



## **Durba Ghosh, Professor**

### **Biography**

I have been at Cornell since 2005, when I arrived in the history department as an assistant professor. I am currently a professor of history and currently serve as director of the Feminist, Gender, and Sexuality Program. I have also been involved with the South Asia Program, the Mario Einaudi Center for International Studies, the Society for the Humanities, the Institute for Social Sciences, and the CIVIC initiative that emerged out of the Radical Collaborations projects.

I am the author of *Sex and the Family in Colonial India: the making of empire* (Cambridge University Press, 2006), and *Gentlemanly Terrorists: Political Violence and the Colonial State in India, 1919-1947* (Cambridge University Press, 2017); and with Dane Kennedy, the co-editor of *Decentring Empire: Britain, India and the Transcolonial World* (Orient Longman, 2006). I am a recipient of the Robert and Helen Appel Fellowships for Humanists and Social Scientists (2008) and the Graduate and Professional Student Assembly prize for mentoring and advising (2015), as well as a number of extramural fellowships.

### **Candidate Statement**

I have previously served on the University Faculty Committee and feel strongly about supporting inclusion, diversity, and accessibility at all levels of the university.