA.
- Other Awards & Accolades: **Finalist** by Page Turner Awards-2025, Newbury, the UK, for book/screenplay InFaTuAtIoN; **Semi-Finalist/Honorable Mention** for screenplays – HOTYA (Feature), InFaTuAtIoN (Feature) and SUICIDAL (Short) by Wide Screen Film & Music Video Festival-2024, Toronto, Ontario, Canada; **Official Selections** for screenplays – HOTYA (Feature), InFaTuAtIoN (Feature) and SUICIDAL (Short) by Festival Angaelica-2025, Pasadena, California, the USA; **Literary Colonel/StoryMirror** (26/01/2021);**Author of the Week-Reader’s Choice/Story Mirror**(29/10/2021); **Rank 3/Magic Ink/Story Mirror** (26/08/2022); **Rank 16/Pen**

Warriors/Story Mirror (01/03/2023); **Winner/You Are My Valentine Contest/Story Mirror** (06/04/2023); **Author of the Year Nominee/Story Mirror** (2021 & 2022).

- Director at **Glocus** – a cinema, art, and media company (30/12/2024 to date)
- Worked at **Chandigarh University** as an Associate Professor (8/03/2019-31/10/2020).
- Worked at **Prime Focus Technologies** as a Senior Executive (09/11/2018-7/3/2019), **Job Profile:** Archiving programs of Doordarshan.
- Worked as a freelancer.
- Worked at **Ramoji Krian Universe** as an Instructor (28/06/2017-15/09/2017)
- Worked as a studio manager at **Amity University**, Mumbai (09/09/2016 –27/06/2017).
- VP (Vice President) at **DHFF** (Darjeeling Himalaya Filmic Foundation)/(24/08/2016 - to date)
- Worked as an adjunct faculty (Sound) at **RAFT** - Ramoji Academy of Film & TV, (01/09/2014-31/07/2016)
- Worked as a consultant.
- Worked as a sound engineer at **Aceacoustics and Audio Video Solutions Pvt Ltd**,Kolkata.(23/05/2014- 27/07/2014) **Job Profile:** Demonstration, Project Supervising, Installation, Departmental Liaison.
- Worked as a freelance audiographer.
- Worked as a cinema engineer at **Linear Electronics**, a **Dolby** authorized company in Mumbai.(9/02/2010 – 30/4/2010) **Job Profile:** Project Supervising, Installation, Departmental Liaison.
- Worked at **SRFTI** (Satyajit Ray Film & TV Inst, Kolkata) as a faculty-intern. (01/04/09 – 30/09/09). **Job Profile:** Project Supervising, Taking Classes, Departmental Liaison.
- Worked at **SKD Communications Pvt Ltd** as an intern (01/03/2007-30/04/2007). **Job Profile:** Audio Post Production for films.

PUBLICATIONS

- **BUBBLES** (25/11/2025 ISBN13: 979-8275976274; Genre: Fiction; Language: **ENGLISH**)
- **IPRs worldwide** (03/06/2025; ISBN13: 978-81-971801-9-4; Genre: Non-Fiction; Language: **ENGLISH**; Book: Media Laws and Ethics – Probing The Implication In Present Indian Context)
- **Cinema – Art or Industry?** (30/12/2023; ISBN13:978-81-963402-2-3; Genre: Non-Fiction; Language: **ENGLISH**; Book: Indian Contemporary Films and Societal Reflection)
- **Kobitaguchchho** (28/09/2023; ISBN13:979-8891862906; Genre: POETRY; Language: **BENGALI**)
- **POEMS-1** (16/09/2023; ISBN13: 979-8861604482; Genre: POETRY; Language: **ENGLISH**)
- **4K** (26/01/2023; ISBN13: 979-8375073941; Genre: FICTION; Language: **ENGLISH**)
- **CINEMA** (06/04/2020; ISBN13: 979-8715509369; Genre: FICTION; Language: **ENGLISH**)
- **Sound of Time** (25/01/2020; ISBN13:979-8633838893; Genre: FUSION; Language: **ENGLISH**)
- **GREEN** (06/10/2010; ISBN10: 1701120275; ISBN13: 978-1701120273; Genre: FICTION; Language: **ENGLISH**)
- **InFaTuAtIoN** (Drafted in 2008; Published on 26/09/2019; ISBN10: 1695733290 ; ISBN13: 978-1695733299; Genre: FICTION; Language: **ENGLISH**)
- **ORANGE** (07/08/2007; ISBN10 1695725042; ISBN13: 978-1695725041; Genre: FICTION; Language: **ENGLISH**)
- **HOTYA** (13/03/2002; ISBN10: 1695728246; ISBN13: 978-1695728240; Genre: FICTION; Language: **ENGLISH**)

- **Hridoy Ja Chae** (Drafted in 2004; Published on 02/09/2021; ISBN10:1684879884 ISBN13: 978-1684879885, Genre: FICTION Language: **BENGALI**)
- **TALES** (18/12/2017; ISBN13: 979-8716573772; Genre: FICTION; Language: **ENGLISH**)

LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS

- Full Member of **Cine Audio Workers' & Camera Caretakers' Association (West Bengal)** affiliated to Federation of Cine Technicians' & Workers' of Eastern India (18/06/2024-till date)
- Literary Colonel by **StoryMirror** India (2021)
- GSTIN (Goods and Services Tax Identification Number): **19AYHPR9458G1ZN**

PERSONAL DETAILS

Name	:	Saibal Ray
Date of Birth	:	22/08/1983
Gender	:	Male
Languages Known:		Bengali, English, Hindi
Nationality	:	Indian

Weblog: saibalrayindia.blogspot.com

OTHER ACTIVITIES: Painting.