

DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

The Department of Economics of Sikkim Government College, Namchi was established in the 1997 under the affiliation of North Bengal University. The department started its honours course in the year 2002. The department is currently under the direct ambit of Sikkim Central University after the college was affiliated to SCU (Sikkim Central University) in the year 2009. The department offered Under Graduate course in Economics both BA General and Honours.

As on date, cherishing legacies of constructivism and ancient wisdom, it addresses orthodox economics that extends to heterodox issues, advance quantitative techniques supported by computing and artificial intelligence using modern pedagogical techniques. The department of economics offered diverse opportunities to the students for internship to broaden their horizons as well as to prepare them for the practical world of placement. The department is committed to provide skilled manpower to service sectors i.e., industry, trade banks and commercial establishments. Presently there are a total of five faculty members in the department.

FORMER FACULTY DETAILS

2013-14 to 2023

9. Faculty Profile with Name, Qualification, Designation, Specialization, (D.Sc / D.Litt / Ph.D/ M.Phil. etc.)

Name	Qualification	Designation	Specialization	Date of Joining	Date of Leaving	No. of Years of Experience
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Narendra Kharel	MA.,M.Phil. Economics	Assistant Professor	Growth & Development Economics	04.02.2009	25.07.2017	8 Years
PritamChettri	MA.,M.Phil. Economics	Assistant Professor	International Trade and Finance	04.02.2013	03.04.2016	03 Years
KadenLhamuBhutia	MA Economics	Assistant Professor	Econometrics and International Trade	01.04.2013	13.02.2014	01 Year
Anita Nepal	MA. Economics	Assistant Professor	Agriculture Economics	12.09.2012	16.05.2017	5 Years
Sisir Raj Gurung	MA. Economics	Assistant Professor	Agriculture Economics	10.07.2015	03.05.2016	1 Year
Rajiv Jairu	MA. Economics	Assistant Professor	Econometrics	18.10.2017	03.08.2018	10 months
Dr. Sita Lama	MA. Economics	Assistant Professor	Labor Economics	07.09.2018	05.03.2020	1 year 6 months
KulBahadurChettri	MA. Economics	Assistant Professor	Econometrics and International Trade	14.08.2018	04.03.2020	1 year 7 months
Dr. TejKumar Siwakoti	MA. Economics	Assistant Professor	Agriculture Economics	06.03.2020	09.02.2022	1 year 11 months

FACULTY PROFILE

2019 onwards

Name	Qualification	Designation	Area of Expertise/ Specialization	No. of Years of Experience
Shanti Tamang	M.A., M.Phil., NET.	Assistant Professor	Econometrics, Agricultural Economics and Gender Economics.	8
Dr. Bikash Sharma	M.A., Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	International trade, Economic Planning, Rural Development	7
Kunzang Topgyal Shangderpa	M.A., NET.	Assistant Professor	Mathematical Economics& Statistical Economics	4
Phurba Lepcha	M.A., NET.	Assistant Professor	IT AND Agricultural Economics	4
Tshering Wangchuk Bhutia	M.A., NET.	Assistant Professor	Econometrics & Development Economics	4

FACULTY RESUME



Name	Shanti Tamang
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Academic Qualifications:

- B.A (Honours), Sikkim Government College, Tadong (2009)
- M.A (Economics), North Bengal University (20 11)
- M.Phil.(Economics), North Bengal University (2014).
- Pursuing Ph.D. (Economics), Visva Bharati University.

Other Qualifications:

- Higher Diploma in Cooperative Management from National Regional Institute of Cooperative Management, Kalyani, West Bengal in 2016
- Diploma in Computer Science from Aptech Computer Education, Gangtok in 2010.

Employment History:

2013 to 2016:

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics at Sikkim Government College Burtuk.

2016 to 2018:

Cooperative Auditor, Department of Cooperation, Government of Sikkim.

2018 to Present:

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College Namchi.

Research Interest:

Agriculture, Urbanisation, Rural livelihoods and Women Empowerment

Specialization:

Econometrics and Agricultural Economics

Research Experience:

Five years

Publications:**Journal Articles**

1. Tamang, S. (2020). Smart City as A Novel Solution to Achieve Sustainable Urbanisation. Studies in Indian Place Names, 40(71), 3486-3492. ISSN: 2394-3114.
2. Tamang, S. (2020). Trends, Causes and Impacts of Urbanisation in India. Purakala, 31(25), 95-105. ISSN: 0971-2143.
3. Tamang, S. (2020). Smart Cities Mission in India: An Overview. Journal of Information and Computational Science, 10(8), 68. ISSN: 1548-7741.

4. Tamang, S. (2021). Financial Inclusion through Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana. International Journal of Creative Research Thoughts (IJCRT), 9(4), 3396. ISSN: 2320-2882.

Book Chapter (s)

1. Tamang, S. (2022). Women Social Entrepreneurship and Self-Help Group: A Review and Concept Paper. In Shanbhag et. al, (Ed.), Emerging Trends in Science, Social Science, Engineering and Management: A Multidisciplinary Approach (pp. 207-215). Research Circle and International Institute of knowledge and research (IIKR). ISBN: 976-93-5546-016-5.1.

Paper Presentation(s)

1. Tamang, S. (2023). "Self-Help Groups in India: Problems and Prospects for Socio-Economic Empowerment". Paper presented at the Second International Conference on Advanced Research in Social Sciences and Humanities, Guwahati, India.

CURRICULUMVITAE



Dr. Bikash Sharma

PERSONAL DETAILS

- Current Address: Near NMC, Namchi, South Sikkim, India.
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- Date and Place of Birth: 14th April 1985 / Gangtok, Sikkim, India.
- Gender: Male
- Citizenship: Indian
- Marital Status: Married (Mrs. Menuka Sharma)

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL DEGREES

- **Doctorate of Philosophy (2015)**
Economics - Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu, India Topic: An Economic Analysis of Handicraft Industries in Sikkim.
- **Master of Arts (2014)**
Rural Management - Annamalai University (DDE), Annamalai Nagar, Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu, India.
- **Master of Arts (2009)**
Economics - H.N.B Garwhal University, Srinagar, Uttarakhand, India.
- **Bachelor of Arts (2007)**
Economics, Geography, Sociology - Sikkim Government College, Tadong, Sikkim, India.
- **Certificate Course in Human Rights(2013)**
Annamalai University (DDE), Annamalai Nagar, Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu, India.

- **Diploma in Computer Application (2002)** Starlight Foundation, Gangtok, Sikkim, India.
- **‘C’ Certificate Course in NCC(2007)**
3rd Sikkim Battalion, Sikkim Government College, Tadong, Sikkim, India.

EMPLOYMENT / COODINATOR/ CONVENOR/ EXPERIENCES

- **Assistant Professor**, Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Sikkim, India (July 2017- till date).
- **Academic Counsellors, IGNOU**, Regional Center, Gangtok, Sikkim (2023)
- **Coordinating and Managing the district level Survey** - Annual Status of Education Report Survey 2022 in South Sikkim, Conducted by ASER Center, Pratham, B-4/54, Safdarjung Enclave, New Delhi, India (September 2022).
- **Organising Secretary of Five Day National Workshop on Application of Statistical Technique and Data Analysis in Social Science**, Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Sikkim, India (May 2022).
- **Convenor in the Multidisciplinary Academic Meet**, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Sikkim, India (April-May 2022).
- **Member of Organising Committee in Conducting One day event on Human Trafficking and POCSO**, under Equity Initiative, RUSA (H.E), Sikkim Government College Namchi, Sikkim, India (March 2018).
- **Member of Organising Committee in Conducting One day event on Goods And Services Tax**, under Equity Initiative, RUSA (H.E), Sikkim Government College Namchi, Sikkim, India (March 2018).
- **Coordinating and Managing the district level Survey** - Annual Status of Education Report Survey 2018 in South Sikkim, Conducted by ASER Center, Pratham, B-4/54, Safdarjung Enclave, New Delhi, India (2018).
- **Resource Person** – Entrepreneurship Development Programme (EDP), Webcon Consulting (India) Ltd, Sikkim Consultancy Centre (SICON), Gangtok, Sikkim (2017- 2018).
- **Resource Person** - Enterprise Development and promoting Self Help Groups in the field of Handloom and Handicraft Development programme in Tribane Gram SudharSamitee (NGO), Setipool, East District, Sikkim (March 2015 – till date).

- **Resource Person** - livelihoods based Activities like Handicrafts in Himalayan Science Society (NGO), Gangtok, East District, Sikkim (March 2015 – March 2017).
- **Resource Person** – Help Age India, Sikkim Unit, Ranipool, Sikkim (April 2015 – March 2017).

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

- ***Performance of Rural Women Entrepreneurs in Sikkim***, The International Journal's Research Journal of Economics & Business Studies, ISSN: 2251- 1555, Vol: 2, No: 2 (2013).
- ***Marketing of Handicrafts in Sikkim***, EPRA International Journal of Economic and Business Review, ISSN: 2349-0187, Vol: 2 (2014).
- ***Rural industries in Sikkim state- A study of Handloom and Handicraft Sectors***, Journal of the Annamalai University, Humanities, Vol. XLIX- page: 99-104 (2014).
- ***Socio- Economic Condition of Handicraft Workers in Sikkim***, Indian Stream Research Journal, International Recognition Multidisciplinary Research Journal, ISSN: 2230-7850, Issue X, Vol. III (2013).
- ***Inclusion of Tribal Women in Economic Activities- A special reference to Handicraft Industry in Sikkim***, Social Exclusion of Marginalized Groups in India, Department of Political Science, Annamalai University Journal paper, page :70- 82 (2015).
- ***A Study on Human Rights in Islam***, Golden Research Thought, International Recognition Multidisciplinary Research Journal, ISSN: 2231-5063, Issue IX, Vol. III (2014).
- ***Self Help Group for Rural Development – A Study in Rural Area of Sikkim***, Peninsular Economiest, Trichy, Vol. I, number 1, Jan 2015, pp. 76-82 (2015).

- ***Role of Social Capital in Community Level Environmental Governance – An Evaluation***, Peninsular Economist, Trichy, Vol. I, number 1, Feb 2015, pp. 44-51 (2015).

PRESENTATION

- **XXXV Annual Conference of Association of Economists of Tamil Nadu (AET) - Self Help Groups For Rural Development: A Study in Rural Areas of Sikkim**, Department of Economics, Vivekananda College, Kanyakumari, Tamil Nadu, India (November 2014).
- **National seminar on Social Exclusion of Marginalized Groups in India - Inclusion of Tribal Women in Economic Activities- A Special Reference to Handicraft Industry in Sikkim**, Department of Political Science and Public Administration, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamil Nadu, India (March 2014).
- **National Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights - Intellectual Property Rights of Thanka Painting**, Department of Economics, Annamalai University (DDE), Annamalai Nagar, Tamil Nadu, India (March 2014).
- **International Conference on Social Exclusion and Inclusion of Women - Participation of Tribal Women in Handicraft Activities of Sikkim- A Study on North District of Sikkim**, Centre for Women's Studies, Alagappa University, Karaikudi, Tamil Nadu, India (August 2013).
- **National Seminar on Impact of Globalization on Rural Entrepreneurship Development in India: Issue and Challenges - Role of Co-operatives in Rural Entrepreneurial Development in Sikkim State**, Department of Rural Industries and Management, The Gandhigram Rural Institute- Deemed University, Gandhigram, Dindigul, Tamil Nadu, India (January 2013).
- **National Seminar on Energy Security and Management Strategies for Rural Areas – Energy and Environmental Problems in Sikkim – Himalayan Region**, National Institute of Rural Development, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad, India.

- **National Seminar on Health and Medical care Services Claims on National Resources- *Occupational Health Hazards of Handicrafts Workers in Sikkim State***, Department of Economic, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamil Nadu, India (August 2012).
- **National seminar on Recent Trend in Micro Finance - *Micro Finance Through Self Help Groups- A Case Study of Rural Sikkim***, Department of Economic, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamil Nadu, India (May 2012).
- **National Seminar on Ecological Economic Perspective On Sustainable Development - *Current Environmental Problems in Sikkim Himalayan Region***, Department of Economic, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamil Nadu, India (February 2012).

PARTICIPATION

- ***Two day workshop on Learning Outcome Based Curriculum Framework***, National Education Policy Committee, Sikkim University, Sikkim, India (March 2023).
- ***One day Orientation Programme for Academic Counsellors on IGNOU Open and Distance Learning(ODL)***, Regional Center Gangtok, Sikkim (March 2023).
- ***Three Day National workshop on Visual Reproduction of Events Through Direction; Film making; Photography and News Reporting***, Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Sikkim, India (May 2022).
- ***Two day workshop on Overview and Quality Enrichment in NAAC Accreditation Process***, Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), Sikkim Government College Namchi, Sikkim, India (May 2022).
- ***Three Day National Workshop on Recent Trends in Nanophysics and Spectroscopy***, Department of Physics, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Sikkim, India (May 2022).

- ***Three Day International Seminar on Adhunik Bharatiya Nepali Sahityama Dalit Ra Subaltern Chintan***, Department of Nepali, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Sikkim, India (May 2022).
- ***Six Day Faculty Development Programme on Research in Social Science***, Department of Economics and Centre for Research, Ayya Nadar Janaki Ammal College, Sivakasi, Tamil Nadu (September 2021).
- ***Three Day Stakeholders Workshop on National Education Policy 2020***, National Education Policy Committee, Sikkim University, Sikkim, India (December 2021)
- ***Webinar on Covid- 19 Pandemic and Economic Development: Emerging Public Policy Lesson for Indian Punjab***, EGROW, Foundation for Economic Growth and Welfare, India (December 2021).
- ***Webinar on Is Development Innovationa Good Investment? Which Innovations Scale?***, EGROW, Foundation for Economic Growth and Welfare, India (September 2021).
- ***One Day International Webinar on Indian Economy – Sectoral Growth Trajectories Under Covid – 19 Period***, Department of Economics, Government Arts College, Dharmapuri, Tamil Nadu, India (August 2021).
- ***Seven Day National Level Faculty Development Programme on Innovation in Teaching Learning Process***, Department of Commerce & Accounting and Finance in Association with IQAC, Guru Shree Shantivijai Jain College for Women, Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India (July- August 2021).
- ***National Webinar on Employability Skills for Worthy Opportunities***, Department of Corporate Secretary ship (Shift-1), Guru Nanak College, Chennai, Tamil Nadu (July 2021).
- ***Five days Online Workshop on Quantitative Social Science Research Methods***, Department of Economics, School of Economics, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu (March 2021).

- ***Five days Online Training on Research Methodology for Tribal Development Professionals***, National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad, India (October 2020).
- ***One-week National workshop on Application of Geospatial Technologies in Human and Earth Science with special reference to Geographical Information System (GIS), Global Positioning System (GPS) and Remote Sensing (RS)***, Department of Geography, Namchi Government College, Kamrang, South Sikkim (September 2018).
- ***Stakeholder meet on Conservation and Sustainable Development of North East Himalayan Region***, Institute of Bioresources and Sustainable Development (IBSD), Imphal, Manipur, India (August 2016).
- ***National Symposium on Multifarious Dimensions of International Business***, Department of Commerce, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamil Nadu, India (March 2014).
- ***National Seminar on Emerging Trends and Issues in Transgender Rights***, Department of Political Science and Public Administration, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamil Nadu, India (March 2014).
- ***National Seminar on Relevance of Swami Vivekananda's Thoughts to the Modern Society***, Department of Philosophy, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamil Nadu, India (March 2014).
- ***Capacity Building Programme for Social Science Faculty***, Department of Economic, Periyar University, Periyar Palkalai Nagar, Salem, Tamil Nadu, India (January 2014).
- ***Workshop on Data Analysis***, Department of Commerce, University of Madras Chepauk, Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India (November 2013).
- ***National Seminar on Achievements and Challenges of Millennium Development Goals***, Department of Economic, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamil Nadu, India (December 2012).

- ***Workshop on House Listing Data- Census 2011***, Department of Population Studies, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamil Nadu, India (August 2012).
- ***Workshop on Altering Rural Landscapes: Structures, Institutions and Households***, Department of Economic, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamil Nadu, India (July 2012).
- ***Prof. K. S. Sonachalam Memorial XXII Inter- Disciplinary Research Methodology Workshop***, Department of Economic, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamil Nadu, India (March 2012).
- ***Training Programme on Skill Development***, Department of Economic, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamil Nadu, India (March 2012).
- ***National Workshop on Research Methodology***, Academic Staff College, Pondicherry University, Pondicherry, India (February 2012).

TEACHING ACTIVITIES/ COURSE TAUGHT

- Microeconomics and Macroeconomics, Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Kamrang, South Sikkim (2017- till date).
 - Economic Development and Policy on India, Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Kamrang, South Sikkim (2017- till date).
 - International Economics, Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Kamrang, South Sikkim (2017- till date).
 - Research Methodology, Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Kamrang, South Sikkim (2017- till date).
- Project Management, Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Kamrang, South Sikkim (2017- till date).

OTHER ACADEMIC CONTRIBUTIONS AND PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Member of New Education Policy (NEP), Sikkim Government College Namchi, Kamrang, South Sikkim (August 2021- till date).
- Member of Admission Committee, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Kamrang, South Sikkim (2022- 2023).
- Member of Internal Quality Assessment Cell (IQAC), Sikkim Government College Namchi, Kamrang, South Sikkim (August 2021- till date).
- Presiding Officer, Sikkim State Panchayat Election (November 2022)
- Member of Admission Committee, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Kamrang, South Sikkim (2018- 2019).
- Member of Internal Quality Assessment Cell (IQAC), Sikkim Government College Namchi, Kamrang, South Sikkim (August 2018- February 2020).
- Care Taker Officer (CTO) National Cadet Corps (NCC), 4th Sikkim NCC Battalion, Kamrang South Sikkim, Sikkim Government College Namchi (August 2018 – till date).
- Head of the Department, Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College Namchi, Kamrang, South Sikkim (July 2017- July 2019).
- Presiding Officer, Sikkim State Panchayat Election (October 2017)

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Academic Qualifications

Course Name	College/School/University	Year of Passing	Marks Obtained
M.A. Economics	Department of Economics, DU (DSE)	2018	1 st Division
B.A. (Hons.) Economics	Shri Ram College of Commerce, DU (SRCC)	2015	1 st Division
12 th Class – CBSE	Mayo College, Ajmer	2012	92.75%
10 th Class – CBSE	Mayo College, Ajmer	2010	86.00%

- **Cleared National Eligibility Test (NET July 2018) Subject- Economics with 57.33 %**
(Cut off- 44 %)

Academic Achievements/ Awards and Accomplishments

- Scholarship for scoring highest in Mathematics in Class XII batch 2012
- Awarded for scoring above 90% in Class XII 2012
- Selected for the Indo-French Exchange Programme with the School, Lycee Guy Mollet , Arras. May 2010
 - Among the 12 students who visited France for the exchange programme for 18 days to represent our school Mayo College to build a strong Indo-French Students relation.

Positions of Responsibility

- **DU Students Union Central Councilor, SRCC** 2013-2014 ◦ Represented College in DU Students Union
 - Acting as a link to convey information and help in dealing with students grievances , between the respective college and Delhi University unions.
 - One role being removing the Compulsory Test in Hindi(CTH) for students in the college of North Eastern region of the country who were facing problems in giving the particular subsidiary paper.
- **Senior Executive Member, The Travelers Society, SRCC** 2015
 - *Part of the organizing team in the society's fest in Crossroads, SRCC the main fest of the college.*

Extra-curricular Activities/Social Work

- **Music**
 - *Member, Catharsis: Western Music Society, SRCC:* Performed at UKIERI - Indian Cultural Programme; 2013
 - Represented college at several inter-college competitions and college festivals 2012-14 ◦ *Member, Western Music Band, Mayo College:* Performed at various events; awarded 'college cravats' by school 2007-2012

- **Football** ○ Participated in various inter-college and intra-college tournaments 2007-2009 ○ As a member of U-14 Schools Football Team, participated in district and IPSC tournaments 2007-2009
- **Hockey**
 - *Member, Hockey Team, Mayo College:* Participated in various IPSC and district tournaments; 2008-12
 - Joint winners in U-19 district tournament 2011

Interests and Hobbies

- Passionate of playing Guitar and also learning more.
- Playing, watching and following football in my free time and also participating in any open tournaments.
- Reading books and novels, with keen Interest in thriller and suspense books. ○ Avid Follower of Arsenal FC, a club in the English Premier League.

FACULTY DETAILS
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS



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ACADEMIC DETAILS

MEMBERS OF ANY COMMITTEE/ BODIES	Canteen Management Committee Academic Councilor IGNOU(2021-till date)
WORKSHOP ORGANISER	Organised the Workshop on “ <u>Application of Statistical Techniques and Data Analysis in Social Science</u> ” Dated:17 th May to 21 st May 2022.

SEMINARS/WORKSHOP ATTENDED	I. Workshop attended on “Internatinal Workshop on Qualitative Research Design and Application of Software” organized by International Sociological Research Organisation Dated 29th Jaunary to 05th February 2022. II. International Seminar on “Adhunik Bharatiya Nepali Sahityama Dalit Ra Subaltern Chintan” organized by Department of Nepali,SGC Namchi Dated:4th May to 6th May 2022. III. Workshop on “Recent Trends in Nanophysics and Spectroscopy” Organized by Department of physics Dated:9th may to 11th may 2022.
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SIGNATURE

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Date of Birth: 25/03/1993

Gender: Male

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Present Nationality: Indian

Languages spoken English, Nepali, Hindi.

EDUCATION:

Indian Certificate of Secondary Education, 10th in the year 2009 and 12th in the year 2011, St. Augustine's School, Kalimpong, West Bengal.

Bachelor of Science in Economics, Symbiosis School of Economics, Symbiosis International University Pune. June 2015.

M.A. Applied Economics, Centre for Development Studies (Jawaharlal Nehru University). June 2019. Submitted Master's Thesis under Prof U S Mishra in the 4th Semester. Topic: Elementary Education in India, A comparative study of Private and Public Schools using the input indicator index.

WORK HISTORY:

Taught Cambridge AS & A level Economics & Business Studies,
Taktse International School, Gangtok, Sikkim. 737107, (Feb 2016 to May 2017)
Supervisor: Ms. Yolmo Sherpa.

Field Assistant: ICSSR project, Sikkim University: Economics of Organic Farming in Sikkim.
(May 2019)

Assistant Professor: Sikkim Government College, Namchi. (March 2020 – present)

TRAINING AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

Internships:

Rural Management Development Department, Govt. of Sikkim, MGNREGA assets impact assessment (2012). Published a report entitled Impact Assessment of Assets created under MGNREGA in Naitam Nandok, Sikkim. (05 June 2012 to 15 July 2012)

Bajaj Allianz life Insurance, Gangtok Branch 2013. Conducted a field survey and submitted a report to understand the life insurance sector in Gangtok, Sikkim. (03 June 2013 to 28 June 2013)

OTHERS:

Knowledge of MS Office, E-views, Stata.

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Empirical & theoretical research interests in the field of Education, Agriculture, Public Health and demography.

ECONOMICS HONOURS SYLLABUS

Semester	Paper No	Papers	Credits	Marks
I	ECO-UG-E101	Microeconomics – I	4	100
II	ECO-UG-E201	Macroeconomics – I	4	100
III	ECO-UG-E301	Economic Development & Policy in India	4	100
IV	ECO-UG-C401	Microeconomics –II	4	100
	ECO-UG-C402	Mathematics for Economics	4	100
V	ECO-UG-C501	Macroeconomics – II	4	100
	ECO-UG-C502	Statistics for Economics	4	100
VI	ECO-UG-C601	International Economics	4	100
	ECO-UG-C602	Basic Econometrics	4	100

ECO-UG-E101: Microeconomics – I

Unit I: Introduction

Problem of Scarcity and Choice: Concept of Production Possibility Curve (Excluding section on index numbers); Demand & Supply: Determinants of Demand; Movements vs. Shifts in Demand Curve; Determinants of Supply, Movements along a Supply Curve vs. Shifts in Supply Curve. Market Equilibrium and Price Determination; Law of Demand and its Criticism, Elasticity of Demand and Supply; Applications of Demand and Supply, Taxes (unit) and Subsidies.

Unit II: Consumer Theory

Cardinal Utility Theory: Concept of Utility: Marginal Utility and Total Utility; Consumer's Equilibrium, Marginal valuation, Equi-marginal utility, Consumer's Demand Curve, Consumer's Surplus; Paradox of Value; Ordinal Utility Theory: Indifference Curve Approach; Consumer's Preferences; Indifference Curves, Budget Line; Consumer's Equilibrium Income and Substitution Effects, Price Consumption Curve and the derivation of Demand Curve for a commodity, Income consumption path, Engel's Law.

Unit III: Production and Costs

Production: Firm as an agent of production; Concept of Production Function; Law of variable proportions; Isoquants; Returns to scale, Economies & Diseconomies of scale.

Costs: Costs in the short run; Costs in the long run; Profit maximization and Cost minimization; Equilibrium of the firm, Technical/Technological Change; the very long run.

Unit IV: Market Structures

Theory of perfect competition: Assumptions; Theory of a firm under perfect competition; Average & Marginal Revenue; Equilibrium of the firm in the short run and long run. The long-run industry supply curve; increasing, decreasing and constant cost industry. Allocative Efficiency under perfect competition.

Theory of a monopoly firm: Short run and long run equilibrium of a monopoly firm, Concept of Supply curve under Monopoly; Allocative Inefficiency & dead weight loss under Monopoly; Price Discrimination.

Theory of monopolistic competition: Assumptions: Short-run Equilibrium; Long run Equilibrium; Concept of Excess Capacity; Empirical relevance. Oligopoly: Features. Causes for the existence of oligopolistic firms in the market rather than Perfectly Competitive Firms in the Market;

References

- Lipsey, R.G. & Chrystal, K.A: Principles of Economics, Latest edition. Oxford University Press.
- Mankiw, N.G. (2007): Economics: Principles and Applications, 4th edition, Cengage (India).
- Salvatore, Dominick (2006): Micro Economics: Theory and Applications, 4th edition, Oxford University Press.
- Koutsoyiannis, A (1990): Modern micro Economics. Macmillan, London.
- Pyndick, R.S., and D.S. Rubinfeld (2007) Microeconomics, Prentice Hall of India Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.

ECO-UG-E201: Macroeconomics – II

Unit I: National Income Accounting

National Income: Concepts and measurement, and Related Aggregates; Gross and Net National Income; Nominal and Real Income; Limitations of the GDP concept. Environmental concerns in national accounts- green accounting.

Unit II: Keynesian Theory of Income Determination

Concept of Aggregate Demand and Aggregate Supply; Concept of Effective Demand; Consumption Function; Average and Marginal propensity to consume; factors influencing consumption spending; Concepts of Saving and Investment Function; The concept of Investment Multiplier (Static); Fiscal Policy: Impact of Changes in Govt. Expenditure and Taxes.

Unit III: Money in the Modern Economy

Concept of Money; Quantity Theory of Money - Cash Transaction and Cash Balance Approaches; Demand for Money; The Keynes's Liquidity Preference theory of Interest; Supply of Money; Functions of Commercial and Central Bank; Credit Creation; Credit control methods of Central Bank.

Unit IV: Balance of Trade, Balance of Payment and Exchange Rate

Basis of Trade; Absolute and Comparative Advantage; Arguments for Free Trade and Protection; Concept of Balance of Trade; Balance of Payments- Current and Capital Account; Market for Foreign Exchange; Determination of Exchange Rates.

References:

- Lipsey, R.G. & Chrystal, K.A : Principles of Economics, Latest edition, Oxford University Press.

- Mankiw, N.G. (2007): Economics: Principles and Applications, 4th edition, Cengage (India).
- Froyen, R.T (2003): Macroeconomics: Theories and Policies. Pearson India.
- Shapiro, E. (1996): Macroeconomic Analysis, Galgotia Publications, New Delhi.

ECO-UG-E301: Economic Development and Policy in India–II

Section - A: Issues in Development and Planning with references to India

Unit I: Characteristics and causes of underdeveloped countries with special reference to India

Role of Technology, Sustainability and institutional factors.

Employment in the organized and unorganized sectors; Open unemployment; Underemployment and Disguised Unemployment; Rural and Urban Unemployment in India; Employment generation schemes and their impact.

Unit II: Current Issues in Indian Planning

Objectives and their Critical evaluation. Growth of self-reliance; Inequality Reduction; Poverty Alleviation; Modernisation and Competitiveness; Impact of Economic Reforms.

Section -B: Sectoral Aspects of the Indian Economy

Unit III: Agriculture and Industry

Agriculture: Its importance in the Indian Economy, Problems and solutions regarding low productivity; agricultural credit; agricultural labour; agricultural marketing and agricultural pricing.

Industry: Industrial Policy; pre- and post- 1991. Relative roles of large and small scale, Public Vs Private sector, role and forms of foreign capital Foreign Institutional Capital; Foreign Direct Investment.

Unit IV: Foreign Trade

Role and importance of foreign trade in India, The Balance of Trade and the Balance of Payments situation in India; World Trade Organisation (WTO).

References

- Todaro, M and Smith, S (2008): Economic Development in the Third World, 8th edition, Pearson Education, India.
- Kapila Uma: “Indian Economy since Independence”, Latest edition, Academic Foundation.
- Bhaduri, Amit (2009): “The Face You were Afraid to See”, Penguin.
- Mishra & Puri: “Indian Economy”, (Latest Edition), Himalayan Publishing House.
- Datta & Sundaram: “Indian Economy” (Latest Edition), S. Chand & Company Ltd, New Delhi.

ECO-UG-C401: Micro Economics – II

Unit I: Consumer Theory

Consumer Preferences: Assumptions about Preferences; Indifference Curve; Marginal Rate of Substitution; Budget Line; Consumer Choice: Optimal Choice; Price, Income, Substitution effects- Hicksian Approach and Slutsky Approach- Compensating and Equivalent Variation in Income; Price Offer Curve and the Demand Curve; Normal and Inferior Goods; Income and Substitution effects in case of inferior and Giffen Goods; Income Offer Curves and Engel Curves; Ordinary and Compensated demand curves; Indifference curves in exceptional cases.

Unit II: Theory of Production and Cost

Concept of Production Function; Production with one variable input; Production with two variable inputs; Isoquant and Economic Region of production; Marginal Rate of Technical Substitution; Optimal Input Combination; Constrained Output Maximization and Cost Minimization; Expansion Path; Elasticity of Substitution; Scale Elasticity of output: Wicksell Johnson Theorem; Cobb-Douglas Production function (Basic properties only); Concept of Cost Function; Cost in the Short Run and Long Run.

Unit III: Market Structure and Game Theory

Review of Perfect Competition and Monopoly; Pricing with market power; Price Discrimination, Peakload Pricing, Two-part tariff; Monopolistic competition- Equilibrium in the Short Run and the Long Run; Oligopoly- Characteristics; Conjectural variation and reaction patterns; Oligopoly Models: Cournot, Sweezy, Stackleberg and Collusive Oligopoly; Competition versus Collusion - the Prisoner's Dilemma; Game theory and Strategic Decisions- Noncooperative versus Cooperative Games; Dominant Strategies; The Nash Equilibrium.

Unit IV: Market Failure

Externalities- Negative externalities and inefficiency; Positive externalities and inefficiency; Ways of Correcting Market Failure; Externalities and Property Rights; Common Property Resources; Public Goods- Efficiency and Public Goods; Public Goods and Market Failure; Markets with Asymmetric Information- Quality Uncertainty and the Market for Lemons; Adverse Selection; Moral Hazards.

References

- Pyndick, R.S., and D.S. Rubinfeld (2007) Microeconomics, Prentice Hall of India Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.
- Bernheim, D and Whinston, M (2009): Microeconomics, Tata McGraw Hill, India.
- Varian, Hal (2006): Intermediate Microeconomics, A Modern Approach, 7th edition; Affiliated East-West Press.
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- Salvatore Dominick (2003) Microeconomics: Theory and Applications; 4th Edition, Oxford University Press.
- Koutsoyiannis, A (1990): Modern micro Economics. Macmillan, London.

ECO-UG-C402: Mathematics for Economics – II

Unit I: Elementary Linear Algebra

The Theory of Sets, vectors, Linear and Convex Combination of Vectors, Linear Independence and Convex sets.

Matrices and Matrix Operations: Addition, Scalar Multiplication, Matrix Multiplication. The Transpose, The Inverse of a Square Matrix. Rank of a matrix. Matrix Methods of Solution and Cramer's rule

Determinants: Definition, Properties, Minors and Cofactors, Singularity and Invertibility; the Adjoint Matrix and formula for the inverse. Illustrations of the application in economic analysis.

Unit II: Differential Calculus

Concept of Variables, Constants, Parameters, Functions and Limits; Derivatives of Algebraic functions; Exponential, Logarithmic functions; Parametric differentiation; product and quotient rules; Successive differentiation (up to second order); Partial Differentiation. Illustrations of the applications in economic analysis.

Unit III: Integral Calculus

Indefinite and Definite Integrals: Integration by Parts and Integration by Substitution. Differential equations: Solution processes for first and second order equations. Illustrations of the applications in economic analysis.

Unit IV: Maxima and Minima Concepts

Slope of a curve; Maxima and Minima; Points of Inflexion; Euler's Theorem; Lagrange's Method. Illustrations of the applications in economic analysis.

References:

- Chiang, Alpha C (1974): Fundamental Methods of Mathematical Economics, 3rd edition, McGraw Hill.
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- Henderson, J.M. and Quandt, R.E. (1980): Micro Economic Theory: A Mathematical Approach, McGraw Hill Book Co., New York.
- Sydsaeter, K and Hammond, P (1995): Mathematics for Economics, Pearson Education (India).
- Weber, Jean, E. (1982): Mathematical Analysis: Business and Economic Applications, Harper and Row Publishers, New York.
- Allen, R.G.D. (1974): Mathematical Analysis for Economists, Macmillan and Co., London.

ECO-UG-C501: Macroeconomics – II

Unit I: Theories of Consumption and Investment

Consumption Theory: Absolute Income Hypothesis, Life Cycle Hypothesis; Relative Income Hypothesis; Permanent Income Hypothesis.

Investment Theory: Relationship between MEC and MEI; MEC Criterion and PV Criterion; Acceleration Principle; Flexible Accelerator Model.

Unit II: The Closed Economy in the Short Run

IS-LM Model; Fiscal and Monetary Multipliers; Aggregate Demand and

Aggregate Supply.

Unit III: Inflation and Aggregate Supply Curve

Inflation - Definition, Types, Causes and Effects of Inflation on different sectors of the Economy; Demand-Pull and Cost-Push Inflation; Measures to control Inflation; Phillips curve; Adaptive Expectations.

Unit IV: Open Economy Models

Short Run Open Economy Models; The Mundell-Fleming Model. Solow Model; Concepts of Endogenous Growth.

References:

- Dornbusch, R and Fischer, S (2005): Macroeconomics, 6th edition, Tata McGraw Hill.
- Mankiw, N.G (2007) : Macroeconomics, 6th edition, Worth Publishers (India).
- Blanchard, O (2006): Macroeconomics, 4th edition, Pearson Education (India).

ECO-UG-C502: Statistics for Economics

Unit I: Univariate Frequency Distributions

Mean, Median & Mode; Range, Quartile deviation, mean deviation and standard deviation; Coefficient of variation; Central and non-central moments; Skewness and Kurtosis.

Unit II: Bivariate Frequency Distributions

Bivariate data; Scatter Diagram; Covariance; Simple Correlation Coefficient; Properties of Correlation Coefficient; Calculations of Correlation Coefficient; Concept of Regression; Properties of Linear regression; Relationship between Correlation Coefficient and Regression Coefficient ; Rank Correlation- Spearman's Rank Correlation Coefficient.

Unit III: Probability Theory

Concepts of Sample Space and Events, Meaning of probability; Classical definition of Probability and the Axiomatic Approach; The Addition Rule; The multiplication Theorems of Total Probability; Conditional Probability and Stochastic Independence; Baye's Formula, Random variables, Density function, Joint Density Function, Marginal and Conditional Distributions; Expectation and Variance of Random Variables.

Unit IV: Moment: Theoretical Distributions

Discrete Variables: Binomial Distribution- Properties of Binomial Distribution; Mean and Standard deviation.

Normal Distribution- Properties of the Normal Distribution; Normal Distribution as limiting forms of Binomial Distributions; Importance of the Normal Distribution in Statistics.

References:

- Goon, A, Gupta, M and Dasgupta,B (1986): Fundamentals of Statistics, Vols. 1 & 2. The World Press Private Limited, Calcutta.
- Hoel,P.G., Port,S.C. and Stone,C.J (1972): Introduction to Statistical Theory, Houghton Mifflin Co., Boston (also Universal Books,Delhi)
- Spiegel,M and Lindstrom,D(2010): Statistics,2nd edition, Schaum Series, McGraw Hill(India).
- Das, N.G.(2009): Statistical Methods (Part I & II), McGraw Hill (India).

ECO-UG-C601: International Economics**Section- A: International Trade Theory****Unit I: Introduction to the theory of International Trade**

Comparative Advantage: Ricardian, Specific-Factors and Heckscher-Ohlin Models; Terms of Trade, Immiserising Growth and the Transfer Problem.

Unit II: New Trade Theories

Economics of Scale and Imperfect Competition.

Section- B: International Economic Policy**Unit III: The Foreign Exchange Market and Exchange Rate Determination**

Open Economy Macroeconomics - Determination of Output, Interest Rates and Exchange Rates in the long and short run.

Unit IV: Macroeconomics Policy in an Open Economy and International Policy Coordination

Fixed and Flexible Exchange Rates.

References:

- Krugman, P and Obstfeld, M: International Economics: Theory and Policy, 6th edition, Pearson Education (India).
- Sodersten, Bo and Reed, G. (1994): International Economics, 3rd edition, Macmillan (India).

ECO-UG-C602: Basic Econometrics**Unit I: Introduction**

Definition and Scope of Econometrics; Methodology of Econometric Research; Method of Complete and Partial Enumeration; Population and Sample; Parameter and Statistic; Sampling Techniques; Random Sampling; Standard Error; Type-I and Type-II errors; Sampling Distribution of an Estimator; Mean and Variance of Sampling Distribution; Chi-Square Distribution; Student's *t*-distribution, Fisher's *t*-distribution; *F*-distribution.

Unit II: Theory of Estimation

Basic Concepts of Estimation- Point Estimation and Interval Estimation; Desirable Properties of an Estimator- Unbiased, Efficiency, Consistency and Sufficiency; Estimation of Parameters- Maximum Likelihood Method.

Unit III: Classical Linear Regression Model

Testing of Hypotheses and Confidence Intervals; Test based on Z, t and χ^2 (chi-square) Statistics. Concepts of Population Regression Function (PRF), Linearity, Stochastic Disturbance Term and Sample Regression Function (SRF); Assumptions of OLS Estimation; Derivation of Least Square Estimates (Two Variable); Properties of Least Square Estimates – The Gauss-Markov Theorem.

Unit IV: Extended CLRM

Extension of the Two Variable CLRM; The Coefficient of Determination R^2 and Adjusted R^2 , Partial correlation, Regression Analysis and Analysis of Variance, Qualitative Data; Concept and Use of Dummy Variables

References:

- Gujarati, D. (2005): Essentials of Econometrics, 3rd edition, McGraw Hill.
- Field, A. (2005): Discovering statistics using SPSS, 2nd edition, T. R. Publication, New Delhi.
- Goldberger, A. (1998): Introductory Econometrics, Harvard University Press.

EXPECTED LEARNING OUTCOME

COURSE: B.A. (HONOURS) ECONOMICS

1. Introduction:

The Bachelor of Arts (B.A) Honours in Economics is a full-time undergraduate degree course offered by Sikkim University that spans three years. This program is designed to provide students with a comprehensive understanding of economics and its various applications.

2. Learning Outcome:

During the course of the program, the students are expecting to study a wide range of subjects related to economics, including, microeconomics, macroeconomics, economic theory and policy, mathematical economics, econometrics, international economics and many more. The curriculum is structured to provide with a solid foundation in economic principles and theories while also exposing you to practical applications and analytical tools used in the field.

3. Aims of B.A (Honours) Economics:

To develop essential skills in critical thinking, data analysis, problem solving and decision making.

4. Graduate Attributes for graduates of B.A (Honours) Economics:

(i). Economic Knowledge: Graduates should have a comprehensive understanding of economic principles, theories, and concepts.

(ii). Analytical and Critical Thinking Skills: Graduates should be able to analyze economic problems, evaluate information, and think critically to develop well-reasoned arguments or solutions.

(iii). Quantitative Skills: Graduates should be proficient in using mathematical and statistical techniques to analyze economic data and draw conclusions.

(iv). Research and Data Analysis: Graduates should possess the ability to gather, interpret, and analyze economic data using appropriate research methodologies.

(v). Communication Skills: Graduates should be effective communicators, both orally and in writing, capable of conveying complex economic ideas and arguments to various audiences.

(vi). Problem-Solving Abilities: Graduates should be able to identify economic problems, propose solutions, and evaluate the potential impact of different courses of action.

(vii). Ethical and Social Responsibility: Graduates should understand the ethical implications of economic decisions and have an awareness of social and environmental issues related to economic activity.

(viii). Teamwork and Collaboration: Graduates should be able to work effectively as part of a team, cooperating with others to achieve common goals.

5. Sanctioned strength:

ACADEMIC YEAR	Sanctioned Strength
2019- 2020	60
2020-2021	60
2021-2022	60
2022-2023	60
2023-2024	60

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FINAL YEAR STUDENTS RESULT ANALYSIS

YEAR: 2019

SL. NO.	SUBJECT	PAPER CODE	NO OF STUDENTS APPEARED IN THE FINAL EXAMINATION	NO OF STUDENTS PASSED IN THE FINAL EXAMINATION
1	ECONOMICS	ECO-UG-C601	30	27
	ECONOMICS	ECO-UG-C602	30	27

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FINAL YEAR STUDENTS RESULT ANALYSIS

YEAR: 2020

SL. NO.	SUBJECT	PAPER CODE	NO OF STUDENTS APPEARED IN THE FINAL EXAMINATION	NO OF STUDENTS PASSED IN THE FINAL EXAMINATION
1	ECONOMICS	ECO-UG-C601	49	49
	ECONOMICS	ECO-UG-C602	49	49

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FINAL YEAR STUDENTS RESULT ANALYSIS

YEAR: 2021

SL. NO.	SUBJECT	PAPER CODE	NO OF STUDENTS APPEARED IN THE FINAL EXAMINATION	NO OF STUDENTS PASSED IN THE FINAL EXAMINATION
1	ECONOMICS	ECO-UG-C601	60	60
	ECONOMICS	ECO-UG-C602	60	60

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FINAL YEAR STUDENTS RESULT ANALYSIS

YEAR: 2022

SL. NO.	SUBJECT	PAPER CODE	NO OF STUDENTS APPEARED IN THE FINAL EXAMINATION	NO OF STUDENTS PASSED IN THE FINAL EXAMINATION
1	ECONOMICS	ECO-UG-C601	52	52
2	ECONOMICS	ECO-UG-C602	52	52

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FINAL YEAR STUDENTS RESULT ANALYSIS

YEAR: 2023

SL. NO.	SUBJECT	PAPER CODE	NO OF STUDENTS APPEARED IN THE FINAL EXAMINATION	NO OF STUDENTS PASSED IN THE FINAL EXAMINATION
1	ECONOMICS	ECO-UG-C601	67	61
2	ECONOMICS	ECO-UG-C602	67	60

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FINAL YEAR STUDENTS RESULT ANALYSIS

YEAR: 2024

SL. NO.	SUBJECT	PAPER CODE	NO OF STUDENTS APPEARED IN THE FINAL EXAMINATION	NO OF STUDENTS PASSED IN THE FINAL EXAMINATION
1	ECONOMICS	ECO-UG-C601	51	44
2	ECONOMICS	ECO-UG-C602	51	39

Students Details (2019-2024)

YEAR	HONOURS	GENERAL	TOTAL	GENDER RATIO
2019-20	176	120	296	156:140
2020-21	196	132	328	168:160
2021-22	184	140	324	165:159
2022-23	202	114	316	166:150
2023-24	195	130	325	162:163

List of students who are progressing to higher education since 2021

Year	Name of the Student	Programme graduated from	Dept graduated from	Name of the Institution joined	Name of the Programme admitted
2022	Susma Manger	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Nar Bahadur Bhandari Govt College, Tadong	Ma Economics
2022	Gayatri Darjee	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Sikkim Alpine University	Ma Economics
2022	Payal Chhetri	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Sikkim Alpine University	Ma Economics
2022	Anju Chettri	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Sikkim Alpine University	Ma Economics
2022	Nhisal Rai	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Sikkim Alpine University	Ma Economics
2022	NamHang Limboo	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Sikkim University	Ma Economics
2022	Yojna Pradhan	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Sikkim Alpine University	Ma Economics
2022	Mamta Tamang	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Sikkim Alpine University	Ma Economics
2022	Prakiti Rai	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Sikkim Alpine University	Ma Economics

2022	Anisha Gurung	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Sikkim Alpine University	Ma Economics
2023	Arun Pradhan	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Sikkim University	Ma Economics
2023	Aditya Chettri	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	SRM University	Ma Economics
2023	Devi Maya Mainali	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Sikkim University	Ma Economics
2023	Sangcho Doma Lepcha	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	NBBGC, Tadong	Ma Economics
2023	Suraksha Sharma	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	NBBGC, Tadong	Ma Economics
2023	Rupesh Chettri	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Sikkim University	Ma Economics
2023	Jigmit Lepcha	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	IGNOU	Ma Economics
2023	Michen Tamang	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	NBBGC, Tadong	Ma Economics
2023	Yashima Baraily	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	NBBGC, Tadong	Ma Economics

Students who qualified NET

Year	Student	Programme graduated from	Dept graduated from	NET	Year
2022	Jeet Bahadur Gurung	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Qualified	2022
2023	Binita Sherpa	B.A. Economics	Economics Department	Qualified	2023

List of students (B A Economics) placed during 2019-2023

Sl .no	Name of the student	Programme graduated from
1	Miss Sushmita Sundas Organic Field Assistant , chisopani, under FS &ADD (Govt of Sikkim) , 2019.	BA Economics , 2019
2	Miss Januka Chettri Organic Field Assistant, lower Deythang Ward, under FS & ADD (Govt of Sikkim)	BA Economics , 2019
3	Miss Subarna Rai Environment Assistant, Chemchey , under Forest , Environment & Wildlife Management Department (Govt Of Sikkim)	BA Economics , 2019
4	Mr Sunil Tamang Meter Reader, Rabong Sub -Division , Under Energy & Power Dept, (Govt Of Sikkim)	BA Economics , 2019
5	Nikita Pradhan Graduate Teacher , Arts (GTA) , Education Dept , Government Of Sikkim,	B A Economics, 2019

6	Nima Chozang Sherpa	B A Economics, 2019
	Marketing Assistant , under FS & ADD , Govt Of Sikkim	
7	Rabina Chettri	B A Economics , 2020
	Office In – Charge , Sikkim Global Technical University	
8	Prayas Rai	B A Economics , 2020
	Panchayat Account Assistant (Poklok-Denchung GPU)	
9	Tilarupa Sharma	B A Economics , 2020
	Business Development Executive, IndusInd Bank , Gangtok.	
10	Sarasatha Limboo	B A Economics , 2021
	Associate Sales Manager, Max Life Insurance Co. Ltd.	
11	Karishma Gurung	BA Economics, 2022
	CSA, Aroon Aviation Services , Pvt Ltd.	
12	Mr Tushar Rai	BA Economics , 2023
	Agniveer, Indian Army . 2022	

Sl .no	Name of the student	Programme graduated from
13	Miss Srijana Rai Office Attendant , State Bank Of Sikkim (Govt of Sikkim) , 6/03/ 2024.	BA Economics , 2024
14	Ms Bhumika Thatal Office Attendant under Education Department, Sorng District Govt Of Sikkim	B A Economics, 2024
15	Ms Sumitra Limboo Veterinary Attendant, under Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Service.	BA Economics , 2024
16	Ms Passang Doma Tamang Office Assistant, under Power Department , Namchi, Govt Of Sikkim	BA Economics , 2024
17	Ms Eden Bhutia Office Assistant, under Public Health & Engineering Dept Govt Of Sikkim	B A Economics, 2024

Sl .no	Name of the student	Programme graduated from
18	Ms Rosemary Gurung, Ofiice Assistant, under Food & Civil Supplies Department, Namchi Govt of Sikkim	BA Economics , 2024
19	Ms Alina Rai Office Assitant, under PHSC , Lingzo, under Health & Family Welfare Department Govt of Sikkim	B A Economics, 2024
20	Mr Gayas Rai Disaster Management Assistant , under Land Revenue &Disaster Management Department, Nmachi Govt Of Sikkim	BA Economics , 2024

DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES

AWARNESS PROGRAM ON CAREER PROSPECT IN RESERVE BANK OF INDIA ESPECIALLY FOR GILRS STUDENT.

Sikkim Government College, Namchi, 21st November 2022: A program was held at Sikkim Government College, Namchi auditorium by the Reserve Bank of India, Gangtok in collaboration with Sikkim Government College, Namchi. The program was conducted to make aware of working of Reserve Bank of India, its career eligibility criteria, procedure of applying and selection process. The main focus of the program was to create awareness and interest in a field of banking especially Reserve Bank of India. The program was attended by under graduate girl students from 5th, 3rd and 1st semester of various departments and also by 3rd semester M.Com students along with the teachers from Economics department and Career Counseling Committee.



Book Fair Visit by the Students of the Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College

Date: 27th April 2022

Venue: Kishan Bazar, Namchi



The students of the Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College, had the opportunity to visit a Book Fair organized by United Sikkim at Kishan Bazar, Namchi. The visit aimed to promote reading habits among students, provide access to a diverse range of books, and encourage intellectual development.

The students gathered at the college premises in the morning, where they were briefed about the purpose and expectations of the visit. They traveled to Kishan Bazar, Namchi, where the Book Fair was organized. Upon arrival, they were welcomed by the event organizers from United Sikkim.

The students enthusiastically explored the various book stalls set up at the fair. The stalls featured a wide range of books, including fiction, non-fiction, academic textbooks, poetry collections, and children's literature. The students had the opportunity to browse through the books, read summaries, and engage in discussions about their favorite genres and authors. They also had the chance to engage in conversations, seek recommendations, and gain insights into the writing and publishing process. These interactions fostered a deeper understanding and

appreciation for the literary world. The students were encouraged to purchase books of their interest. They had the freedom to choose from a wide selection of books available at the fair. The event organizers provided guidance and assistance in selecting appropriate books based on the students' preferences and academic requirements.



The Department of Economics and United Sikkim should be commended for organizing such an engaging and educational event. The Book Fair visit has undoubtedly played a crucial role in promoting reading habits and nurturing a literary culture among the students. It is hoped that such initiatives will continue in the future, providing opportunities for students to explore the world of books and expand their intellectual horizons.

Book Fair Visit by the Students of the Department of Economics

Venue: Namchi, South Sikkim

Introduction:

The students of the Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College, had the opportunity to visit a Book Fair organized by United Sikkim at Kishan Bazar, Namchi. The visit aimed to promote reading habits among students, provide access to a diverse range of books, and encourage intellectual development.



Departure and Arrival:

The students gathered at the college premises in the morning, where they were briefed about the purpose and expectations of the visit. They travelled to Kishan Bazar, Namchi, where the Book Fair was organized. Upon arrival, they were welcomed by the event organizers from United Sikkim.

Exploration of Book Stalls:

The students enthusiastically explored the various book stalls set up at the fair. The stalls featured a wide range of books, including fiction, non-fiction, academic textbooks, poetry collections, and children's literature. The students had the opportunity to browse through the books, read summaries, and engage in discussions about their favourite genres and authors.

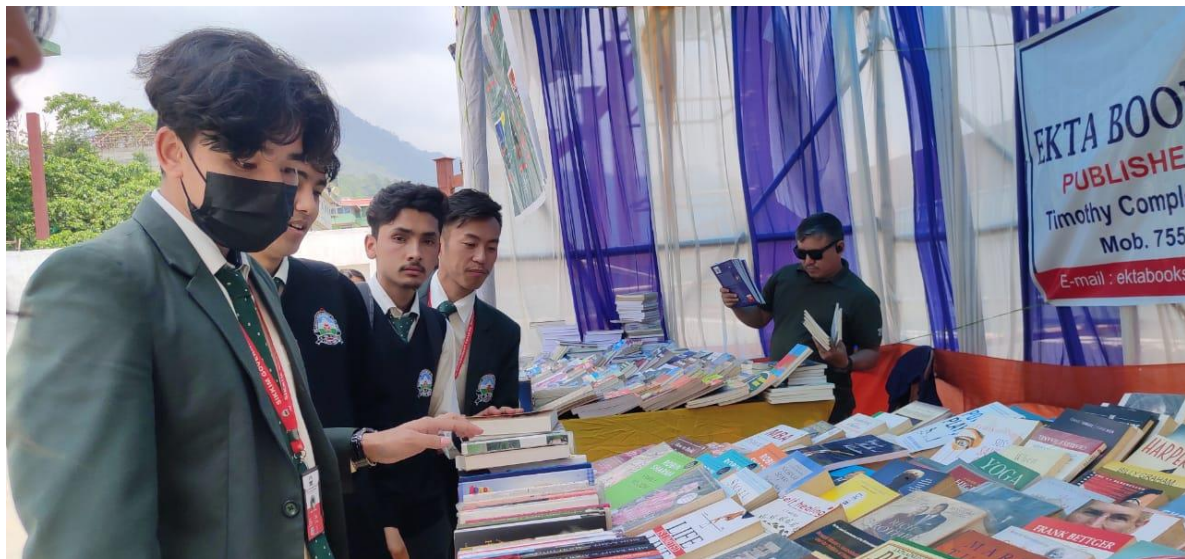
Interactions with Publishers and Authors:

The Book Fair provided a unique opportunity for the students to interact with publishers and authors present at the event. They had the chance to engage in conversations, seek recommendations, and gain insights into the writing and publishing process. These interactions fostered a deeper understanding and appreciation for the literary world.



Book Purchases:

The students were encouraged to purchase books of their interest. They had the freedom to choose from a wide selection of books available at the fair. The event organizers provided guidance and assistance in selecting appropriate books based on the students' preferences and academic requirements.



Discussions and Book Reviews:

After the visit, the students participated in discussions and book review sessions. They shared their experiences, discussed their favorite books, and recommended titles to their peers. These discussions aimed to encourage further reading and exchange of ideas among the students.

Conclusion:

The Book Fair visit organized by United Sikkim provided an enriching experience for the students of the Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College. The event fostered a love for reading, provided exposure to a diverse range of literature, and encouraged intellectual growth. The interaction with publishers and authors added value to the visit, allowing the students to gain insights into the world of writing and publishing.

Report: Cleanliness and Plantation Drive Programme

Date: 3rd June 2022

Venue: Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College, Namchi

The Department of Economics at Sikkim Government College, Namchi, organized Cleanliness and Plantation Drive Programme on 3rd June 2022. The event aimed to celebrate World Environment Day and promote sustainable practices among students and the local community. The programme focused on two main activities: a plantation drive and a cleanliness drive. More than 100 students and faculties of the department actively participated in these initiatives.



Plantation Drive:

The plantation drive was one of the main highlights of the Environment Day Programme. The participants gathered at a designated location near the college campus, equipped with saplings and gardening tools. They were divided into smaller groups, and each group was assigned an area for plantation. The students and faculties worked collaboratively to dig holes, plant saplings, and provide them with adequate care. The plantation drive aimed to enhance the green cover in the vicinity and contribute to environmental conservation. The participants showed enthusiasm and dedication, displaying their commitment towards creating a greener and healthier ecosystem.

Cleanliness Campaign:

Parallel to the plantation drive, a cleanliness campaign was organized within the college campus and its surroundings. The participants, armed with gloves, masks, and garbage bags, embarked

on a mission to clean up littered areas. They covered the college premises, streets, collecting and properly disposing of waste materials. The cleanliness campaign aimed to raise awareness about the importance of waste management, cleanliness, and the adverse effects of littering on the environment.



Conclusion:

The Department of Economics and Sikkim Government College, Namchi, are commended for organizing such a meaningful and impactful event. It is hoped that the enthusiasm and dedication displayed by the participants will inspire others to join in similar initiatives and continue their efforts towards environmental preservation and ecosystem restoration in the future.

Environment Day Programme on 5th June 2023

Date: 5th June 2023

Venue: Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College, Namchi

Introduction:

The Department of Economics at Sikkim Government College, Namchi, organized an Environment Day Programme on 5th June 2023. The event aimed to celebrate World Environment Day and promote sustainable practices among students and the local community. The programme focused on two main activities: a plantation drive and a cleanliness campaign. Faculties and approximately 50 students actively participated in these initiatives.



Plantation Drive:

The plantation drive was one of the main highlights of the Environment Day Programme. The participants gathered at a designated location near the college campus, equipped with saplings and gardening tools. They were divided into smaller groups, and each group was assigned an area for plantation. The students and faculties worked collaboratively to dig holes, plant saplings, and provide them with adequate care. The plantation drive aimed to enhance the green cover in the vicinity and contribute to environmental conservation. The participants showed enthusiasm and dedication, displaying their commitment towards creating a greener and healthier ecosystem.

Cleanliness Campaign:

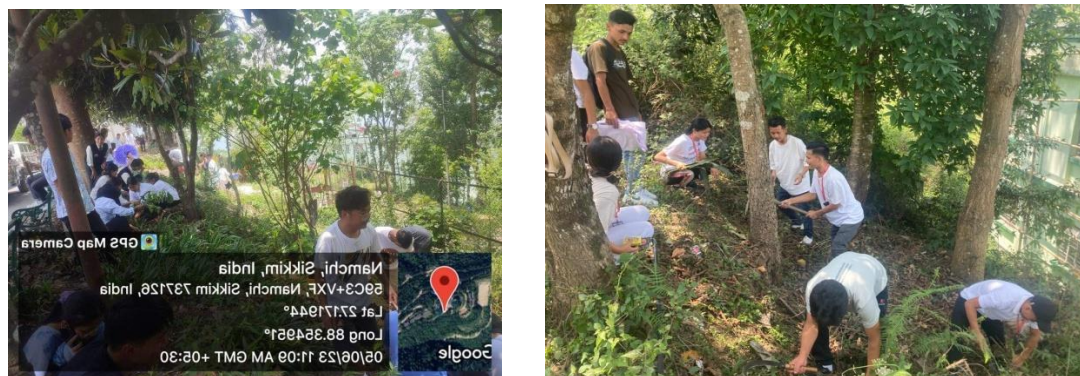
Parallel to the plantation drive, a cleanliness campaign was organized within the college campus and its surroundings. The participants, armed with gloves, masks, and garbage bags, embarked on a mission to clean up littered areas. They covered the college premises, nearby parks, and streets, collecting and properly disposing of waste materials. The cleanliness campaign aimed to raise awareness about the importance of waste management, cleanliness, and the adverse effects

of littering on the environment. The participants actively engaged with the local community and encouraged them to maintain cleanliness and proper waste disposal practices.



Theme: "Ecosystem Restoration"

The Environment Day Programme aligned with the theme of "Ecosystem Restoration" for 2023. The activities conducted during the event directly contributed to ecosystem restoration by planting trees and maintaining cleanliness in the surroundings. The plantation drive aimed to restore the natural habitat and promote biodiversity, while the cleanliness campaign focused on restoring a clean and healthy environment. By adhering to this year's theme, the participants actively played their part in protecting and rejuvenating the ecosystems in and around Namchi.

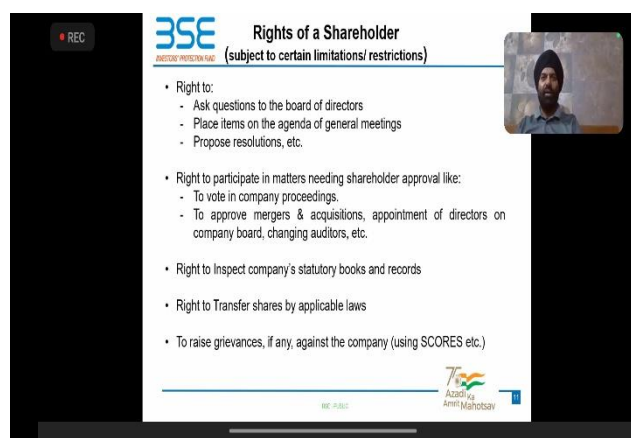


Conclusion:

The Environment Day Programme organized by the Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College, Namchi, was a resounding success. The active participation of faculties and approximately 50 students in the plantation drive and cleanliness campaign showcased their commitment to environmental conservation and sustainable practices. The event not only celebrated World Environment Day but also instilled a sense of responsibility and awareness among the participants and the local community. By aligning the activities with the theme of "Ecosystem Restoration," the programme emphasized the importance of preserving and restoring the natural environment for a sustainable future.

FINANCIAL LITERACY SESSION REPORT

On June 6th 2023, SV Wealth Partners organized an online financial literacy session in collaboration with Sikkim Government College, Namchi. The session, conducted via Zoom, aimed to assist students in managing their finances. Mr. Shamsheer Singh, a Certified Financial Planner, served as the trainer for the one-hour program. Approximately 60 students from B.A. Economics and B.Com participated in the session, which covered important topics such as SEBI, primary and secondary markets, trading and demat accounts, due diligence, public issues, and shareholder rights. The session aimed to provide participants with a basic understanding of these concepts, empowering them to make informed investment decisions and protecting their rights as shareholders. Overall, the session proved to be a significant step towards enhancing the financial literacy of the students and equipping them with essential skills for making informed financial decisions.



BSE Rights of a Shareholder
(subject to certain limitations/ restrictions)

- Right to:
 - Ask questions to the board of directors
 - Place items on the agenda of general meetings
 - Propose resolutions, etc.
- Right to participate in matters needing shareholder approval like:
 - To vote in company proceedings.
 - To approve mergers & acquisitions, appointment of directors on company board, changing auditors, etc.
- Right to Inspect company's statutory books and records
- Right to Transfer shares by applicable laws
- To raise grievances, if any, against the company (using SCORES etc.)

75th Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav



BSE Primary vs Secondary Market : Key Differentiation

Feature	Primary Market	Secondary Market
Definition	Market where new issue for the public.	Market where already issued and held securities are traded.
Also called as	New Issue Market	Used Issue Market
Flow	One-way flow from issuer to investor.	Two-way flow between investors.
Key Differentiation	Primary market is for new issues of securities.	Secondary market is for existing securities.
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Shamsheer Singh's screen

6th June, 2023
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Financial Literacy Session
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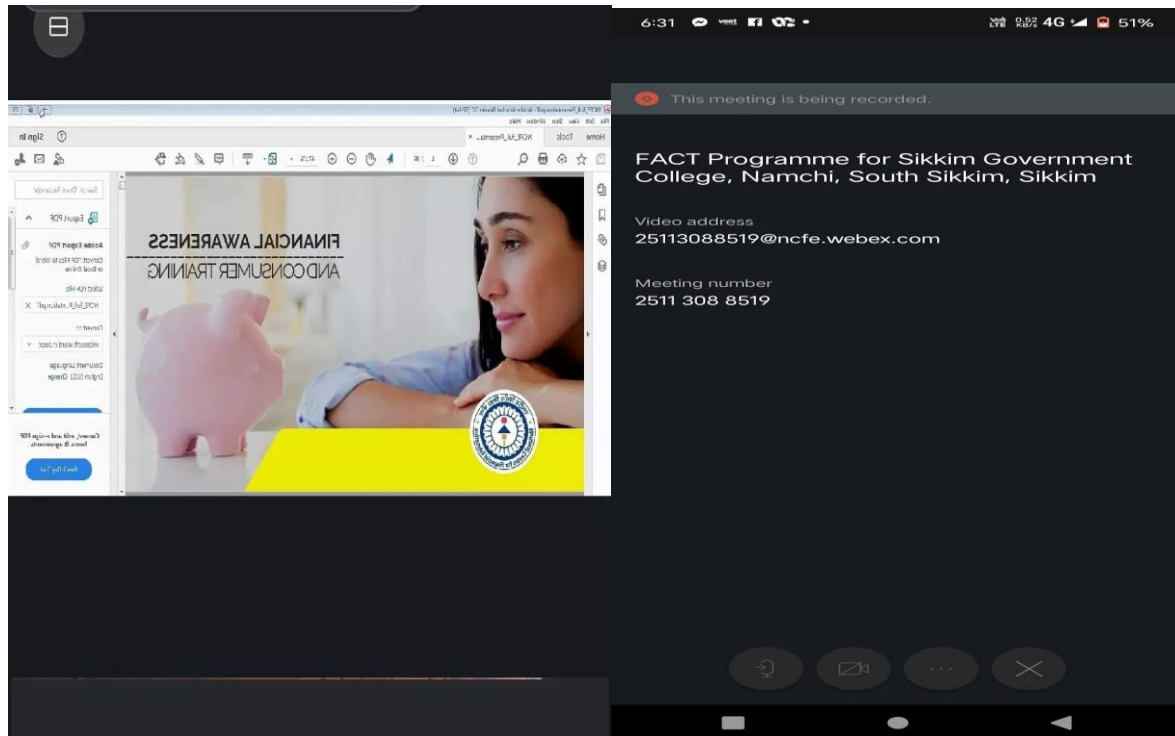
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 Mr. Shamsheer Singh
 Certified Financial Planner

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Financial Awareness and Consumer Training Programme

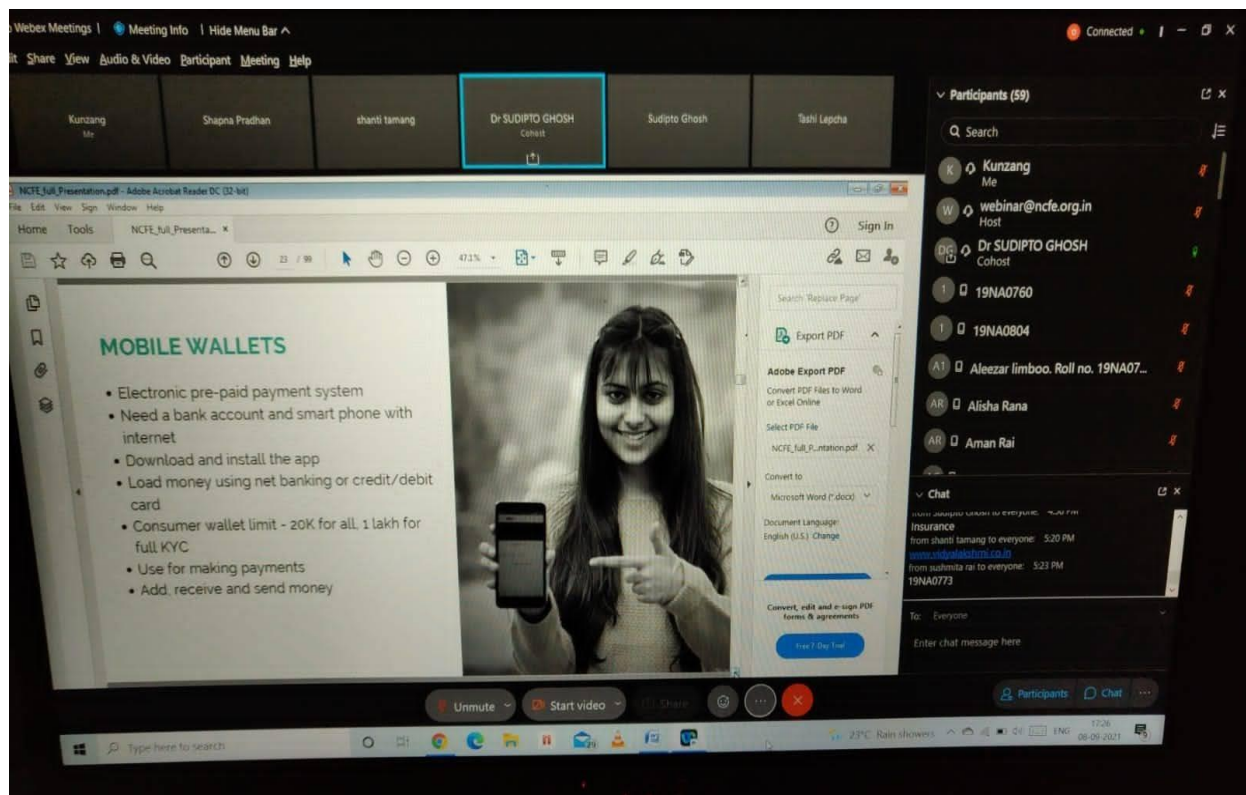
Date: September 8, 2021

Venue: Online Platform



Introduction:

The Department of Economics, in collaboration with the National Centre for Financial Education (NCFE), organized an Online Financial Awareness and Consumer Training Programme on September 8, 2021. The event aimed to enhance participants' knowledge and understanding of financial management, consumer rights, and responsible financial behavior. Dr. Sudipto Ghosh, a renowned expert in the field, served as the resource person for the programme.



Welcome Address and Introduction:

The event commenced with a welcome address by the Head of the Department of Economics, who expressed gratitude to the participants and introduced the importance of financial awareness and consumer training in today's world. The objectives and agenda of the programme were presented to the attendees.

Keynote Address by Dr. Sudipto Ghosh:

Dr. Sudipto Ghosh, a distinguished financial expert, delivered a keynote address, highlighting the significance of financial literacy and consumer awareness. He emphasized the need for individuals to develop skills and knowledge to make informed financial decisions and protect their consumer rights. Dr. Ghosh shared practical insights and real-life examples to engage the participants and provide them with valuable information.

Sessions on Financial Management:

The programme featured interactive sessions on various aspects of financial management. Participants were educated on topics such as budgeting, saving, investment options, debt management, and retirement planning. The sessions aimed to equip individuals with the necessary tools to manage their finances effectively and make informed decisions for their financial well-being.

Consumer Rights and Responsibilities:

Understanding consumer rights and responsibilities is essential for making informed choices and protecting oneself from unfair practices. The programme included sessions dedicated to enlightening participants about their rights as consumers, the redressal mechanisms available, and the importance of responsible consumption. Participants were encouraged to actively engage in discussions and share their experiences related to consumer issues.

Q&A Session:

An interactive question and answer session provided an opportunity for participants to seek clarifications on various financial and consumer-related matters. Dr. Sudipto Ghosh patiently addressed the queries and provided valuable insights to enhance participants' understanding.

Conclusion:

The Online Financial Awareness and Consumer Training Programme organized by the Department of Economics, in collaboration with the National Centre for Financial Education (NCFE), was a resounding success. The event facilitated the dissemination of valuable knowledge and information related to financial management and consumer rights. The presence of Dr. Sudipto Ghosh, a renowned expert in the field, enriched the sessions and provided participants with practical insights.

By organizing this programme, the Department of Economics demonstrated its commitment to equipping individuals with the necessary financial knowledge and skills. Such initiatives play a vital role in empowering individuals to make informed financial decisions, promoting responsible consumption, and protecting consumer rights. The collaboration with the National Centre for Financial Education further enhanced the impact of the programme, ensuring that participants received comprehensive and reliable information.

Swachh Bharat Abhiyan Programme on 8th May 2023

Date: 8th May 2023

Venue: Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College, Namchi

Introduction:

The Department of Economics at Sikkim Government College, Namchi, organized a programme on 8th May 2023 to promote the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan (Clean India Mission). The event aimed to create awareness about cleanliness and sanitation practices among students and the local community. The programme centered around a cleanliness drive conducted by the second-semester Economics Honours students, comprising approximately 50 participants.



Cleanliness Drive:

The cleanliness drive formed the focal point of the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan programme. The students, equipped with cleaning tools, gloves, and masks, gathered at the designated location within the college premises. They were divided into smaller groups and assigned specific areas for cleaning. The participants worked diligently, sweeping and picking up litter, removing debris, and ensuring the surroundings were spotless. They focused on areas such as classrooms, corridors, the college campus, and nearby public spaces.

Awareness Campaign:

In conjunction with the cleanliness drive, an awareness campaign was conducted to educate the participants and the local community about the importance of cleanliness and sanitation. The

students prepared informative posters and banners, displaying messages related to maintaining cleanliness, proper waste disposal, and personal hygiene. They distributed pamphlets and engaged in one-on-one conversations with individuals to explain the objectives and significance of the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan. The awareness campaign aimed to motivate people to adopt cleanliness as a way of life and create a healthier and more hygienic environment.

Collaboration with Local Authorities:

To ensure the effectiveness of the programme, the Department of Economics collaborated with local authorities responsible for waste management and sanitation. Representatives from the municipal corporation and community organizations were invited to the event. They interacted with the participants, provided guidance on waste segregation, and highlighted the initiatives taken by the government to promote cleanliness and hygiene. This collaboration enhanced the impact of the programme and fostered a sense of collective responsibility towards maintaining cleanliness in the community.

Conclusion:

The Swachh Bharat Abhiyan programme organized by the Department of Economics, Sikkim Government College, Namchi, was a commendable initiative. The active participation of around 50 second-semester Economics Honours students in the cleanliness drive demonstrated their commitment to creating a cleaner and healthier environment. The awareness campaign further reinforced the importance of cleanliness and proper waste management practices among the participants and the local community.

By organizing this programme, the Department of Economics and Sikkim Government College, Namchi, have taken a significant step towards promoting the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan and instilling a culture of cleanliness. The efforts made by the students in cleaning the college premises and engaging in awareness activities will have a lasting impact on their mindset and behavior regarding cleanliness and sanitation. It is hoped that the programme will inspire others to actively participate in similar initiatives, leading to a cleaner and more sustainable Namchi.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
SIKKIM GOVERNMENT COLLEGE, NAMCHI

Students' Progress and Participation in Essay Writing, Debate Competition, Quiz, Poetry Recitation, Drama, Extempore Speech, Book Club, Publication, Magazine editor Article, Outdoor - Indoor games like Football, Cricket, Volleyball, Chess, Basketball, Running, Body Building, Badminton, etc. NCC/NSS activities certificate, Dance, Culture, singing competition, band, music etc. Photography, crafts etc. Or any extracurricular activities related details and certificates (2019-2023)

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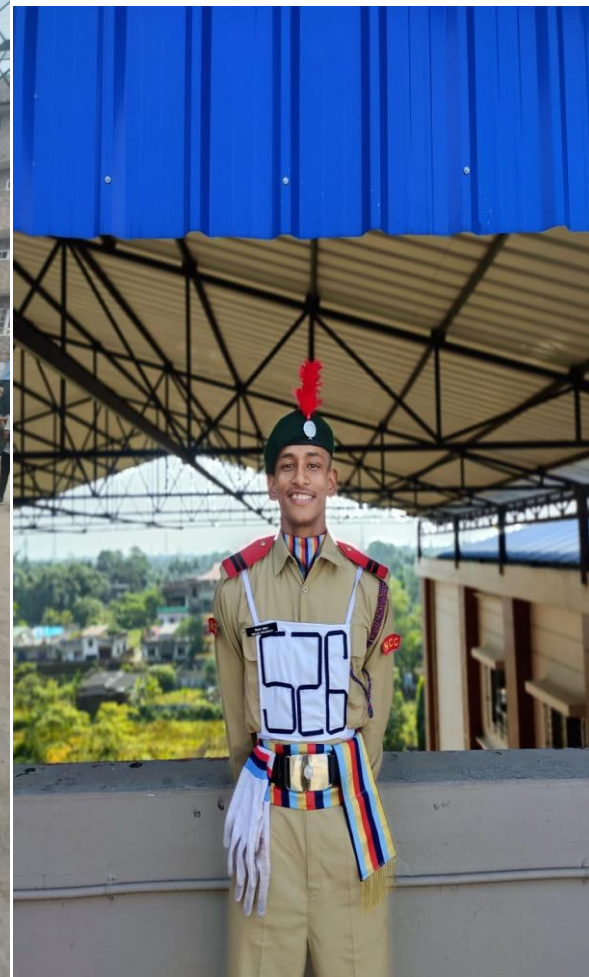
Binam Pradhan (20NA1028):

- Winner at Hills Open Volleyball Meet 2021 organised by Mahakal United Club, Darjeeling held at GDNS ground, Darjeeling on 31st Oct, 2021

2022

Binam Pradhan (20NA1028):

- Participated in Advance Leadership Camp 2022 held at IIT, Kharagpur, West Bengal from 28th May to 8th June 2022
- Attended Inter group Competition 2022 held at Kalgani from 12th Nov 2022 to 19th Nov 2022
- Passed the certificate 'B' examination in A grade held in 2022 under the authority of Ministry of Defense, Govt of India
- Participated in Open Volleyball tournament held at Dharan, Nepal on 17th June 2022
- Won Champions Trophy at Inter Sikkim Volleyball tournament Pang Lhabso 2022 on 10th Sep 2022 held in Ravangla
- Winner of Lt T.P.Kharel Memorial Inter Himalayan Volleyball Tournament held at Mamring, South Sikkim on 1st Oct 2022
- Winner of Open Volleyball Tournament held in Rongbuk, Darjeeling on 2nd Oct 2022 and received Best Player.
- Won Champions Trophy at Mens hills open volleyball (with two eternal player) held in Daramdin West Sikkim on 3rd Oct 2022
- Champion of Inter Constituency Volleyball Tournament organised on the occasion of Platinum Jubilee Celebration Day on 17th Dec 2022
- Winner of Intra Sikkim Volleyball tournament at Sumbuk on 16th May 2022



Shristy Rai (20NA1041):

-2nd place in quiz competition on Electoral Process organised by Election Cell, Namchi on 21st November 2022 at DAC, conference hall, Namchi District

-Participation and Voluntary work to help conduct the Annual Status of Education Report (ASER 2022), the largest citizen led education survey in India

Roshni Rai (20NA1029):

-3rd position in Inter Shooting Competition 2022 held at Asansol on June 2022.

-Participation and Voluntary work to help conduct the Annual Status of Education Report (ASER 2022), the largest citizen led education survey in India

Subha Asish Chettri (20NA1054):

-Participation and Voluntary work to help conduct the Annual Status of Education Report (ASER 2022), the largest citizen led education survey in India

Mon Kumar Rai (20NA1006)

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Departmental Activities:

-2nd Place in Girls Inter-department football tournament held by Sikkim Govt College, Namchi in 2022.

2023

Binam Pradhan (20NA1028)

-Representated Daramdin Volleyball Club in the Pemba Doma Mens Open Volleyball Tournament held on 13th May, 2023 at GDNS ground Darjeeling and declared Winner.

- Winner at Inter college Volleyball tournament held at ICFAI University Sikkim on May 2023

-Won Champions trophy at Jorethang Maghe Sakranti Mela 2023, Hills Open Volleyball tournament and also received “Best Player” from Honourable Chief Minister P.S.Golay on 15th Jan 2023 held at Jorethang

-Winner of Open Volleyball tournament held at Dow Hill Road, Mane Dara, Kurseong on 21th Feb 2023

-Won Champions Trophy of Platinum Jubilee Volleyball tournament held at Govt Secondary School Pakigaon, Soreng District Sikkim On 23th Feb 2023

-Champions in Intra South Sikkim Volleyball tournament held at Ramaram South Sikkim on 5th June 2023.



Shristy Rai (20NA1041):

-Participation in the District Level Neighborhood Youth Parliament organised by Nehru Yuva Kendra, Namchi under the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports Govt of India in Collaboration with Govt College, Namchi.

Anida Chettri (22NA0827):

-Participation in the District Level Neighborhood Youth Parliament organised by Nehru Yuva Kendra, Namchi under the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports Govt of India in Collaboration with Govt College, Namchi

Manisha Rai :

-Gold Medal in Kumite , Open Karate Championship 2023 held in Delhi Public School, Siliguri on 10th and 11th June 2023



Photo Gallery

