

CURRICULUM VITAE

TOTA C. MANGAR, BA, MA

Administrative Experience - U.G

03/1991 - 02/1992: Acting Head, Dept. of History
06/1995 - 09/1995: Acting Assistant Dean
1996 - 2002: Assistant Dean, Faculty of Arts
2003-2004: Deputy Dean, Administration
2004 to present: Dean, School of Education & Humanities

Teaching Assignments

Courses Taught:

HST 113: Organisation of History and Research Methodology (to History Majors). Semester 1.
HST 122: Organisation of History & Research Methodology Semester II.
HST 211: Pre-Emancipation Caribbean History (to History Majors).
HST 215: Survey of Guyanese History.
HST 225: Survey of Guyanese History.
HST 221: Post Emancipation History of the Caribbean.(to History Majors).
HST 311: Historiography
HST 321: Philosophy of History
PIR 211: Caribbean Labour Movement
HST 214: Survey of Caribbean History: Pre-Emancipation (Berbice Campus)
HST 224: Survey of Caribbean History. Post Emancipation (Berbice Campus)

Examiner

1990-1992: Assistant Chief Examiner in Caribbean History - Ministry of Education, Naffat Examination
1990s Assistant Chief Examiner, CXC History
1998-onwards: Preparation of questions for pool C.X.C. History and CAPE (History)

Membership

- Member of National Subject Committee on Caribbean History in 1980s& 1990s
- Member of Association of Caribbean Historians. (ACH)
- Member of University of Guyana Cricket Team.
- Member of Everest Cricket Club.
- Member and former President of Bel Air Lions Club.

- Member of National Archives Advisory Committee.
- Member of National Committee on the Elderly (1999)
- Co-ordinator, Living History Series Broadcasts on radio for over eleven years.
- Director - Guyana National Newspapers Ltd
- Chairman, National Museum Development Committee

Co-researcher on Publications

- 1979-1980: "Repeaters/Low Achievers Programme, Ministry of Education.
- 1980: Tracer System on Community High School Graduates, Ministry of Education.
- 1981: A Pilot Study in the use of Remedial Techniques in the classroom, Ministry of Education.

(M.A. Thesis) "The Administration of Sir Henry Turner Irving in British Guiana, 1882-1987

Other Research:

- Research on various issues in Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries, British Guiana including Constitutional Development, Political Development, Rural and Interior Development, Immigration and Education.
- Research activities at John Carter Brown Library, July - August, 1994 on "Challenge to Spain New World Empire. International Rivalry in the Caribbean".

Fellowship

2001: Fellowship Awardee at Carter Brown University Library, Providence, Rhode Island

Publications:

- "Planter Class Power and the Struggle for Constitutional Reforms in Nineteenth Century British Guiana" in **History Gazette** No. 10, 1989

- “Conceptualisation and History of the Guianas” in **Problems and Development of the Guianas**, Edited by Henry Jeffrey and Jack Menke (Leyoweg: Anton de Kom University Press, 1991).
- Review of Basdeo Mangru’s **Benevolent Neutrality in Guyana Historical Journal** Vol II, 1991.
- “The Rural and Interior Development Policy of Henry Turner, 1882-1887” in **History Gazette**, 1992.
- “Henry Irving’s Education Policy in British Guiana, 1882-1887” in **Guyana Historical Journal** Volume III 1992.
- Henry Irving’s role on Immigration in British Guiana, 1882-1887 in **History Gazette**. No.64, 1994.
- “The Court of Policy” in **Guyana Review**, January - February, 1995
Co-authored: “National Co-operative Development Policy” for Ministry of Labour in 1996.
- “Dr Jagan Re-energized Nation “ in **Takuba News**, Feb - March, 1997.
- Edited “A Guide to Georgetown City. Guyana, 1996.
- “Struggle, Sacrifice and Resistance: Indians in Guyana” in **Caricom Perspective**. A Century of Achievement Vol. I June 1999.
- Review of Dale Bisnauth’s “The Settlement of Indians in Guyana, 1890-1930” (Leeds: Pepal Press, 2000 in **Guyana Review** Vol 8. Nos. 84 -85, 2000 pp 29 - 31.
- “History of the Institute of Distance & Continuing Education in Journal Reflections, 2002
- “PPP/Civic Government in Office (1992-2004) in **12th Anniversary. Return to Democracy** Georgetown: Gina Nov. 2005
- “The Arrival of East Indians in Guyana in **HORIZONS, 168, Years, Indian Arrival in Guyana**, Georgetown Advertising & Marketing Services, May 2006
- “A Brief History of Guyana” In **Guyana El Dorado** Unexplored. (London: Hansib Publication, 2006).

- “East Indian Immigration 1838-1917” in **Guyana El Dorado Unexplored** (London: Hansib Publication, 2006).

Research accepted for publication

“Struggle, Sacrifice and Resistance” Aspects of the History of Indentured Indians in Guyana, 1838 - 1917 in **Race and Class**.

“The Hopetown Experiment” An Aspect of Chinese Immigration in Nineteenth Century Colonial British Guiana “in Book on Chinese in the Caribbean (Editor Walton Look-Lai).

Book Published

A Brief History of the Guyana Forestry Commission 1925-2004, 79 Years of Service to the Nation May, 2004.

Work Completed

- “**History of Demerara Tobacco Company, 1934 - 1990**” (For Demtoco) 1994
- European Exploration of the Guianas in the 16th and 17th Centuries 2005.

Conference Papers:

- “Conceptualisation and History of the Guianas” at 1st Inter-Guianas Conference, Anton de Kom University, 1990.
- “The United States and Western European Nations in Regional Affairs in the Late Twentieth Century with Special Reference to Guyana”, at 3rd Joint Inter-Guianas Conference on **Regionalism: The Global Reality and Its Implications** held in French Guiana, October 1992.
- “Dr. Cheddi Jagan, 1918 - 1997. His Life and Times.” At Indian Diaspora Conference, Suriname, May, 1998.

- Henry Turner Irving's Immigration Policy, 1882 - 1887 at International Indian Diaspora Conference At Berbice Campus, Tain, May 2002
- "The Guyana Forestry Commission 1980-2000. 20 Years of service to the National Economy." 5th Inter-Guianas Conference, U.G
- "The Hopetown Experiment. An Aspect of Chinese Immigration in Nineteenth Century British Guiana". Paper presented at **Globalisation, Diaspora and Identity Formation** Conference, Suriname, 2004.
- "Huist Dieren: An Experiment in East Indian Land Settlement Scheme in Nineteenth Century British Guiana. Paper presented at Indian Diaspora Conference UWI, St. Augustine, 2004.
- "The Devonshire Castle Strike and Riots of 1872." An Aspect of East Indian Resistance to Indentureship 1838-1917". Paper presented at International Conference on Indian Diaspora, Chaguanas, Trinidad 2005.

Public Service

- ✓ Member of Board of Directors, Guyana National Newspapers Limited (GNNL)
- ✓ Member of National Archives Advisory Board
- ✓ Chairman of National Museum Development Committee
- ✓ Contributor to History of the Week Articles in **Stabroek News**
- ✓ Panelist on Radio & Television on topics of Historical Nature

Other Research

SOME SHORT ARTICLES published in 1991/92 issues of **Guyana Chronicle** under the caption **History Today, Week End Herald** June/August, 1992 and also in 1993/2006 issues of **Stabroek News History Today**:

- "The Guianas: The Meaning and Origin".
- "The Court of Policy".
- "The Combined Court".
- "Henry Turner Irving".
- "The 1886 Medical Report Controversy".
- "The Emery Incident of 1843".
- "Hopetown".
- "The Emergence of Demerara".
- "The Gladstone Experiment".
- "George Williams Des Voeux".
- "The Huist D' ieren Experiment".

- "Village Movement in the Nineteenth Century".
- "Civil List Disputes".
- "The 1891 Constitutional Change".
- "Rural and Interior Development in the 1880s".
- "Immigration Schemes in Nineteenth Century British Guiana".
- "Struggle for Constitutional Reforms in the 19th Century".
- "History of Local Government in Guyana".
- "Education in the Nineteenth Century".
- "Dr. Cheddi Jagan, 1918 - 1997".
- "The Leonora Strike and Riots of 1939".
- "Guiana in the Post-Independence Period".
- "East Indian Immigration to British Guiana, 1838 - 1917.
- "History of the Dharam Shala
- "History of the IDCE"
- "History of Bel Air Lions Club"
- History of IDCE
- Reflections on Emancipation
- Significance of Independence