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From the Vice-Chancellor's Desk



It is a matter of great satisfaction for us to welcome all those who are seeking admission to the various UG/PG and integrated courses of Assam University at both Silchar and Diphu Campus. The university

during its last twenty-one years of existence, has grown both in terms of social responsibility and intellectual capital leading to academic and economic acceleration of the people of entire North East India in general and South Assam in particular. Assam University has established itself as a premier institution of higher education not only in the North Eastern Region of India but also internationally. The university has 37 post graduate departments and six inter-disciplinary centers located at the two campuses at Silchar and Diphu. The academic ambiance prevailing in the University is the testimony of our collective efforts towards achieving excellence. Not being just remaining content with what has been achieved our march towards excellence is on.

The research activities of the university have acclaimed all over the academic world. The university has attracted students and research scholars not only from the rest of India but also from the SAARC countries, South East Asian Nations and African Countries. The university has joined consortium with eight European and twelve Indian University/institutes under the "NAMASTE" project.

To bring vigor to process of learning the university has already introduced the Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) at the Post

Graduate level and also in case of the Integrated Courses in 2010. The CBCS pattern is restructured and the courses are redesigned to add dynamism to the learning process. The CBCS system will be introduced at the under graduate level also from the academic session 2015-16. The system facilitates inter disciplinary studies by allowing students to choose courses across disciplines.

The university went for a huge recruitment drive at the early part of this calendar year for both faculty as well as non-faculty positions. Now, most of the vacancies, in the academic departments, administrative offices and statutory positions are filled up, aiming at an accelerated pace of service to the stakeholders of the university.

The campus life is almost self-contained with health center, departmental stores, banks, post-office, gym, play grounds, transport facilities, central library as well as departmental libraries. There are four hostels for men and five for women and providing a safe and comfortable campus life for residential students. The details of these facilities and many more are provided in the Prospectus.

Our venture towards excellence is responded to by the academicians, students and their guardians. Each year, we are getting increasing number of applicants for the different courses offered by the university. We are expecting the same trend this year too.

The Assam University family is committed to the cause of excellence and I welcome co-operation from one and all to this mission. 'CHARAIBETI' (March forward).

Somnath Dasgupta

(Prof. Somnath Dasgupta)

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Assam University, Silchar (a Central University) was established by an Act of Parliament promulgated in 1989 (Act XXIII) and enforced by a Notification of the Government of India in January 1994. In 2014 the University has been accredited by NAAC with Grade B with a CGPA of 2.92.

With the Bhuban and the Barail ranges of hills at the backdrop, the University campus is surrounded by lush green hillocks, natural lakes and the picturesque tea gardens of South Assam. The inner landscape is featured by sprawling lawns, well nurtured gardens and eco-forests. The serene setting makes Assam University campus a unique one with exquisite natural beauty which captures viewers' imagination and provides an ideal atmosphere for study and research.

Distance between the main campus and the Silchar city is about 23 km. Silchar city being the gateway to the entire southern part of North East India is the hub of commercial activities and is known for its history as the Tea Capital of South Assam.

Away from the humdrum of the busy city-life of Silchar and set amidst its sylvan surroundings, the University engages itself in academic pursuits. The objectives of the University, as enshrined in Section 4 of Assam University Act, are –

“to disseminate and advance knowledge by providing instructional and research facilities in such branches of learning as it may deem fit and by the example of its corporate life to make provisions for integrated courses in Humanities, Natural and Physical Sciences and Social Sciences in the educational programmes of the University; to take appropriate measures for promoting inter-disciplinary studies and research in the University; to educate and train manpower for development of State of Assam; and to pay special attention to the improvement of the social, economic conditions and welfare of the people of that state, their intellectual academic and cultural development.”

The sprawling University campus at Silchar is spread over an area of about 600 acres on which there are 36 post graduate departments and 6 Interdisciplinary Centres including School of Technology. In addition, CIL (Central Instrumentation Laboratory) has also been established in the university. The institution provides state-of-the-art facilities to students coming from different parts of the country and abroad. The current roll strength is around 4500 at the post graduate and Integrated Courses including around 1500 M. Phil, and Ph.D at research levels. These apart, there are nearly 25,000 students in the affiliated and permitted colleges in the five districts of south Assam which together constitute the jurisdiction of Assam University. The colleges imparts

under-graduate teaching in Science, Arts, Commerce, B.Ed. and the Law streams.

During the last one decade, the University has made impressive strides in establishing itself as a premier institution of learning by blending quality education, socially relevant academic endeavours and scientific research with mission-orientation and tireless striving for excellence. Assam university has signed Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with university / institutes like Hyderabad University, North Bengal University, Pune University, North-East Institutes of Science and Technology (earlier RRL), CIDC (under Planning Commission, Govt of India) in India. International collaboration with Jiao Tong University of China, Nantes University of France and University of Montreal, Canada has been initiated through MOUs. The placement cell in the university provides help and support to the students through campus interview. In recent years organisations like TCS, WIPRO, IDBI, PRADAN, HSBC and others have selected many of our students of different departments. University also arranged NET coaching for SC/ST, minority students. Students taking admission from other institutes, other than institutes affiliated to Assam University, Silchar have to submit Migration Certificates within 2 months of their admission.

The University Campus is fast developing and is endowed with amenities / facilities such as Post Office, Telephone Exchange, Public Call Offices, Bank, Police Outpost, Water Treatment Plants, Electric Substations, Students' Hostels (both Boys' & Girls'), Health Centre, Staff Quarters, Shopping Complex, Guest House, Central Library, Auditorium and Parks. In addition

other amenities like ATM, Sports Complex, Cafeteria, E-Journals, INFLIBNET, DELCON, Bio-informatics and KIOSK facilities are also available. University has introduced Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) from 2010-2011 at post graduate level and semester system in colleges affiliated to it. Choice of specialization / course offered by the respective department will depend on the availability of seats, human resources and other facilities. The decision of the department is final and binding on the concerned student.

DIPHU CAMPUS

Establishment of Assam University Campus at Diphu has been a long felt demand of the people of Karbi Anglong, Assam. A satellite campus of Assam University at Diphu has been launched from the academic session 2007-08. The authorities of Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council have allocated 272 bighas of land in Diphu-Lumding Road about 8 kms away from Diphu town. The land so allocated has already been taken over by the University and is in the process of construction of boundary wall and other buildings. The campus site is located in a beautiful surrounding of the lush green hills.

There are 10 departments in the Diphu Campus (i) English, (ii) Political Science, (iii) History, (iv) Physics, (v) Life Science, (vi) Commerce, (vii) Assamese, (viii) Anthropology (ix) Hindi, (x) Geography and Centre for Tribal Studies.

We are delighted to share the information that Assam University have been recognised as UGC-NET Centre reaping immense benefit for the students community of the Region.

DEPARTMENTS / CENTRES UNDER VARIOUS SCHOOLS OF STUDIES

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<u>Rabindranath Tagore School of Indian Languages & Cultural Studies</u>		<u>Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan School of Philosophical Studies</u>	
➤ Department of Linguistics	5	➤ Department of Visual Arts	22
➤ Department of Bengali	6	➤ Department of Philosophy	23
➤ Centre for Endangered Language, Manuscriptology & Folkloristics	7	<u>Ashutosh Mukhopadhyay School of Educational Sciences</u>	
➤ Department of Indian Comparative Literature	8	➤ Department of Education	24
➤ Department of Hindi	9	<u>Albert Einstein School of Physical Sciences</u>	
➤ Department of Manipuri	10	➤ Department of Physics	26
➤ Department of Sanskrit	11	➤ Department of Chemistry	27
➤ Department of Assamese (Diphu Campus)	54	➤ Centre for Soft Matter	28
<u>Suniti Kumar Chattopadhyay School of English & Foreign Languages Studies</u>		➤ Department of Mathematics	29
➤ Department of English	12	➤ Department of Statistics	30
➤ Department of Arabic	13	➤ Department of Computer Science	31
➤ Department of French	14	<u>Hargobind Khurana School of Life Sciences</u>	
<u>Mahatma Gandhi School of Economics & Commerce</u>		➤ Department of Life Science & Bio-informatics	32
➤ Department of Economics	15	➤ Centre for Bio-informatics	33
➤ Department of Commerce	16	➤ Department of Microbiology	34
<u>Iadunath Sarkar School of Social Sciences</u>		➤ Department of Biotechnology	35
➤ Department of Political Science	17	<u>Jawaharlal Nehru School of Management Studies</u>	
➤ Department of History	18	➤ Department of Business Administration	36
➤ Department of Sociology	19	<u>E.P. Odum School of Environmental Sciences</u>	
➤ Department of Social Work	20	➤ Department of Ecology and Environmental Science	37
➤ Department of Anthropology (Diphu Campus)	59	➤ Centre for studies in Bio-Diversity and Natural Resource Conservation	38
<u>Abanindranath Tagore School of Creative Arts & Communication Studies</u>		<u>Triguna Sen School of Technology</u>	
➤ Department of Mass Communication	21	➤ Department of Agricultural Engineering	39

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➤ Department of Electronics and Communications Engineering	41	➤ Department of Library and Information Science	44
<u>Sushrutu School of Medical and Paramedical Sciences</u>		<u>Deshabandhu Chitta Ranjan School of Legal Studies</u>	
➤ Department of Pharmaceutical Science	42	➤ Department of Law	45
<u>Aryabhata School of Earth Sciences</u>		<u>Central Facilities</u>	
➤ Department of Earth Science	43	➤ Central Instrumentation Laboratory	46
➤ Department of Geography (Diphu Campus)	63	➤ Computer Centre	47
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ACADEMIC DEPARTMENTS

RABINDRANATH TAGORE SCHOOL OF LANGUAGES & CULTURAL STUDIES

Department of Linguistics

The Department of Linguistics came into being in 1995 with the aim of developing a better understanding of language study and linguistics. With the diverse linguistic scenario in North East India providing its backdrop, the thrust of the department's endeavour has been on analyzing the languages of North East India with special reference to the languages of South Assam. The department is also giving importance to the study of endangered languages of the North East India as a lot of minority languages are spoken in this part of the country which is considered to be endangered so that we can do something meaningful to preserve these. All the North Eastern languages show dialectal variations which need to be studied structurally as well as sociolinguistically. Such studies would help the standardization of languages and pave the ways for their use in education and other fields of socio-cultural life of North East India. Keeping this in view, the department has developed its course curriculum in such a way so as to enable students at the Post Graduate level to acquire special knowledge to take up independent researches in future on various languages and their recent developments.



Courses Offered :

- i] M.A. (by course work). *Duration* : Four Semesters. *Intake Capacity* : 31
- ii] M. Phil. (by course work & dissertation).
- iii] Ph. D. (by course work & research work).

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
AJIT KUMAR BAISHYA <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Sociolinguistics
S. GANESH BASKARAN <i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Ethnolinguistics, Descriptive Linguistics, Lexicography and Translation
KH. DHIREN SINGHA <i>M. Phil, Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Phonology, Morpho-syntax, Language Typology and Tibeto-Burman Linguistics
PAUTHANG HAOKIP <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Phonetics/ Phonology, Tibeto-Burman and Descriptive Linguistics
D MARY KIM HAOKIP <i>M. Phil., Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Language Teaching, Descriptive Linguistics and Field Linguistics
PARAMITA PURKAIT <i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Comparative Linguistics, Morphology, Semantics, Lexicography & Lexicology

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC examination in Arts, Science or Commerce are eligible for admission.

Department of Bengali

The Department of Bengali is having the highest number of researchers in the University. The major focus of the department is to develop creativity as well as the critical eye among the students. The thrust area of M. Phil. and Ph. D. programme in the department are: Contemporary Literary Theory & Application, Folk and Gender Studies, Comparative Literature, Sociology of Literature, Old and Modern Bengali Literature, Language and Translation Studies, Cultural Studies etc. The Centre for Studies in Endangered Languages, Manuscriptology and Folkloristics (CELMF), which is attached to this department, is also actively involved in exploring new areas of research based on field study.

Further, the teachers of the department regularly contribute to different journals and books with research based papers. Regular publication of books by the faculty members is also recorded.



Courses Offered :

- i] M.A. (by course work). Duration : Four Semesters. Intake Capacity : 77
- ii] M.Phil. (by course work & dissertation).
- iii] Ph.D. (by course work & research work)
- iv] D. Litt. (by research work)

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
RAMA BHATTACHARYYA	Ph.D.	Professor	Language and Post - Tagore Bengali Literature
BELA DAS	Ph.D.	Professor	Medieval Bengali Literature, Nineteenth Century Bengali Literature and Feminism
BISWATOSH CHOUDHURY	Ph.D.	Professor	Tagore and Post Tagore Literature
PRIYA KANTA NATH	Ph.D.	Professor	Literary Theory and Modern Bengali Literature
DEBASISH BHATTACHARJEE	Ph.D.	Professor	Literary Theory, Modern Bengali Literature
TRIPTI PAUL CHOUDHURY	Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Comparative Literature
SANTANU SARKAR	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Linguistics and Literary Criticism
DURBA DEB	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Modern Bengali Literature and Manuscriptology
RAMI CHAKRABORTY	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Literary theory and Modern Bengali Literature
ALAUDDIN MONDAL	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Modern Bengali Literature, Comparative Literature, Ethnic Studies
ASHOK DAS	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Literary theory and Modern Bengali Literature
RAMAKANTA DAS	LL B., Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Folklore & Cultural Studies
RAHUL DAS	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Literary Theory and Modern Bengali Literature
BUBUL SHARMA	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Medieval Bengali Literature
BARUNJYOTI CHOUDHURY	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Literary theory and Modern Bengali Literature

PROF. TAPODHIR BHATTACHARJEE:

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC examination with at least 40% marks are eligible for admission.

Centre for Studies in Endangered Languages, Manuscriptology and Folkloristics

The Centre for Studies in Endangered Languages, Manuscriptology and Folkloristics (CELMF) started its functioning since 01-01-2009. The Centre is attached to the Deptt. of Bengali of Assam University and is monitored by a Committee having Dean, School of Languages as Chairman, HOD, Bengali as Vice Chairman Prof. Bela Das, Deptt. of Bengali as Honorary Director.

Aims & Objectives :

The Centre is mainly a Research Centre. Its main objectives are :

- To facilitate research activities on the areas relating to Manuscriptology, Folk Studies and studies in Endangered Languages of North Eastern part of India.
- To create a comprehensive archive of folk tools, technology, performing arts like dance, music & culture representing different ethnic groups of NE India.
- To inculcate planned studies in Endangered Languages of North East India with special reference to exicography, preparing dictionaries etc.
- To arrange short term workshop and Certificate /Diploma Courses in the specified areas.
- To promote publication of research oriented occasional papers in the specified areas.

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
RAMAKANTA DAS	LL B.Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Folklore & Cultural Studies
RAHUL DAS	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Literary Theory and Modern Bengali Literature

HONORARY DIRECTOR : PROF BELA DAS



Department of Indian Comparative Literature

The Department of Indian Comparative Literature came into being in 2014 with an aim to try to set good standards of teaching and research from the beginning. Comparative Literature is one of the most significant disciplines of our age of multiculturalism. It will educate students about the interplay of language and culture and it will bring a keener sensitivity to the language, culture and people of our region.

The Department offers M.A., M.Phil. and Ph. D. programmes of study. The major focus of the teaching and research programmes in the department is on areas like Inter-Indian Relations --- Bhakti literature, Indian Regional Literature, History of Indian Literature & Culture, Epic Literature, Impact of Sanskrit & European literature on literature of Indian Languages etc.

Courses Offered :

- i] M.A. (by course work). Duration : Four Semesters. Intake Capacity : 20
- ii] M. Phil. (by course work & dissertation).
- ii] Ph. D. (by course work & research work).

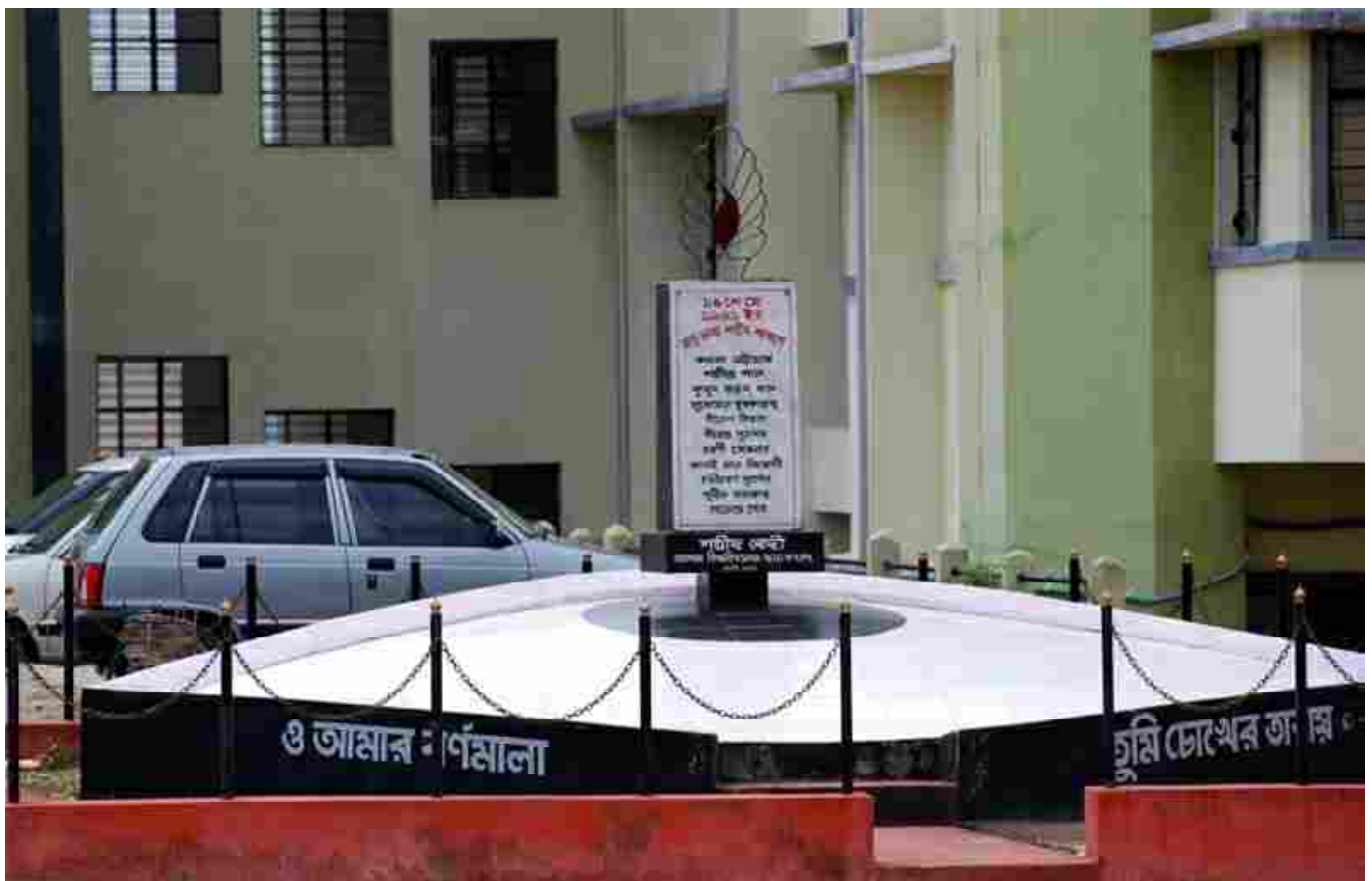
Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
SUMAN GUN <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Comparative Literature
ARJUNDEV SEN SARMA <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Medieval Bengali Literature, Manuscriptology and Cultural Studies

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. SUMAN GUN

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates of any discipline who have passed the TDC examination are eligible to apply for admission.



Department of Hindi

The Department of Hindi which started its journey in July 1998 offers M.A., M.Phil., Ph.D. and D. Litt. programmes. The thrust area in the post graduate programme is Hindi Literature with special emphasis on Contemporary Hindi Literature and its interaction with other Indian languages and literatures. Ongoing Ph. D. research at the department covers areas like Modern Hindi Poetry, Comparative Indian Literature, Hindi Fiction, Contemporary Hindi Literature and Historiography of Hindi Literature.



Courses Offered :

- i] M.A. (by course work). Duration : Four Semesters. Intake Capacity : 46
- ii] M. Phil. (by course work & dissertation).
- iii] Ph. D. (by Course work & research work).
- iv] D. Litt. (by research work)

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
SATYA PAL SINGH CHAUHAN <i>M.Phil., Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Modern and contemporary Hindi Poetry, History of Hindi Literature
KRISHNA MOHAN JHA <i>M.Phil, Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Modern Hindi Poetry, Hindi Fiction, Contemporari Hindi Literature
SURESH CHANDRA <i>M.Phil, Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Bhakti Kavya, Dalit-Sahitya & Modern Hindi Poetry
PRABHAT KUMAR MISHRA <i>M.Phil, Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Contemporary Hindi Literature, Hindi Renaissance.
AKASH VERMA <i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Modern Hindi Poetry, Linguistics
SHEETANSHU KUMAR* <i>M.Phil, Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Kabir, Hindi Literature between 1757-1857
VEDAPARNA DEY <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Premchand, Philosophy of History of Literature

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. SATYA PAL SINGH CHAUHAN

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Department of Manipuri

The Department of Manipuri, established in July 1997, offers M.A, M.Phil and Ph.D. programmes of study. The major focus of the teaching and research endeavours in the department is on areas like Language, Culture, Manipuri folklore, Manipuri literature and Translation theories. Apart from teaching and research, the department has also been organising national level seminars and UGC-sponsored refresher courses. Study tours to centres of folklore and Manipuri culture are also occasionally arranged.



Courses Offered :

- i] M.A. (by course work). *Duration* : Four Semesters. *Intake Capacity* : 31
- ii] M.Phil (by course work & dissertation).
- iii] Ph.D. (by course work & research work)
- iv] D. Litt. (by research work)

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
N. SARAT CHANDRA SINGH <i>M.Phil., Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Principles and Parameters Theory (PPT) and the Minimalist programme of Transformational Generative (TG) Grammar, Comparative Literature, Stylistics and Translation
W. RAGHUMANI SINGH <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Comparative Linguistics, Dialectology, Historical Linguistics, Manipuri Novel & Short Story
H. NANI KUMAR SINGHA <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Manipuri Folklore, Manipuri Culture, Eastern Criticism, Modern Manipuri Poetry
M. RAJENDRA SINGH <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Modern Manipuri Prose & Drama, Old Manipuri Literature and Manipuri Culture
H. RAJMANI SINGHA <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Indian Literary Criticism, Old Manipuri Literature and Culture
RK NIRMOLA SANA <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Tibeto-Burman Linguistics, Modern Manipuri Literature

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Department of Sanskrit

The Department of Sanskrit started its journey with Master of Arts programme in 1995. The Department offers three optional specializations in the groups of Veda, Darúana and Kāvya in the Post Graduate level. Interdisciplinary studies remain the prime focus of the Research work alongwith the traditional genre. The Department recurrently organizes Seminar, Workshop and Lecture Programmes. Since inception the department has remained engaged in popularizing the Study of Sanskrit language and literature in the region. Simple Sanskrit speaking courses are regularly organized within and outside university campus to enable the learners speak in simple Sanskrit. The Department also organizes Sanskrit Literacy Programme in the rural areas. The thrust area covers Vedic, Aesthetic, Cultural, Philosophical, Scientific and interdisciplinary studies.



Courses Offered :

- i] M.A. (by course work). Duration : Four Semesters.
- ii] M. Phil (by course work & dissertation).
- iii] Ph. D. (by course work & research work).
- iv] D. Litt. (by research work)

Intake Capacity : 31

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
SWAPNA DEVI	Ph.D.	Professor	Darshana
SNIGDHA DAS ROY	Ph.D.	Professor	Veda & Mimamsa
BHAGIRATHI BISWAS	Ph.D.	Professor	Kavya
SHANTI POKHREL	Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Veda
GOVIND SHARMA	M.A.	Assistant Professor	Darshana

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PLACEMENT: A good number of passed out students have been serving as faculty members in colleges, University and other Educational Institutions. A good number of alumni are also engaged in popularizing Sanskrit in the region in collaboration with NGOs.



SUNTI KUMAR CHATTOPADHYAY SCHOOL OF ENGLISH & FOREIGN LANGUAGES STUDIES

Department of English

The Department of English which came up in 1994 offers MA, M.Phil. and Ph.D. programmes of study. The MA syllabus in addition to English Literature places particular focus on Contemporary Theoretical Developments, New Literatures in English, World Literature in Translation, Translation studies and English Language Teaching. The ongoing research activities in the department include, among others, researches on New Literatures written in English, Cultural Studies, Ethnic Literatures, Displacement Studies, Translation Studies. In addition, the University already proposed the setting up of three potential centres of study, namely, Centre for Postcolonial and Cultural Studies, Centre for Translation Studies and Centre for Communicative English.



Courses Offered :

- i] M.A. (by course work). Duration : Four Semesters.
- ii] M. Phil (by course work & dissertation).
- iii] Ph. D. (by course work & research work).
- iv] D. Litt. (by research work)

Intake Capacity : 45

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
DIPANKAR PURKAYASTHA	Ph.D.	Professor	English Poetry, American Literature and Multiethnic Literatures
ROSALINE JAMIR	Ph.D.	Professor	English, American and Commonwealth Poetry; Literatures in English of North-East India (Poetry & Fiction)
DIPENDU DAS	Ph.D.	Professor	Drama Studies, New Literatures in English, Indian English Writing and Translation Studies
RAMA PRASAD BISWAS	Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Narrative/ Discourse Analysis, Modern and Postmodern Literature
BABY PUSHPA SINHA	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	American Fiction, British Fiction
A. S. CHOUDHURY	Ph. D., PGCTE, PGDTE (EFLU), Cert TESOL (Trinity London)	Assistant Professor	ELT, Stylistics, English Linguistics
JAYDEEP CHAKRABARTY	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Commonwealth and Postcolonial Literatures, Critical Theory
SUMANA CHAKRABORTY	M.Phil., Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Fiction, American Literature, Postcolonial Literatures, Literatures of the Diaspora
LALTHAKIM HMAR	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Literary Theory, Ethnicity, Folklore & Folk life and Gender Studies
S. S. MAJUMDER	M.A.	Assistant Professor	Drama & Theatre Studies
SAUGATA KUMAR NATH	M. Phil., Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Drama Studies, Indian Writing in English, New Literatures in English
ANINDYA SEN	M. Phil	Assistant Professor	Modernism, Post Modernism

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. DIPANKAR PURKAYASTHA

☎ : (03842) 270968 (O)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates with Honours/ Major in English securing at least 40% of marks in Honours/ Major in English (or equivalent grade) are eligible to apply for admission.

Department of Arabic

The Department of Arabic started functioning in July 1997. The department has been offering its M.A. programme covering different aspects of acquisition of Arabic Language skills with a due weightage on Arabic Literature. The department has adopted a functional curriculum for teaching-learning of Arabic as a vibrant foreign language in its M.A. programme. Capacity building on different linguistics skills, component of computer application with software in Arabic, and skill building on Arabic-English translation are the hallmarks of the programme. Over the years, the department has established itself as the premier centre for research in Arabic Language, literature and culture in the entire East and Northeast India.

Courses Offered :

- i] M.A. (by course work). Duration : Four Semesters. Intake Capacity : 31
- ii] M.Phil. (by course work & dissertation)
- iii] Ph.D. (by course work & research work)
- iv] D. Litt. (by research work)

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
A. M. BHUIYA	Ph.D.	Professor	Classical Arabic Language and Literature
A. RASAK T.	Ph.D.	Professor	Modern Arabic Drama
ASHFAQ AHMAD	M.Phil., Ph.D.	Professor	Indo Arabic Literature, Modern Prose
MOSTAFIZUR RAHMAN	M.Phil., Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	History of Arabic Literature, Computer Application
N. ISLAM BARBHUIYA	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Modern Arabic Drama, Classical Poetry
HAZRAT HASANUZZAMAN	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	History of Arabic Literature & Arab Civilisation

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. ABDUL RASAK T.

☎: (03842) 270839 (O)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC examination in the relevant subject (MIL, Elective or equivalent) are eligible for admission. Candidates who have passed TDC examination in Arts and have also passed any of the traditional degree (like Shastri, Visharad, F.M. etc.) examinations in the respective subject are also eligible for admission.



Department of French

The Department of French started with the launching of the Certificate of Proficiency (in French) course in 2005-06. The Diploma of Proficiency (in French) course was launched in 2006-07. The teaching-learning in the department is supported by a modern syllabus and state-of-art Audio-visual teaching aids.



Courses Offered :

i] M. A. (by course work).	Duration : Four Semesters.	Intake Capacity : 20
ii] Certificate of Proficiency in French.	Duration : Two Semesters.	Intake Capacity : 18
iii] Diploma of Proficiency in French.	Duration : Two Semesters.	Intake Capacity : 18
iv] Advanced Diploma in French.	Duration : Two Semesters.	Intake Capacity : 18
v] Fast Track Course in French.	Duration : Three Months. (Extention service)	Intake Capacity : 30
vi] Ph.D. (by course work & research work)		

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
INDRANIL SANYAL <i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Audio-visual Methodology, Comparative Literature.
AMALENDU CHAKRABORTY <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Linguistics, Foreign Language Teaching, Translation, Literary Theory, Comparative Literature.
PRNOBESH RN CHAKRABORTY <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	French Literature.

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. INDRANIL SANYAL

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION:

- Certificate course : H. S. Passed.
- Diploma Course : H. S. Passed + 1 year of Certificate of Proficiency in French required.
- Advanced Diploma : H. S. Passed + 2 year Diploma of Proficiency in French required.
- M.A. Course : Graduate in any discipline and with Advanced Diploma in (3 years of study) French from a recognised Institution or any university.
- Ph. D. Course : M. A. in French from a recognised university.



MAHATMA GANDHI SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS & COMMERCE

Department of Economics

The Department of Economics is one of the first six departments of Assam University which began its journey in July 1994. The major activities of the department include imparting quality education to students admitted to the different academic programmes of the department and supervision of scholars at Ph.D. and M.Phil. levels. The department has been laying special emphasis on developing proper understanding of the socio-economic problems and specificities of North East India. The on-going researches in the department cover such areas as agricultural economics, social sectors, human development, environmental economics and gender studies, among others.



Courses Offered :

- i] M.A. (by course work). Duration : Four Semesters.
- ii] M.Phil. (by course work & dissertation)
- iii] Ph.D. (by course work & thesis)

Intake Capacity : 77

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
NIRANJAN ROY	Ph.D.	Professor	Agricultural Economics, Environmental Economics and Social sector issues
SUMANASH DUTTA	Ph.D.	Professor	Development Economics, Human Development, Population Studies
ALOK SEN	Ph.D.	Professor	Micro Economics, Environmental Economics & Econometrics
MAHMOOD A ANSARI	M.Phil., Ph. D.	Professor	Classical Political Economy, Macroeconomics
SUBHRABARAN DAS	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Econometrics
RITWIK MAZUMDER	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Econometrics, Quantitative Economics
RAJU MANDAL	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Macroeconomics, Environmental and Natural Resources Economics
AVIJIT DEBNATH	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	International Economics
SAGARIKA DEY	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Econometrics, Development Economics
SHRABANTY MAITY	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Econometrics, Mathematical Economics
MANASH ROY	M.Phil.	Assistant Professor	Operations & Research, Econometrics, Human Development

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. MAHMOOD A ANSARI

☎: (03842) 270853 (O)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC (10+2+3) examination in Arts with at least 45% marks in the Major/ Honours or at least 50% marks in the pass course examination in the relevant subject are eligible for admission.

Department of Commerce

The Department of Commerce is one of the first six pioneer departments of Assam University which in last 21 Years of its relentless journey towards excellence has been continuously working for dissemination and advancement of knowledge by developing and pursuing appropriate course modules and research programmes and also by ensuing quality teaching and research.



The mission of the Department is to contribute through the pursuit of excellence in teaching and other innovative academic endeavors pertaining to Commerce education and research, to the process of developing capable and dynamic human resources and thereby to the intellectual, economic, social, entrepreneurial and cultural development of the nation in general and North East India in particular.

The Department in its latest spacious building equipped with a well maintained departmental library and sophisticated Computer Laboratory offers specialization in Accounting, Finance, Marketing and Human Resource Management. The blend of young and experienced faculty members hailing from different parts of the country lend a cosmopolitan ambiance to the academic atmosphere of the Department.

Courses Offered :

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| i] M.Com (by course work). | Duration : Four Semesters. | Intake Capacity : 65 |
| ii] M.Phil (by course work & dissertation) | | |
| iii] Ph.D. (by course work & research work) | | |
| iv] PGDMM (by course work & dissertation) | Duration : Two Semesters. | Intake capacity : 20 |

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
DINESH KUMAR PANDIYA <i>M.Com., Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Human Resource Management
NIKHIL BUSHAN DEY <i>M.Com, LL.B., Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Accounting & Finance, Small Business Management, Strategic Management
PRANAY JYOTI GOSWAMI <i>MA (Eco), MA (Edu), M.Com, MBA(Marketing) PGDMC, PGDCA, PGDHRM, PGDDE, BLIS, MADE, B.Ed, Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Marketing, Applied Economics, Entrepreneurship & Banking, Computer Applications, Business Statistics
BRAJESH KUMAR <i>M.Com., Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Business Economics and Finance, Consumer Behaviour & Marketing
PARAG SHIL <i>M.Com, PGDMM, M.Phil, Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Marketing, Accounting & Finance
RAM CHANDRA DAS <i>M.Com., M. Phil., Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Finance & Accounting
RAJAT SHARMACHARJEE <i>M.Com., Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Accounting & Finance
JOYEETA DEB <i>M.Com, Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Accounting, Finance & Banking
KINGSHUK ADHIKARI <i>M.Com, M. Phil., Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Finance & Marketing
SOMA ROY <i>M.Com, M. Phil., Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Accounting & Entrepreneurship
A.S. YARSO <i>M.Com, Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Marketing & HRM

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. PRANAY JYOTI GOSWAMI

☎: (03842) 270 970 (O)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC (10+2+3) examination in Commerce with at least 45% marks in the Major/ Honours or at least 50% marks in the pass course examination in the relevant subject are eligible for admission.

JADUNATH SARKAR SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

Department of Political Science

The Department of Political Science, under the School of Social Sciences, started functioning in 1995. The objective of the curriculum designed in the department is to train PG students thoroughly in all branches of the discipline, focusing on classical themes and recent developments. The course content is wide ranging. The curriculum covers theoretical, conceptual and empirical aspects of the discipline. This provides the students with necessary conceptual awareness to undertake further specialized studies and research activities.

Courses Offered :

- i] M.A. (by course work) *Duration : Four Semesters.*
- ii] IPP (Course Work) *Duration : One Semester*
- iii] M.Phil (by course work & dissertation).
- iv] Ph.D. (by course work & research work)
- v] D. Litt (by research work)

Intake Capacity : 65

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
RANJU RANI DHAMALA	<i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Public Administration, Human Rights
DEBASISH BHATTACHARJEE	<i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Govt. and Politics in India, Modern Political Analysis, Politics in North East India
JOYATI BHATTACHARYA	<i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	International Politics
TENAPALLI HARI	<i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	International Relations
P. KANAKA RAO	<i>M.Phil.</i>	Assistant Professor	Political Theory, Methodology of Social Sciences
HARSHA SRINIVAS	<i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Political Sociology, Comparative Public Administration & Research Methodology
DEBOTOSH CHAKRABORTY	<i>M.Phil., Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Political Sociology, Local Governance
N. BIJEN MEETEI	<i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Political Theory, Multiculturalism
TAPAN DAS	<i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Democracy and Political Activism, North East Politics, Research Methodology
MAHAN BORAH	<i>M.A.</i>	Assistant Professor	Regional Politics, Society and Politics in South Asia
MOSES KHARBITHAI	<i>M.Phil., Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Politics of Indian Diaspora and Development, Comparative Politics

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. RANJU RANI DHAMALA

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC (10+2+3) examination in Arts in relevant or allied subjects with at least 40% marks in the Major / Honors or 45% marks in the Pass course examination.



Department of History

The Department of History is one of the earliest Departments in Assam University. It was started in 1994. The Department imparts quality education to the Post-Graduate students in different branches of history and conducts researches leading to M.Phil and Ph.D. The Department has become a major hub for the research on history, archaeology and culture of Northeast India. Although it is located in southern Assam, the ongoing researches in the Department cover the wide range of subjects in the pan-Indian level with international standards.



Courses Offered :

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| i] M.A. (by course work) | Duration : Four Semesters. | Intake Capacity : 46 |
| ii] IPP (Course Work) | Duration : One Semester | |
| iii] M. Phil (by course work & dissertation). | | |
| iv] Ph. D. (by course work & research work) | | |
| v] D. Litt (by research work) | | |

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
SAJAL NAG	Ph. D.	Professor	Modern and Contemporary History of India, His Historiography and Historical Methods, Nationalism and Sub-nationalism, History of Tribal and Indigenous People of Northeast India.
ALOK TRIPATHI	Ph. D.	Professor	Field Archaeology, Underwater Archaeology, Heritage, Management, Museums
SUDESHNA PURKAYASTHA	Ph. D.	Professor	Socio-Economic History of Modern India
PROJIT KUMAR PALIT	Ph. D.	Professor	Religion. Social History, Historiography & Cultural Studies Museology, Art History
B. ESWAR RAO *	Ph. D.	Associate Professor	History of Medicine, Science & Technology
SUPARNA ROY	M. Phil. Ph. D.	Associate Professor	History of Modern India, Economic History
VINAY KUMAR RAO	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Ancient History & Archaeology
JANGKHOMANG GUTE	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Late Medieval and Early Modern India, Social, economic and cultural history of the marginal communities (tribes, peasants, subalterns) of India particularly the Northeast India
HABIBULLAH MAZUMDER	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Modern Indian History Specially on Partition
S. JEEVANANDAM	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Gender History, Religious History, History of Modern India with special reference to South India.

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HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. PROJIT KUMAR PALIT

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC (10+2+3) examination in Arts with at least 45% marks in the Major/ Honours or at least 50% marks in the pass course examination in the relevant subject are eligible for admission.

Department of Sociology

The department started in July 1995 offering MA, M.Phil. and Ph.D. programmes of studies. It specially promotes inter-disciplinary studies and researches on the social, economic and cultural matrix of Barak Valley and North East India. The department has chosen **Culture and Development** as thrust area for its academic and research activities.

Courses Offered :

- i] M. A. (by course work).
- ii] M. Phil. (by course work & dissertation).
- iii] Ph. D. (by course work & research work)
- iv] D. Litt. (by Research work)

Duration : Four Semesters.

Intake Capacity : 40

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
G. RAM	M.Phil., Ph.D.	Professor	Sociology of Development, Sociological Theories, Polity and Society, Gender and Society
BIJAYA KUMAR BEHERA	M. Phil., Ph.D.	Professor	Sociology of Health, Gender Studies, Tribal Studies
NIRAKAR MALLICK	M.Phil., Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Economic Anthropology, Globalization and Market Studies, Marxist Sociology, Political Sociology
HUMAYUN BOKTH	M.Phil., Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Sociology of Movements, Sociology of Minorities and Ethnic groups, Polity and Society
JHIMLI BHATTACHARJEE	M.Phil., Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Environmental Sociology, Sociology of Development, Sociology of North-East India
RUMA DEBNATH	M. Phil., Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Gender and Society, Village Study, Tea Garden Study
RAJIA SHAHANI	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Community Studies

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. G. RAM

☎: (03842) 270 838 (O)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC examination of Arts, Science and Commerce stream with 40% (Forty percent) in total are eligible to apply for admission.



Department of Social Work

The Department of Social Work started its journey in July 1997. The department runs Five Year Integrated Course in Social Work which leads to BSW (three years) and MSW (two years) Degrees. The course curriculum is designed as per the CBCS pattern prescribed by the UGC and offers the papers of special interest in the area of Family and Child Welfare, Rural Development, Tribal Development, Psychosocial Counseling, NGO Management, Micro Finance and Livelihood, Dynamics of Human behaviour etc. The Department also runs Ph. D. Programme, where the thrust of the current research



endeavors in the areas like Healthcare, Reproductive and Child Health Programme (RCH), Sex Education, HIV/ AIDS, ICDS Services, Panchayati Raj, Non Governmental Organizations, Women in Unorganized Sector, Self Help Groups, Corporate Voluntarism, Water and Sanitation, Disaster Management, Psychosocial problems of Elderly, Cancer, Tuberculosis, etc. The department has initiated outreach activities in the nearby rural communities.

Courses Offered :

- i] M.S.W. (by course work). *Duration* : Ten Semesters. *Intake Capacity* : 50
- ii] Ph.D. (by course & research work)
- iii] D. Litt (by research work)

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
GOPALJI MISHRA	Ph.D.	Professor	Community Development (Health)
SUBHABRATA DUTTA	M.Phil., Ph.D.	Professor	Governance, Panchayati Raj & Rural Development
M. GANGABHUSHAN	PGDLL, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Labour Welfare & Personnel Management
M. TINESHOWRI DEVI	M.Phil., Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Adolescent's Health
TARUN BIKASH SUKAI	PGDHRM, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	NGOs, HIV/ AIDS
ANUPAM HAZRA *	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Community Development
MRITYUNJAY KR. SINGH	MSW.	Assistant Professor	Social Development
RITWIK RAJENDRA	MSW.	Assistant Professor	Family and Child Welfare
RATNA HUIREM	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Community Development
KATHIRESAN L.	M. Phil., Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Healthcare
G. ALBIN JOSEPH	M. Phil., Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	NGO Management & Community Development
LALZO S. THANGOM	MSW.	Assistant Professor	HIV/ AIDS, Urban and Rural Community Development
ADITI NATH	MSW, Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Community Development & NGO Management
AJIT KR. JENA	M. Phil.	Assistant Professor	Resources Management, Organizational behavioural, Social Policy, Research Methodology
KAIVALYA T. DESAI	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	History & Philosophy in Social Work theory Practice, relationship in Social Work education and Research Methodology
JAYASHREE DEY	MSW, (Leave vacancy)	Assistant Professor	Governance, Health and Development

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HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : **PROF. SUBHABRATA DUTTA**

☎ : (03842) 270 821(O)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed HS or equivalent examination (10+2) with at least 40% marks in aggregate are eligible for admission to five-year integrated Post Graduate Course in Social Work.

ABANINDRANATH TAGORE SCHOOL OF CREATIVE ARTS & COMMUNICATION STUDIES

Department of Mass Communication

The Department of Mass Communication that started functioning in 1996 has over the years established itself as a premier Centre for Communication Studies in Northeast India. The Department provides professional training and quality education at a Post Graduate level. The Department also offers M.Phil., Ph.D. and D.Litt programme where the current research is focused on the thrust areas such as Development Communication, Traditional Media, New Media, Public Relations, Interrelationship of Media and Society, Culture and Technology with an interdisciplinary approach. Equal importance is assigned to theoretical aspects, research and practical training. The Department organizes industry specific training programmes/workshops and internship programmes in collaboration with various media organizations to provide the students exposure and career training in different media practices. By organizing and conducting various seminars, conferences, workshops and research projects, the Department constantly contributes to the academic progress of the students. The infrastructure of the Department consists of modern Apple (mac) lab, Audio lab, Audio and Video Studios, with comprehensive post production facilities, Print Media lab, Conference hall, Screening Hall and departmental Library. The TV Studio of the Department is endowed with multi-camera production facilities and broadcast quality equipment coupled with online multi-camera production facilities. Adding yet another feather to its illustrious cap, the Department has been recently granted Major Research Projects (MRP) by ICSSR, New Delhi on the thrust area of modern mass media and New Media. More over the Department has been awarded 'B-School Leadership Award'-2015 by prestigious DNA & the Stars of the Industry group.

Courses Offered :

- i] M.A. (by course work). Duration : Four Semesters. Intake Capacity : 46
- ii] M.Phil (by course work & dissertation). Duration : Three Semesters.
- iii] Ph.D. (by course work & research work).
- iv] D.Litt. (by research work).
- v] PG Diploma in Journalism. Duration : Two Semesters. Intake capacity : 15

Faculty :		Designation	Area of Specialization
G.P. PANDEY	Ph.D., LL.B.	Professor	Advertising and Public Relations, Communication & Cultural Studies, Media Laws, Communication Research
CHARVAK	M.A.(Journalism), M.Phil (Applied Economics)	Associate Professor	Electronic Media, Development Communication, New Media & Research Methodology
SILAJIT GUHA*	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Electronic Media, New Media, Research Methodology
PARTHA SARKAR	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Advertising, Public Relations & New Media
AYESHA TAHERA RASHID	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Communication Research, New Media
S.M. ALFARID HUSSAIN	M.A.(Eng.&Mass Comm.)	Assistant Professor	T.V. Journalism, Conflict Reporting, Film Studies
PAROMITA DAS	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Advertising, Public Relations, Traditional & Modern Mass Media & Communication Research
RAGHAVENDRA MISHRA	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Environmental Communication, Public Relations, Communication Theory & Research
CHARU JOSHI	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Advertising, Electronic Media, Woman Studies

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HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. G. P. PANDEY

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC examination with at least 45% marks in aggregate in Major/Honours or 50% marks in aggregate in Pass course in Arts, Science or Commerce are eligible for admission.



Department of Visual Arts

The Department of Visual Arts was established in 1996. Assam University is the first among the North Eastern Universities to offer four year BVA (2 semester foundation + 6 semester specialization) in Applied Arts, Painting & Sculpture. The department has developed its audio-visual facilities for class room teaching. The Department along with the task of documentation of folk art, is also trying to train the student in the field of New Media art, Installation, Digital Art, Video Art etc. to compete with the contemporary art scenario. The Department also have UGC sanctioned 'Special Assistance Programme' (DRS).

Courses Offered :

- i] B.V.A. (by course work). Duration : Eight Semesters.
- ii] M.V.A (by course work). Duration : Four Semesters.
- iii] Ph.D. (by course & research work)

Intake Capacity : 40

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Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
BHULESWAR MATE <i>BFA, PG Diploma</i>	Professor	Applied Art, Printing Tech., Textile Print, Photography
B. RUMA SHARMA <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Sculpture, Metal Casting
SIVAN G. <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Painting
NARENDRA T. <i>MFA</i>	Associate Professor	Painting, Mural
NIRMAL KANTI ROY <i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Applied Art, Computer Graphics, Photography
ABHIBRATA CHAKRABARTY <i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Painting
SOMADITYA DATTA <i>MFA</i>	Assistant Professor	Sculpture
SADAY CHANDRA DAS <i>MFA</i>	Assistant Professor	Painting
DEBASISH CHAKRABORTY <i>MFA</i>	Assistant Professor	Applied Art
RAJ KUMAR MAZINDER <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Graphic Arts
NILAM KUMARI <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Sculpture
RAJAN KUMAR VAIDHYA <i>MFA</i>	Assistant Professor	Painting
GANESH NANDI <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Sculpture
GAUTAM DUTTA <i>MFA</i>	Assistant Professor	Applied Art

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. NIRMAL KANTI ROY

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed HS or equivalent examination (10+2) with at least 40% marks in aggregate are eligible for admission to four year BVA course in Visual Arts.

Candidates who passed BFA/BVA from any University are eligible for admission to MVA course. Moreover the candidates who passed BFA/BVA with at least 50% marks from any universities / institutions are also eligible for admission to the Post-Graduate course in Visual Arts.



SARVEPALLI RADHAKRISHNAN SCHOOL OF PHILOSOPHICAL STUDIES

Department of Philosophy

The Department of Philosophy was established in 1995. Since its inception, the department has been working diligently towards the dissemination and advancement of knowledge by translating philosophical wisdom into the context of understanding. In order to realize the above noble objective, the Department has been working tirelessly to develop and pursue appropriate course modules and research programmes. It always stood to ensure quality teaching and research supervision. The Department has also been trying to promote interdisciplinary research and studies. The current major thrust area of the Department is *Philosophical Anthropology*. Aiming at recognizing and promoting the constructive dimensions related with human existence and the existence of life on earth, the Department concentrates on specific areas such as Applied Ethics, Existential Ethics, Environmental Ethics, Gender Ethics, Aesthetics, classical and contemporary Indian and Western Philosophies, Critical Theory, Hermeneutics and the Philosophy of Social Sciences. The School of Philosophical Studies has of late conceived two centres, viz. centre for Applied Ethics and Centre for Comparative Aesthetics to develop new course outlines and professionals P.G. Diploma Courses in collaboration with other departments under other Schools of Studies. The school is engaged in preparing research programmes accordingly. The department has come under UGC SAP-DRS programme in the year 2011.

Courses Offered :

- i] M.A. (by course work). Duration : Four Semesters.
- ii] M. Phil (by course work & dissertation).
- iii] Ph.D. (by course work & research work)

Intake Capacity : 46

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
A. NATARAJU <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Vedanta, Contemporary Indian Philosophy, Limits of Thoughts Discussion, Consciousness Studies
NIRMALI BARMAN <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Modern Indian Philosophy, Philosophies of Swami Vivekananda, Mahatma Gandhi and Sri Aurobindo
SUBHRA NAG <i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Philosophical Psychology, Moral Philosophy, Gender
PIUS V.T. <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Hermeneutics, Contemporary Western Philosophy, Critical Theory
MUNMUN CHAKRABORTY <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Vedanta, Phenomenology, Contemporary Indian Philosophy

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. ADARASUPALLY NATARAJU

☎: (03842) 270834 (O)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC examination in Arts in relevant subjects.



ASHUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAY SCHOOL OF EDUCATIONAL SCIENCES

Department of Education

The Department started with a Master's Degree programme in Education in July 1995. The department also offers Ph.D. and M.Phil. programmes. During the past few years the department has successfully completed a number of research projects funded by national / regional level agencies. Educational theory constitutes the thrust area of the current research endeavour in the department.



Courses Offered :

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| i] M.A. (by course work). | Duration : Four Semesters. | Intake Capacity : 46 |
| ii] M. Ed. (by course work). | Duration : Two Semesters. | Intake Capacity : 38 |
| iii] B. Sc. B. Ed. (Four years Integrated Course). | Duration : Eight Semesters. | Intake Capacity : 25 |
| iv] M.Phil (by course work & dissertation). | | |
| v] Ph.D. (by course & Research work) | | |
| vi] D. Litt. (by research work) | | |
| vii] Post Graduate Diploma / Degree in Educational Planning and Management. | Duration: Two/ Four Semesters. | Intake Capacity : 25 |

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
NITYANAND PANDEY <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Teacher Education, Guidance and Counselling, Community Education, Value Education
N. B. BISWAS <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Philosophy of Education, Curriculum Development, Research Methodology, Integrated Education in NE India Pedagogical Sciences
GEETIKA BAGCHI <i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Educational Psychology, Educational Administration & Management, Special Education
R. BALAKRISHNAN <i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Educational Management, Environmental Education and Comperative Education
SWAPAN K. DUTTA <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Teacher Education, Curriculum Development
SIMA PAL <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Value Education, Special Education
NIL RATAN ROY* <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Measurement and Evaluation in Edu. & Advance Statistics in Education
T. K. BASANTIA <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Curriculum Development & Research Methodology in Education
R. K. MAHTO <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Science Edu., Educational Research & Technology, Elementary Education
S. BHATTACHARJEE <i>MA, M.Ed.</i>	Assistant Professor	Human Rights Education, Educational Sociology, Contemporary Philosophy
A. K. JENA <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Science Education, Educational Research, Educational Measurement and Evaluation, Educational Philosophy
R. G. CARRI <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Science Education, Educational Research, Environmental Education and Teacher Education

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- A. For M.A. in Education :** Candidates with at least 45% marks in B. Ed. examination or with at least 40% marks in Honours course or 45% marks in Pass course in TDC examination in Arts, Science or Commerce are eligible for admission.
- B. For M. Ed. Course :** (i) B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. examination from Assam University or any other examination recognized equivalent thereto with 45% marks in aggregate; and (ii) B.Ed. Examination from Assam University or any other examination recognized equivalent thereto with 55% marks in aggregate.
- C. For B. Sc. B. Ed. Course :** Candidates with a minimum of 50% marks in Higher Secondary with Science background are eligible for admission.
A weightage of five additional credit points shall be given to the candidates possessing a master degree with at least 50% marks.
Other things being equal preference shall be given to the candidates with experience of teaching in recognized institutions.
- D. Admission Criteria for Educational Planning and Management (EPM):** A. For PG Diploma in EPM : Graduation in any discipline. B. For PG Degree in EPM : PG Diploma in EPM

CENTRE FOR EDUCATIONAL PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT

The Centre for Educational Planning and Management has been established and made functional from the Academic Year 2011. The Centre is attached to the Department of Education of Assam University, Silchar. The director incharge of the Centre is Prof. N. B. Biswas. The centre offers a course leading to Diploma and Post Graduate Degree in Educational Planning and Management.

Objective of the Centre : Educational Planning and Management

- To develop leadership qualities, management efficiency and policy planning in the field of education
- To disseminate knowledge on educational management among the graduates and educational practitioners
- To develop skills for identifying and solving the problems of educational institutions
- To develop skills in computer application in educational management
- To develop skills in the preparation of projects on educational planning and management and promote research in the related fields.



Felicitation of The Chancellor of Assam University, Sri Gulzar for being awarded with the prestigious Dada Saheb Phalke Award.

ALBERT EINSTEIN SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL SCIENCES

Department of Physics

The Department of Physics started its functioning in 1996. The Department offers a four - Semester M. Sc. programme (Two years duration) where the students at present can opt for one of the two specializations - i) Astrophysics and ii) Condensed Matter Physics, with laboratory classes. Research areas that are covered at present include - Astrophysics, Particle Physics, Cosmology, Chemical Physics (with application to bio-molecules), Atmospheric Physics.



The Department possesses a number of sophisticated instruments that includes 16 inch Mead Telescope, 14 inch Celestrom Telescope, Astronomical CCD, Photometer, Ellipsometer, FTIR, UV visible spectrophotometer.

The Department also has a cluster computing facility.

Courses Offered :

- i] M. Sc. (by course work). *Duration* : Four Semesters. *Intake Capacity: 50*
- ii] M. Phil (by course work & dissertation).
- iii] Ph. D. (by course work & research work)

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
ASOKE K. SEN	<i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Astrophysics, Optics
ATRI DESHAMUKHYA	<i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	High Energy Physics, Phenomenology, String Cosmology
B. INDRAJIT SHARMA	<i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Condensed Matter Physics
HIMADRI SEKHAR DAS	<i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Astrophysics
UTPAL SARKAR	<i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Chemical Physics, Electronic Structure Calculation
PRADEEP KUMAR SHUKLA	<i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Chemical Physics, Computational studies of Complex Molecular Systems including Biomolecules
A. SENORITA DEVI	<i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	High Energy, Astro Physics
SWARNADEEP BISWAS	<i>M. Sc.</i>	Assistant Professor	Electronics & Radio Physics
BIDHAN MAHANTA	<i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Nuclear Physics, Nano Physics, Biophysics
MOHANANDA BORA	<i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Electronics

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC examination with at least 45% marks in Major /Honours in Physics are eligible to apply. In addition candidates having B. Tech. / B. E. degree in appropriate branch of Engineering may also apply.

Department of Chemistry

The Department of Chemistry established in 1996, has been imparting training at advance level of chemistry in general for M. Sc. students and Ph.D. scholars. The research interests of the faculty members cover areas, like, Materials Chemistry, Surface Science and Technology, Nanomaterials, Experimental Spectroscopy, Electrochemistry, Supramolecular Assemblies, Liquid Crystal, Natural Products and Medicinal Chemistry, Theoretical and Synthetic Organic Chemistry, Co-ordination Chemistry and Bioinorganic Chemistry. The Department organizes Refresher Courses, Workshops and Conferences with support from national level scientific organizations and societies. A number of research projects sponsored by CSIR, UGC, DST, DBT, DRDO and BARC are being/have been undertaken by faculty members. The Department is supported by DST-FIST and UGC-SAP programmes and equipped with sophisticated instruments, like, polarizing optical microscope, cyclic voltammeter, thermogravimetric analyzer, differential scanning calorimeter, CHN analyzer, Infrared Spectrometer, Fluorescence spectrometer, UV-Visible spectrometer.



Courses Offered :

- i] M.Sc. (by course work). Duration : Four Semesters.
- ii] Ph.D. (by research work).

Intake capacity : 45

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
S. B. PAUL *	Ph. D.	Professor	Organic Chemistry and Natural Products
CHIRA R. BHATTACHARJEE	Ph. D.	Professor	Inorganic and Materials Chemistry
PRADIP C. PAUL	Ph. D.	Associate Professor	Bioinorganic and Co-ordination Chemistry
PARITOSH MONDOL	Ph. D.	Associate Professor	Organic and Theoretical Chemistry
Sk. JASIMUDDIN	Ph. D.	Associate Professor	Inorganic and Co-ordination Chemistry
MONOJ K. PAUL	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Physical Chemistry and Liquid Crystals
DEVASISH SENGUPTA	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Biomolecular, Medicinal and Photochemistry
SUJIT K. GHOSH	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Physical and Materials Chemistry
T. SANJOY SINGH	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Physical Chemistry and Experimental Spectroscopy

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PLACEMENT : Alumni of the department are now serving as scientists, faculty members/researchers in universities, research institutions and colleges and in several industrial organisations in different parts of the country as well as different parts of the world. Many of students of the department qualify the competitive examination like NET (JRF/LS), NET, SLET, GATE and GRE and are pursuing doctoral/ post-doctoral research in frontier areas in the country and abroad.

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC examination with at least 45% marks in Major /Honours or Pass course in the respective subject are eligible for admission.



Centre for Soft Matters

The Centre for Soft Matter, established under the aegis of the Department of Chemistry in 2009 under the UGC 11th plan grant to enrich the academics and research pertaining to the design, synthesis, characterisation, physical properties and device application of soft materials. The purpose of the Centre is to provide a centralized interdisciplinary platform for study and research related to advanced areas in materials science. The faculty members of the Centre alongwith other faculties are engaged in research on different areas in materials science, like, Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, Liquid Crystal, Polymer Composites, Solar Energy Materials, Optoelectronic Materials and Nanobiotechnology etc.



Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
HIMADRI ACHARYA	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Inorganic Chemistry, Nanomaterials and Polymer Nanocomposites
SUDIP CHOUDHURY	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Organic Chemistry, Liquid Crystals and Nanomaterials



14th Convocation of Assam University.

Department of Mathematics

The Department of Mathematics offers M.Sc., M. Phil., Ph.D. and D. Sc. programmes. Faculties are engaged in researches in the areas of Fluid Mechanics, Biomechanics, Relativity, Operations Research, Mathematical Modeling, Biomathematics, Algebra, Fuzzy Sets and systems. Apart from these, the Department organizes Seminars, Refresher courses, Conferences (recently, RAMSA-10, Nov 25-27, 2010), workshops and winter schools from time to time for serving teachers, research scholars, students as well. There are departmental and NBHM libraries (sponsored by NBHM, DAE, Govt of India, Mumbai) in addition to central library and departmental computer laboratory with a sufficient number of computers to meet the requirements of PG students and research scholars. Recently the Department has been recognised by UGC as SAP-DRS department and by DST for FIST-programme. There are one Advance Research Laboratory under SAP with high computing facilities (using Softwares - MATLAB, LINGO, MATHEMATICA etc.). The Department is running UGC-Major Research Project. In the CBCS (revised) syllabus, Computer Pactical is included in every semester and a Project is accommodated in Final Semester course.

Courses Offered :

- i] M.Sc. (by course work). *Duration:* Four Semesters. *Intake capacity:* 46
- ii] M. Phil (by course work & dissertation).
- iii] Ph.D. (by course Work & research work)
- iv] D. Sc (by research work)

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
KARABI DUTTA CHOUDHURY <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Inventory Management (Operations Research), Computer applications
SAMIRA BEHERA <i>M.Phil, Ph. D.</i>	Professor	Numerical Analysis, Linear Algebra, Fluid Mechanics
SANJIB SENGUPTA <i>M.Phil, Ph. D.</i>	Associate Professor	MHD, Micro fluids, Computational methods, Plasma dynamics
NABENDU SEN <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Operations Research, Mathematical Modelling, Multi Objective, Fuzzy Optimisation, Inventory in Fuzzy Environment, GA
U. S. CHAKRABORTY <i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Topology, Fluid Mechanics, Rings & Modules
N. JIBAN SINGH <i>M. Phil., Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Low-Dimensional Topological Dynamics, Combinatorics
NABA KANTA SARMA <i>M. Sc.</i>	Assistant Professor	Commutative Algebra, Number Theory
SUMIT SAHA <i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Pattern Recognition, Operations Research

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC examination with at least 45% marks in Major / Honours or Pass course in the respective subject are eligible for admission.



Department of Statistics

The Department of Statistics under Albert Einstein School of Physical Sciences, Assam University started functioning from July 2014. The mission of the department is to establish itself as a leading organization in attaining excellence in research and education in Statistical Sciences. To accomplish its mission, the department offers post graduate degree in Statistics. The basic objective of the course is to produce post graduates in Statistics who have sound knowledge in the major areas of statistical methodology, with a solid foundation on theoretical principles obtained through rigorous practice. The department is also planning to introduce from the next session the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D) in Statistics through course work and research work.

Courses Offered :

- i] M. A./M. Sc. (by course work). Duration: Four Semesters. **Intake Capacity: 20**
Specialization: Industrial Statistics and Optimization Techniques, Actuarial Statistics
- ii] Ph. D. (by course work and research work: proposed)

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
DIBYOJYOTI BHATTACHARJEE <i>M.Phil, Ph. D.</i>	Professor	Statistical Graphics, Data Mining in Sports
TANUSREE DEB ROY <i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Distribution Theory and Actuarial Statistics
JONALI GOGOI <i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	System Reliability

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT: PROF. DIBYOJYOTI BHATTACHARJEE

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed B.Sc/B.A with at least 50% marks in aggregate in either Honors in Statistics/Mathematics or at least 50% marks in B.Sc/B.A Pass Course with Statistics/Mathematics as one of the subjects are eligible for admission.



Department of Computer Science

The Department which started functioning in July 1997 offers a five-year integrated course leading to the Degree of M. Sc. in Computer Science. Provision also exist to offer B.Sc. Computer Science degree on successful completion of six semester examinations. The department also offers a two year M. Sc. Degree in Computer Science, M. Phil. and Ph.D. Programmes.

Course Offered :

- i] M.Sc. Integrated (by course work). Duration : Ten Semesters*. Intake capacity : 70
- ii] M.Sc. (by course work). Duration : Four Semesters. Intake capacity : 15
- iii] Ph. D. (by course & research work)

* Provision also exists for lateral exit after six semesters with a B. Sc. Degree in Computer Science.

Faculty :

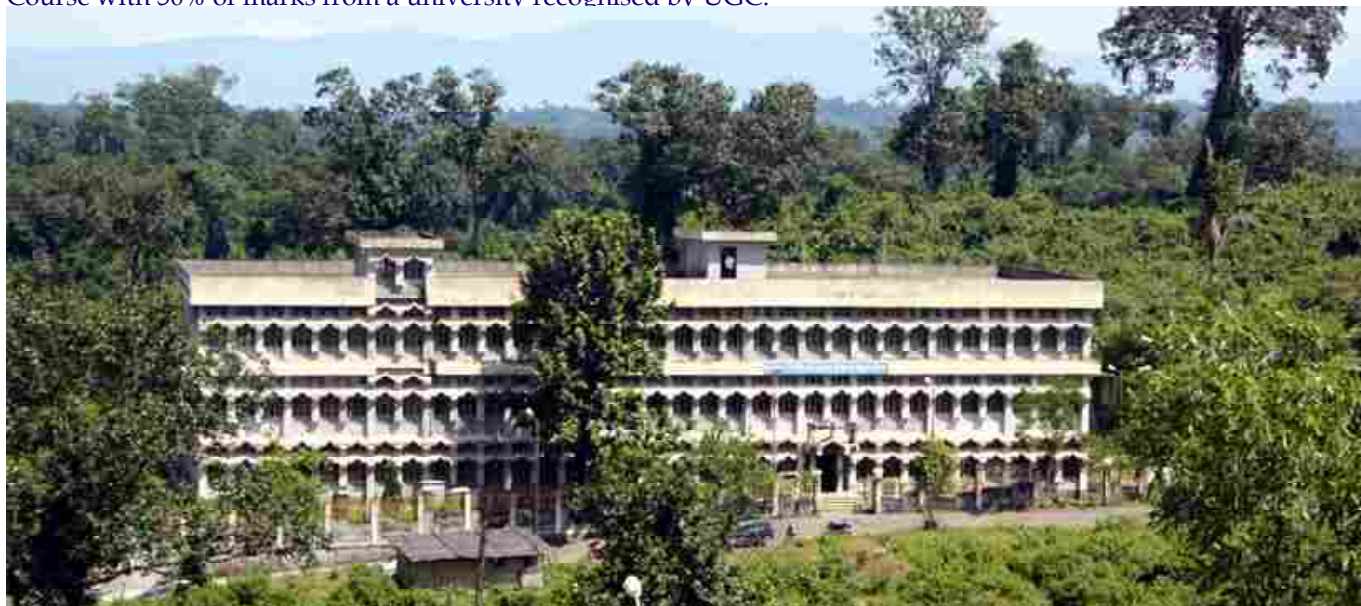
Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
K. HEMACHANDRAN <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Image Processing
BIPUL SYAM PURKAYASTHA <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Computational Linear Algebra, Computer Programming, Internet Programming, Website Designing, Natural Language Processing
PANKAJ KUMAR DEVA SARMA <i>M.Tech.</i>	Associate Professor	Data Mining, ANN, Parallel & Distributed Computing
SHAHIN ARA BEGUM <i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Soft Computing Techniques, Data Mining
SUNITA SARKAR <i>M.Tech.</i>	Assistant Professor	RDBMS, Object-oriented Programming, Data Mining
ARINDAM ROY <i>M.E.</i>	Assistant Professor	Algorithms, OS, Object Oriented Programming, TOC
RAKESH KUMAR <i>M.Tech.</i>	Assistant Professor	Neural Network
INDRANI DAS <i>M.Tech.</i>	Assistant Professor	Algorithms, Programming Languages
PRODIPTO DAS <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Mobile Communication and Computing
SAPTARSHI PAUL <i>M. Tech.</i>	Assistant Professor	Security Computer N/W's & S/W Engineering
BHAGWAN SAHAY MEENA <i>M. Tech.</i>	Assistant Professor	Wireless Communication in Information Technology
PUERNENDU DAS <i>M. Sc.</i>	Assistant Professor	Numerical Analysis, Soft Computing
BISWA RANJAN ROY <i>M. Tech.</i>	Assistant Professor	Algorithms and Image Processing

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. BIPUL SYAM PURKAYASTHA

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed the HS examination (10+2) in Science stream with Physics and Mathematics (in combination with any other Science subjects) with at least 55% marks in aggregate in the three Science subjects as well as the overall aggregate, (credit for 3rd Science subject besides Physics and Mathematics will be given to the one in which the candidate's score is higher) are eligible for admission.

ELIGIBILITY FOR M. Sc.: Duration : 04 semesters. Students who have passed B. Sc. (Hons) in Computer Science Course with 50% of marks from a university recognised by UGC.



HARGOBIND KHURANA SCHOOL OF LIFE SCIENCES

Department of Life Science and Bioinformatics

The Department launched its M.Sc. Programme in July 1996. Currently the department has five Professor three Associate Professor, Six Assistant Professor and five technical staffs along with 84 students at P. G. level and more than 100 numbers of Research Scholars both in Ph. D. and M. Phil. level. the faculty members are engaged in research activity in diverse fields as mammalian cell and molecular Biology, health science, plant genomics research, computer aided drug designing, natural product, biodiversity, plant taxonomy study, toxicology and agricultural research. All the faculty members got training from institutions like NIH, USA, Hiroshima University, RIBRM, Japan, Okayama University, Japan, UC Berkeley and UC Riverside USA and Chicago University, USA, prestigious universities. All the faculty members are actively involved in research in their respective fields in collaboration with various national/ international institutes. The faculty members have published papers in National Journals and in impacted International Journals. The Department has organized workshops and symposium to disseminate the knowledge in biological Sciences. Our students got jobs in different universities/ institutes, colleges and other organizations.



Department of Life Science & Bioinformatics is the pioneer department in the University to be recognized under UGC-SAP programme in 2007 and subsequently upgraded to UGC SAP DRS-II in the year 2013. Department of Life Science has been recognized under DST FIST Programme in 2008 for infrastructure development. Under the initiative of faculty members of Department of Life Science & Bioinformatics, DBT, Govt. of India has established two institutional facilities like Bioinformatics Centre and Biotech Hub in the university. Department has received good number of Major Research Projects funds from funding agencies like UGC, DST, DBT, CSIR.

Courses Offered :

- i) M.Sc. (by course work) (*in two streams i.e., Botany & Zoology*)
Duration : Four Semesters. Intake capacity : 50
- ii) M.Phil (by course work & dissertation).
- iii) Ph.D. (by course and research work).
- iv) D.Sc (by research work)

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
G. D. SHARMA* Ph.D.	Professor	Microbial Ecology, Microbial Technology
DEVASHISH KAR Ph.D.	Professor	Fish Biology, Aquaculture, Limnology
SARBANI GIRI Ph.D.	Professor	Molecular & Cell Biology, Cytogenetics
M. DUTTA CHOUDHURY Ph.D.	Professor	Medicinal Plants Research and Drug Discovery
S. K. PANDA Ph.D.	Professor	Molecular Plant Biology
ANIRUDHA GIRI Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Toxicology & Conservation
MEENAKSHI BAWARI Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Molecular Biology, Neurobiology
SANJEEVKUMAR Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Cell Signaling and Immunology
SUCHISMITA DAS Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Fish Cytotoxicity
D.BHATTACHARYYA Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Plant Diversity, Systemic Botany
A. DAS TALUKDAR Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Medicinal Plants, Phytochemistry, Natural Products
ANUPOM BORAH Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Neurobiology, Pharmacology
H. K. PRASAD Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Biotechnology, Comparative Genomics
S. ROYCHOUDHURY Ph. D. (Slovakia)	Assistant Professor	Environmental Health & Biotechnology; Biodiversity & Conservation

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC (Science) examination with at least 45% marks in Major/Honours or Pass course in Zoology, Botany, Biotechnology or Life Science are eligible for admission.

Bioinformatics Centre

Bioinformatics Centre of Assam University, Silchar came into existence in the year 2008 with full financial assistance from Department of Biotechnology, Govt. of India under DBT-BIF scheme. Since its birth, the centre is actively engaged in teaching and research in the different fields of Bioinformatics. Realizing the need of incorporation of Bioinformatics tools in Life Sciences research, the Department of Life Science, Assam University took special initiative to establish this centre. In January 2009, the Bioinformatics Laboratory was inaugurated by the then Vice Chancellor Prof. Tapodhir Bhattacharjee.

Bioinformatics Centre of Assam University has launched a PG Diploma in Bioinformatics Course of 1 year (2 semester) duration. Till date 5 batches of students have already completed the course. The sixth batch is on the roll. The main aim of this course is to create trained manpower in the field of Bioinformatics. The centre organizes seminars, workshops and training programmes from time to time to popularize Bioinformatics in this region and the entire northeast as a whole. The main thrust area of research of the centre is Computer Aided Drug Designing. Teachers and researchers carry out intensive research in the field of drug designing from natural products with the help of Bioinformatics tools.

Journal Access facilities: Bioinformatics Centre has special Journal access facility under DBT's e-Library Consortium (DeLCON). A good numbers of high impacted and peer reviewed journals are accessible from the centre. The centre has extended this facility to other Science Departments, Affiliated Colleges, Computer Centre, Central Library and Hostels also. Bioinformatics Centre ranked 1st in number of papers accessed by users in North East India and ranked 8th in entire India.

Resources Developed: The Centre has developed one database of ant diabetic phytochemicals and is named as DiaBank. This will be made available online soon. Bioinformatics Centre has taken an initiative to publish one journal named "Bioinformatika" starting from this year. The journal will focus on recent discoveries and ideas in the field of Bioinformatics.

As per DBT, Govt. of India Ranking, Bioinformatics Centre of Assam University ranked 1st (First) in publications in the field of Bioinformatics among all the Bioinformatics Infrastructure Facilities (BIFs) in different Universities in India in 2014.

Courses Offered :

PG Diploma in Bioinformatics (self financing). Duration : Two Semesters.

Intake capacity : 20

Classes are conducted on Saturdays and Sundays only.

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
M. DUTTA CHOUDHURY M.Phil., Ph.D.	Professor	Ethnobotany, Medicinal Plants and Drug Discovery
ANUPAM DAS TALUKDAR Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Medicinal Plants, Phytochemistry, Natural Products
MONJUR AHMED LASKAR M. Sc. (Bioinformatics)	Research Associate	Bioinformatics, Computer Aided Drug Designing

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Department of Microbiology

The department of Microbiology was established in the year 2009. The main objective and focus of the department is to guide and impart innovative education at par with International Universities. The department endeavours to specialize its student in distinct areas of Microbiology. The department is well equipped with modern and sophisticated instruments like gradient thermal cycler, gel documentation system, high speed refrigerated centrifuge, UV-spectrophotometer, fermentor, water purification system, environmental shaker, deep freezer (-50° C), blotting apparatus, bio-safety cabinets and high quality research microscopes.



The course contents have been kept as per UGC guidelines and support competitive exams like UGC-CSIR NET/DBT-JRF/GATE/ICMR-JRF/ICAR-JRF. The department is also involved in conducting seminars, quiz and NET counselling, group discussions to enrich the knowledge and to motivate students for appearing in competitive examinations of National and International level. Guest lectures are regularly held by inviting distinguished academicians, scientists from various esteemed institutes, universities and industries to train students in recent advanced area of Microbiology and its interdisciplinary and trans-disciplinary areas. The department encourages the students to establish new methodologies and their subsequent publication as research paper or patent.

Courses Offered :

- i] M.Sc. (by course work). *Duration* : Four Semesters.
- ii] Ph.D. (by course Work & research work)
- iii] D. Sc. (by research work)

Intake Capacity : 25

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
PIYUSH PANDEY <i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Microbial Diversity and Plant-Microbe Interaction
INDU SHARMA <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Veterinary Microbiology, Molecular Biology
AMITABHA BHATTACHARJEE <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Medical Microbiology

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. PIYUSH PANDEY

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC (Science) examination with at least 45% marks in Major/Honours or Pass course in Microbiology, Zoology, Botany, Biotechnology or Life Sciences B. Sc., B.V. Sc. MBBS, B Pharma & B. Tech/ B.E. are eligible for admission.



Department of Biotechnology

The Department of Biotechnology, Assam University, Silchar, offers M.Sc., M.Phil. and Ph.D. programs in Biotechnology. The Master Degree program of the department was started in July 2004, and is for two years duration. The Choice Based Credit System was adopted from July 2010 onwards. Case Courses as well as advanced courses like Genetics, Molecular Biology, Biochemistry, Immunology, Microbiology, Bioinformatics, Genetic Engineering, Plant Biotechnology, Animal Biotechnology and Medical Biotechnology are covered. M.Sc. final semester students also undertake a short term research project towards completion of the program. Our main goal is to hands on practicals in six different laboratories, 1. Biochemistry 2. Animal Cell Biology and Immunology 3. Molecular Biology 4. Microbial Technology 5. Plant Biotechnology and 6. Bioinformatics and Genomics. The departmental of faculties are actively involved in research in the broad areas of Molecular Biology, Cancer Biology, Plant Biotechnology, Immunology, DNA barcoding, Genomics, Genetics and Bioinformatics. Department has several research projects on Cancer genomics, DNA barcoding, Methanogenomics, Molecular characterization of Nitrogen fixing bacteria, Plant Biotechnology, etc. The Department is equipped with a small Animal House, and state of the art equipment such as Deep Freezer (-20 & - 80), Gradient and Personal Thermal Cycler, Real Time PCR equipment, Gel Documentation System, Animal Cell Culture and Plant Tissue Culture facilities, DGGE, Automated DNA Sequencer etc. and more. These facilities are available to M.Phil., Ph.D. and M.Sc. student. Student actively participates in seminars and workshops conducted at both University and National level. They are also encouraged to participate in Co-curricular activities at University level.



Courses Offered :

- i] M.Sc. (by Course work).
- ii] M. Phil. (by course work & dissertation)
- iii] Ph.D. (by Course work & research work)
- iv] D.Sc. (by Research work)

Duration : Four Semesters.

Intake capacity : 24

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
SANKAR KUMAR GHOSH	Ph.D.	Professor	Genomics, Cancer, DNA barcoding, Bioinformatics, Immunology, Animal & Medical Biotechnology
SUPRIYO CHAKRABORTY	Ph.D.	Professor	Plant Genetics, QTL mapping in plant, Sequence based DNA analysis, Quantitative Genetics
PRANAB BEHARI MAZUMDAR	Ph.D.	Professor	Genetics, TALEN Cloning, Micro RNA, Molecular Characterization of PGPR, Profiling of Stress Resistance Genes of Plants and Bacteria, Plant Biotechnology
MAHUYA SENGUPTA	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Immunology, Biochemistry & Cell Biology
YASMIN CHOUDHURY	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
RAVI RAJWANSHI	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Plant Molecular Biology & Biochemistry, Plant Biotechnology

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. SUPRIYO CHAKRABORTY

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed B.Sc.(Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Microbiology, Physiology, Botany, Zoology, Bioscience /Life Science, Physics, Chemistry and Agriculture) with at least 55% marks in aggregate are eligible for admission.



JAWAHARLAL NEHRU SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES

Department of Business Administration

The Department of Business Administration (DBA) under the Jawahar Lal Nehru School of Management Studies (DBA JNSMS), Assam University started functioning in July 1997. The mission of the department is to contribute --- through the pursuit of excellence in teaching and other creative and innovative academic endeavors pertaining to management education, research, consultancy and training --- to the process of developing capable human and managerial resources and thereby to the corporate, industrial, entrepreneurial, economic, social, intellectual and cultural development of Assam and the rest of India. To accomplish its mission, the department offers AICTE-approved full-time Master of Business Administration (MBA) programme and also research programme in management leading to the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D). Only MAT Qualified students with good academic career (at least 50% marks in graduation level) are eligible for admission to this course.



Courses Offered :

- i] MBA* (by course work). *Duration : Four Semesters.* *Intake Capacity : 92*
Specialization (Dual Basis) : Finance, Marketing, HR, IT Management & Operations Management.
 ii] Ph.D. (by course work & research work)

* Admission details are included in the separate Prospectus available for the Master of Business Administration Programme 2015-2016.

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
A. MAZUMDAR <i>M. Com., Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Strategic Management Business Environment & Industry Analysis
A. L. GHOSH <i>PGDBIO, ICWA, LL.B., Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Accountancy, Finance, Entrepreneurship
H. RAMANANDA SINGH* <i>PGDCA, Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Marketing, General Management & Quantitative Techniques
DIBYOJYOTI BHATTACHARJEE <i>M. Phil, Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Quantitative Techniques, IT & Systems Management
ARUP BARMAN <i>PGDipT&D, Ph.D, Post Doc, FCE(CUE)</i>	Associate Professor	HRM & Managerial Economics
DEBOMALYA GHOSH <i>BE, ETW, Ph. D</i>	Associate Professor	Operations Management, IT & Systems Management
NIGAMANANDA BISWAS <i>DCA, Ph. D</i>	Assistant Professor	HR, Marketing
H. R. LASKAR <i>Ph. D</i>	Assistant Professor	Entrepreneurship , Financial Market
RANJIT SINGH <i>Ph. D</i>	Assistant Professor	Finance, Accounting
JUTHIKA KONWAR <i>MBA</i>	Assistant Professor	HRM, OB
AMIT KR. DAS <i>MBA</i>	Assistant Professor	Finance & Marketing
DEEPIYOTI CHOUDHURY <i>MBA</i>	Assistant Professor	IT & Systems Management, Marketing
LURAI RANGMAI <i>MBA, LLB</i>	Assistant Professor	Finance, Accounting, Law
NILANJANA CHAKRABORTY <i>MBA</i>	Assistant Professor	Marketing, IT & Systems Management

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HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. A. L. GHOSH

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PLACEMENT : The alumni of the Department of Business Administration of Assam University are now to be found in some of the country's best-managed companies which include Tata Chemicals Ltd., HCL Info Systems, ONGC, Philips India, Cadila, LIC, Standard Chartered Bank, IDBI Bank, ICICI Bank, Infosys, Airtel, Aircel, IOC, Cipla, , HDFC Bank, Lupin Ltd., IBM , Bank of Baroda, NERAMAC, Axis Bank, Mahindra and Mahindra Financial Services Ltd, Taj Group of hotels, Bandhan Financials , LG, Star Cement, PRADAN etc.

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC Examination in Arts, Commerce or Science with atleast 50% marks in aggregate in either Honors or Pass Course or graduate in engineering, technology, pharmacy or agriculture, with at least 60% in aggregate are eligible for admission. In addition to the above, the candidates should have cleared the MAT conducted by AIMA, New Delhi. The applicants are required to apply in the prescribed form which can be obtained from the office of the Head, Department of Business Administration within June 15, 2015 on payment of Rs 600/- through DD payable in favor of Finance officer, Assam University, Silchar along with MAT Score card. The application form can also be downloaded from www.dbasms.ac.in, www.aus.ac.in (**Separate prospectus is available for MBA Programme**).

L.P. ODUM SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

Department of Ecology and Environmental Science

The Master Degree programme in the department started in July 1996. Ph.D. and M.Phil. Programmes were launched subsequently in 1998 and 1999, respectively. Ongoing researches in the department include areas like Natural Resource Management & Biodiversity Conservation, Microbial Ecology, Rivers, Wetlands, Forests and Agro ecosystems, Insect Ecology, Algal Ecology, Wild Life Ecology Environmental Pollution and Ecotoxicology and Ethnobotany of Medicinal plants. Over the years, the Department has established collaboration with national level institutes like Indian Institute of Remote Sensing, Dehradun, G.B. Pant Institute of Himalayan Environment & Development (NE Unit). Itanagar, North Eastern Regional Institute of Science & Technology (NERIST), Itanagar, National Botanical Research Institute (NBRI), Lucknow, Central Agriculture University (CAU), Imphal, Indian Agricultural Research Institute (IARI), New Delhi and North East Institute of Science and Technology (NEIST), Jorhat, Central Institute of Freshwater Aquaculture (CIFA), Bhubaneswar, Bose Institute, Kolkata, Bharthidasan University, Tiruchirapalli. The department is supported by the UGC Special Assistance (DRS - I and DRS - II) and DST-FIST programmes. The department has been given a "Centre for Biodiversity and Natural Resource Conservation" by UGC under XIth Plan. An Ornamental Fish Hatchery Unit has been established in the department. A MOU was signed between Assam University and Bamboo and Cane Development Institute (BCDI), Agartala for a P. G. Diploma Course on "Bamboo Cultivation and Resource Utilization".



Courses Offered :

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| i] M.Sc. (by course work). | Duration : Four Semesters. | Intake capacity : 38 |
| ii] M. Phil. (by course work & research work). | | |
| iii] Ph. D. (by course work & research work) | | |
| iv] D. Sc. (by research work) | | |
| v] PGDTM. (by course work). | Duration : Two Semesters. | Intake capacity : 15 |
| vi] PGDBC (by course work). | Duration : Two Semesters. | Intake capacity : 10 |
| vii] PGDBCRU (by course work). (w.e.f. July 2012) | Duration : Two Semesters. | Intake capacity : 10 |

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
B. K. DUTTA* Ph.D.	Professor	Microbial Ecology & Tea Agro ecosystem analysis and biodiversity conservation
ABHIK GUPTA Ph.D.	Professor	Freshwater Ecology, Biodiversity, Environmental Pollution and Ecotoxicology, Environmental Ethics
ASHESH KR. DAS Ph.D.	Professor	Forest Ecology, Agro-ecology and Soil Ecology, Carbon Sequestration
D. C. RAY Ph.D.	Professor	Population Ecology, Insect Diversity, Ecology of soil fauna, IPM and Ecotoxicology
JAYASHREE ROUT Ph.D.	Professor	Algal Ecology and Biodiversity, Freshwater Ecology and Environmental Biotechnology, Lichenology and Medicinal plants
P. CHOUDHURY Ph.D.	Professor	Agro-ecology, Pesticide Toxicology & IPM, Wildlife Ecology
MITHRA DEY Ph. D.	Professor	Ecotoxicology, Freshwater Ecology, Solid waste management and Herpetology
AJIT KR. DAS Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Plant Taxonomy, Ethnobotany and Medicinal Plants
S. GUPTA Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Freshwater Ecology and Aquatic Biodiversity
APARAJITA DE Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Forest Ecology, RS and GIS application in Forest Ecology
TAPATI DAS Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Aquatic Ecology & Biodiversity
A. J. NATH Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Plant Ecology and Management, Adaptation and Mitigation Strategy for Climate Change

* On contractual employment.

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. JAYASHREE ROUT

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC (Science) examination with at least 45% marks in Major/Honours or Pass course in Zoology, Botany, Life Science, Ecology, Environmental Biology, Environmental Science, Anthropology, Geology or Geography are eligible for admission.

CENTRE FOR BIODIVERSITY AND NATURAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION

Aim and Objectives of the Centre

Biological diversity is fundamental to the fulfilment of human needs. An environment which is rich in biological diversity, offers the broadest array of options for sustaining human welfare and for adapting to change. The Barak Valley falling in Assam in the Northeast India belongs to the Indo-Burma Hotspots, and one of the most biological diverse regions of the world. Barak Valley constitutes 8.9% geographical area of the state covering an area of 6922 sq km. The land use/land cover area of the Valley may be characterized by evergreen forest, semi evergreen forest, mixed moist deciduous forest, scrub forest, degraded forest, agricultural land and tea plantations. Barak Valley has 12 Reserve Forests (RFs) and one Wildlife Sanctuary (WLS). The Valley is richly endowed with plant and animal resources, which needs to be managed on a sustainable basis to serve as the main driver of development in the area. The sustainable development of any area depends on the proper utilization of its natural resources.

The Centre for Biodiversity and Natural Resource Conservation attached to the department of Ecology & Environmental Science is mandated to carry out research works pertaining to biodiversity conservation and effective and scientific management of the natural resources of the valley with the following aim and objectives:

- To study the ecology and conservation of flora and fauna of Barak Valley.
- To study the landscape ecology in the Barak Valley.
- To study the natural resource utilization pattern and management by the traditional communities of Barak Valley.
- To study the biophysical parameters in major ecosystems.
- To document indigenous knowledge system of the region.

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
PANNA DEB <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Forest Ecology, Biodiversity Conservation
HILLOLJYOTI SINGHA <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Wildlife Ecology, Biodiversity Conservation



TRIGUNA SEN SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY

Department of Agricultural Engineering

The Department of Agricultural Engineering (established in 2006) offers the courses that deal with the application of engineering principles and scientific technologies for sustainable food production, and all along the food production to consumption chain. The course structure and syllabus for the UG and PG programmes have been designed to create skilled and technically sound human resources to cater the engineering needs of farm mechanization, irrigation and drainage, soil and water conservation, post harvest processing of crops, value addition, renewable energy, and appropriate design and utilization of aquaculture resources. The laboratory infrastructure has been developed to impart the essential practical knowledge including the application of computers and IT for the design, simulation, modeling, remote sensing etc. Two industrial trainings form a part of the UG programme that aims to provide the industrial exposure and enhancement of technical know-how and skills. The Department is actively involved in multi-disciplinary research with projects funded by DST, UGC, MoFPI and NHB.



The Focus Areas of the Department are:-

- Soil and Water Conservation Engineering
- Ground Water Hydrology
- Watershed Management
- Farm Implements and Machinery
- Waste recycling and Bi-product Utilization
- Bioprocess Engineering
- Tea Processing Technology
- Aquacultural Engineering
- Water Resources Development and Management
- Rainwater Harvesting
- Remote Sensing and GIS
- Renewable Sources Energy and Utilization
- Mechanization of Horticultural Crops
- Food Engineering and Food Industry Management
- Climate Change and Climate Resilient Agriculture

Courses Offered :

i] B. Tech.

Duration : 4 years (8 semesters)

Intake capacity : 60

Admission through (a) Central Counselling Board (CCB) regulated all India counselling based on the JEE-Main All India Rank of the candidate, or (b) Admission Test conducted by the Triguna Sen School of Technology, Assam University, Silchar. The candidates should have secured minimum 60% (55% for SC/ST) marks in aggregate papers of Physics, Chemistry and Biology/Mathematics with pass marks in Mathematics, and minimum overall aggregate of 55% (50% for SC/ST) marks in the qualifying examination (10+2).

There is a provision for lateral entry for the candidates having diploma of 10+3, 10+2+2 or 10+2+3 from a recognised institute in Agricultural Engineering or Mechanical Engineering or Civil Engineering or Food Engineering / Technology with minimum 60% marks in qualifying diploma.

ii] M. Tech.

Duration : 2 years (4 semesters)

Intake capacity : 24 (6 in each specialization)

Admission through (a) GATE, or (b) Admission Test and viva-voce conducted by the Department. The candidate should have B.E. / B. Tech. or AMIE degree from a recognized Institute and / or University with a minimum 60% (55% for SC/ST) marks.

Specialization	Eligibility
Water Resources Development and Management:	Agricultural Engg. or Civil Engg.
Farm Machinery and Power Engineering :	Agricultural Engg. or Mechanical Engg.
Aquacultural Engineering :	Agricultural Engg. or Civil Engg.
Food Process Engineering:	Agricultural Engg. or Food Engg. / Technology or Chemical Engg.

iii] Ph. D. (by course work and research work)

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
PRASANNA K.G.V. Ph.D.	Professor	Farm Machinery and Power, Energy, Waste recycling
L. N. SETHI Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Water Resource Development and Management
SUDIPTO SARKAR Ph. D.	Associate Professor	Irrigation and Drainage, Aquaculture Engineering
AJITA TIWARI Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Process and Food Engineering
M. PADHIARY # M.Tech.	Assistant Professor	Farm Machinery, Power and Energy
NITIN KUMAR ** M.Tech.	Assistant Professor	Dairy and Food Engineering
AVINASH KUMAR Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Aquaculture Engineering, Water Resources Engineering
CHETAN B. KHOBRADE Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Renewal Energy
SAIKAT ROY M.Tech.	Assistant Professor	Water Resources and Hydraulic Engineering
ANAMIKA YADAV M.Tech. (Leave Vacancy)	Assistant Professor	Aquaculture Engineering
JOLVIS POU M.Tech. (Leave Vacancy)	Assistant Professor	Food Process Engineering

On Study Leave ** On Leave

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. PRASANNA KUMAR G.V.

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Separate prospectus of Triguna Sen School of Technology is available for more information regarding eligibility, admission criteria and intake capacity of B. Tech. and M.Tech. courses.

Department of Computer Science & Engineering

(Formerly Department of Information Technology)



The Department of Information Technology was established in the year 2006-2007 under Triguna Sen School of Technology (earlier School Of Technology) and was one of the first to provide undergraduate engineering course in the university. The primary objective of the Department of Information Technology is to offer an environment that encourages to one's potential in academic programs. Within the ambit of Information Technology, the

department endeavors to develop newer program-solving methods and apply these to creative design scenarios in contemporary and emerging technologies. The course structure and syllabus for the UG and PG programmes have been designed to create skilled and technically sound human resources to cater the engineering needs of the IT and allied industries. One industrial training forms a part of the UG programme that aims to provide the industrial exposure and enhancement of technical know-how and skills. The department is supported by MHRD and World Bank Through Technical Education Quality Improvement Programme (TEQIP - II). The Department is recently renamed as Dept. of Computer Science & Engineering

The key focus areas of the Department are:

- Internet Computing
- Mobile Computing
- Information Retrieval
- Web Technology
- Network Security
- VLSI Design
- Computer Graphics and Multimedia
- Database and Information System
- Soft Computing
- Communication and Signal Processing
- Quantum Computing
- Image Processing

Courses Offered :

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| i] B. Tech | Duration: 4 years (8 semesters) | Intake capacity : 60 |
| ii] B.Tech (Lateral Entry) | Duration: 3 years (6 semesters) | Intake capacity : 06 |
| iii] M. Tech (Full Time) | Duration: 2 years (4 semesters) | Intake capacity : 18 |
| iv] Ph. D. (Full time/Part time) | By research work with one semester compulsory course work.
(Admission to Ph. D. programme will be as per university norms) | |

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
SUDIPTA ROY	Ph.D	Professor	Image Processing, Soft Computing, Artificial Intelligence
MOUSUM HANDIQUE	M.Tech	Assistant Professor	Automata, Web Technology, Information Processing
TAPODHIR ACHARJEE	M.Tech	Assistant Professor	Information Processing, Mobile Communication
SOURISH DHAR	M.Tech	Assistant Professor	Multimedia, Web Technology, Computer Graphics
AJOY KUMAR KHAN	M.Tech	Assistant Professor	VLSI Design and Testing, Network Security
ABHIJIT BISWAS	M.Tech	Assistant Professor	Operating System, DBMS, Network-On-Chip
BHAGABAN SWAIN	M.Tech	Assistant Professor	Quantum Computing, Operating System, Programming Methodologies
ARNAB PAUL	M.Tech	Assistant Professor	Web Technology, Information Retrieval

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : **MR. MOUSUM HANDIQUE**

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Separate prospectus of Triguna Sen School of Technology is available for more information regarding eligibility, admission criteria and intake capacity of B. Tech. and M.Tech. courses.

Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering

In view of the increasing importance of the Electronics Engineering discipline, the Department of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering was established in 2011 under School of Technology to offer Bachelor of Technology degree in Electronics and Telecommunication. The primary objective of the department is to impart quality education and training at undergraduate level in various fields of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering to meet the requirement of skilled engineers of the region as well as the country and abroad.

The Focus Areas of the Department are:-

- ❏ Basic Electrical & Electronics Components and Circuits Design
- ❏ Digital Electronics Circuit Design
- ❏ Electronics Circuit Synthesis
- ❏ Analog and Digital Communication
- ❏ Design and Simulation of Analog and Digital Design
- ❏ Microprocessor and Microcontroller programming
- ❏ Digital Signal processing and Image Processing
- ❏ VLSI and Embedded System Design

Courses Offered :

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| i] B. Tech | Duration: 4 years (8 semesters) | <i>Intake capacity : 32</i> |
| ii] B.Tech (Lateral Entry)* | Duration: 3 years (6 semesters) | <i>Intake capacity : *</i> |

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
DEBAPRASAD DAS PhD	Professor	VLSI Design & Emerging Technologies
CHAMPA TANGA M.Tech.	Assistant Professor	Communication Network and Digital System Design
MARIAM JABALI LASKAR M.Tech.	Assistant Professor	Bioelectronics

* Subject to ratification in EC

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. DEBAPRASAD DAS

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Separate prospectus of Triguna Sen School of Technology is available for more information regarding eligibility, admission criteria and intake capacity of B. Tech. and M.Tech. courses.



SUSHRUTA SCHOOL OF MEDICAL AND PARAMEDICAL SCIENCES

Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences

The Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences under Sushruta School of Medical and Paramedical Sciences started functioning from August 2010 with the B. Pharm. Course (UG Course). The mission of the Department is to impart knowledge in Pharmaceutical Sciences and produce high quality pharma professional to meet the demand of accelerating pharma industry in Assam in particular and India in general. The Department has a clear vision and objective to provide Quality Pharmacy Education supporting better health care programme of the nation.

The B. Pharm. curriculum is designed as per AICTE and PCI norms and consist of several core papers under four major branches of Pharmacy like Pharmaceutics, Pharmacology, Pharmacognosy and Pharmaceutical Chemistry including Pharmaceutical Analysis along with some additional papers like Pharmaceutical Biochemistry, Biotechnology, Microbiology, Pharmaceutical Engineering etc.

Courses Offered

B. Pharm (by course work). Duration : Eight Semesters.

Intake capacity : 40

Faculty

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
SANJIB DAS <i>M. Pharm., Ph.D., FIC</i>	Professor	Pharmacology (Neuro and Cardiovascular Pharmacology)
SUPRATIM RAY <i>M. Pharm., Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Pharmaceutical Chemistry (Drug-lipid interaction, QSAR & Molecular Modeling)
ABHISHEK BHATTACHARJEE <i>M. Pharm.</i>	Assistant Professor	Pharmaceutics (Anticancer & Novel Drug Delivery System)
NIRUPAM DAS <i>M. Pharm.</i>	Assistant Professor	Pharmaceutical Chemistry (Synthesis, Evaluation & Molecular Modeling)
LALDUHSANGA PACHAUA <i>M.Pharm., Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Pharmaceutics (Drug delivery & Biomaterials)
PARTHA PALIT <i>M.Pharm., Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Pharmacognosy (Drug discovery from natural sources)

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. SUPRATIM RAY

☎: 03842 270353 (O)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed 10+2 level examination with individual pass marks in Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics or Biology both in theory and practical and 50% aggregate marks in the above subjects are eligible for admission.

Placement: The final year B. Pharm students got placements in various reputed organisations like Thyrocare Laboratories, ICICI prudential, Unisys and Abbott healthcare.



ARYABHATTA SCHOOL OF EARTH SCIENCES

Department of Earth Science

The Department of Earth Science was established in November 2009 under the School of Environmental Sciences. The department envisions preparing Human Resources skilled in multi-disciplinary areas of the Earth Science and also to foster the cause of the discipline in the Nation vis-a vis the region. North East India has reserves of some of the largest Hydrocarbon (Oil and Gas), Coal and Atomic mineral (especially Uranium) deposits known in the country along with a treasure house of various geological mileau. At the same time the region is highly vulnerable to natural hazards which include flood, landslide and earthquake etc. The department is committed to address these and various other fundamental and challenging problems of geological nature affecting the society.



Courses Offered :

- i] M.Sc. in Applied Geology (by course work) *Duration* : Four Semesters. *Intake capacity* : 20
- ii] Ph. D. (by course work and research work)

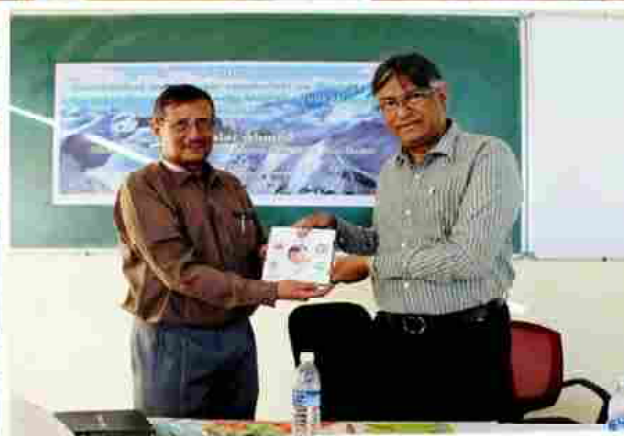
Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
NAGENDRA PANDEY <i>Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Sedimentary Geology
M. FARUQUE HUSSAIN <i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Geochemistry, Petrology and Geotectonics
K. KRISHNAKANTA SINGH <i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Hydrogeology, Remote Sensing & GIS
URBASHI SARKAR <i>M. Sc.</i>	Assistant Professor	Micropalaeontology and sequence stratigraphy

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. M. FARUQUE HUSSAIN

☎: 09435174718 (M)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC (Science) examination (Hons. & Pass) with Geology / having Geology as one of the pass subjects are eligible for admission.



SWAMI VIVEKANANDA SCHOOL OF LIBRARY SCIENCES

Department of Library & Information Science

The Department of Library Science has been established in the year 2009 under the School of Information Sciences. Now, the Department has been placed under separate "Swami Vivekananda School of Library Sciences" since 2011 which is unique in India that the Department of Library and Information Science has been placed under separate school. At present Prof. Sumanash Dutta, Department of Economics, Assam University, Silchar has been appointed as the Dean of the School w. e. f. January 2013.

The Master of Library and Information Science program at Assam University, Silchar educates students in the principles, practices, and ethics of library and information science, imbues them with a sense of service to diverse populations, and prepares them to be life-long learners and active leaders in a rapidly changing information and knowledge society.

The Department of Library Science of Assam University is committed to the University's mission of teaching, learning, research and community services. As a professional department, it will be the department of choice in Assam in general and Barak Valley in particular, which will educate its students, in both theory and practice, to identify, acquire, organize, and disseminate information. By integrating technology across the curriculum, the department will impart the knowledge and skills of the profession in preserving and providing access to the records of our cultural heritage and the documents of scholarly research. By nurturing research, innovation and service, the department will strive to offer high quality student-centered programmes necessary to prepare library and information professionals in the knowledge society of the 21st century.

The Department of Library Science would be recognised both nationally and internationally as a leader in producing information professionals. The department would be noted for its production of trained and professionally qualified librarians and other information professionals who are motivated to leadership and service. Those LIS Professionals would be knowledgeable and ethical in their professional practice. While recognizing the rich cultural and technological heritage of their fields, they will be prepared to make themselves adoptable in changing environment and also would be lifelong learners.

The department has been using the modern ICT tools and gadgets for classroom teaching including Smart Classroom and Internet based teaching -learning.

Courses Offered

- i] MLIS (by course work). *Duration* : Four Semesters. *Intake capacity* : 25
- ii] M.Phil (by course work & dissertation)
- iii] Ph.D. (by course work and research work)

Faculty

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
MANOJ KUMAR SINHA <i>M. Sc., MLISc, B.Ed, PGDHE, Ph.D. (Double)</i>	Associate Professor	Academic Library System , Public Library System ; Library , Information , Communication & Society , Knowledge Organization (Library Cataloguing (Theory & Practice) Management of E-Resource, Human Resource Management, Information & Communication Technology Application in Library, Library Automation and Networking , Digital Library; User Study / User Survey, Internet Literacy, Information Seeking Behaviour; Research Methodology & Statistical Techniques.
MUKUT SARMAH <i>MLISc, Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Library Computerisation, Information Technology Applications, Web Technology Application, Information Retrieval, Knowledge Organization, and Information Processing (Classification Theory and Practice).
NABIN CHANDRA DEY <i>MLISc, PGDCA, PGDHRM</i>	Assistant Professor	Information Technology, Library Automation and Web Technology (Theory and Practice), Statistical Techniques; Human Resource Management
RAJESH RANGAPPA ALDARTHI <i>BBM, MLISc</i>	Assistant Professor	Management of Library and Information Center, Digital Library, Information Communication Technology application in Libraries, Knowledge Organisation Cataloguing (Theory & Practice)

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. MANOJ KUMAR SINHA

☎: 094352 31672 (M)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: A candidate who has passed the Bachelor degree with 45 % marks in any discipline from Assam University or any other recognized university will be eligible to apply for admission to the Master Degree in Library and Information Science (MLIS) in the Assam University.

METHOD OF ADMISSION: Written Test followed by Group Discussion /and or Personal Interview

QUALIFY IN NET EXAMINATION: 08

PROGRAMME ORGANISED: Two Day National Seminar on Collection Development (NSCD-2011) has been organised by the Department in collaboration with Central Reference Library, Kolkata (Ministry of Culture, Govt. of India) during February 10-11, 2011.

Recently the Department also organised "Four Day Training Programme on Application of Open Source Software for Library Services" during March 28-31, 2013.

The Department also organises the Librarians Day, Induction Programme, Lecture Programmes, Parents Day , Students Feedback on Courses and Teachers etc on regular basis.



DESHABANDHU CHITTA RANJAN SCHOOL OF LEGAL STUDIES

Department of Law

The Department of Law under the School of Social Sciences started functioning in July 2004. The department offers a five-year integrated course leading to the degree of B.A. LL.B. (Hons.). In the year 2011 an LL.M. Programme has been started in the department. Now from 2014 the Department will also offer Ph. D. Programme.



Courses Offered :

- i] B.A., LLB. (Hons) (by course work). *Duration* : Ten Semester. *Intake Capacity* : 60
- ii] LL.M. (by course work). *Duration* : Four Semester. *Intake Capacity* : 20
- iii] Ph.D. (by course work and research work).

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
SUBHASH CHANDRA SINGH <i>LL.M., Ph.D.</i>	Professor	Human Right, Criminal Law & Family Law
RASHMI RANJAN MISHRA <i>B. Sc. (H), LL.M., Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Criminal Law, Criminology and Penology & Juvenile Justice
MADHUMITA DHAR SARKAR <i>B. Sc., LL.M., Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Jurisprudence, Environmental Law, Property Law & Criminal Law
PARTHA PRATIM PAUL <i>LL.M., Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Family Law, Constitutional Law, Environmental Law, Corporate Law
PRIYA RANJAN KUMAR <i>LL.M.</i>	Assistant Professor	Constitution & Administrative Law, Contract & Corporate Law
AMITABH SINGH <i>B. Sc. LL.M.</i>	Assistant Professor	Criminal Law, Criminology and Law of Taxation
UMESH KUMAR SHARMA <i>LL.M.</i>	Assistant Professor	Administrative Law and Criminal Law
KABINDRA SINGH BRIJWAL <i>LL.M.</i>	Assistant Professor	Human Rights, Constitutional Law

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. MADHUMITA DHAR SARKAR

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION:

(A) FOR ADMISSION TO B.A. LL.B. (HONS.) COURSE :

(i) Maximum age for admission to L. L. B.

In case of General Candidates 21 years in case of candidates belonging to SC, ST, OBC category (outside the creamy layer) 23 years as on the 1st day of July of the year of admission.

(ii) Minimum percentage of marks in qualifying examination:

In case of General Candidates a minimum 50 percent of marks in the qualifying examination as well as 45 percent in English subject, separately, in the qualifying examination.

For candidates belonging to reserved category the percentage shall be 45 in aggregate, in the qualifying examination as well as 40 percent in English subject, separately, in the qualifying examination.

(B) For admission to LL.M. Course :

Candidates who have passed the Three Year LL.B. Degree Examination of this University or such examination of any other university or institution after Graduation [under 10+2+3 pattern] or Five year LL.B. Degree course under [10+2+5 pattern] as is recognized by this University as equivalent for the purpose of admission to LL. M. Degree course and have secured not less than 50% marks in aggregate in the Bachelor of Law examinations.

A relaxation of up to 5% marks in the qualifying examination for the candidates from the SC, ST and OBC categories outside the creamy layer will be applicable. However candidates seeking admission against OBC quota must submit income certificate from the appropriate authority testifying exclusion from creamy layer category.

Candidates who have graduate from School of Legal Studies of Assam University or from the Law College affiliated to AUS, 10% marks shall be added to their percentage for preparation of merit list. However this provision will be applicable only to those candidates who have passed LL. B. from Assam University within the last two academic years.

Central Instrumentation Laboratory

The Central Instrumentation Laboratory was established in the year 2007 with funding from University Grants Commission. The Central Instrumentation Laboratory houses sophisticated state of art analytical instruments like Gas Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry (GC-MS), Atomic Absorption Spectrometry (AAS), High Performance Liquid Chromatography (HPLC), Fourier Transform Infra Red Spectrometer (FT-IR), Impedance Analyser (LCR Meter) and a new



400 MHz FT-NMR with multi probe facility has been installed recently. The main objective of the Central Instrumentation Laboratory is to provide analytical instrumentation support to all science departments of Assam University, other institutes, research laboratories, national laboratories and industries in the country. In addition, the CIL also provides teaching support to Post Graduate and IPP level of science departments of the university.

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
SIDDHARTHA SANKAR NATH <i>PG Dip (Ins) Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Nanotechnology, Instrumentation & Electronics
SHUVASISH CHOUDHURY <i>M.Phil, Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Biochemistry, Bio-Instrumentation and Phytochemistry

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Computer Centre

Assam University Computer Centre is established in March 1997. It is the central hub for ICT related services for Assam University. The National Knowledge Network (NKN) Point of Presence (PoP) is commissioned in the Computer Centre. This acts as an Internet gateway for the campus-wide university network. A separate 10 Mbps connectivity under UGC-Infonet Scheme is also commissioned in the Centre for provisioning the resources that are available under the scheme to the university campus-wide network.

The campus-wide University network consists of state of the art networking equipment capable of providing high bandwidth with 1 Gbps fiber backbones at distribution level to provide connectivity to all Faculties, Departments and Centres at the Assam University Silchar (Main campus) & Assam University Diphu Campus (Second campus).

At present more than 1800 nodes are connected on the network and being served by more than 20 servers, 70 high-end switches, routers and security devices. All departments of both the campuses are connected to NKN for resource sharing with all major educational and research institutions across the country. ICT services including internet are being provided across the University using 1 Gbps bandwidth at both the Campuses as part of NKN.

Assam University Silchar, Computer Centre provides various services to all faculty members, staff and students of both the campuses of the University which include

- Designing, Expansion and maintenance of campus wide network, from time to time
- Assam University official website maintenance and hosting
- University Email server maintenance and hosting
- Intranet based Application Development for governance, etc.
- Providing Video conferencing facilities with different universities and Rashtrapati Bhavan, MHRD, etc.
- Training programs for faculty, staff, research scholars and PG students
- Conducting of the IT Skill Tests for the recruitment of the non-teaching employees of the university.
- Conducting of On-line GATE examination in association with IIT Guwahati

The EDUSAT based Satellite Interactive Terminal (SIT) for conducting virtual classes is also available in the Computer Centre. This facility is established under CEC-UGC EDUSAT Network funded by ISRO, Govt. of India. The Computer Centre conducts various Distant Learning Workshops organised, time to time, by CEC-UGC New Delhi, Indian Institute of Remote Sensing, Dehradun, etc. The centre is also running a one year regular Post Graduate Diploma in Information Technology (PGDIT) course and the classes are engaged by the experts available in the centre only. The technical staff of Computer Centre is also engaged in taking PG /IPP classes of various schools/departments under the university, on the basis of specific requirements.

Courses Offered :

- i] Post Graduate Diploma in Information technology (PGD-IT)
Durations: Two semesters. **Intake Capacity:** 20
- ii] Distance Learning/Out reach Certificate course organised by CEC-UGC, IIRS through EDUSAT program.
Durations: As specified by the organisers. **Intake capacity:** 50 (FCFS basis)

Staff members :

Name	Designation	Specialisation
ANGSHU MAAN SEN <i>Ph.D., F.I.E.(I), F.I.E.T.E.</i>	Director	Software Requirements Engineering, Networking
SUBRATA SINHA <i>BSc (Maths), MCA, Ph. D.</i>	System Analyst	Workflow, Web Service, Computer Security
K. ANAND KR. SINGHA <i>B.Tech (CS), CCNA, CCNP</i>	Networking Engineer	Networking
PRANTIK GAUTAM <i>MCA</i>	Website Administrator	Web Programming
DIPANKAR DAS <i>M. Sc. (CS)</i>	Technical Assistant	Natural Language Processing
MANJIT SINGHA <i>Diploma in Electronics & Telecomm. Engg</i>	Laboratory Technician	Computer Hardware and Peripherals

DIRECTOR : DR. ANGSHU MAAN SEN

☎ : (03842) 270826

ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO PGDIT: Candidates securing not less than 45% marks in Bachelor degree in any discipline of Assam University or any other recognised university and Candidates having Degree/ Diploma in Engineering with minimum 50% marks are also eligible.

ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO DISTANCE LEARNING/ OUT REACH CERTIFICATE COURSE:

As specified by organisers and recommendation of the concerned Head of the Department.



Additional Courses

The University is also offering certain PG diploma/fast track Courses in the following subjects :

* **Post Graduate Diploma in Bioinformatics** (offered by Bio-informatics Centre).

PGDIB (by course work). *Duration* : Two Semesters. *Intake capacity* : 20

Eligibility Criteria : Graduate in any Science subject from a recognised University or a graduate in engineering, Technology, Pharmacy, Veterinary Science, Fishery Science, Medicine or Agriculture are eligible for the Post Graduate Diploma in Bioinformatics Programme. Candidates appearing for Degree (Final Year) Examination in the above mentioned subjects are also eligible to apply for admission.

* **Post Graduate Diploma in Marketing Management**. (Offered by Commerce Department)

PGDMM (by course work). *Duration* : Two Semesters. *Intake capacity* : 20

Eligibility Criteria : Any graduate in Commerce/ Arts/Science is eligible.

* **Post Graduate Diploma in Tea Management** (offered by Department of Ecology & Environmental Science)

PGDTM (by course work). *Duration* : Two Semesters (Including 3 months Practical Training)

Intake capacity : 15

Eligibility Criteria : Graduation in any discipline, preferably Science or Agricultural Science background.

* **Post Graduate Diploma in Biodiversity Conservation** (offered by Department of Ecology & Environmental Science)

PGDBC (by course work). *Duration* : Two Semesters. *Intake capacity* : 15

Eligibility Criteria : Graduation in any Science discipline.

* **Post Graduate Diploma in Bamboo Cultivation and Resource Utilization** (offered by Department of Ecology & Environmental Science)

PGDBCRU. *Duration* : Two Semesters. *Intake capacity* : 10

First semester in AUS & Second semester classes & training will be held in BCDI, Agartala.

Eligibility Criteria : Graduation in any Science discipline.

* **Post Graduate Diploma in Journalism** (offered by Department of Mass Communication)

PGDJ (by course work). *Duration* : Two Semesters. *Intake capacity* : 20

Eligibility Criteria: Graduates in Arts, Science and Commerce from any recognised university / Institution.

Certificate Courses :

A. Fast track Certificate Course in French.

Duration : Three months

Intake capacity : 30

B. Certificate Course in functional Sanskrit.

Duration : One Semester

Intake capacity : 20

C. Certificate Course in Arabic Language.

Duration : Two Semesters.

Intake capacity : 20

Eligibility Criteria : H.S. / Graduation.

* **P.G Diploma in Entrepreneurship and innovation** (offered by Department of Commerce, Diphu Campus)

PGDEI (by course work). *Duration* : Two semesters

Intake capacity : 15

Eligibility Criteria : Any Graduates with 40% marks from any recognised university / Institution.

* **Courses offered by Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan under (Deemed University), New Delhi**

Prathama Diksha, Dwitiya Diksha, Tritiya Diksha, Chaturthi Diksha and Panchami Diksha.

Duration : Three months each.

For other relevant information such as fees structure, date of admission test and date of starting of classes etc. interested candidates may contact concerned Head of Department.

Ragging in any form is strictly prohibited by the Supreme Court

ACADEMIC AND STUDENT SERVICES

● CENTRAL LIBRARY



The University Central Library was established in 1994. At present the Central Library has a collection of around One Lakh and twenty thousand books. It also subscribes to more than 400 Indian and foreign journals. Facilities provided by the Library include reading / lending services, reference service, reprint service, literature search, photocopying, CD-ROM search. Besides these, access to internet is provided to students through 40 terminals. On line access to e-journals under UGC-Infonet, access to INFLIBNET Database service, access to DeLNET Database and Services and OPAC are also provided. The Library remains open from 9.30 am to 7.00 pm on all working days including Saturdays.

● HOSTEL ACCOMMODATION



There are at present **nine** hostels in the University campus. The hostels are : *four for boys*

and five for girls students. The hostels are furnished with basic facilities. Hostel seats are limited and every student may not get the seat in hostel. Availability of seats depend upon the vacancy in the hostel. A separate Booklet for Hostel Boarders & conduct Rules of the hostel is also available.

● HEALTH CARE CENTRE

The University Health Centre is managed by



experienced Medical personnel including Lady Medical Officer, supported by para-medical staff. The centre caters to the medical needs of the University community. The University has introduced Medical Insurance to each students. Besides these, health camps are frequently organised in the campus with specialist doctors from Silchar Medical College. University is issuing Health Card to each student for extending Medical facilities to the students efficiently. In case of emergency, ambulance service is also provided to transfer patients to Silchar Medical College, around 10 km from the campus. However, expenses related to medical emergencies and hospitalization shall be borne by the parents/guardians of the student concerned if not covered by the insurance. The University initiated the process of revamping health centre by procuring equipments like X-ray machine, auto analysis and setting up of diagnostic laboratory.

● GYMNASIUM



A well equipped *Gymnasium* exists for both gents & ladies. Interested students can enroll their names for availing the facilities in the Gynmasium.

● NSS ACTIVITY

Students are encouraged in participating NSS (National Service Scheme) activities organised by the Programme Officer and Coordinator, NSS Unit of Assam University. NSS is sponsored by the Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD) to train the youths in community services.

● NCC TRAINING



The NCC Units in Assam University arrange NCC training for the students of the University - both boys and girls. For enlisting names for NCC training, the contact person will be the

Dean, Students' Welfare, Assam University.

● GAMES AND SPORTS

Since its inception in 1994, games and sports have been one of the important foci of Assam University's endeavour to facilitate all-round development of students' physical and mental abilities. Every year an Annual Social Meet is organized in the University where along with cultural activities, indoor and outdoor sports are held.

The University is currently a member of the Inter-University Sports Board of India and its teams participate in Zonal and All-India University Tournaments bringing laurels and prizes and medals for the University.

The Central Sports-complex which is in the process of coming up is expected to give a major boost to games and sports and to other extra-curricular activities of the students in Assam University.

● BUS SERVICE



In addition to State Transport Bus service, ten buses are also available for the benefit of the students commuting between Silchar and University campus and also Hailakandi to university campus.

● STUDENTS' WELFARE

The office of the Dean of Students Welfare looks after the welfare of the students with active support of the representatives of the students, faculty and administration. Student Community

Centre has been added from the year 2010 for



Padmashree Pt. Viswa Mohan Bhatt playing Mohan Bina at Bipin Chandra Pal Milanayatan.

For the benefit of the needy and deserving students, the University maintains and operates a Fund called the Assam University Students' Aid Fund which is instituted out of the contribution from the students of the University and collections from other sources. The main objective of the Fund is to render financial assistance to poor and deserving students for payment of tuition fees, examination fees, purchase of text books, stationery etc. A student requiring financial assistance from the Fund shall have to apply in the prescribed form through the concerned Head of the Department.

There is a Students' Council in the University which caters to the students' interests and contributes towards the promotion of students' extra-curricular activities. The Students' Council also organises a week-long social meet every year. During these seven days, the students display their creative talents in the field of sports and other cultural activities.

● THE UNIVERSITY JOURNAL

Assam University publishes research papers in the Journals in Humanities, Science and Technology in addition to some departmental Journals.

● THE UNIVERSITY MAGAZINE

The Assam University Magazine – *Prachi*

Prangan is published annually. The Magazine offers to the University students a medium to give expression to their literary and intellectual endeavours.

● STUDENTS' DISCIPLINE

Each student with respect to his/her work in the course (P.G./Integrated course/ M. Phil/Ph.D./ Certificate/Diploma) as well as his/her general conduct in the University, shall remain under the control of the respective School and the Department and shall be guided by the disciplinary code of the University. The Proctor looks after the discipline amongst the students.

It is mandatory for the students to keep their respective photo identity card with them while moving within the university campus.

There is complete ban on ragging in the campus as per order of the Supreme Court of India.

As per guidelines, ragging is strictly prohibited inside or outside the university campus. Each student will be required to submit one affidavit as per the format provided by the MHRD at the time of admission.

If any incident of ragging or any other act of gross violation of discipline comes to notice of the authority, the concerned students will be given adequate opportunity to explain and if his/ her explanation is not satisfactory he/she will be expelled from the University.

Also, there is one committee on violence against women and sexual harassment to combat the menace of violence and sexual harassment against women in the campus, if any, and another for looking after the maintenance of discipline and decorum among the students.

● COMPUTER CENTRE

The Assam University Computer Centre is a central facility to facilitate, foster and support the computing and communication needs of University fraternity. Students have access to more than 50 computers for their lab or project work. To assist research, there is a range of

computing environment available, backed by staff with considerable expertise.

Currently, the Computer Centre extends help to all administration and academic departments in running theory and practical courses related to Computer Science and computer applications.

The Centre has acquired all the latest softwares/ computers to cater to all types of computing requirements of the research scholars, faculty and students.

● CAREER COUNCELLING AND PLACEMENT CELL

The Placement Cell of the University extend counselling services to all placement aspirants. The Cell's activities include organisation of workshops and lectures by corporate professionals and placement consultants and preparation of students' resume / bio-data /

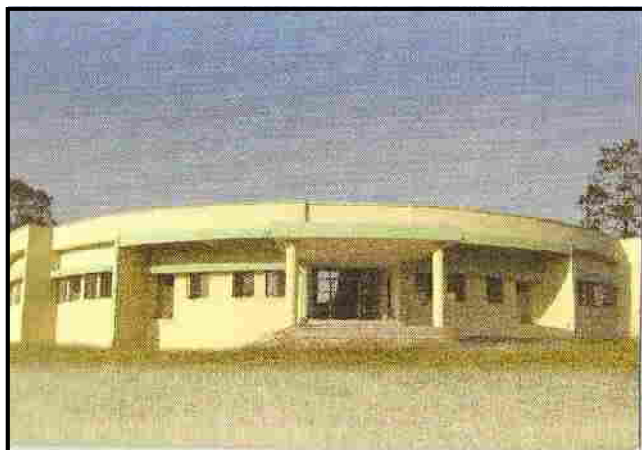
curriculum vitae and placement brochure. The Placement Cells in the various departments of the University are currently engaged in developing detailed Employer's Database that would help the students to trace out employment opportunities in India and abroad. Since inception University students are being offered good placement both in Public and in Private sector. Many companies had participated during last couple of year's placement programme. The Companies include: IDBI Bank, ICICI Bank, TCS, HSBC Global Outsourcing, Zolani Tech, UNISYS, Wipro Technology, Thyrocare Tech, HDFC Bank, Reliance Communications, Tata Motor Finance, Pradan, Capart, Axis Bank and ICICI Prudential Life Insurance Company. Students from almost all the departments have been participating in the placement sessions. *Dr. Debomalya Ghosh, Department of Business Administration is the current co-ordinator of the placement cell.*



DIPHU CAMPUS

A new campus of the University at Diphu in the Karbi Anglong district of Assam was proposed as part of the University's aim to provide the chance of Higher Education to a wider section of people as well as to satisfy a long felt demand of the people of Karbi Anglong.

Conceived as an outreach campus of Assam University, academic activities in the Diphu Campus started from the Academic Session 2007-08. The authorities of the Karbi-Anglong Autonomous Council have allotted 272 bighas of land on Diphu-Lumding Road about 8 kms away from the Diphu town. The land so allotted has already been taken over by the University and the construction process is in progress. The campus site is located in a picturesque place surrounded on all sides by lush green hills.



Administrative office at Diphu

Academic and Administrative activities for the Diphu Campus is at present being carried out in a temporary accommodation as the construction of the appropriate infrastructure in the permanent campus site is in progress. Arrangement of Hostel accommodation for students is in the process.

Assam University Diphu Campus has a Central Library which initiated from the month of December, 2007. Presently, the library is equipped with 13,571 titles including text books and reference books commonly needed by the students, scholars and faculty. Altogether 23 Journals, 9 magazines and 16 Newspapers are subscribed by the Library.

DEPARTMENT	COURSE	DURATION	NO. OF SEATS
Assamese	MA (by course work)	Four Semester	35
Hindi	MA (by course work)	Four Semester	35
English	MA (by course work)	Four Semester	60
Political Science	MA (by course work)	Four Semester	50
History	MA (by course work)	Four Semester	40
Anthropology	M. A. / M. Sc. (by course work)	Four Semester	35
Commerce	M.Com.(by course work)	Four Semester	40
Physics	M.Sc. (by course work)	Four Semester	18
Life Sciences	M.Sc.(by course work)	Four Semester	30
Geography	M. A. / M. Sc. (by course work)	Four Semester	35

**For admission related queries, contact:-
DR. SUBHAJIT CHOUDHURY**

Deputy Registrar
Diphu Campus, AUS
Diphu, Karbi Anglong
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RABINDRANATH TAGORE SCHOOL OF INDIAN LANGUAGES AND CULTURAL STUDIES

Department of Assamese

The Department of Assamese, established in 2010 in Assam University at Diphu Campus offering post graduate program in Assamese from the session 2010. The syllabi of the program incorporates both traditional and non-traditional course keeping in view of the rising demands in various fields like Literature, Language, Comparative Literature, Culture, Translation and advertising so forth. The Department also envisages the introduction of various career-oriented courses in Assamese as well as has planned to set up a language laboratory.

Courses Offered :

- i] M. A./ M. Sc. (by course work). Duration: Four Semesters **Intake Capacity : 35**
- ii] M.Phil (by course work & dissertation)
- ii] Ph. D. (by course and research work)

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
KUSUMBAR BORUAH	Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Assamese Literature & Folklore
AMBESWAR GOGOI*	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Modern Assamese Literature, Computational Linguistics
HIRA MANNA DAS	M.Phil.	Assistant Professor	Assamese Language and Linguistics

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HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. KUSUMBAR BORUAH

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed the TDC examination in the relevant subject (Honours, MIL, Elective) are eligible for admission.



Department of Hindi

The Department of Hindi started its journey in July, 2013 at Diphu Campus offering Post Graduate programme in Hindi from the session July, 2013. The thrust area in the Post Graduate programme in Hindi is Hindi literature with special emphasis on contemporary Hindi literature and its interaction with other Indian languages and literatures.

Courses Offered :

M. A. (by course work)

Duration: Four Semester

Intake Capacity: 35

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
AJAY PRASAD VERMA <i>Ph. D.</i>	Associate Professor	Historiography & Criticism of Hindi Fiction
AWADHESH KUMAR TRIPATHI <i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Modern Hindi Poetry & Literary Criticism
ANIRUDDHA KUMAR <i>M. Phil.</i>	Assistant Professor	Modern Hindi Poetry

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. AJAY PRASAD VERMA

☎ : 94319 55249 (M)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed the TDC examination in the relevant subject (MIL, Elective or equivalent) are eligible for admission. Candidates who have passed TDC examination in Arts and have also passed any of the traditional Degree (like Shastri, Visharad, etc.) examinations in the respective subject are also eligible for admission, provided that the later Degree is recognized as equivalent to graduation.



SUNITI KUMAR CHATTOPADHYAY SCHOOL OF ENGLISH AND FOREIGN LANGUAGE STUDIES

Department of English

The Department of English at Diphu Campus of Assam University had its inception in 2007. It offers Post Graduate Course in English as well as M.Phil and Ph.D programs with course work. The academic activities of the Department includes special lectures by faculty experts invited from other departments/institutions besides organizing Seminars and Conferences from time to time. Faculty members of the Department regularly attend International and National Seminars & Conferences as paper presenters, Resource persons, Chair persons and plenary speakers as well. They have also published several books and research papers in journals of National and International repute. At present, the Department has five faculty members with Ph. D. and four recognized Ph.D Supervisors, who are actively engaged in guiding research scholars. The major area of research in the Department encompasses English and American Literature, Fiction and Postcolonial Studies, Comparative Literature and Cultural Studies, Indian Writing in English and Feminist Literature, Literary Criticism, Drama Studies and African American Literature.

Courses Offered :

- i] M. A. (by course work). Duration: Four Semesters
- ii] M.Phil (by course work & dissertation)
- iii] Ph. D. (by course and research work)

Intake Capacity : 60

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
SIVASISH BISWAS <i>M.Phil, Ph.D., PGDTE</i>	Professor	Fiction, Postcolonial Studies, Indian Writing in English
BISHNU CHARAN DASH <i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Poetry, American Literature, Comparative Literature, Cultural Studies
INDU SWAMI <i>M. Phil, Ph.D., DCE, CTE</i>	Assistant Professor	British Literature, Literary Criticism, Feminist Literature
AMLANJYOTI SENGUPTA <i>M.A., PGCTE, PGDTE</i>	Assistant Professor	ELT
ANUP KUMAR DEY <i>M.Phil, Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Drama Studies, Postcolonial Studies, Canadian Poetry
SHREYASHI MUKHERJEE <i>M.Phil, Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Postcolonial Theories, African American Literature, Gender Theory

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. BISHNU CHARAN DASH

☎ : 09435328304 (M)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC examination with at least 40% marks are eligible for admission.



JADUNATH SARKAR SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

Department of Political Science

Being one of the departments that started with the functioning of Assam University at Diphu, the Department of Political Science is completing five years of its existence w.e.f. 2007. Political Science being one of the crucial branches of Social Sciences needs no introduction regarding its contributions to the social system of mankind. The department of Political science which offers P.G. courses at the campus covers all major areas of study in the discipline of Political Science. The department endeavours to concern its students on areas of contemporary relevance such as - Human rights, International Relations, Terrorism, Grass-root Politics, Gender Studies, Politics in North East India etc. and Globalization. The department deals with the development in the region. Seminars, symposia and workshops are regular academic activities of the department. For all round development of its students the department holds tutorial and counselling classes as part of its class routine.

The department of Political Science has the highest number of students on its roll in the campus along with its permanent faculties; the department involves visiting guest faculties to facilitate its students.

Courses Offered :

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| i] | M. A. (by course work). | Duration: Four Semesters | <i>Intake Capacity : 50</i> |
| ii] | M.Phil (by course work & dissertation) | | |
| iii] | Ph.D. (by course work & research work) | | |

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
PANCHANAN CHATTOPADHYAY <i>Ph.D</i>	Professor Comparative Govt. &	Public Admn., Indian Govt. & Politics, Political Theory, Research Methodology
KHOKAN CH. DAS <i>M. Phil, Ph.D</i>	Associate Professor Politics, Women Studies,	Indian Govt. & Politics, Politics of NE India, Grassroot Administration
SAILEN DUTTA DAS <i>M.A., M. Phil</i>	Assistant Professor	International Relations & Human Rights.
BIKASH CHANDRA DASH <i>M. Phil, Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor Studies, Political Theory	Public Administration, Research Methodology, Gender
RAJESH SETH <i>M. Phil, Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Political Theory, Indian Govt. & Politics
NIRANJAN MOHAPATRA <i>M. Phil, Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	International Relations, Strategic & Defence Studies

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : PROF. PANCHANAN CHATTOPADHYAYA ☎ Contact No.: 096130 24709 (M)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC examination in Arts in relevant subject.



Department of History

The Department of History was started on the commencement of the Diphu Campus, Assam University in 2007. At present the Department offers Post-Graduate Course with specialization in Modern Indian History and Ph. D. Course. Major thrust of the Department is to introduce “Regional and Applied History” to connect the region with the rest of the World by opening up through research, seminars, conferences etc. and to make the past relevant, practicable and applicable to the present. The Department regularly organizes seminars, symposia, workshops etc.

Courses Offered :

- i] M. A. (by course work). Duration: Four Semesters **Intake Capacity : 40**
- ii] M.Phil (by course work & dissertation).
- iii] Ph. D. (by course work and research work).

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
PAUL B. CHONZIK	<i>Ph.D.</i>	Associate Professor	Modern Indian History
TAHIR HUSSAIN ANSARI	<i>Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Medieval Indian History
MAHUA BHATTACHARJEE	<i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Gender History
VULLI DHANARAJU	<i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Tribal History, Subaltern studies, Sub-Nationalist Movements in India
TARUN DUTTA	<i>Ph. D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Ancient Indian History, North East Indian History, Frontier Studies

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. PAUL B. CHONZIK

☎ : 09435500530 (M)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC (10+2+3) examination in Arts with at least 45% marks in the Major/ Honours or at least 50% marks in the pass course examination in the relevant subject are eligible for admission.



Department of Anthropology

The Department Anthropology established at Diphu Campus in the year 2010 offers M.A/M.Sc., M.Phil. and Ph.D. programme in Anthropology. The Department has laid special focus on Anthropology of Northeast India, Medical Anthropology, Ecological Anthropology and Linguistic Anthropology. The Department regularly organizes national seminars, and special lectures. The Department has been engaged in conducting various anthropological researches especially among the tribal communities of Assam and Northeast India.

Courses Offered :

- i] M. A./ M. Sc. (by course work). Duration: Four Semesters **Intake Capacity : 35**
- ii] M.Phil (by course work & dissertation)
- iii] Ph. D. (by course work and research work)

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
KH. NARENDRA SINGH	M. Sc., Ph.D.	Associate Professor Anthropology	Medical Anthropology, Tribal Studies and Applied
SOMENATH BHATTACHARJEE	M.Sc.	Assistant Professor	Social - Cultural Anthropology, Ethno - ecology
NITISH MONDAL	M.Sc., Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Physical Anthropology, Nutrition Anthropology, Epidemiology and Bio-Statistics

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. KH. NARENDRA SINGH

Contact No.: 94355 06137 (M)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed three years BA/B. Sc. with 45% marks are eligible for admission.

PLACEMENT: The Department envisages making facilities to arrange for proper placement opportunities for students both in Government and Non Government Organisation particularly in survey research work.



MAHATMA GANDHI SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND COMMERCE

Department of Commerce

The Department of Commerce, under Mahatma Gandhi School of Economics and Commerce, is one of the eight Departments of Assam University, Diphu Campus that started functioning from July 2007. The Department offers Master of Commerce Programme, Master of Philosophy (M. Phil.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph. D.) Programme. It also offers a PG Diploma Programme in Entrepreneurship and Innovation. The department offers range of specialisation in the areas of Accounting and Taxation, Finance, Human Resource Management, Marketing, Entrepreneurship, International Business, Small Business Management etc. The thrust of the teaching and Research Programmes in the Department is on developing capabilities among the students for analyzing contemporary business scenario so as to enable them to make correct and timely business decisions. The department has laid special focus on entrepreneurial & small business studies and tribal areas development. The Department also regularly organizes seminars, symposia and workshops. Applications are sought for during the month of May & June every year. Mode of admission is through written and oral tests. Department also provides counselling to students for career development.

Courses Offered :

- i] M. Com. (by course work). Duration: Four Semesters **Intake Capacity : 40**
- ii] M. Phil. (by course work and dissertation)
- iii] Ph. D. (by course work and research work)
- iv] P.G. Diploma in Entrepreneurship & Innovation. Intake Capacity : 15

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
AMALESH BHOWAL	Ph. D.	Professor Marketing, Evaluation	Working Capital Management, Strategic and Social and Impact Studies
RATAN BORMAN	Ph. D.	Associate Professor Cooperation	Accounting and Finance, Development Studies,
AYEKPAM IBEMCHA CHANU	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Entrepreneurship & Finance
SUBIT DUTTA	M. Phil., Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Accounting and Finance
SWEETY DAS	M. Com	Assistant Professor	Finance
JOYJIT SANYAL	M. Com., PGDHRM	Assistant Professor	Human Resource Management, Marketing Management

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : **PROF. AMALESH BHOWAL**

☎ : 94353 91536 (M)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC (10+2+3) examination in Commerce with at least 45% marks in the Major/ Honours or at least 50% marks in the pass course examination in the relevant subject are eligible for admission.



ALBERT EINSTEIN SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL SCIENCES

Department of Physics

The Department of Physics is one of the first six Departments of Assam University Diphu Campus that started functioning from July 2007. The Department offers a four semester Master of Science Programme in Physics with specialization in Condensed Matter Physics. Non - linear Optics & Laser Spectroscopy and Advanced Quantum Field Theory. The department has well equipped Laboratories with experimental facilities in Analog & Digital Electronics. Fibre Optics, Laser Optics and Spectroscopy, Nuclear Physics, Plasma diagnostic, X-ray crystallography and a modest computational facility Specialization is offered in the third semester of the course. In the fourth semester project work in specialized field is mandatory. The class rooms of the Department are equipped with modern audio visual devices like smart board, LCD display solutions to enhance and augment the teaching - learning process.

Courses Offered :

- i] M. Sc. (by course work). Duration: Four Semesters **Intake Capacity : 18**
- ii] M.Phil (by course work & dissertation).
- iii] Ph. D. (by course work and research work).

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
RANJIT SINGH	Ph.D.	Professor	Condensed Matter Physics
SUBRATA HAZARIKA	M.Phil., Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Non- linear Optics & Spectroscopy
ANIRBAN ROY	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Quantum information and computation
SHAILESH SHUKLA	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Condensed Matter Theory
ABHIJEET DAS	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	High Energy Physics
DULEN BORA	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Condensed Matter Physics

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : **Dr. SUBRATA HAZARIKA**

☎ Contact No.: 9435155925 (M)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC examination with at least 45% marks in Major /Honours in the respective subject are eligible for admission.



HARGOBIND KHURANA SCHOOL OF LIFE SCIENCES

Department of Life Science and Bioinformatics

The Department of Life Sciences & Bioinformatics has started functioning from July, 2007. At present the Department offers the Post Graduate, M. Phil and Ph. D. courses in Life Sciences and Bioinformatics. The Post Graduate course deals with core courses like Cell Biology, Biochemistry, Genetics, Environmental Science, Biostatistics, Bioinformatics, Research Techniques, Microbiology and Biotechnology in the first year. In the second year, students are trained to take independent research project in frontier areas in Plant and Animal Science depending on their previous backgrounds.

The Ph. D. course includes a compulsory six months course work conducted in the department followed by independent research work in areas of interest. The Department is currently engaged in research in fields of Biomedical Sciences, Molecular biology, Soil microbiology, Bioremediation, Plant taxonomy, Palynology, Ethnobiology, Plant Biotechnology, Ichthyology and Environmental biology.

An Institutional Biotech Hub and a Biomedical Laboratory is being set up in the Department with the financial assistance granted by Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Govt. of India for pursuing advanced molecular research. The department also organises seminars, training programmes at regular intervals.

Courses Offered :

- i] M. Sc. (by course work). Duration: Four Semesters
- ii] M.Phil (by course work & dissertation).
- iii] Ph. D. (by course work and research work).

Intake Capacity : 30

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
A. K. TAMULI	Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Soil microbial diversity, Biopesticides
R. H. BEGUM	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Biomedical Sciences
R. TERON	Ph. D.	Assistant Professor	Ethnobiology and Systematics
N. L. RAJU	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Plant Genomics
P. V. B. REDDY	Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Neurobiology, CELL and Molecular Biology

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : DR. A. K. TAMULI

☎ : 94351 03078 (M)

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION: Candidates who have passed TDC (Science) examination with at least 45% marks in Major/Honours or Pass course in Zoology, Botany, Biotechnology or Life Science are eligible for admission.



ARYABHATTA SCHOOL OF EARTH SCIENCES

Department of Geography

The Department of Geography, under the School of Earth Sciences, is one of the youngest departments in Assam University. It started functioning in Diphu Campus from July, 2014, and currently offers M.A./ M. Sc./ programme of study. The present curriculum is wide-ranging and it covers core courses such as geomorphology, regional geography of India, economic geography and climatology in the first semester and courses such as political geography, social geography, population geography, urban geography and agricultural geography, besides, regional geography of North East India in the succeeding semesters. In addition, the course also includes papers on cartography, remote sensing, GIS, field surveys methods and dissertation writing.

Courses Offered :

i] M. A./ M. Sc. (by course work) Duration: Four Semester

Intake Capacity: 35

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Area of Specialization
ATUR KIRI INGTI <i>M. Phil.</i>	Assistant Professor	Agricultural Geography, Economic Geography
SAHANA BOSE <i>M. Phil., Ph.D.</i>	Assistant Professor	Geopolitics, Maritime Security, Human Security, Global Environmental Politics, Climate Change Policy

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT : MR. ATUR KIRI INGTI



Centre for Tribal Studies (Diphu Campus)

The Tribal Studies centre was established as an advance centre of research of Assam University at Diphu Campus in 2010 with the prime objective to promote quality research among the tribal/indigenous population of the country in general and northeast India in particular, from interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary perspectives. Right from its inception, the centre is engaged in various aspects of research in the field of ethnography, development, gender and sexuality, folklore and so forth. The Centre frequently organises seminar, workshop and talks on the above issues.

The centre has adopted plan for the development by generating its own resources like museum, departmental library, and audio visual lab with digital documentation of the different folk performances of indigenous communities of the region.

Faculty :

Name		Designation	Area of Specialization
SURJASHIKHA PAATAK	<i>Ph. D.</i>	Associate Professor	Tribal History, Religion & Identity
PRAFULLA KR. NATH	<i>M.A.</i>	Assistant Professor	Folkloristic, Cultural Studies

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT (I/C) : DR. SURJASHIKHA PAATAK

☎ : Contact No. 91-94351 18640



MEDALS AND PRIZES

The toppers in the Masters' Degree Courses are awarded the University **Gold Medals**.

For purpose of award of medals and prizes the latest university rules shall be followed, which is subject to modification from time to time.

Also, with a view to encourage good performance in studies, the University offers several Endowment Awards. The **Endowment Awards** are presented to candidates securing First Class/ Division First position in certain subjects as per Regulations of the University. List of Endowment Awards, may not be limited to the following:

1. **Nagendra Chandra Malati Shyam Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.A. in Bengali.
2. **Sabitri Bhattacharjee Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M. Sc. in Life Science and Ecology taken together.
3. **Mukdashree Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.A. in History.
4. **Bipin Chandra Pal Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in Master of Mass Communication.
5. **Gajendra Kumar Roy Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M. Sc in Chemistry.
6. **Rajani Kanta Saha Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.A. in Sanskrit.
7. **Hrishikesh Saha Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in B.Sc. in Computer Science.
8. **Okram Meena Devi Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.A in Manipuri.
9. **Anil Chandra Das Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.A. in English
10. **Kaliprasanna Sengupta Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in B.V.A. in Fine Arts.
11. **Ushabati Sengupta Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.A. in Education.
12. **Thakur Sukhdev Brahmachari Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in B.S.W. in Social Work.
13. **Aparna Roy Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.Sc. in Mathematics.
14. **Nilima Sarma Memorial Award** for best female graduate with highest marks in 1st class Honours among three streams. (Arts, Science and Commerce).
15. **Kiran Bala Bhattacharjee Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.Sc. in Physics.
16. **Premendra Mohan Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.S.W. in Social Work.
17. **Debendralal Das Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.B.A.
18. **Dr. S. Ranganathan Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in MBBS final examination for purchase of books.
19. **Shri Gaurish Chandra Ray Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.Sc. in Computer Science.
20. **Nemachandji-Suhas Mate Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.V.A. in Fine Arts.
21. **Santibala Devi Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.A. in Political Science.
22. **Dr. B. Bhattacharjee Memorial Award** for a) Securing 1st position in the final MBBS exams. of the regular batch of the SMC. b) Securing highest marks in Obs. and Gynae in final MBBS exam. of the regular batch of the SMC.
23. **Dr. Devendralal Roy Memorial Award** for 1st position in M.Sc. final exam. in Biotechnology.
24. **Dr. Debabrata Roy Memorial Award** for securing 1st class 1st position in M. Sc. Life Science.

25. **Upendra Sankar Dutta Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.A. in Philosophy.
26. **Nalini Bala-Digendra Kumar Dey Smriti Puroskar** for 1st class 1st position in B.Com. (Hons).
27. **Lalit Jain Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.A. in Hindi.
28. **Suraj Bhan Khandelwal Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.B.A.
29. **Lal Behari Goala Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.A. in Hindi.
30. **Laxminia Goala Memorial Award** for securing highest marks in TDC Hindi (Pass Course).
31. **Ananya Paul Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.Sc. in Computer Sc.
32. **Ananya Paul Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in B.Sc. in Computer Sc.
33. **Haji Ajmal Ali Award** for 1st class 1st position in MA in Economics.
34. **Maryam Ajmal Memorial Award** for 1st class 1st position in M.A. in Arabic.
35. **Murshedul Alam Choudhury Memorial Award** for 1st Class 1st position in M.Sc. Final Exam. in Biotechnology.
36. **Ajmal Foundation Award** for 1st Class 1st position in B.A.LLB. (Hons.) Final Exam.
37. **Ajmal Foundation Award** for 1st Class 1st position in B. Tech. Final Exam. in Information Technology.
38. **Mukundadas Bhattacharjee Memorial Endowment Prize** for best graduate of TDC final examination.



Facilities Available for SC, ST, OBC and PWD Students

1. There is a provision for reservation of seats for SC, ST, OBC and PWD students @15%, 7.5 %, 27% and 3% respectively. OBC reservation will be allowed excluding creamy layer category as defined by GOI. The candidates seeking admission against OBC quota must submit non creamy layer certificate from the appropriate authority.
2. Relaxation of marks in qualifying examination for SC/ST/ PWD and OBC (Non creamy layer) candidates as per Govt. of India rules.
3. Selection of SC/ST students for admission in hostel will be made on the basis of their previous qualifying examination results.
4. Rent will not be charged from SC/ST students residing in the University hostels.
5. Coaching for NET or SET to SC, ST & Minority communities students are available.
6. Coaching for entry into services for SC, ST & Minority communities students are available.
7. Eligible SC/ST, OBC, PWD students etc. should submit their scholarship form for the academic year by February, for processing scholarship to SC/ST, OBC, PWD students etc. every year.

Concessions to the Kashmiri migrant students:

1. Extension in date of admission by about 30 days.
2. Relaxation in cut-off percentage up to 10% subject to minimum eligibility requirement.
3. Increase in intake capacity up to 5% course -wise.
4. Reservation of at least one seat in merit quota in technical/ professional institutions.
5. Waiving off domicile requirements.
6. Facilitation of migration in second and subsequent years.

ADMISSION OF FOREIGN STUDENTS

1. A Foreign student will be required to furnish the following documents from concerned authorities.
 - a] Equivalence and Eligibility Certificate from Association of Indian Universities, AIU House, 16, Kotla Marg, New Delhi - 110002 (Ph 911112320059 Fax 911123232131)
 - b] Student Visa obtained from the Indian Mission (Embassy / High Commission/ Consulate) before leaving his/her home country. However students from SAARC countries may be selected for admission provisionally on Tourist Visa, subject to production of valid Student Visa.
 - c] A foreign student will be allowed provisional admission on production of the above documents and his/her admission will be confirmed after successful completion of all other formalities as per GOI/ AUS rules.
 - d] Foreign diplomats wishing to study M.Phil/PhD courses will be permitted on student visa.
 - e] Foreign students sponsored through cultural exchange programme of the Govt. of India or under the provisions of MoU signed with Foreign Universities will be given preference.
2.
 - a] 15% supernumerary seats may be available in the universities for admission of foreign students including PIOs as per UGC/GOI rules.
 - b] 5% of the 15% Supernumerary quota will be earmarked for admission of foreign students being children of Indian workers in the Gulf and South East Asia.
3. A foreign student will have to pay fees as below:
 - a] Self-sponsored students from SAARC countries will pay the same amount in INR as applicable for Indian students.
 - b] Students from SAARC countries who are sponsored by their respective Governments or Government of India as well as students from other developing countries will pay three times the amount as applicable for Indian students in INR.
 - c] Students from other than SAARC countries shall pay, five times the amount as applicable for Indian students in INR.
4. A foreign student seeking admission shall not be required to appear for the admission test procedure provided he/she furnishes letters of references from two teachers testifying his/her suitability for the course applied for and submit the transcript of his/her marksheet issued by the competent authority.
5.
 - a] A Foreign student must report to the Foreign Branch of SP office immediately after reaching India preferably on that day.
 - b] Foreign Registration must be done within 14 days after reaching India.

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR STUDENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY

- Students enrolled at Assam University must recognize their responsibilities to this university, to the teachers, to the officials and to fellow students bearing in mind the prestige and the reputation of the institution. Failure to maintain appropriate standards of conduct, decency and decorum would warrant disciplinary action.
- 75% of attendance is compulsory to all the students. A student shall be considered to have satisfied the requirement of attendance for appearing the semester end examination, if he/she has attended not less than 75% of the number of classes held upto the end of the semester including tests, seminars and practicals etc.
- However, there is a provision for condonation of attendance for the students those who have put up the attendance between 60% and 74% on Medical Grounds on production of medical certificate.
- If a student represents his/ her institution, University, State or Nation in Sports, NCC, NSS or Cultural or any other officially sponsored activities, he/ she shall be eligible to claim the attendance for the actual number of days participated subject to a maximum of 20 days in a Semester based on the specific recommendations of the Head of the Department.
- A student who does not satisfy the requirements of attendance shall not be permitted to take internal assessment as well as the Semester end examinations.
- Students should not possess mobile phones/ pagers/ any other electronic device for communication in the class rooms/seminar halls/examination halls/library/any other place of academic interest within the University.
- Any problem related to students must be processed through the DSW or Head of the Departments or Deans of Schools, whose copy may also be forwarded to the Proctor & Students' Council.
- If students have grievances, they are to register their grievances through the Grievance Redressal Committee of the University. Students are prohibited from approaching any outside agency regarding their grievances.
- Consequent upon the order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India on curbing Ragging in educational institutions, it has been decided that, if any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority, the concerned student shall be given adequate opportunity to explain and if his explanation is not found satisfactory, the authority will expel him/her from the University.

MISCONDUCT

Student misconduct includes but is not limited to the following:

1. Disruption of classroom activities or hindering the learning of other students anywhere in the University,
2. Cheating on assignments or examinations,
3. Behaviour which interferes significantly with the normal operation of the University, disrupts education, challenges the health or safety of staff or students, or causes disfiguration or damage to the property of the University or belongings of staff members or students.
4. Possession and/or use of intoxicating beverages on campus,
5. Possession of illicit drugs in the campus,
6. Falsification of documents or the supply of false information in order to obtain admission, the possession of weapons.
7. Failure to return loaned materials to settle debts with the university
8. Disobeying any instructions of any kind issued by the Head of the University, i.e. the Vice Chancellor, or the Head of the Department or any authority empowered by the VC to make decisions regarding matters related to students.
9. Bringing the University into disrepute by any action / behaviour / instigation with a proven intention to tarnish the image of the university.

Failure to adhere to the guidelines as above shall invite strict disciplinary action which may lead upto expulsion from the University.

BESIDES, STUDENTS SHALL HAVE TO ABIDE BY RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY WHICH MIGHT BE ADOPTED FROM TIME TO TIME.

IMPORTANT RULES FOR GUIDANCE OF STUDENTS

Conduct, Discipline, Attendance and Evaluation of students of PG / Integrated and other courses

● Each student, with respect to his/her work in the Course as well as his/her general conduct in the University, shall remain under the control of the respective School and the Department and shall be guided by the disciplinary code of the university.

● To be eligible to appear at the end-semester examination a student is required to attend a minimum of 75% of the lectures, seminars, and tutorials organized by the department during a semester.

● The students who have passed their qualifying/last examination from other University or Council/Board other than Assam University/ AHSEC must submit Migration/No Objection Certificate in original from concerned University or Council/Board along with the application for registration.

There will be an end-semester examination and also continuous sessional evaluation for each course of study. Unless otherwise mentioned, 75% of the total weightage of marks will be assigned to end-semester examination and 25% will be reserved for continuous sessional assessments during the semester. A student shall be required to pass the sessional assessment criterion to be eligible for end-semester examination in each subject/ paper.

● Continuous evaluation of sessional work will be made on students'

performance in (i) tests organized for this purpose by the department and (ii) written assignment and /or seminars, field work and other such activities.

● The marks awarded for sessional test, as moderated and approved by the Departmental Examination Committee, will be made known to the students within 10 days of the conduct of the test. Students may discuss and seek clarification, if any, about their performance in Sessional Tests from the Head of the Department, who is the ex-officio Chairman of the Departmental Examination Committee, after the declaration of the test results. **Students of Integrated courses will not be eligible for admission to 7th Semester till they complete all the courses up to 6th semester, as per the rules of the university.**

A student, who does not clear a course, owing to failure to pass or to appear in sessional work and/or end-semester examination, will have to clear the course in the immediate next opportunity. Under no circumstances will a student be allowed to carry more than three backlog courses to the next opportunity. A student has to get minimum of 40% of sessional marks in each course to be eligible for appearing in the end-semester examination.

● Ordinarily a P.G./ U. G./ Five-year Integrated Post-Graduate student should complete all courses during the period of four/ eight/ ten semesters. However, a student may be allowed to participate in the academic programme up to a maximum of double the

duration of concerned course as per rules.

- No candidate shall normally be allowed to appear at examination of any course more than twice and no candidate shall be allowed to appear in the examination of any course beyond the permitted number of semesters, stated hereinbefore, counted from his/her first admission to the programme.
- In order to qualify for the Master's degree, a candidate must have secured at least 40% marks or equivalent grade in each course and 40% marks or
- equivalent grade in the aggregate of all courses.
- A successful candidate shall be awarded grade on the basis of CGPA (Cumulative Grade Point Average) scoring under the CBCS (Choice Based Credit System) introduced since 2010-2011 session. The details of Regulation for CBCS are available separately.
- If any student does not claim the refund of any amount lying to his/her credit within one calendar year of his/her leaving the University it shall be considered to have been donated by him/her to the students' aid fund.



Matribhasha Saheed Smarak.

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

To act as a nodal agency for coordinating quality related activities, the Assam University has established an Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) as per UGC - NAAC guidelines in 2008. The cell has Prof. Somenath Dasgupta, Vice Chancellor, as its Chairman and Prof. Asoke K. Sen from Department of Physics as its Director.

Some of the responsibilities that the IQAC has been entrusted with include:

1. Development and application of quality bench marks/ parameters for the various academic and administrative activities of Assam University.
2. Facilitating the creation of a learner - centric environment conducive for quality education and faculty maturation to adopt the required knowledge and technology for participatory teaching and learning process.
3. Arrangement for feedback responses from students, parents and other stakeholders on quality-related institutional process.
4. Dissemination of information on the various quality parameters of higher education.



ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR SESSION 2015-2016

The University follows an academic calendar duly approved by the Academic and the Executive councils. The calendar as approved for the academic session 2015-16 is given below for information only. The Departments may introduce minor modifications in dates based on genuine departmental requirements.

Item	For New Entrants	For Students already on the rolls
Admission of new students : duration of the admission process	July 3 to July 15, 2015	-
Enrolment of existing students to courses based on eligibility (without late fees)	-	July 01 to July 09, 2015
Admission / Enrolment (with late fees) upto	July 16 & 17, 2015	July 20, 2015
Registration of new students from others University/ Board closes.	September 18, 2015	-
ODD SEMESTER		
Classes start	July 15, 2015	July 13, 2015
* First Sessional Tests	August 17-24, 2015	August 17-24, 2015
* Second Sessional Tests	September 14-24, 2015	September 14-24, 2015
Autumn Break	Oct 19 to Nov 13, 2015	Oct 19 to Nov 13, 2015
* Third Make-up Sessional tests	November 17-23, 2015	November 17-23, 2015
Preparatory Leave	December 01-06, 2015	December 01-06, 2015
Odd semester exams**	December 07-21, 2015	December 07-21, 2015
Semester Break (Co-curricular, Sports, Social Week etc)	Dec. 22, 2015-Jan. 1, 2016	Dec. 22, 2015-Jan. 1, 2016
EVEN SEMESTER		
Classes start	January 02, 2016	January 02, 2016
* First Sessional Tests	February 08-15, 2016	February 08-15, 2016
* Second Sessional tests	March 14-22, 2016	March 14-22, 2016
* Third make up Sessional tests	April 11-19, 2016	April 11-19, 2016
Preparatory Leave	April 27-May 1, 2016	April 27-May 1, 2016
Even semester exams.**	May 02-15, 2016	May 02-15, 2016
Summer Break	May 20 - June 30, 2016	May 20 - June 30, 2016

* indicates tests along with regular classes.

** Examination dates are tentative. The final dates and schedule will be notified at an appropriate time by the Controller of Examinations, A.U.

FEES PAYABLE FOR DIFFERENT COURSES (figures in Rs.)

Particulars	MA/M.Com (Arabic, Bengali, Commerce, English, Economics, Hindi, History, Manipuri, Philosophy, Political Science, Sociology, Sanskrit, Linguistics, * Assamese & * Anthropology (* Diphu Campus)	M.Sc (Bio-technology, Computer Science)	M.Sc (Chemistry, Ecology & Environmental Science, Life Science, Physics, Microbiology, Earth Science * Geography (* Diphu Campus)	M.Sc Mathematics Statistics Microbiology	M.A Education	M.A/ Advanced Diploma/ Diploma/ Certificate in French** PGDEPM MEPM in Education	BVA-MVA (Visual Arts)	B.A. LLB (Hons) in Law
ONE TIME FEES include:								
Admission fees	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00
Identy Card	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00 **	75.00	75.00
University Registration fee*	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00
Placement Brochure Fee	-	500.00	-	-	-	-	600.00	600.00
ANNUAL FEES include:								
University Development fund	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00 **	1500.00	1500.00
Library Fee	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00 **	500.00	500.00
Sports Fee	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00 **	100.00	100.00
Basic Primary Health Service	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00 **	200.00	200.00
Medical Insurance	305.00	305.00	305.00	305.00	305.00	305.00 **	305.00	305.00
Students Co-curricular fund	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00 **	200.00	200.00
Students Aid Fund	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00 **	150.00	150.00
Alumni Fee	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Magazine Fee	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00 **	100.00	100.00
Study tour/ Industry visit	-	2000.00	2000.00 (3000.00) For Ecology	-	-	-	-	-
Laboratory Fee	-	2000.00	2000.00 (3000.00) For Ecology (5000.00) For Chemistry	2000.00	2000.00	2000.00	2000.00	-
Computer Lab & Internet Fee	-	100.00	100.00	100.00	-	-	100.00	100.00
Annual Course Fee	1200.00	6000.00	2500.00	2500.00	1500.00	1000.00	2500.00	6000.00
Tution fee (monthly) @ 200.00 (for one year)	2400.00	2400.00	2400.00	2400.00	2400.00	2400.00	2400.00	2400.00
REFUNDABLE DEPOSITS								
Library Caution Money	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00 **	500.00	
Laboratory Caution Money	-	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	-
Model Study Fee	-	-	-	-	-	-	375.00	-
TOTAL (Payable at the time of Admission)	8130.00	18030.00	14030.00 16030.00 (Ecology) 17030.00 (Chemistry)	12030.00	10930.00	10430.00	13005.00	13130.00
Examination Fees payable at the time of filling up of examination form								
Examination fee @ Rs 200.00 per paper up to maximum of Rs. 800.00 per semester	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	
Marksheet fee per Marksheet	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	
Centre fee (per semester)	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	

* Students already registered with this University need not pay University Registration Fee of Rs. 300.00

** i. Students of other departments pursuing any of the courses offered by the Dept. of French are exempted from these fees.

** ii. University Teachers are exempted from (I/Card Fee, Library Fee, Sports Fee, Basic Primary Health Service, Medical Insurance, Co-curricular Fund and Library Caution Money).

Fee book for deposition of fees can be collectd from the respective department.

Separate Prospectus is available for MBA Programme which provide details regarding the fees payable by students of the said course / programme.

FEES PAYABLE FOR DIFFERENT COURSES (Figures in Rs.)

Particulars	Library & Information Science	MMC/ (Mass Com)/ L.L.M.	BSW MSW	PGDIT, IT PGDJ (Mass Comm) PGDAAA (Dept. of Philosophy) PGDMM (Dept of Commerce) PJDEI (Dept of Com.,Diphu)	B. Sc./ B.Ed	M. Ed	PGDBI (Bio-informatics) PGDTM, PGDBC PGDBCRU (Eco & Env. Sc.)	B. Tech Agriculture Engineering, Information Technology, Electronics & Telecommunication B. Pharma	M. Tech Agri. Engg I.T.
ONE TIME FEES include:									
Admission Fee	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00
Identy Card	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00
University Registration fee*	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00
Placement Brochure Fee	300.00	500.00	500.00	-	-	-	-	1500.00	500.00
ANNUAL FEES include:									
University Development fund	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00
Library fee	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00
Sports fee (Annual)	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Basic Primary Health Service	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00
Medical Insurance	305.00	305.00	305.00	305.00	305.00	305.00	305.00	305.00	305.00
Students Co-curricular fund	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00
Students Aid fund	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00
Alumni Fee	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Magazine Fee	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Study tour/ Industry visit	3000.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Laboratory Fee	1000.00	1000.00	-	1000.00	1000.00	1000.00	1000.00	1000.00	2000.00
Computer Lab & Internet Fee	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	1500.00	-
School Development Fund	1000.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	4000.00	-
Dept. Development Fund	3000.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	3000.00	-
Fest/ Industry Interface Fee	3000.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	1000.00	-
Teaching Materials	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1000.00	-
Technical Journal Fee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	300.00	-
Annual Course Fee	6000.00	6000.00	6000.00	4500.00 10000.00 (For PGDMM)	11000.00	2500.00	5500.00	18000.00	7000.00
Tution fee (monthly) @ 200	2400.00	2400.00	2400.00	2400.00	2400.00	2400.00	2400.00	2400.00	2400.00
REFUNDABLE DEPOSITS									
includes: Library Caution Money	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	-
Laboratory Caution Money	500.00	500.00	-	500.00	500.00	500.00	-	1500.00	-
TOTAL (Payable at the time of Admission)	24830.00	15030.00	13030.00	13030.00 18530.00 (PGDMM)	19530.00	11030.00	13030.00	39730.00	14930.00
Examination Fees payable at the time of filling up of examination form									
Examination fee @ Rs. 200.00 per paper up to maximum of Rs. 800.00 per semeseter	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00
Marksheet fee per Marksheet	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00
Centre fee (per semester)	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00

* Students already registered with this University need not pay University Registration Fee of 300.00.
Fee book for deposition of fees can be collectd from the respective department.

Note: The initial fees deposited to CCB by the students of B. Tech. course shall be paid back to the students when the CCB sends it to the University.

CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO PG/UG/ INTEGRATED COURSES

GENERAL

Candidates who have passed their graduation in a subject shall be eligible for admission to the four semester Post Graduate Course in the respective subjects and those candidates who have passed HS or equivalent examinations (10+2) in the relevant streams shall be eligible for admission to Under Graduate/ five year Integrated Courses.

Candidates waiting for the result of their qualifying examination may also apply for admission. However, such candidates must submit the photocopies of marksheet or /and certificate of the qualifying examination latest by the day of their personal interview to the Head of the concerned department. Also they have to satisfy the eligibility criteria of admission as set by the admission committee of the respective department.

Preference in admission will be given to the students having Major/Honours in the relevant subject. However, subject to availability, up to ten percent of the seats may be filled up with students from other related subjects.

Applications from candidates who have already obtained a Master's Degree from this University or any other university may be considered for admission in any allied subject only if there is any vacancy after considering all other eligible candidates. Candidates seeking admission for the first time in Assam University have to submit Migration Certificate within Two months of their admission.

Selection of candidates for admission will be made on the basis of percentage of marks secured in qualifying examination and performance in the admission test and personal interview. The weightage for the admission test, qualifying examination and personal interview will be in the ratio of 50:25:25.

The questions should be answered only in English except in case of admission to language course for which questions should be answered in the language concerned.

There reservation for admission in each department will be as follows :

Scheduled Caste category (SC)	:	15%
Scheduled Tribe category (ST)	:	7.5%
Other Backward Class (OBC)	:	27% (Excluding creamy layer category as defined by GOI).

There is a provision for 3% reservation for persons with disability.

For B. Tech. courses 50% of the total seats in each Department are reserved for the students of Northeastern region. The Northeastern region means Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Manipur, Nagaland, Sikkim and Tripura.

There will be a relaxation of 5% marks in the qualifying examination for the candidates from the reserved categories of SC/ST as per GOI regulations. The OBC Candidates shall also be given a relaxation in the minimum eligibility in the qualifying examination and in the minimum eligibility (if any) in the admission entrance test to the extent of 10% of the minimum eligibility for the General Category candidates. For example, if the minimum eligibility for admission to a course is 50% for the General Category candidates, the minimum eligibility for the OBCs would be 45% (i.e. 50 less 10% of 50). However, the candidates seeking admission against OBC quota must submit Income Certificate from appropriate authority testifying exclusion from creamy layer category.

All types of reservation of seats for admission/relaxation of marks in qualifying examination will be guided by the Govt. of India rules.

In the case of all Internal students i.e., students who have graduated from colleges affiliated to Assam University 20% of the aggregate percentage of marks secured in the qualifying examination shall be added to the total score for the purpose of assigning weightage in their selection for admission.

In the case of students seeking admission to a subject which he/she studied as Honours/Major subject at Under-Graduate level, 10% of the aggregate percentage of marks secured in the Honours/Major subject shall be added to his/her total score for the purpose of assigning weightage in his/her selection for admission.

Other things being equal, preference will be given to candidates who achieved excellence in sports/games or in cultural activities as evident in their participation in events at the national or international level. Documentary evidence must be submitted.

The minimum eligibility of marks may be relaxed by the competent authority if seats remain vacant in any subject after normal course of admission is over. There is also a provision for free of charge admission in all Diploma, Certificate, Integrated, UG and PG Courses of the University for the dependent children of Leprosy Affected persons with maximum two dependent children.

VENUE OF ADMISSION TEST

For Courses in Silchar Campus	For Courses in Diphu Campus
Respective Department of the University	Respective Department of the University Campus, Diphu.

IMPORTANT DATES*

LAST DATE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATION	June 19, 2015 (Friday)
DISPLAYING THE LIST OF ELIGIBLE CANDIDATE FOR WRITTEN TEST	June 26, 2015 (Friday) On the Notice Board of the respective department and on the university website.
ISSUE OF ADMIT CARDS FROM THE RESPECTIVE DEPARTMENTS	July 03, 2015 from 11.00 AM (Friday)
WRITTEN TEST	July 06, 2015 from 12.00 Noon (Monday)
PERSONAL INTERVIEW can start soon after completion of the written test.	July 06, 2015 & July 07, 2015 (Monday & Tuesday)
DISPLAYING OF ADMISSION LIST	July 09, 2015 at 4.00 PM (Thursday) On the Notice Board of the respective department and on the university website.
ADMISSION OF CANDIDATES OTHER THAN WAIT LISTED CANDIDATES	July 10-11, 2015 (Friday & Saturday) and July 13, 2015 (Monday)
ADMISSION OF WAIT LISTED CANDIDATES	July 15, 2015 (Wednesday)
LATE ADMISSION WITH FINE OF RS. 500/-	July 16 and July 17, 2015 (Thursday & Friday)
COMMENCEMENT OF CLASSES	July 15, 2015 (Wednesday)

Candidates are to produce all testimonials in original at the time of admission. The waiting list will also be displayed along with the list of selected candidates in the concerned departments. Candidates are advised to mention their e-mail ID, Fax/Land phone and Mobile Phone number etc. in the application form for faster communication.

** Any change in schedule will be announced through the university website.*

The soft copy of the prospectus along with the application form is available in the university website:

www.aus.ac.in

Applicants can take the print out of the downloaded form and send the application to the respective department.

Candidates can also apply online to the different courses using the link

<https://www.ausadmission.in/>

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Separate notification will be issued for admission to the department of Business Administration.
- The Entrance Examinations for various PG, UG and Integrated Courses other than those offered by Jawaharlal Nehru School of Management Studies and Triguna Sen School of Technology will consist of only a Written Test of 50 marks of one hour duration.
- A candidate can apply for admission to not more than two departments.
- Separate application is to be submitted for separate department clearly indicating the preference at the appropriate place of the application form.
- Candidates seeking admission to more than one department may appear at the written test in any of the two departments where he/ she will be provided with question paper of his/her chosen department.
- Inter-departmental transfer after admission is not allowed.
- Candidate selected for admission to a course must get himself/ herself admitted in time, failing which his/ her claim for admission will be forfeited and the seat thus vacated will be filled up by candidate(s) kept in the Waiting List.
- Candidate who has been selected for admission but could not get himself/ herself admitted in time can seek admission with late fee of Rs. 500.00 provided seat(s) remain vacant after the last date of admission for wait listed candidates.
- Students not registered with Assam University must submit the application for Assam University registration along with the Migration Certificate in original within **two months of his/her date of admission**.
- All fees including refundable deposits shall be paid at the time of admission. For subsequent years fees shall be payable at the commencement of each academic year.
- **Late admission fee: ₹ 500/- (fixed).**
- A student whose name has been struck off from the rolls of the university for any reason may be readmitted on the recommendation of the Dean of the school concerned and with the approval of the authority on payment of requisite fees along with readmission fee of **₹ 100/-**.
- For withdrawing from the university, a student is required to submit an application to the Dean of the School concerned through the Head of the Department intimating the date on and from which he/she likes to withdraw. A student desiring to withdraw from the roll of the university after the commencement of the classes shall be permitted the refund of only the refundable deposits, if any.

Note : The rates of fees mentioned in the tables at pages 72 and 73 are applicable to the students admitted to the University with effect from the academic session 2015-2016. The students who are already on the rolls of the University will continue to pay the fees as prescribed in the prospectus of the year of their admission.

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

- All entries in the application form must be filled.
- The application form must be complete in all respects. Incomplete application is liable to be rejected.
- Put a tick (✓) mark wherever applicable.
- The form must be submitted as per instruction.

CHECKLIST AND ENCLOSEURES

- Photographs affixed on the appropriate places.
- Email Id. correctly and legibly written.
- Proof of the Date of Birth.
- Requisite application fee. Applicants purchasing prospectus from university shall attach photocopy of the receipt along with this application form.
- Caste/Tribe/OBC/PWD/Other certificate, as applicable.
- No Objection Certificate from the employer, if employed.
- Migration Certificate/ No Objection Certificate in case of those coming from University/ Board other than Assam University and Assam Higher Secondary Education Council.
- Certificate from the institution last attended.
- Mark sheets/ Certificates of the examinations passed.
- Certificate from the Principal/ Gazetted Officer regarding intervening period of gap, if any, as mentioned in the application form.
- Certificate of good health from a registered medical practitioner.
- Certificate of the group of blood.

SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION

Filled in Application Form complete in all respects in sealed envelope superscribed 'APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO COURSE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF
..., Silchar/ Diphu Campus' (Strike out whichever is not applicable) should reach the university on or before June 19, 2015.

For Courses in Silchar Campus

Send by post or deliver

To,

The Head,

Department of _____,

Assam University, Silchar - 788 011,

Dist: Cachar, State: Assam

For Courses in Diphu Campus

Send by post or deliver

To,

The Head,

Department of _____,

Assam University Diphu Campus,

P.O.- Diphu

Dist: Karbi Anglong, State: Assam

DEANS OF SCHOOLS

**Rabindranath Tagore School of
Languages & Cultural Studies**

Prof. Rama Bhattacharyya

: (03842) 270894

**Suniti Kumar Chattopadhyay School
of English & Foreign Languages
Studies**

Prof. Dipankar Purkayastha

: (03842) 270839

**Mahatma Gandhi School of
Economics & Commerce**

Prof. N. B. Dey

: (03842) 270970

**Jadunath Sarkar School of Social
Sciences**

Prof. R. R. Dhamala

: (03842) 270821

**Abanindranath Tagore School of
Creative Arts & Communication Studies**

Prof. Bhuleshwar Mate

: (03842) 270831

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Philosophy**

Prof. A. Nataraju

: (03842) 270834

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Educational Sciences**

Prof. N. B. Biswas

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Albert Einstein School of Physical Sciences

Prof. B. Syam Purkayastha

: (03842) 270825

**Hargobind Khurana School of Life
Sciences**

Prof. Devasish Kar

: (03842) 270920

**Jawaharlal Nehru School of
Management Studies**

Prof. A. Mazumder

: (03842) 270847

**E.P Odum School of Environmental
Sciences**

Prof. Abhik Gupta

: (03842) 270824

Triguna Sen School of Technology

Prof. Sudipto Roy

: (03842) 270898

**Sushrutu School of Medical and
Paramedical Sciences**

Prof. Sanjib Das

: 94350 30447

Aryabhatta School of Earth Sciences

Prof. Nagendra Pandey

: 094351 74246

**Swami Vivekananda School of Library
Sciences**

Prof. Sumanash Dutta

: (03842) 270852

**Deshabandhu Chitta Ranjan School of
Legal Studies**

Prof. Subhash Ch. Singh

: (03842) 270833

Cost of Prospectus Rs. 500/- for SC/ST and Rs. 700/- for other candidates.