

ANNUAL QUALITY ASSURANCE REPORT

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Introduction:

The Annual Quality Assurance Report, for the session May 2008-April 2009, attempts to highlight some important and significant activities of the college which have been achieved during the session. This report has been made with a sincere attitude under the guidance of **IQAC** of the college. Chiefly the report aims at highlighting on the seven criteria identified by the NAAC to serve as the basis for assessment of higher education institutions.

Curricular Aspect:

The college has an untiring effort for the improvement of academic curricular. As part of the planning some self-financed new programmes have been introduced during the session 2008-09. These are: Certificate course in computer application, Certificate course in Spoken English, besides the college has offered a good number of self-sustaining programmes with the partnership of IG NOU under the convergence scheme like:

Name of Courses	Duration
Bachelor of Social Work	3 months
Certificate in Business Skill	6 months
Certificate in Human Rights	6 months
Certificate in Environmental Studies	6 months
Certificate in Teaching English	6 months

Under the Institute of IDOL, the Rangia College centre has offered some courses viz: PGDCA, PGDJM, MCJ, MA in Bodo, MA in Assamese

This is important to note that another two more programmes have been introduced in the college; these are: Post Graduate Diploma in Computer Application and Certificate

Course in Computer Application. These have been introduced from the session 2009 under the scheme of Career Oriented Course with the financial assistance of University Grants Commission which is affiliated to the University of Gauhati.

Name of Courses	Duration	Fees Structure
Certificate Course in Computer Application	6 months	Rs. 3,500/-
Post-Graduate Diploma in Computer Application	1 year	Rs. 8,000/-

Dr. Rina Barman and Mr. Debraj Sarma both of them are Co-ordinators of the Career Oriented Course.

Teaching -Learning and Evaluation:

The faculty members of this college are taking attention for improvement of their own resources. Most of them are involved in high academic activities and keeping in touch with administrative work of the college. Some of them are also doing Ph.D and M.Phil degree for maintaining an academic atmosphere within the college and the peripheral society to some extent. A few glimpses of teachers' academic activities and achievements have been mentioned here for necessary information:

(a) PhD Degree Awarded: This year a good number of teachers of the college have achieved a qualitative highest degree. The University of Gauhati has awarded PhD Degree to the following teachers:

Name of the Teacher	Topic of the Thesis	University & Year
Dr. Gitimoni Deka, Dept. of Chemistry	Impact of Textile Mill on Soil And Water Quality: A Case Study at Rangia, Assam, India	University of Gauhati, 2009
Dr. Paritosh Ch. Das, Dept. of Mathematics	Studies on Some Fuzzy Real Valued Sequence Spaces and Density of Subsets of Natural Numbers	University of Gauhati, 2009
Dr. Apurba Kr. Goswami, Dept. of Zoology.	A study of Prawns of Assam and their Fisheries	University of Gauhati, 2009

Dr. Madan Ch. Boro, Dept. of Political Science	Personality factor of Political Leaders of Assam and Bihar- a Comparative Study	Bhagalpur University Bihar, 2009
Dr. Dwijendra Nath Deka, Dept. of Political Science	Women in Public Sphere: A Study of Womensø Empowerment Amongst the Bodo Community in North Kamrup Area, Assam	University of Gauhati, 2009

(b) M.Phil Degree Awarded: During the session 2008-09, the nationally reputed Academic Institutions and Universities have awarded M.Phil Degree to the following teaching faculties:

Name of the Teacher	Title of the Thesis	Institution/University	Year
Hrishikesh Choudhury, Lecturer in English	Shashi Deshpandeø The Dark Holds No Terrors and Small Remedies: A Reading in the Eight of Indian Feminist Theory	Darwin School of Business under Periyar University, Salem	2008
Md. Imdad Ali, Lecturer in Zoology	Mammalian Diversity of Rani Reserve Forest: Kamrup, Assam with special reference to its habitat use pattern	Darwin School of Business under Periyar University, Salem	2008
Dilip Kr. Deka, Lecturer in Management	An Analytical Study of Human Resource Management in LIC: A Case Study of Rangia LIC Branch	Darwin School of Business under Periyar University, Salem	2009
Nupur Kalita, Lecturer in Accountancy	An Analytical Study of Service Industries with special reference to Tourism Industry of Greater Guwahati City	Darwin School of Business under Periyar University, Salem	2009
Jagadish Deka, Lecturer in Commerce	Problems and Prospects of Labourer: A Case Study of Brick Industry in Rangia Sub-division	Darwin School of Business under Periyar University, Salem	2009
Ranjita Tamuli Talukdar, Lecturer in Botany	Studies on Phyto-Diversity of Hydrophytic Angiosperms of Rangia Sub-Division(Kamrup, Assam) with special reference to Lentic-Ecosystem	Darwin School of Business under Periyar University, Salem	2009
Mitali Das, Lecturer in Physics	Radon Exhalation Rates from Soil Samples using Solid State Nuclear Track	Darwin School of Business under Periyar University, Salem	2009

	Detector		
Dinesh Lahkar, Sr. Lecturer in Economics	A Study of the Socio-Economic conditions of the Agricultural Labourers of Rangia Sub-Division under Kamrup District	National PG College, Guwahati under Madurai Kamraj University, Madurai	2009
Gagan Deka, Lecturer in Philosophy	Gandhiji's Concept of God	Vinayaka Missions University, Salem	2008

(c) Orientation and Refresher Programme attended: During the academic session 2008-09, a few faculty members of the college participated in Orientation and Refresher Programme as part of the faculty development programme that conducted by the different Universities:

(i) Orientation

Name of the Teacher	Duration of Course	Name of the Institution
Anup Kr. Das, Lecturer in Economics	6 th April -1 st May, 2009	UGC-ASC, JNU, New Delhi
Amarjyoti Bhaskar, Lecturer in Assamese	18 th May-14 th June, 2009	ASC, GU sponsored by UGC
Anantha Lakshmi Choudhury, Lecturer in Education	18 th May-14 th June, 2009	ASC, GU sponsored by UGC
Dr. Madan Ch. Boro, Lecturer in Political Science	18 th June-15 th July, 2008	Beneras Hindu University, Varanasi

(ii) Refresher

Name of the Teacher	Duration of the course	Name of the Institution
Mrs. Ranu Choudhury, Dept of Political Science	June 2 nd -22 nd , 2008 (Sub: Environmental Studies)	ASC, GU sponsored by UGC
Syeda Monowara Begum, Dept. of Botany	June 2 nd -22 nd , 2008 (Sub: Environmental Studies)	ASC, GU sponsored by UGC
Dr. Paritosh Ch. Das, Dept. of Mathematics	17 th Nov-7 th Dec, 2008 (Sub: Mathematics)	ASC, GU sponsored by UGC
Dr. Paritosh Ch. Das, Dept. of Mathematics	March 4 th -24 th , 2009 (Sub: Computer Science)	ASC, GU sponsored by UGC
Mrs. Deepa Bhattacharjya, Dept. of Sanskrit	June 2 nd -22 nd , 2008 (Sub: Environmental Studies)	ASC, GU sponsored by UGC
Mr. Mahendra Kalita, Dept. of Physics	June 2 nd -22 nd , 2008 (Sub: Environmental Studies)	ASC, GU sponsored by UGC
Mr. Bhaben Ch. Lahkar,	During Oct-Nov, 2008	Organized by ISJD under ICSSR,

Dept. of Economics	(Sub: Corporate Sector)	New Delhi
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Research, Consultancy and Extension:

Some of the faculty members are actively involved in the field of research, consultancy and extension activities. Data have been incorporated for necessary information as mentioned below:

(a) Minor Research Project: The North Eastern Regional Office of UGC has conferred Minor Research Projects during the session 2008-09 under the scheme of 11th Plan Period to the following teachers:

Name of the Teacher	Title of the project	Funding Agency	Sanctioning year
Dr. Dwijendra Nath Deka, Dept. of Political Science	Women's Empowerment through Economic Pursuit: A Study of Bodo Women	UGC, (MRP/NERO)	Letter No. F.5-319/2008 09(MRP/NERO)/2697, under 11 th Plan period
Dr. Gitimoni Deka, Dept. of Chemistry	Quality of Drinking Water in the Kamrup District(Rural) with particular reference to Rangia Revenue Circle	UGC, (MRP/NERO)	Letter No.F.5-289/2008-09 (MRP/NERO)/2786. under 11 th Plan period
Dr. Phukan Ch. Basumatary, Dept. of Bodo	Comparative Vocabulary of Boro, Garo, Rabha, Dimasa and Kokborok languages: A Linguistic Study	UGC, (MRP/NERO)	Letter No. F.5-31/2008-09(MRP/NERO)/7678, under 11 th Plan period
Syda Meherun Nessa Dept. of Botany	Taxonomical Study of Algae Kamrup(Rural District)	UGC, (MRP/NERO)	Letter No.F-5-172/2008-09(MRP/NERO) 8046

(b) Major Research Project (Ongoing): Dr. Brajendra Saikia, Lecturer in Economics is doing a Major Research Project on the topic: **Socio-economic Impact on urbanization in Assam** under ICSSR, New Delhi

(d) Research publications of Faculty members:

(i) In International journal:

Name of Teachers	Title of papers	Name of the Journal, Volume & Year	Published by
Dr. Snigdha Sarkar	Taxonomical Study on certain species of <i>Desmodium</i> common in Assam	Vol.23, No.2 of Dec. 2010 (Paper accepted for publication)	Advances in Plant Sciences
Dr. Snigdha Sarkar	Significance of some weedy species of <i>Desmodium</i> in Traditional Herbal Medicine of Assam	Vol.23, No.2 of Dec. 2010 (Paper accepted for publication)	Advances in Plant Sciences
Dr. Paritosh Ch. Das	Statistically convergent sequence of fuzzy real numbers	The Journal of Fuzzy Mathematics , International Fuzzy Mathematics Institute, Los Angeles, California, USA.	International Fuzzy Mathematics Institute, Los Angeles, California, USA.
Dr. Paritosh Ch. Das	Some classes of difference sequences of fuzzy real numbers	Fasciculi Mathematici , Poznan University of Technology, Institute of Mathematics, ul. Piotrowo3A, 60-965 Poznan, Poland.	Poznan University of Technology, Institute of Mathematics, ul. Piotrowo3A, 60-965 Poznan, Poland.
Mahendra Kalita	Molecular and crystal structure of an isoflavonoid, 5, 7, 4 ϕ -trihydroxy-6,3 ϕ -diprenylisoflavone from <i>Cudrania javanensis</i>	" <i>Indian Journal of Chemistry</i> Section B (Accepted in the month of May 2009) (an international journal)	" <i>Indian Journal of Chemistry</i> (an international journal)

(ii) In National Journal:

Sl. No.	Name of scholar	Title of paper	Name, Volume & Year	Published by
1	Dr. Snigdha Sarkar	Studies on Some medicinally important wetland angiosperms used by Bodo Tribe of Kamrup Dist. in Assam, India	Vol-2, No.-1, pp.20-26, 2008	Pleione-East Himalayan Society for Spermatophyte Taxonomy
2	Dr. Snigdha Sarkar, Imdad Ali, Meherun Nessa	Study of Floristic Diversity of Wetland Habitat in Pobitora Wildlife Sanctuary with special reference to their Economic utilisation	Proceedings of UGC sponsored National Seminar on	JN College, Boko, Assam

			Wetland and Livelihood, October, 2008	
3	Dr. Gitimoni Deka	Impact of soil quality by textile mill effluent discharge : a case study at Rangia, Assam	ENVIRO-SPECTRA, Vol-3, No.1,pp.1-5, 2008	Society for Environmental Protection, Education & Research
4	Dr. Gitimoni Deka	Heavy metal intrusion into drinking water and rice near close vicinity of a textile mill	Vol.28, No.7, pp 638-642, July 2008	Indian Journal of Environmental Protection
5	Dr. Gitimoni Deka	Heavy metal intrusion into drinking water and rice grain near close vicinity of a textile mill	Vol 48, No. 1 & 2, June 2008, pp. 11 ó 15.	Journal of Assam Science Society
6	Dr. Gitimoni Deka	Assessment of water quality in an area receiving effluent discharge from a textile mill.	Indian Journal of Environmental Protection , Vol 29, No. 6, June 2009	Indian Journal of Environmental Protection

(iii) Papers published in anthologies:

Sl. No.	Name of Teacher	Title of paper	Name of anthology	Published by
1	Madhurima Das	Upamana	Viswakosh 10 th edition, Feb. 2009	Asom Sahitya Sabha
2	Madhurima Das	Environmental Ethics of Sankaradeva	Philosophy of Sankaradeva: An Appraisal	Srimanta Sankaradeva Mancha, Assam 2008
3	Dr. Phukan Basumatary	The Boros in Indian context: Its cultural heritage and integrity (in Ass)	Asamar Janagosthiya Aitihya	Book Land, Panbazar, 2009, January
4	Dr. Phukan Basumatary	An introduction to the Boros and their Cultural traits (in Ass)	Asamar Janagosthi: Eti Parichay	Kiran Prakashan, Dhemaji, Feb. 2009

(iv) Publication of books:

Sl. No.	Name of Teacher	Name of book	Year of publication	Published by
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1	Dr. Nirupama Sarma	Principles and Theories of Education (for B.A Pass/Major Course in Education)	August, 2008	Shanti Prakashan, Guwahati & Dibrugarh
2	Dr. Phukan Basumatary	Structure of Language-II (in Boro)	2008, July	Nilima Prakashani, Barama
3	Dr. Phukan Basumatary	Some Articles (in Boro)	2009, January	Nilima Prakashani

v) Publication of articles in Popular Periodicals, News Papers & Magazines:

Sl. No.	Name of Teacher	Title of article	Volume & Year	Published in
1	Ranu Chaudhury	Impact of Domestic Violence Act on Women's Rights and Empowerment	22 nd August, 2008	Amar Rangia (News Paper)
2	Ranu Chaudhury	Necessity of Regionalism and Nationalism: A relevant study	12 th September, 2008	Amar Rangia (News Paper)
3	Ranu Cahudhury	Explanation of Religion and Politics in Gandhism-Its present importance	17 th October, 2008	Amar Rangia (News Paper)
4	Ranu Cahudhury	Position of Women in present society: A relevant study	13 th March, 2009	Amar Rangia (News Paper)

(vi) Contribution of study material:

Teachers of this college have made a lot of contributions in the academic field. Some of them are worth mentioning in this regard.

Dr. Phukan Basumatary has contributed three study materials that prepared for M.A course in Bodo under the guidance of Institute of Distance and Open Learning. Besides, his contribution includes: preparation of Text Book in Bodo for class (ix) and Standard Grammar in Bodo prepared under the guidance of Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysore.

(e) International Seminar:

Some faculty members of the college participated in International Seminar held in India and abroad with thought provoking paper on different topics:

Name of Teacher	Title of Paper	Name of the seminar	Place & Country	Date & Year
Dr. Gitimoni Deka Dept. of Chemistry	Enrichment of Cr, Mn, Ni and Zn in surface soil (Full paper at web publication- www.waset.org/pwaset/v39.html)	ENVIRO ENERGY 2009	Organized by NIT, Kurukshetra. at Taj Chandigarh, India	19 th March to 21 st March, 2009
Hafijur Rahman, Dept. of Arabic	Presented Paper on the topic <i>Contributions of famous Indian writers to Arabic Literature</i>	International seminar on Indo-Arab-Iran Relations to promote co-operation in language, literature & culture in the region	Organized by Dept of Persian & Arabic, GU(India)	2 nd -4 th , February, 2009
Syeda Monowara Begum, Senior, Dept. of Botany	Participated	3 day international seminar on Indo-Arab-Iran Relations to promote co-operation in language, literature & culture in the region	Organized by Dept of Persian & Arabic, GU(India)	2 nd -4 th , February, 2009
Dr. Apurba Kr. Goswami, Dept. of Zoology	Participated	XVIth International Conference of Indian Association of Palliative Care	Organized by AIMS, New Delhi(India)	13 th -15 th , February, 2009
Dr. Snigdha Sarkar, Dept. of Botany	Participated	XVIth International Conference of Indian Association of Palliative Care	Organized by AIMS, New Delhi(India)	13 th -15 th , February, 2009
Mrs. Lakshmi Lahkar, Dept. of Education	Presented Paper on the same topic of the seminar	3 day International Conference on Blending Education, Science and Spirituality for a Better World	Organized by CTE & Others held at Srimanta Sankerdeva Kalakhetra, Guwahati	14 th -16 th November, 2009
Dr. Nirupama Sarma, Dept of Education	Presented Paper on the same topic of the seminar	International Conference on Blending Education, Science and Spirituality for a Better World	Organized by CTE & Others held at Srimanta Sankerdeva Kalakhetra, Guwahati	14 th -16 th November, 2009
Anantha Lakshmi Choudhury	Presented a Paper on the same topic of the seminar	International Conference on Blending Education, Science and Spirituality for a Better World	Organised by CTE & Others held at Srimanta Sankerdeva Kalakhetra,	14 th -16 th November, 2009

			Guwahati	
Mrs. Lakshmi Lahkar	Paper presented on the topic: Blending Education, Science and spirituality for a better world	Blending Education, Science and spirituality for a better world	Sri Manta Sankardev Kalakhetra, Guwahati	14 th & 15 th and 16 th Nov./2008
Mrs.Lakshmi Lahkar	Presented Paper on the same topic of the seminar	International Conference on "Quality Assurance of Educational Research" organized by All India Association for Educational Research(AIAER)	Organized by Model Institute of Educational Research(MIER) College of Education, Jammu, India	26 th -28 th December, 2008
Mrs. Gita Rani Kakati, Dept. of Mathematics	Presented Paper on the same topic of the seminar	International Conference on "Quality Assurance of Educational Research" organized by All India Association for Educational Research(AIAER)	Organized by Model Institute of Educational Research(MIER) College of Education, Jammu, India	26 th -28 th December, 2008
Dr. Apurba Kr. Goswami	Participated	16 th International Conference of IAPC	Organised by Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Institute Rotary Cancer Hospital, AIIMS, New Delhi & IAPC, India	13-15 February, 2009

(f) National Seminar/ Conference:

Name of the Teacher	Sponsored by	Paper presented/ attended	Venue, Date & Year	Organised
Dr. Gitimoni Deka	DST (Govt. India)	Participated in the seminar on the topic <i>Meeting of The task Force For Women In Science</i>	Cotton College, 10 th June, 2008	Cotton College, Guwahati
Dr. Gitimoni Deka	UGC	Paper presented on the topic <i>Wetland and livelihood</i>	J.N.College, Boko, Kamrup, 24 th to 25 th October, 2008	J.N. College, Boko
Dr. Gitimoni Deka	UGC	Paper presented on the topic Metal content in drinking water samples in and around Rangia town, Dist. -Kamrup, Assam	North Lakhimpur Girls College from 12 th to 13 th September, 2008	North Lakhimpur Girls College

Dr. Gitimoni Deka	NAAC	Paper presented on the topic Best Practices promotion through social works	North Lakhimpur Girls College, 12 th -13 th Sept.,2008	North Lakhimpur Girls College
Dr. Gitimoni Deka	NEC	Impact of assessment and accreditation of educational institution of higher education in India	Shillong College, Meghalaya , 17 th and 18 th June, 2008	Shillong College, Meghalaya
Dr. Snigdha Sarkar	DST (Govt. of India)	Participated in the seminar on the topic Meeting of The task Force For Women In Science	Cotton College, 10 th June, 2008	Cotton College, Guwahati
Dr. Snigdha Sarkar	96 th Indian Science Congress	Poster presentation on the topic Medicinal and Aromatic Plants	North Eastern Hill University, Shillong, January 3 rd to 7 th , 2009	Indian Science Congress Association & NEHU, Shillong
Dr. Snigdha Sarkar	Indian Aerobiological Society	Attended in the seminar of 15 th National Conference on Aerobiology	Dept. of Life Sciences, Manipur University, 6 th -8 th March, 2009	Indian Aerobiological Society & Dept. of Life Sciences, Manipur University
Dr. Apurba Kr. Goswami	UGC	Participated in the National seminar on the topic Wetland and livelihood	J.N.College, Boko, Kamrup, 24 th to 25 th October, 2008	J.N. College, Boko
Dr. Apurba Kr. Goswami	G.U	Participated in the 19 th All India National Zoology Congress and Seminar on Biodiversity & Human Welfare	Gauhati University, 29-31 December, 2008	Department of Zoology, Gauhati University and Zoological Society of India
Mrs.Lakshmi Lahkar	UGC	Status of Women in Colonial Assam	Pandu College, 29 th -30 th Sept. 2008	Pandu College, Guwahati
Dr.Nirupama Sarma	UGC	Education as a Catalyst for Women Empowerment-a case study	R.G.Baruah College, Guwahati, on 9 th -10 th Jan., 2009	R.G. Baruah College, Guwahati
Miss Anantha Lakshmi Choudhury	UGC	Empowerment of Women-Issues Involved	R.G.Baruah College, Guwahati, on 9 th -10 th Jan., 2009	R.G. Baruah College, Guwahati
Mrs. Dipika Sarma	UGC	Nari Sabalikaran ati Parjalochanatmak Bislesan	R.G.Baruah College, Guwahati, on 9 th -10 th Jan., 2009	R.G. Baruah College, Guwahati
Dr. Abdur Rezzak	Zoological Society of	Seminar attended on the topic Biodiversity and	Dept. of Zoology, G.U & Zoological	Dept. of Zoology, Gauhati University

	India	<i>Human Welfare</i>	Society of India, 29 th to 31 st Dec., 2008	& Zoological Society of India
Dr. Abdur Rezzak	Indian Science Congress	Attended in the National seminar of 96 th Indian Science Congress	North Eastern Hill University, Shillong, January 3 rd to 7 th , 2009	Indian Science Congress Association & NEHU, Shillong
Syeda Meherun Nessa & Imdad Ali	UGC	Participated in the National seminar on the topic <i>Wetland and livelihood</i>	J.N.College, Boko, Kamrup, 24 th to 25 th October, 2008	J.N.College, Boko, Kamrup
Mrs. Geeta Rani Kakati	UGC, CSIR	Participated in the seminar on the topic: Advances in Mathematics, Supported	4 th -7 th Sept. 2008, Gauhati University,	Department of Mathematics, G.U

(g) State/ Regional level seminar/ workshop:

Name of Teacher	Name of seminar/ workshop	Venue & Date & Year	Organised by
Dr. Snigdha Sarkar	Promotion of Womensø studies in Higher Education	Handique Girlsø College	Handique Girlsø College
Mrs. Lakshmi Lahkar	Problems of Education	NEHU, Shillong, 24 th -25 th July, 2008	North Esat India Educational Society
Mrs. Geeta Rani Kakati	Education in the North-East Status & Perspective	NEHU, Shillong	Organised by NEIES
Dr. Nirupama Sarma	Capacity Building of Women as Manager in Higher Education (UGC sponsored TOT workshop)	IIBM, 29 th Mar.-5 th April, 2008	IIBM
Mrs. Aparna Konwar	Demand for and supply of Higher Education in India	D.K College, Mirza, 23 rd Jan. 2009	ACTA (Zonal)
Mr. Bhaben Ch. Lahkar	Demand for and supply of Higher Education in India	D.K College, Mirza, 23 rd Jan. 2009	ACTA (Zonal)
Mr. Jyotiraj Pathak	Consultation on Child Rights in Assam	12 th -13 th Dec., 2008	UNICEF
Mrs. Madhurima Das	Promotion of Womensø studies in Higher Education	Handique Girlsø College	Handique Girlsø College
Mr. Dipika Sarma	Promotion of Womensø studies in Higher Education	Handique Girlsø College	Handique Girlsø College
Dr. Phukan Basumatary	Paper presented in the seminar on the topic: Contemporary Bodo Poetry	Dept. of Bodo, 25 th & 26 th , Feb, 2009	Dept. of Bodo & Sahitya Akademi, Kolkata
Dr. Phukan Basumatary	Participated the Workshop for Finalisation the LIS-Data	NEHU, Shillong, 24-28, Nov, 2008	Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysore
Dr. Brajendra Saikia	Seminar attended of Annual Conference of Indian	Dept. of Economics, G.U, 8 th to 10 th	Dept. of Economics

	Econometric Society	January, 2009	
Mr. Anup Kr. Das	Seminar attended on Annual Conference of Indian Econometric Society	Dept. of Economics, G.U, 8 th to 10 th January, 2009	Dept. of Economics, G.U
Mr. Anup Kr. Das	Workshop attended on the subject <i>Computer Application Course in Development Studies</i>	January, 2009	Ameo Kumar Das Institute, Guwahati
Mrs. Ranu Cashudhury	Promotion of Women's Studies in Higher Education	May, 2008, Handique Girls College	Handique Girls College
Dr. Pradip Deka	Demand for and supply of Higher Education in India	D.K College, Mirza, 23 rd Jan. 2009	ACTA (Zonal)
Dr. Rina Barman	Demand for and supply of Higher Education in India	D.K College, Mirza, 23 rd Jan. 2009	ACTA (Zonal)
Syeda Meherun Nessa	Demand for and supply of Higher Education in India	D.K College, Mirza, 23 rd Jan. 2009	ACTA (Zonal)
Dr. Snigdha Sarkar	Demand for and supply of Higher Education in India	D.K College, Mirza, 23 rd Jan. 2009	ACTA (Zonal)
Miss Mallika Kalita	Demand for and supply of Higher Education in India	D.K College, Mirza, 23 rd Jan. 2009	ACTA (Zonal)

(f) Extension Activities within the college campus and in the periphery of society:

Entrepreneurship Awareness Camp (EAC) at Rangia College:

A three day Entrepreneurship Awareness Camp (EAC) was held at Rangia College from Nov. 19th to 21st, 2008 under the sponsorship of *National Science & Technology Entrepreneurship Development Board* (NSTEDB), DST, Govt. of India. The programme was organized by Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship (IIE) in association with Women's Studies Research Cell and ICGC, Rangia College. Sri A.K. Sarma, Principal i/c, Rangia College inaugurated the camp. Dr. Hitesh Barman, in his speech highlighted the aims and objectives of the camp. Altogether 73 students registered as the participants in the three-day EAC programme. Acting as the resource person, Sri Pranab Sarma, HOD, Centre for Entrepreneurship Education (CEE), IIE discussed the whole programme in detailed. The programme included Entrepreneurial Motivation, importance of entrepreneurship as one

of the career option among the students, concept of entrepreneur and entrepreneurship, entrepreneurial opportunities and basics of business plan, planning of SSE, support system for SSE.

Activities of Women's Studies and Research Cell:

Anti-Tobacco Day Observed: Anti-tobacco Day was observed on 31st May 2008 at Rangia College in collaboration with NESPYM. A large number of students, teachers and official staff have put signatures indicating their consent not to have tobacco in future.

Entrepreneurship Awareness Camp held:

An entrepreneurship Awareness camp was conducted by IIE, Guwahati in association with ICGC and WSRC of Rangia College which was sponsored by DST, Govt. of India, and New Delhi on 19th to 21st Nov, 2008. Altogether 70 numbers of students of Rangia College took part in the training programme and they were awarded with certificates.

Activities of IGNOU Centre (Report published in the Assam Tribune, July 1st, 2008):

In a bid to facilitate and benefit the students from IGNOU courses, Rangia College, a partner institute, has introduced seven different value-based courses including degree programme on social works (BSW) under the umbrella of IGNOU. Besides, *Certificate Courses on Business Skill, Laboratory Techniques, Environmental Studies, Human Rights, Computing and Teaching of English* have also been introduced.

Activities of ICGC and Placement Cell:

Under the initiative of ICGC and Placement Cell conducted a campus recruitment workshop at the college campus. The workshop was organized in collaboration with the Aircel Service on Oct. 4th, 2008. Out of the 80 numbers of participant students, initially

13 participants were selected for interview in the Aircel Head Office, Guwahati and finally 6 applicants were selected for the post of Customer Care Executive. Followings are the candidates those who are doing the job presently as Customer Care Executive in Aircel Service Centre situated in Guwahati:

1. Md. Sahidul Islam, 2. Md. Abidullah, 3. Khanindra Kalita, 4. Ariful Azad, 5. Nabajyoti Adhikari, 6. Jilima Begum

Activities of Bharat Scouts and Guides:

The cell has an untiring effort for extending kind and humble contribution towards various dimensions of the society. As part of their activities the members of the cell have participated in the programmes having value based and need based outlook. Followings are the some programmes participated by the students:

(1)Abhiruchi Day (Sport Day) held at Rangia on 3rd Sept, 2008, (2) Life line Express camp held at Rangia on 4th Dec, 08 to 24th Dec, 08, (3) Nipun Testing camp held at Chamata Pathar, Sonapur, Assam from Nov.5th - 9th 2008 (4) Operation Smile India held at MMC Hospital from Jan. 29th - Feb 6th, 2009, (5) Cub Bulbul Ustav held at Gitanagar on 3rd - 7th Feb, 2009, (6)Cub Bulbul Ustav held at South Point School on 21st - 22nd Feb, 2009, (7)Past Rastrapati Scouts/Guides/Rover/Ranger Forum held at Chamata Pather, Assam from 1st - 5th March, 2009, (8) Eye Donation Camp held at Raj Mel Swahid Bhaban, Rangia, (9)Regional Tribal Camp held at Sonapur, Assam from March 5th -9th, 2009, (10)Shree Hanuman Jayanti Maha Ustav held at Fancy Bazar, T.R. Phookan Road, Guwahati from April 1st - 9th 2009, (11)Operation Smile India held at MMC Hospital from May 21st -29th 2009

Popular Talk on Work Culture:

As part of the Annual Lecture Series the *Rangia College Employees' Thrift & Credit Society Ltd.* organized a thought provoking popular talk on 16th of December, 2008 on the topic of **Work Culture**. The topic was considerably relevant to the present day context of the society. Noted educationist and social activist Sri Deven Dutta delivered an illuminating lecture on the proposed topic. Honourable Principal i/c of Rangia College as well as secretary of the society Sri Amarendra Kr. Sarma explained the aims and objectives of the society. The Chairman of the Society Dr. Abdur Rezaque chaired the meeting.

Seminar on Large Hadron Collider:

Under the aegis of Dept. of Botany and Information-cum-Career Guidance Cell of Rangia College, a day-long seminar on "Large Hadron Collider" (LHC) was held on 23rd September, 2008 at the college premises. As the resource person Manoj Kumar Sinha of the Department of Physics elaborated and discussed the sole theme before the gathering. Explaining various aspects and effects of collision of two oppositely directed proton beam in the speed of light, the resource person highlighted the same through interactive slides shows. Later, participants including students and teachers were appraised about scientific phenomenon like Big Bang theory, Boson and Quark particles.

Chemistry Olympiad

The 7th Chemistry Olympiad was held at the college which was conducted by Nityananda Barman and Dr. Dwijendra Nath Deka on 14th September, 2008. All together 54 students from various category (IX-14, X- 08, XI-14, XII-18) of different institutions were appeared in the examination. From this center, Md Khalliulah of Class XII from Pragmatic Academic got 2nd position and in Class IX category, Manas Jyoti Sarma from

Sankardev Sishu Niketan got 6th position. All together 10 students got merit certificate in class IX, X and XI category.

Popular Talk organized by the Science Faculty:

A popular talk was organized by the **Science Faculty of the College** on the topic **Genographic Project** on 2nd June, 2008. The Resource Person Mr. Arun Kumar, JRF, Dept. of Immunology, Madurai Kamraj University delivered a lecture on the topic sponsored by National Geographic. He elaborated on sampling of DNA & Human Migration. He collected some samples from different ethnic, clan and caste groups like Bodo-Kachari, Sarma & Kalita people. Nitul Deka, Research Scholar, Dept. of Anthropology, G.U assisted the resource person.

Talk organized by the Department of Botany:

The department of Botany organized a **Popular Talk** on the topic **Biotechnology- its Scope & Application** for the students of Rangia College on 23rd August, 2008. Sanjeev Karmakar, an alumnus of the department, presently working in DRL, Tezpur, was the Resource Person of the said talk He discussed about the Biotechnology in detailed with latest information in national & international level.

The Department of Botany with the help of ICGC, Rangia College organized a day long Seminar on Large Hadron Collider (LHC) on 23rd Sept, 2008 at the college premises. The detail report of the seminar published in the Newspaper mentioned above. **Departmental Seminar** was organized by the department of Botany for the advanced learners in the session 2008-2009. All total 9(nine) No. of seminars on the various topics related to GU syllabus were delivered by all 3(Three) year major students of the department guided by

the teachers of the dept. Other students & teachers participated in the seminar which was compulsory to them.

Extension and Educational Activities of the Department of Political Science:

On 17th of December, 2008 the students and teachers of the Department visited some localities of Assam & East Bhutan and the Shashipur village situated at Indo-Bhutan boarder. The aim of the field work was to create Social and Eco-Political awareness related to their ways of live. On 19th of December, 2008 the Political Science Forum organized a "Popular Talk" on the topic of "**Role of Judiciary in protecting Human Rights in India**". Mr. Utpal Bhuyan and Mr. Ziaul Haque both the Advocates of Rangia Civil Court were the Resource Person. The Resource persons highlighted the major role of Judiciary in overall protection of Human Rights.

4. Infrastructure and Learning Resources:

The infrastructure of the college is approximately good as regarded by the college community. Students of this college generally avail necessary facilities of learning resources and accommodation of the physical infrastructure that supported by the college. Available numbers of class rooms are accommodated keeping in view the smooth running of the classes. Teaching-learning tools are also provided as per requirement of the learning demands. For maintenance of the quality based-extra classes, the college has accommodated special rooms for fulfillment of that purpose. For supporting the students in regards to the modern technological education such as computer education and computer related other activities, we have some special requirements in the college campus. To meet up the necessity, the college has established a **Computer Laboratory**

in this year. Also the college has introduced a certificate course in Spoken English to enrich the quality of communication skill among the students.

In the central library, about 40 thousand books have been preserved keeping in view for providing necessary resources. The special features of the library is it contains text books, references, books on various literary genres, books on humanities, social sciences, science and technology, encyclopedias, a good number of dictionaries, scholarly volumes of different genres which are more helpful to the research activities. Magazines, periodicals and news papers are also provided to the teacher and student community. For enrichment of value-based education and for strengthening physical- mental set up among the students there are some cells to make necessary arrangement. Self-empowerment Cell, Bharat Scouts and Guides, NCC, Career Guidance Cell all of the worth mentioning in this regard.