

IQAC / COLLEGE ACTIVITY & EVENT REPORT

2017-18

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| Title of the Program/ Event | Talk on “Impact of Regionalism on Indian Politics” |
| Organiser | Department of Political Science, Golaghat Commerce College |
| Date | 28.08.2017 |
| Number of participants | 135 |





A talk on the impact of Regionalism on Indian Politics was organized by the Dept. of Political Science, Golaghat Commerce College on 28th August, 2017 with an intent to give an insight on how regionalism has influenced the political scenario of the Country. Mr. Tankeswar Pathak, retd. Vice Principal, Nandanath Saikia College, Titabar, Assam , resource person for the programme stressed on the state of politics prevailing in different states of India specifically Assam, West Bengal, Andhra Pradesh and Tamil Nadu.

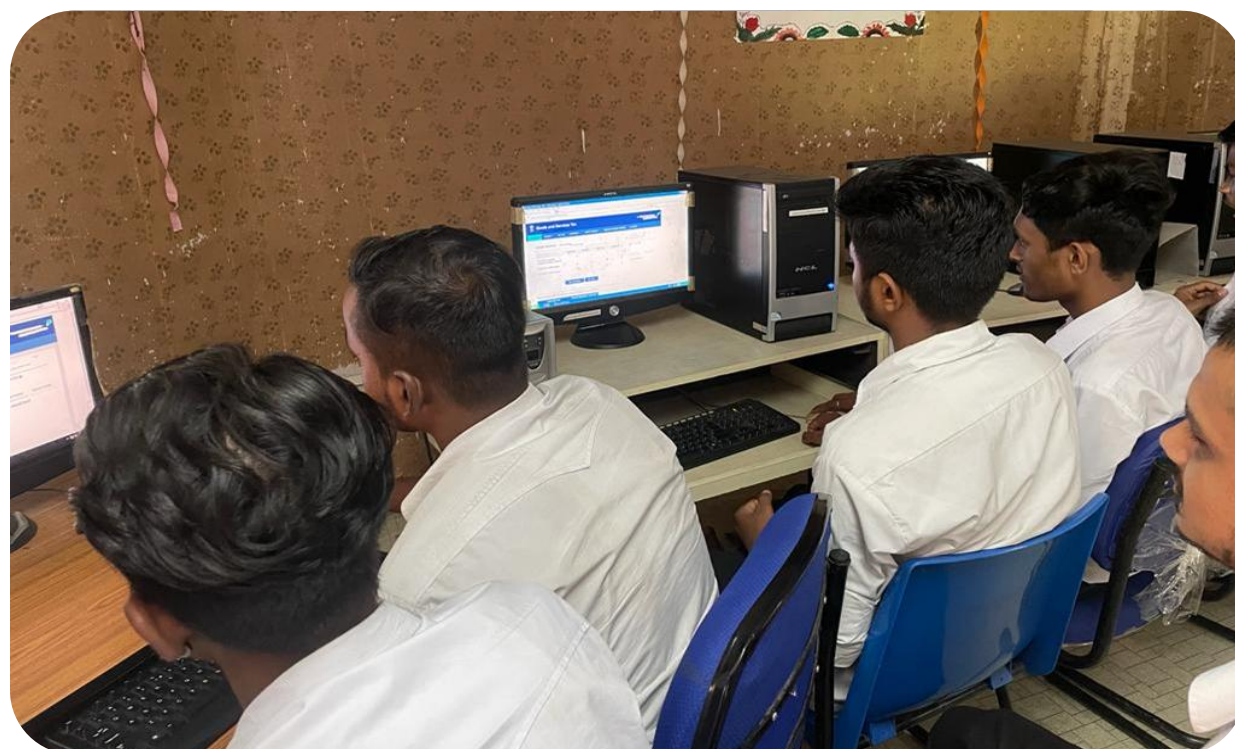
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| Title of the Program/ Event | A Discussion on Modi's Economic Reform |
| Organiser | Dept. of Economics, Golaghat Commerce College |

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| Date | 14.09.2017 |
| Number of participants | 54 |

On 14 September, 2017 the Department of Economics, GCC organised a talk on “Economic Reforms of Modi Government”, delivered by Mrs. Julee Dutta, Assistant Professor of the Department of Economics. The talk intended to discuss the various reforms and policies introduced by the government of India during that period. The students and teachers of the department discussed and analysed the impacts of those policies on the economy in short run and long run.



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| Title of the Program/ Event | Career Seminar on GST & Student's Employability |
| Organizer | ICA Eduskills Pvt. Ltd and IQAC, Golaghat Commerce College |
| Date | 23-10-2017 |
| Number of Teacher Participants | 61 |





The Institution organized a career seminar on GST & Student's Employability for the welfare of the students on 23rd October, 2017. IQAC, Golaghat Commerce College in association with ICA Eduskills Pvt. Ltd took the initiative keeping in view the increasing need of GST and its application in business. A total number of 61 students participated in the program.

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| Title of the Program/ Event | Talk on Gender Issues, Gender Sensitization, Sexual Harassment and Women Empowerment |
| Organizer | Women's Cell , Golaghat Commerce College |
| Resource Person | Mrs. Yasmin Khan, Assistant Professor,C K B College, Teok |
| Date | 06.02.2018 |
| Number of Participants | 400 |



On dated 6th Feb. 2018 the Golaghat Commerce College Women Cell Organized a talk on “Gender Issues, Gender Sensitization, Sexual Harassment and Women Empowerment” at RanaTamuli Auditorium, Golaghat Commerce College. In that programme Dr. Jatindra Nath Saikia, Principal, Golaghat Commerce College, delivered his inaugural speech. After a while the

secretary, women cell Dr. Dipali Gogoi highlighted the objectives of the day long programme. Resource Person Yashmin Khan delivered on said topic and interacted with presented students of the College as well as teachers.

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| Title of the Program/ Event | Talk on Union Budget, 2018-19 |
| Organizer | Department of Economics, Golaghat Commerce College |
| Date | 24.02. 2018 |
| Number of Participants | 50 |

The Department of Economics, Golaghat Commerce College organized a Talk Programme on 24th February, 2018 on the Topic “Union Budget, 2018-19”. Mrs. Moonmoni Baruah, The Head of the Department delivered the talk in the presence of the teachers and students of the Department. The Union Budget is the foundation of economic development, it helps to deal with economic and social problems. In the talk the highlights of Union Budget were presented in details along with the impact it will have on the economy. The discussions on the topic were very fruitful for the students and everyone present there.



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| Title of the Program/ Event | International Seminar on Small Tea Growers: Its Impact on Tea Industry and The Way Forward |
| Organizer | Golaghat Commerce College and Small Tea Growers Association |
| Date | 07.04.2018 |
| Number of Participants | 125 |

An International Seminar on “Emergence of Small Tea Growers, Its Impact on Tea Industry and the Way Forward” was jointly organized by Golaghat Commerce College and All Assam Small Tea Growers Association on 7th April, 2018 on the occasion of the 10th Tri-ennial Golaghat State Convention, All Assam Small Tea Growers’ Association. The seminar sought to understand the present Tea Industry situation and to try and mitigate challenges that the Small Tea Growers are facing and navigate the possibilities. The seminar was attended by delegates belonging to the Tea industry along with dignitaries from Bangladesh and Nepal.

The delegates present were:

- Sri. Mrinal Saikia, MLA, Khumtai LAC,
- Sri. Bidyanand Borkakoti, Vice Chairman, Tea Board of India,
- Sri. Bijay Gopal Chakraborty, Chairman, All India Small Tea Growers’ Association,
- Dr. Kamal Buzarbaruah, Vice Chancellor Assam Agriculture University Jorhat,
- Director, Tocklai Tea Research Institute
- Director, Tea Development Board
- President, CISTA

Many other renowned persons associated with the tea industry namely Mr. Nepul Saikia Chairman NETA, Mr. Manoj Jallan ex- Chairman North Eastern Tea Association (NETA), Mr. Malpani executive member NETA, Mr. Manoj Jallan, Director Golaghat Tea Estate, Mr. Kamal Buzarbaruah, VC, Assam Agricultural University, Mr. Bijay Gopal Chakraborty, Chairman, All India Small Tea Growers Association were also present in the seminar.

Although, Golaghat Commerce College, as a Higher Educational Institution is not directly involved in the arena of production and manufacturing of tea and the problems associated with the tea industry, it is not quite novice in this field as well. The college is running a post-graduate diploma course in Tea Plantation and Management in collaboration with North Eastern Tea Association (NETA) and this experience has put the college in an advantageous position in comparison to other Higher Educational Institutions in the district to organize an International Seminar on a topic of such practicability associated with the stakeholders of the tea industry in Assam. Teaching staff of the Institution were encouraged to attend the seminar and 32 teachers from the college attended the seminar. Quite a good number of small tea growers from major tea producing countries like India, Sri-Lanka, Nepal and Bangladesh participated in the seminar, and some of them presented their papers as well

Issues like the colonial legacy of tea still haunting tea industry, the emergence of small tea growers in variegated geo-economic and socio-cultural conditions, and the problems faced by STGs in contradistinction to the ones encountered by the larger tea estates etc. were discussed in the seminar. In the course of the discussion, it was pointed out that while the blenders and marketing channels appropriate ever-increasing profits, the small farmers have to bear the burden of fluctuating and falling commodity prices. In his profile, the small-holder tea grower is devoid of knowledge, starved of resources and lacking in organization particularly in respect of doing effective marketing. It emerged from the discussion that while farmers need some help in production, they need more help in manufacturing and most help in marketing





COMMUNITY OUTREACH AND EXTENTION ACTIVITIES

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| Name of the Event | Flood Relief materials distributed in Sarupathar Revenue Circle Golaghat |
| Date | 24.07.2017 |
| Organizer | NSS Unit, Golaghat Commerce College |

The National Service Scheme (NSS) Unit of Golaghat Commerce College has distributed flood relief materials among the flood victims of Dow-hingimari, Tengani Alichiga & Duworani area under Sarupathar Revenue Circle of Golaghat District on 24th July 2017. The unit has distributed cloths and necessary food items like rice, cereals, mustered oil, salt, biscuits & ORS covering 165 families of those areas. The teachers of the college and businessmen of Golaghat Municipality area also contributed both cash and kind for this noble deed.

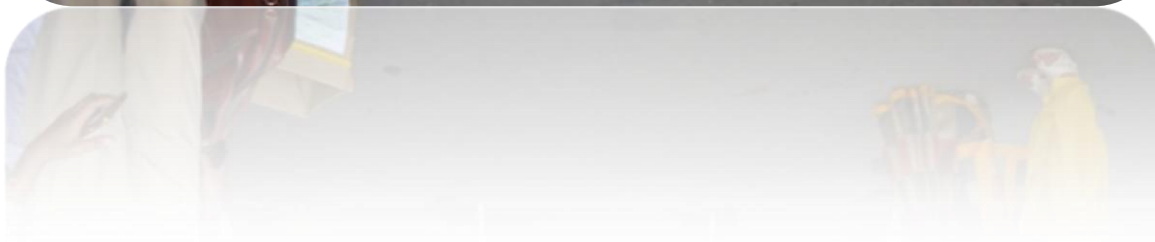






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| Name of the Event | Street Play on Swachh Bharat Abhiyan |
| Date | 29.09.2017 |
| Organizer | NCC 74 Assam Girls'(I) COY |

The students performed a street play on **Swachh Bharat Abhiyan** on 29th September, 2017 at Golaghat town.. On 29th September, 2017, NCC cadets of 74 Assam Girls (I) COY performed a street play at Bata Point, Golaghat with the objective of generating awareness among people about the nationwide campaign 'Clean India'.The troupe of students through their performance, depicted the general attitude of people towards cleanliness and how it causes damage to the environment. A total of 15 students performed this Street Play and their performance was highly appreciated by the audience.





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| Title of the Event | Youth Voters Festival-2018 A Journey Towards Accessible Elections |
| Date | 20.01.2018 |
| Organizer | Golaghat Election District in collaboration with IQAC, Golaghat Commerce College and NRL, Golaghat |

In its effort to create awareness on the significance of Election process in a democratic country like India, the Institution in collaboration with Golaghat Election District and NRL, Golaghat organized Youth Festival-2018 A Journey Towards Accessible Elections on 20th January, 2018. Along with a speech delivered by Ms. Kukila Gogoi, District Election Officer, Golaghat , events such as Rangoli Competition and Poster Competition were also organized. The theme for such competitions was youth voters and election process. A large number of participants from the host college as well as other colleges participated in the programme.





Poster Competition



Rangoli Competition