ACTIVITIES / EVENTS ON LIFE SKILLS

REPORT

1. Invited Talk | June 08, 2022

An Invited Talk was organized by the Department of Geography on the occasion of Earth Day Celebration on 08.06.2022 with key speaker Ms. Archita Baruah Bhattacharyya, state co-coordinator, Assam and Arunachal Pradesh, WWF who delivered her speech on the topic "Plastic pollution and its impact on Environment".





2. World Environment Day Celebration | June 06, 2022

The UG fourth semester students of the geography department organized a Treasure Hunt on the occasion of World Environment Day for the students of the University. The students came out with an excellent plan and used the entire external spaces of the university for the event. Altogether 30 teams, each having three members participated in the event; after elimination 12 teams qualified for the final round. The event ended with plantation of saplings in the campus by the winning team members.





3. Movie Screening | May 24, 2022

A movie screening was organized on 24.05.2022 by Department of History.

Movie screened: 'Mrigoya'.



4. International Women's Day Celebration | March 11, 2022

International Women's Day was celebrated by the Department of Mass Communication, Journalism and Media Studies and Cotton University Women's Forum with an invited talk on March 11, 2022 with Key Speaker, Jahnabi Phookan, Entrepreneur and former National President of FICCI FLO.

Topic: "Life Lessons in Social Entrepreneurship"



5. Fieldwork | April 28-May 4, 2022

A seven-day fieldwork of PG 2nd Semester, Department of Anthropology, was carried out in Pamohi, near Gorchuk, Kamrup (M), Assam as per the syllabus. Dr.Eliza Medhi and Dr. Suparna Barua were appointed as teacher-in-charge for the field trip from 28th April 2022 to 04th May 2022.



6. Photography Competition on World Photography Day |August 19, 2022

An Photography Competition was organized by the Department of Mass Communication, Journalism and Media Studies on August 19, 2022 on the occasion of 'World Photography Day'. The theme of the competition was 'Azaadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav'. The competition was open for all students of Cotton University and other institutions.

Following students were adjudged as the winners of the competition.

- 1st prize: Samudra Saikia, Dibrugarh University
- 2nd prize: Jasminara Begum, Cotton University
- 3rd Prize: Snehangshu Bhattacharjya, Delhi University

7. Field Visit

The students of the Department of Archaeology, Cotton University visited the Assam State Museum. Geetanjali Barua of the State Museum delivered a lecture on Museum Management – The Power of a Museum.



8. Celebration | December 23, 2021

Kisan Divas 2021 was celebrated in the Department of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology, Cotton University, through the inauguration of a Skill Development Unit for Mushroom cultivation by Prof. Ganesh Ch. Wary, the Dean of Research and Development on 23 December 2021. Coordinator, IQAC, Cotton University, Prof. Santanu Sarma, also graced the programme where a plantation activity by students was organized. This was in line with the green initiatives and campus development activities envisioned by Honorable Vice-Chancellor, Cotton University.



9. Field Visit | November 22, 2022

The Department of Anthropology organized an exposure visit cum field trip for the students of PG 1st Semester on November 22, 2022. The team of students visited the Prehistoric Heritage Site as part of the Celebration of World Heritage Week, 2022. Faculty members Dr. Jonali Devi and Dr. Nayanika Das accompanied and guided the field trip participants.





10. Fieldwork | April 7-11, 2022

A five-day fieldwork of UG 6th Semester was carried out in Pamohi, near Gorchuk, Kamrup (M), Assam as per syllabus. Dr. Hridayananda Das and Dr. Nayanika Das were appointed as teacher-in-charge for the field trip from 7th April 2022 to 11th April 2022.



11. Invited Lecture | May 03, 2022

Dr. Simon Lambert, Associate Professor in Department of Indigenous Studies, University of Saskatchewan, Canada was invited by the Department of Anthropology on May 03, 2022 to deliver a lecture on "Indigenous Disaster Risk Reduction".

12. Field Visit | March 31, 2022

The Department of Archaeology organized a field trip to Charaideo Archaeological site for 2 days on 30th and 31st March 2022.



13. Field Visits | December 07, 2022

Field Visits for students were organized by the Department of Archaeology, Cotton University on December 7, 2022. The team visited Sri Surya Pahar, Dekdhowa and Mornoi in Goalpara.



14. Invited Talk | June 04, 2022

Dhruba Bhuyan, Secretary of the NGO, YOGAPRAJNA, Assam, was invited by the Department of Botany on June 4, 2022 to deliver a talk on 'Yoga and Naturopathy- A sustainable way of life'.

15. Orientation Programme | September 01, 2022

An orientation programme was organized by the Department of Botany on September 01, 2022 for its UG 1st semester students. The topic of the orientation was 'Career Development'. Dr Manju Devi was the resource person of the programme.

16. Invited Talk | March 22, 2022

An Invited Talk was organized by the Department of Environmental Biology and Wildlife Sciences on March 22, 2022 with Guest Speaker Prof. Sabitry Choudhury Bordoloi who spoke on 'Ground water quality: A case study in Guwahati'.





17. Quiz Competition | June 06, 2022

The Department of Geology organized a Quiz Competition on 6th June, 2022. Special Guest Speakers Mr. Siladitya Sengupta, Deputy Director, General State Unit assam, GSI, NER, Guwahati and Dr. Nikunja Bihari Singha, Director, State Unit assam, GSI, NER, Guwahati graced the occasion.

Topic: Geo Quest, an Intra University Quiz Competition on the occasion of World Environment Day





18. Memorial Lecture | January 22, 2021

Under the initiative of Dept of Anthropology, the 11th Prof. B.M.Das Memorial Lecture (Under the Aegis of Prof. B.M.Das Memorial Lecture) was held on 22-01-2021 and delivered by Prof. Ranjan Deka, Professor, University of Cincinnati on the topic "Identifying a Novel 'Thrifty Variant' Influencing Human Obesity- Anthropology, Epidemiology and Genetics: The Samoan Adiposity Study".





19. Training Program | December 12, 2021

The Department of Anthropology organized a One-Day Training Program on Data Analysis Using SPSS on 12 December 2021.

20. Cotton University Campus Bird Counts Drive | February 12-15, 2021

The Dept. of EBWS from 12th to 15th February conducted a Cotton University Campus Bird Counts drive under the convenership of Dr Narayan Sharma.

21. Invited Talk | June 05, 2021

The department of Environmental Biology and Wildlife Sciences on 5th June 2021, invited Sri MK Yadava to deliver a talk on "Ecology and Economy: Lessons Learnt from Baghjan Blowout".

22. INVITED TALK | June 5, 2021

The Dept. of EBWS organized an invited talk on 5th June wherein MK Yadava talked on "Ecology and Economy: Lessons Learnt from Baghjan Blowout."

23. Invited Talk | April 12, 2021

The Department of Environmental Biology and Wildlife Sciences organized a talk on 12th April 2021. Dr Surajit Giri spoke on "Snakebite Management".

24. Film Screening | December 6, 2021

The Department of History organized a film screening on the occasion of 16 days of activism against gender-based violence in an international campaign to challenge violence against women and girls on December 6, 2021.

25. Lecture | December 10, 2021

The Department of Law organized a lecture on "Human Rights: The Lynchpin of Democracy" on December 10, 2021, in collaboration with the Centre for Women's Studies and Department of Political Science, Cotton University.

26. Voluntary Cleanliness cum Plantation drive January 30, 2021

The Dept. of MBBT organized a Voluntary Cleanliness cum Plantation drive on 30th January on the occasion of Shaheed Diwas (Martyrs' Day) 2021. The program was sponsored by the Faculty members of MBBT.



Sponsored by faculty members of MBBT department, a voluntary Cleanliness cum

Plantation drive was observed on 30/01/2021 on the occasion of Shaheed Diwas

(Martyrs' Day) 2021 in the Department of MBBT, Cotton University.



World Photography Day 2018 (August 19) was observed by the Department of Mass Communication, Journalism and Media Studies with a photography exhibition cum contest at the Department premises on August 20, 2018. The contest enabled students to express their photography skills while also giving them an avenue for displaying their photographs. The contest received a great number of entries. It was open to all students of the University and all entries were displayed in the exhibition.





29. Invited Talk | October 08, 2018

On 8th Oct, 2018, Dr Jiten Hazarika was invited for a talk on the topic "Statistics, A Decision Making Science, in Reality." The programme was organised by the Department of Statistics.



Fieldwork for PG 2nd Semester, Dept of Anthropology was conduced as per syllabus requirement in Nij Panbari village, Chandrapur area, Kamrup (Metro), Assam from 4th March to 9th March 2019. Dr. Teresa L Khawzawl and Dr. Maishnam Rustam Singh were in-charge of the field trip.





31. Field Work | February 13, 2019

Fieldwork for UG 6th Semester, Dept of Anthropology was conducted in Pilangkata Village of Ri Bhoi District of Meghalaya as per syllabus. Dr. Suparna Barua and Ms. Hridayananda were teacher-in-charge for the field trip from 13th February to 20th February 2019.



32. Students Field Visit | April 5, 2019

The students of Bodo Department visited the ruins of Kachari Kingdom located at Dimapur, Nagaland under the guidance of Birupaksha Giri Basumatary, HoD, Bodo along with Dr. Daithun Baro and Gautom Daimary (Part-time Faculties) on 5th April, 2019.



33. Invited Talk ~ April 3, 2019

The Dept of Education, CU invited Prof. P.K Gupta, Retd. Hod. Dept of Education, NEHU, Shillong for a Talk on "Mental Health Issues" which was held on 3rd April 2019.



34. Interactive Programme | March 28, 2019

An Interactive Programme was organized by the Department of Statistics on 28th March, 2019 where Mr Subhankar Sharma, a former student of the Department shared his experiences and his career journey. Sharma has joined Max Planck University, Germany for pursuing PhD in Population Sciences.



A talk on the National Budget 2020-21 was organized by the Department of Economics, CU on February 5, 2020 where Prof. Binod Khadria (Retd.), JNU, Delhi participated as the keynote speaker. The panelists of the talk were Dr. Gautam Mazumdar (CU), Dr. Manoj Kr. Talukdar (CU) and Dr. Sanjib Goswami from Gauhati University. The programme was moderated by Dr. Padma Sharma, Head, Dept. of Economics, CU. The two-hour long programme was attended by about two hundred students of Under Graduate & Post Graduate classes along with the teachers of various departments. The programme was followed by an interactive session. The speakers made a critical assessment of the National Budget and offered their opinions on different aspects of the budget.



36. Online Talk | DECEMBER 5, 2020

Dr Kuladhar Saikia, Former DGP, Assam, and Adjunct Professor, Department of Economics, Cotton University was invited to deliver an online talk on 'Economics in the Time of Pandemic' by the Department of Economics on December 5, 2020.

37. Invited talk | September 15, 2017

The Dept of Economics invited Former Chief Election Commissioner Harishankar Brahma, Retd. IAS for a Talk on "Knowledge based employment opportunities of youth in Assam" which was held on 15th September, 2017.

38. Lecture – Gender Sensitization | October 31, 2017

A special lecture on Gender Sensitization, especially for the NCC Cadets, Cotton University was held on 31st October, 2017. Ms. Rajashree Saharia, Guest Faculty, Department of Sociology had spoken on the issue of sensitization for gender equality and its importance.

39. Wildlife Week | October 08, 2018

The department of Environmental Biology and Wildlife Sciences organized Wildlife Week 2018 on October 8, 2018 by conducting a talk on Ecological Economics. Painting Competition, Poem Competition and Photography competition were also organized as part of the celebrations.



40. Interactive Programme | February 15, 2018

The department of Environmental Biology and Wildlife Sciences organized an Interactive Programme on 15th February 2018, with Sri Jaydev Mandal as Guest Speaker on the topic "Bird counting".



41. Invited Talk | October 8, 2018

The department of Environmental Biology and Wildlife Sciences (Convener: Students of Department of Environmental Biology and Wildlife Sciences) on 8 October 2018, invited Dr Anamika Barua, Associate Professor of Economics, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati, to deliver a talk on "Is there a limit to Economic Growth? An Ecological Economics Perspective".

42. Invited Talk | November 30, 2018

The Dept of Economics invited Mr. Mahapatra, Financial consultant for a talk "HDFC Mutual Fund" on 30-11-18



43. Invited Talk | April 7, 2018

The Department of MBBT organized a talk on "Women health" on 07/04/2018. The talk was delivered by Dr. Bidyawati Das, Gynecologist, Former Joint DHS MCH (H&FW), Govt. of Assam.

44. Oration cum Health Camp | April 7, 2018

An Oration cum Health Camp "Health for everyone" was organized on the occasion of "World Health Day 2018" on 07/04/2018 at the University campus by the Department of MBBT.

45. Talk | April 7, 2018

The Department of MBBT invited Dr. Jayanta Das, Psychiatrist, Guwahati for a talk on "Mental Health" which was held on 07/04/2018



A glimpse of the audience of the talk: Registrar Prof D K Das, Cotton University and Dean, Life Sciences Dr. S R Patgiri gracing the event.

46. Invited Talk | April 7, 2018

Dr. Madhab Rajbongshi, Addtl. Superintendent MMCH, Panbazar Guwahati was invited for a talk on "General Health" which was held on 07/04/2018 at Cotton University. The talk was organised by the Department of MBBT.

