

INAUGURAL FUNCTION:

The National Workshop was started with an inaugural function where the Chairperson of the function Dr. Putul Ch. Saikia, Principal and President of the Organising Committee, Dr. Sanjay Kumar Singh the keynote speaker, Professor and Head of the Department, Department of Library & Information Science, Gauhati University, Dr. Utpal Das, Deputy Librarian of LNB Library, Dibrugarh University, Dr. Badan Barman, Assistant Professor, Department of Library & Information Science, Gauhati University were felicitated with a floral welcome address by the Librarian and Coordinators of the workshop and invited to the dais amidst an academic gathering which graced the occasion. Dr. Putul Ch. Saikia, Principal of the college welcomed the guests and expressed hopes and best wishes for the proceedings of the national workshop to be held with participants of around 43 numbers coming from states such as Nagaland, Arunachal Pradesh along with the states from Assam.

KEYNOTE ADDRESS:

In his keynote address Dr. Sanjay Kr. Singh went through his observation and experiences and cited different factors regarding the preservation of library materials in the north eastern region of India. Dr. Singh stressed on the traditional medicinal plants which are locally available for preservation of the library documents. He also described about various hazardous elements which can damage the library materials and he suggested few points to overcome from these elements.

TECHNICAL SESSION 1:

Chairperson: Dr. Sanjay Kr. Singh

Resource Person: Dr. Utpal Das

Dr. Utpal Das, Deputy Librarian of LNB Library Dibrugarh University have discussed a lot about the Preservation of manuscripts in North East India. In his presentation he have discussed about the preparation process, maintenance, deteriorating elements etc. of manuscripts in north eastern part of the nation. He also shares his experiences during his tenure at Humburg University, Germany as a part of his research work with the participants.

TECHNICAL SESSION 2:

Chairperson: Dr. Badan Barman

Resource Person: Dr. Sanjay Kr. Singh

Dr. Sanjay Kr. Singh, Professor & HOD, Department of Library and Information Science, Gauhati University have discussed about the Preservation of printed materials in North East India. In his presentation he have discussed about the Biological factors of preservation, maintenance, deteriorating factors etc. of printed documents in north eastern part of India. He also shares his long experiences in this field with the participants. He also discussed about the proper preservation methods and techniques, precautions of preservation etc. in a library. He also showed some live demonstration also regarding the lamination process which should be used for proper preservation of printed library documents.

TECHNICAL SESSION 3:

Chairperson: Dr. Sanjay Kr. Singh

Resource Person: Dr. Badan Barman

Dr. Badan Barman, Assistant Professor, Department of Library & Information Science, Gauhati University have discussed about the Preservation and conservation of Library materials in North East India. In his presentation he gave stress on the digital preservation aspects of the library materials, pros and cons of digitization such as machineries, software, copyright issues etc. were discussed in details in this session.

OPEN INTERACTION SESSION:

Chairperson: Dr. Sanjay Kr. Singh

Resource Person: Dr. Utpal Das & Dr. Badan Barman

In this session, the participants entered into interactions with the resource persons regarding their various queries. Possible solutions regarding various aspects of preservation of library materials were discussed in this session and the experts had given their expert solutions regarding various problems faced by the participants in this matter.

FEEDBACK SESSION:

Chairperson: Mr. Nitumoni Phukan

In the feedback session the participants have given their valuable feedbacks regarding the workshop. They have given their observations and findings by attending the workshop. A lot of valuable suggestions regarding the preservation of Library Materials in North East India came from them. Mr. Nitumoni Phukan,Coordinator of the workshop interacted with the participants regarding the outcomes of the workshop and promptly met the raised queries of the participants.

VALEDICTORY FUNCTION:

The valedictory function was presided by Dr. Putul Ch. Saikia and he thanked the participants and the resource persons for successful completion of the workshop. Mr. Hem Kanta Phukan,Associate Professor,Department of English also attended the valedictory function and addressed the participants to carry on the learnings of the workshop to their parent organization for rendering better services to the society. Distribution of certificates was also done in this session. In the end, Mr. Nitumoni Phukan ,Coordinator of the workshop gave vote of thanks to all who made this programme a successful one.



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DR. UTPAL DAS DELIVERING IN TECHNICAL SESSION



DR. BADAN BARMAN DELIVERING IN TECHNICAL SESSION



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PARTICIPANTS WITH RESOURCE PERSONS