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E-Admission Training to Degree Colleges of Kalahandi District



International Yoga Day



World Sickle Cell Day organized by IQAC

MMU/21/06: International Yoga Day was celebrated on 21st June 2024 at the Maa Manikeshwari University Campus with great enthusiasm and active participation from students, faculties and staffs.

MMU/21/06: World Sickle Cell Day was observed on 21st June 2024 at the University Campus with the objective of raising awareness about Sickle Cell Disease, its health implications, and the importance of early diagnosis along with preventive healthcare..

BEST PRACTICES OF THE UNIVERSITY IN THE MONTH OF JUNE - 2024

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“Uttisthata: A Motivational Talk Series” was held every Friday at 4:00 PM on June 7, 2024, June 14, 2024, June 21, and June 28 of 2024. Talk Numbers: 161, 162, 163, and 164.

Talk No-161
“ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା”
MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATANA
Topic: “ବିଦ୍ୟା ଶିକ୍ଷା ଓ ଉନ୍ନତି”
Date-7th June-2024, Time-4:00-5:00PM
Join the talk to participate in the talk <https://meet.google.com/hdt-jfb-htb>



Agenda	
5:10-5:15pm	Opening of Program
5:15-5:30pm	Address by Guest
5:30-5:45pm	Prayer
5:45-6:00pm	Remarks and Introduction of Speaker
6:00-6:15pm	Talk by Invited Speaker
6:15-6:30pm	Prayer
6:30-6:45pm	Remarks

Talk No-162
“ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା”
MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATANA
Topic: “ବିଦ୍ୟା ଶିକ୍ଷା ଓ ଉନ୍ନତି”
Date-14th June-2024, Time-4:00-5:00PM
Join the talk to participate in the talk <https://meet.google.com/hdt-jfb-htb>



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Talk No-163
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MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATANA
Topic: “ବିଦ୍ୟା ଶିକ୍ଷା ଓ ଉନ୍ନତି”
Date-21st June-2024, Time-4:00-5:00PM
Join the talk to participate in the talk <https://meet.google.com/hdt-jfb-htb>



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MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATANA
Topic: “ବିଦ୍ୟା ଶିକ୍ଷା ଓ ଉନ୍ନତି”
Date-28th June-2024, Time-4:00-5:00PM
Join the talk to participate in the talk <https://meet.google.com/hdt-jfb-htb>



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5:10-5:15pm	Opening of Program
5:15-5:30pm	Address by Guest
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5:45-6:00pm	Remarks and Introduction of Speaker
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Talk No – 161

Topic – “କଳାହାଣ୍ଡିର ଲେଖିକା”

Resource Person –

ଶ୍ରୀମତୀ କଞ୍ଚନା ରଥ, ସମ୍ପାଦିକା,
କଳାହାଣ୍ଡି ଲେଖିକା ସଂଘ

Talk No – 162

Topic – “କଳାହାଣ୍ଡିର ଶିକ୍ଷା

ମାନଚିତ୍ରରେ ବ୍ରଜମୋହନ ବିଦ୍ୟାପୀ”

Resource Person –

Sri Prakash Chandra
Nishank, Headmaster
JGHS, Borda.

Talk No – 163

Topic – “ମୋ ପାହାଚ ଚଢ଼ା ଓ

ରୁଢ଼ିଗେରା”

Resource Person –

Sri Jogabyas Bhoi
ଆନ୍ତର୍ଜାତିକ ପର୍ବତରୋହୀ

Talk No – 164

Topic – “କଳାହାଣ୍ଡିର କଳାଧାରା”

Resource Person –

Shri Satyanarayan
Mundchhinna, Principal,
Maa Maanikeshwari Higher
Secondary School, Th.
Rampur and an
Acknowledged Poet and
Orator.



WORKSHOP ON IMPROVING RESEARCH PERFORMANCE BY USING THE SCIENCE DIRECT PLATFORM ORGANIZED BY INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC) MMU



MMU/2/07: A Workshop on “Improving Research Performance Using Journals on the ScienceDirect Platform” was organized on 2nd July 2024 at Maa Manikeshwari University, in collaboration with Elsevier, a leading global provider of scientific information. The session aimed to enhance the research capabilities of faculty members, scholars, and students by familiarizing them with advanced search strategies, journal selection, and citation tools available on the Science Direct platform. Ms. Aishwarya Nayal, Customer Consultant at Elsevier, served as the invited resource person, offering valuable insights into optimizing access to high-quality academic content and improving research visibility and impact. The workshop aligned with the university's commitment to fostering a robust research culture and promoting academic excellence through the effective use of digital scholarly resources. Dr. Nibedita Nath, Director IQAC coordinated the programme.

INVITED LECTURE ORGANISED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ANTHROPOLOGY



MMU/20/07: The Department of Anthropology, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell

(IQAC), organized an Invited lecture on 20th July 2024 titled “**Relevance of Forensic Science Today.**” The session aimed to highlight the growing significance of forensic science in contemporary society, particularly in the context of criminal investigation, legal processes, and the advancement of scientific methodologies in justice delivery. The resource person for the event was Dr. Kanhu Charan Satapathy, Associate Professor, Department of Anthropology, Utkal University, Bhubaneswar, who delivered an insightful and engaging presentation. Dr. Satapathy emphasized the interdisciplinary nature of forensic science and its critical applications in both academic research and practical scenarios, thereby enriching the participants' understanding of its evolving relevance in modern times.

STRESS MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP ORGANIZED BY IQAC



MMU/19/07: Maa Manikeshwari University, in collaboration with the Zilla Swasthya Samiti, Kalahandi, organized a Workshop on “**Workplace Stress Management Session**” on 19th July 2024, as part of the broader initiative under the District Mental Health Program (DMHP). The workshop aimed to address the growing concerns related to mental health and psychological well-being in professional settings, particularly within academic and administrative environments. Through expert-led sessions, participants were introduced to practical strategies for identifying, managing, and mitigating workplace stress, along with discussions on promoting emotional resilience and mental wellness. This collaborative effort reflects the university's proactive approach to integrating mental health awareness into institutional practices and fostering a supportive, healthy work culture.



MEETING OF PRINCIPALS' OF AFFILIATED COLLEGES

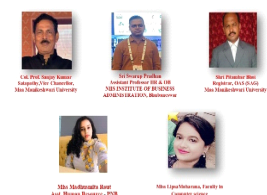
MMU/30/07: A meeting of the principals of the affiliated colleges of Maa Manikeshwari University was convened on 30th July 2024 at Jubasanskar Hall, bringing together academic leaders to engage in a comprehensive discussion on the academic progress and overall development of students. The meeting served as a strategic forum for reviewing institutional achievements and challenges, while also laying the groundwork for future improvements. A detailed Plan of Action (PoA) for the 2024–2025 academic year was proposed, focusing on enhancing educational quality, student engagement, and administrative effectiveness. The session was presided over by Prof. S.K. Satapathy the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor of Maa Manikeshwari University, who emphasized the crucial role of principals' active participation in driving institutional growth. In his address, he remarked, "The degree of active participation of the principal determines the college's overall progress." He further encouraged all attendees to remain disciplined, focused, and committed to fulfilling their responsibilities in a timely and efficient manner, highlighting the broader impact of educational leadership on the community, society, and nation.



BEST PRACTICES OF THE UNIVERSITY IN THE MONTH OF JULY - 2024



"Uttisthata: A Motivational Talk Series" was held every Friday at 4:00 PM on July 5, 2024, July 12, 2024, July 19, and July 26 of 2024. Talk Numbers: 165, 166, 167, and 168.

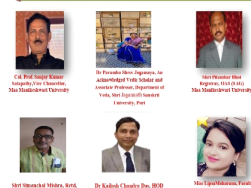


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Talk No – 165

Topic – "Multiple Usages of Artificial Intelligence".

Resource Person – Sri Swarup Pradhan, Asst. Prof. HR&OB NISS Institute of Business Studies, Bhubaneswar.

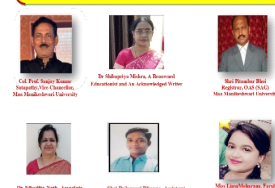


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Talk No – 166

Topic – "ସମନ୍ୱୟର ଦେବତା ଶ୍ରୀ ଜଗନ୍ନାଥ"

Resource Person – Sri Swarup Pradhan, Asst. Prof. HR&OB NISS Institute of Business Studies, Bhubaneswar.



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Talk No – 167

Topic – "ଓଡ଼ିଆ ଉପନ୍ୟାସରେ ଆଦିବାସୀ ସଂସ୍କୃତିର ପ୍ରତିଫଳନ"

Resource Person – Dr. Shibapriya Mishra, A Renowned Educationist and An Acknowledged Writer.

Talk No – 168

Topic – "ଗଡ଼ଜାତ ନାମ ଜୁନାଗଡ଼"

Resource Person – Shri Lingaraj Patra, Lecture in English & Acknowledged Poet, Panchayat College, Dharamgarh.

**INVITED LECTURE ON GROUP THEORY ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF CHEMISTRY**

MMU/5/08: The Department of Chemistry organized an invited lecture on “**Group Theory**” on 5th August 2024, aimed at enriching the academic understanding of students and faculty in the field of theoretical chemistry. The lecture was delivered by Prof. Alekha Kumar Sutar, a distinguished scholar from Indira Gandhi National Tribal University (IGNTU), a Central University, who provided a comprehensive overview of the principles and applications of group theory in molecular symmetry and spectroscopy. Dr. Sutar’s insightful presentation not only clarified complex mathematical concepts but also demonstrated their relevance in solving chemical problems, thereby contributing to the academic advancement of participants.

INVITED LECTURE ON “POPULATION GROWTH & SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

MMU/5/08: The Department of Geography organized an invited lecture on “**Population Growth and Sustainable Development**” on 5th and 6th August 2024, aimed at providing an in-depth understanding of the interplay between population dynamics and sustainable development practices. The lecture series featured distinguished experts in the field,

including Dr. Arabinda Sharma, Associate Professor of Geography, Gangadhar Meher University, Sambalpur; Dr. Gopal Krishna Panda, former Professor, Department of Geography, Utkal University, and Emeritus Professor, KISS, Bhubaneswar; and Dr. Sibabrata Das, Professor, Department of Geography, Ravenshaw University, Cuttack. Each speaker addressed various critical aspects of the topic, ranging from the challenges posed by rapid population growth to strategies for achieving sustainability in urban and rural contexts. Their presentations provided valuable insights into the multifaceted nature of population-related issues and their implications for policy-making, resource management, and environmental conservation.

WORKSHOP ON ‘ANALYSIS OF LITHIC TOOLS’ ORGANIZED BY DEPARTMENT OF ANTHROPOLOGY

MMU/6/08: A workshop on “**Analysis of Lithic Tools**” was organized by the Department of Anthropology in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 8th August 2024, aimed at enhancing participants’ understanding of the archaeological and anthropological significance of lithic tools in human evolution and prehistory. The workshop provided an in-depth exploration of various analytical techniques used to study stone tools, their manufacturing processes, and their role in the development of early human societies. On this occasion, Dr. Basanta Kumar Mohanta, Associate Professor of Anthropology and Tribal Studies Department, MSCB University, Baripada, delivered an insightful lecture on the topic, sharing his extensive knowledge and research findings in the field. His address emphasized the importance of lithic tools in understanding prehistoric cultures and human technological advancement, offering valuable perspectives to students and researchers alike.



DISTINGUISHED LECTURE ON 'BIODIVERSITY AND CONSERVATION' ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY



MMU/6/08: A distinguished lecture on “**Biodiversity and Conservation**” was conducted by the Department of Zoology in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), with the aim of raising awareness about the critical importance of preserving biodiversity and addressing the challenges posed by environmental degradation. The invited lecture was delivered by Professor Sarat Kumar Palita from the Central University of Odisha, Koraput a renowned expert in the field of ecology and conservation biology. In his engaging and informative presentation, Professor Palita highlighted the current global trends in biodiversity loss, the underlying causes, and the urgent need for effective conservation strategies to protect ecosystems and species. His lecture provided valuable insights into the scientific and policy frameworks necessary for sustainable environmental management, enriching the academic discourse on biodiversity conservation for both students and faculty members.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF THE WORLD'S INDIGENOUS PEOPLES ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ANTHROPOLOGY

MMU/9/08: The Department of Anthropology, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), organized a special event to commemorate the “**International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples**” on 9th August 2024. The programme aimed to highlight the cultural heritage, rights, and contemporary challenges faced by indigenous communities, while promoting academic discourse on inclusive development and policy advocacy. The event was enriched by the presence of two distinguished invited speakers: Prof. Deepak K.



Behera, Vice-Chancellor, KISS Deemed to be University, and Former Vice-Chancellor, Sambalpur University, and Prof. A. B. Ota, IAS (Retd.), Professor Emeritus, KISS Deemed to be University, and Former Director and Special Secretary, SCSTRTI, Government of Odisha. Both speakers delivered insightful lectures that emphasized the need for preserving indigenous knowledge systems, ensuring participatory development, and safeguarding the rights of tribal communities within the broader framework of sustainable development.

DISTINGUISHED LECTURE ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY
Welcomes You to the
Distinguished Lecture
On the occasion of
The International day of the World's Indigenous Peoples
**"Tribal Development, Social Exclusion and Inclusion:
Paradigm of Alternatives"**

Chief Patron
Prof. Sanjay K. Satapathy
Vice Chancellor

Patron
Sri Pitambar Bihari, OAS
IQAC Registrar

Speaker
Prof. (Dr.) Bibhuti Bhushan Malik
Professor of Sociology, Ambedkar
School of Social Sciences, Babasaheb
Bhimrao Ambedkar University, (A
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Convenor
Dr. Binendra Sana, Head, Dept. of Sociology

Co-convenors
Dr. Priyaranjan Behera
Mr. Aswino Gormango

On 07 August 2024
Time: 3.30 - 05.00

MMU/7/08: The Department of Sociology, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), organized a special observance of the “**International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples**” on 8th August 2024. The event was centred around the theme, “**Tribal Development, Social Exclusion and Inclusion: Paradigm of Alternatives,**” aiming to foster critical dialogue on the socio-economic challenges faced by indigenous communities and explore inclusive models of development. The keynote lecture was delivered by Prof. (Dr.) Bibhuti Bhushan Malik, Professor,



Department of Sociology, Ambedkar School of Social Sciences, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University (Central University). In his thought-provoking address, Prof. Malik examined the structural dynamics of exclusion and the evolving frameworks of inclusion within the context of tribal development. The lecture offered valuable academic and policy-oriented insights, enriching the discourse on indigenous rights, social justice, and sustainable development alternatives.

DISTINGUISHED LECTURE ON 'HERPETOFFAUNA' ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY



MMU/23/08: A distinguished lecture on “**Herpetofauna**” was organized by the Department of Zoology on 23rd August 2024 at Jubasanskar Hall, with the objective of deepening academic engagement in the study of amphibians and reptiles and their ecological significance. The session was led by Dr. Ashok Kumar Mallick, Assistant Professor, Department of Wildlife & Biodiversity, who delivered an enriching and insightful lecture. Dr. Mallick explored various aspects of herpetofauna diversity, conservation challenges, and their critical role in maintaining ecological balance.

Extra - curricular/ Outreach Activities

INDUCTION MEETING FOR UG FRESHERS

MMU/1/08: The Induction Meeting for Undergraduate Semester-I students was conducted on 1st August 2024 at Jubasanskar Hall, marking the formal commencement of the new academic session at Maa Manikeshwari University. The event was designed to orient newly enrolled students to the academic environment, institutional values, and support systems of the university.



RALLY ON NASHA MUKT BHARAT - 2024 ORGANIZED BY THE NSS



The NSS unit I, II, III at Maa Manikeshwari University seems to have been active in promoting the Nasha Mukta Bharat Abhiyan, a national campaign aimed at creating awareness about the dangers of drug abuse on 12th August 2024, at Maa Manikeshwari University.

CELEBRATION OF 78TH INDEPENDENCE DAY



Maa Manikeshwari University celebrated Independence Day on 15th August 2024. This patriotic event is a great way to honour the nation's freedom and heritage. The university's participation in celebrating this significant day involved various activities, such as flag-hoisting ceremonies, cultural events, and prize distribution etc..

**MEGA PLANTATION PROGRAMME – 2024
ORGANIZED BY THE NSS**

MMU/15/08: A Mega Plantation Drive was organized by NSS Female Unit III of Maa Manikeshwari University from 15th to 21st August 2024, as part of the university's commitment to environmental sustainability and community engagement. The initiative was launched on the occasion of Independence Day and aimed at promoting ecological awareness, enhancing green cover, and instilling a sense of environmental responsibility among students and staff. The drive involved the active participation of volunteers who planted a diverse range of saplings across designated areas within and around the campus.

**PUBLICATIONS BY THE FACULTY
(AUGUST - 2024)**

- **Dr. Madhulika Sahoo**, Assistant Prof., Department of Anthropology, published a book titled *Ethnographic Research in Social Science* by Routledge.
- **Dr. Muntaz Khan**, Asst. Prof., Department of zoology, published a book titled *Irrawaddy Dolphins* by the Odisha Biodiversity Board, Govt. of Odisha.
- **Dr. Nibedita Nath**, Associate Prof., Department of Anthropology, has reviewed one paper for the journal titled *Asia Pacific Education Review* published by Springer Nature.
- **Dr. Jharana Rani Dhangadamajhi**, Assistant Prof., Department of English, published a book chapter titled "Problematizing Gender and Translation Practices and Making the Case for Feminist Translation in Odisha" in an edited book titled *Intersections: Literature and Other Domains*, edited by Sanjay Arora and Ved Prakash, Central University of Rajasthan, published by YKING Books, August 2024.

**STUDENTS RECEIVING AWARD ON SWAYATTA SHASAN DIVAS – 2024
ORGANIZED BY BHAWANIPATNA PAURAPALIKA.**

Students of Maa Manikeshwari University, Bhawanipatna for participated in the Swayat Shasan Diwas 2024 organized by Bhawanipatna Paurapalika.





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Talk No – 169

Topic – “କଳାହାଣ୍ଡିର କୃଷି ଓ ଜଳସେଚନ: ପ୍ରାଚୀନରୁ ସାମ୍ପ୍ରତିକ”

Resource Person –
Sri Jagadish Pradhan, Chairman
LEPRASociety.

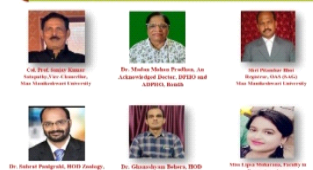


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Talk No – 170

Topic – “ପାଚର ନାଁ କର୍ମାପାଚ”

Resource Person –
Shri Satyanarayan Mundchhina,
Principal, Maa Manikeshwari H. S.
School, Th. Rampur

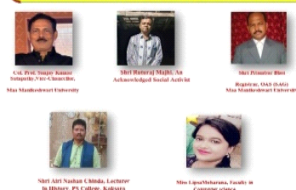


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Topic – “ଆମ ଶରୀର ଏବଂ ଆମ ସ୍ୱାସ୍ଥ୍ୟ”

Resource Person –
Dr. Madan Mohan Pradhan, An
Acknowledged Doctor, DPHO and
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Talk No – 172

Topic – “ଅନ୍ୟ ନାଁ ଆମପାଇଁ”

Resource Person –
Shri Ruturaj Majhi,
An Acknowledged Social Activist



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Resource Person –
Dr Subhashree Sampada,
Founder and CEO, Matru Academy



SEPTEMBER -2024

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INVITED LECTURE ON 'MEGALITHIC RESEARCH IN ODISHA' ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY
(Erstwhile Kalahandi University)
MANIKYA VIHAR, BHAWANIPATNA

CHIEF SPEAKER

Dr. Subodha Mendaly
Asst. Prof. in History and Arch.
HNB Garhwal Central Univ.
Uttarakhand

CHIEF PATRON

Prof. Sanjay Ku. Satapathy
VICE CHANCELLOR

Distinguished Invited Lecture
on
Megalithic Research in Odisha:
With special reference to Living Megalithic tradition
among the Tribals

Convenor
Dr. Nalinikanta Rana
Faculty, Dept. of History

Co-Convenor
Dr. Kailash Ch. Das
HoD, Dept. of History

Patron
Sri Pitambar Bhoi
Registrar

Patron
Dr. Nibedita Nath
CPGC, Director, IQAC

Date- 11/09/2024, 11:00 AM
Venue- Room No. 14

Organised by: Department of History & IQAC, Maa Manikeshwari University

MMU/11/09: The Department of History organized an invited lecture on 9th November 2024, titled **"Megalithic Research in Odisha: With Special Reference to Living Megalithic Tradition among the Tribals,"** with the objective of exploring the continuity between ancient archaeological practices and contemporary tribal traditions. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Subodha Mendaly, Assistant Professor of History and Architecture at HNB Garhwal Central University, Uttarakhand, a distinguished scholar in the field of archaeological heritage and indigenous knowledge systems. Dr. Mendaly provided a comprehensive analysis of Odisha's megalithic sites, emphasizing their cultural significance and the ways in which tribal communities have preserved and practised these traditions over generations. His presentation offered valuable interdisciplinary insights into the intersections of history and anthropology.

WORLD SUICIDE PREVENTION DAY ORGANIZED BY IQAC

MMU/11/09: Maa Manikeshwari University organized a virtual event on the occasion of World Suicide Prevention Day on 11th September 2024, centered on the theme **"Changing the Narrative in Suicide: Start the Conversation."** The event aimed to raise awareness about mental health, reduce stigma surrounding suicide, and promote open dialogue as a critical step toward prevention. The session featured two eminent invited speakers: Prof. Dr. Rajesh Sagar, Department of Psychiatry, All India Institute of Medical

World Suicide Prevention Day 2024
"Changing the Narrative on Suicide - Start the conversation."

DATE- 11th September 2024 **TIME- 11:00 AM to 12:15 PM**

Live interactive session with Experts

Prof. (Dr.) Atul Goel,
DGHS, MoHFW, Govt of India

Prof. (Dr.) Rajesh Sagar,
Psychiatry Dept, AIIMS,
New Delhi

Register Now
https://echo.zoom.us/join/register/WN_sh7JRIWRCGndWPw6vcbtw

Time	Topic	Speaker / Moderator
11:00 am to 11:10 am	Welcome & Introduction	Dr. Shalini Khatwani, ADG, Dte. GHS, Govt of India
11:10 am to 12:10 pm	Interactive session (Q&A) with Prof. (Dr.) Atul Goel, DGHS, Govt of India and Dr. Rajesh Sagar, Prof. of Psychiatry, AIIMS New Delhi	Dr. Bhavuk Garg, Associate Prof. Dte. GHS, Govt of India
12:10 pm to 12:15 pm	Conclusion	

For any queries, kindly reach out at: nmhp2025@gmail.com

Sciences (AIIMS), New Delhi, and Prof. Dr. Atul Goel, Director General of Health Services (DGHS), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India. Both experts provided in-depth insights into the psychological, social, and systemic dimensions of suicide, and emphasized the importance of community engagement, timely intervention, and policy advocacy in addressing this pressing public health issue.

INVITED LECTURE ON 'NAVIGATING THE GLOBAL LANDSCAPE' ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY
(Erstwhile Kalahandi University)
MANIKYA VIHAR, BHAWANIPATNA

CHIEF SPEAKER

Dr. Amit Kumar Gupta
Asst. Prof. in Political Sc.
Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya
Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh

CHIEF PATRON

Prof. Sanjay Ku. Satapathy
VICE CHANCELLOR

Invited Lecture
on
Navigating the Global Landscape:
The Enduring Relevance of International Relations
Theories

Convenor
Dr. Kailash Ch. Das
HoD, Dept. of Pol. Sc.

Co-Convenor
Dr. Pabitra Bag
Asst. Prof., Dept. of Pol. Sc.

Patron
Sri Pitambar Bhoi
Registrar

Patron
Dr. Nibedita Nath
CPGC, Director, IQAC

Date- 24/09/2024, 11:00 AM
Venue- Room No. 14

Organised by: Department of Political Sc. & IQAC, Maa Manikeshwari University

MMU/24/09: An invited lecture titled **"Navigating the Global Landscape with the Enduring Relevance of International Relation Theories"** was organized by the Department of Political Science, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), on 24th September 2024. The session aimed to provide students and scholars with a deeper understanding of classical and contemporary international relations theories and their applicability to current global dynamics. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Amit Kumar Gupta, Assistant Professor, Department of Political



Science, Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh, who offered an insightful analysis of theoretical frameworks such as realism, liberalism, and constructivism in interpreting international events and power relations. The lecture significantly contributed to enriching the academic discourse on international relations and global political analysis within the university.

DISTINGUISHED LECTURE ON 'CONNECTING THE DOTS' ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH



MMU/28/09: A distinguished lecture on “Connecting the Dots: Mapping English Poetry of Past and Present” was organized by the Department of English, Maa Manikeshwari University, with the objective of fostering critical engagement with the evolution of English poetry across historical periods. The lecture was delivered by Prof. Rajindra Kumar Padhi, Odisha State Open University, Sambalpur who served as the invited speaker on this occasion. Prof. Padhi offered a nuanced exploration of thematic continuities and stylistic shifts in English poetry, drawing connections between classical poetic traditions and contemporary literary expressions. His insightful analysis highlighted the relevance of poetic discourse in addressing socio-cultural and philosophical concerns across time, thereby enriching the participants’ understanding of literary history and interpretative frameworks.

PROGRAMME ON MENSTRUAL HEALTH AND HYGIENE AWARENESS ORGANIZED BY THE IQAC

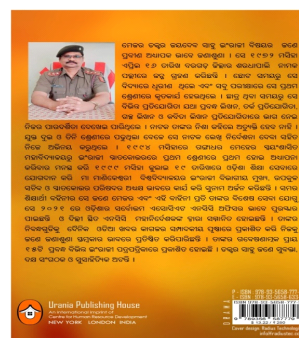
MMU/28/09: A Menstrual Health and Hygiene Awareness Week program was organized on 28th September 2024 for the female students and faculty of Maa Manikeshwari University. The



initiative aimed to foster a deeper understanding of menstrual health, hygiene practices, and the importance of addressing taboos and misconceptions surrounding menstruation. The program included informative sessions, discussions, and interactive workshops designed to raise awareness, promote health education, and empower women within the university community. This event reflects the university’s ongoing commitment to promoting gender equality, health literacy, and the overall well-being of its students and faculty.

PUBLICATIONS BY THE FACULTY (SEPTEMBER - 2024)

Maj. Dr. Jayadeb Sahoo (Asst. Professor, Department of English) published a creative writing book “ତାଜମହଲ ଓ ମୋତେ ଝି ଦରକାର ଝି ଦିଅ”, ISBN: 978-93-5658-777-9, (Urania Publishing House, An International imprint of Centre for Human Resource Development, New York, London, INDIA).





Extra-curricular/ Outreach / Other Activities

MMU CELEBRATED THE FOURTH FOUNDATION DAY

ବିଶ୍ୱବିଦ୍ୟାଳୟ ପ୍ରତିଷ୍ଠା ଦିବସ



ଭବାନୀପାଟଣା, ୧।୯ (ସ.ପ୍ର) : ମା'ମାନିକେଶ୍ୱରୀ ବିଶ୍ୱବିଦ୍ୟାଳୟର ଚତୁର୍ଥ ପ୍ରତିଷ୍ଠା ଦିବସ ପାଳିତ ହୋଇଯାଇଛି । ପଦ୍ମଶ୍ରୀ ପଟ୍ଟନାୟକ ସାହୁ ପ୍ରମୁଖ ଅତିଥି ଭାବେ ଯୋଗଦେଇ ପିଲାଙ୍କୁ ପୁରସ୍କାର କରିବା ସହ ଗୁଡ଼ି ତୋଳିବାକୁ ପରାମର୍ଶ ଦେଇଥିଲେ । ଉତ୍ସବରେ ଖଡ଼ିଆଳ ମହାବିଦ୍ୟାଳୟର ପୂର୍ବତନ

ଅଧ୍ୟକ୍ଷ ଡ.ରାମଚନ୍ଦ୍ର ମିଶ୍ର, ବିଶ୍ୱବିଦ୍ୟାଳୟ ଜୁଳୁସବିବ ପ୍ରତାପଲ୍ଲୁ ଭୋଇ, ଅଧ୍ୟାପକ ଡ. ରଞ୍ଜନେନ୍ଦ୍ର ସାହୁ, ଡ. ନିରେଦିତା ନାଥ, ବିଜ୍ଞାନ ଶାସ୍ତ୍ରୀ ପ୍ରଭାକର ପ୍ରତିପଦା ପ୍ରମୁଖ ଯୋଗଦେଇ କଳାହାଣ୍ଡି ଭଳି ଜିଲ୍ଲାରେ ଉଚ୍ଚଶିକ୍ଷାର ପ୍ରଚାର ପ୍ରସାର ପାଇଁ ବିଶ୍ୱବିଦ୍ୟାଳୟର ଭୂମିକା ଉପରେ ଆଲୋଚନା କରିଥିଲେ ।

MMU/1/09: The **Fourth Foundation Day** of **Maa Manikeshwari University** was celebrated on **1st September 2024**, marking a significant milestone in the institution's journey of academic excellence and community engagement. The event was graced by the esteemed presence of Padmashree Pattayat Sahu, as the chief guest and Dr. Ramachandra Mishra, Syndicate member as Guest of honour. Their participation added great value to the celebration, as they shared their insights on the importance of education, innovation, and social responsibility in shaping the future of academic institutions. The day was marked by a series of activities that highlighted the university's achievements, growth, and its commitment to fostering a holistic learning environment for students and faculty alike.

SPORTS COUNCIL MEETING - 2024

MMU/1/09: Meeting of the Sports Council of all affiliated colleges was convened on 28th September 2024 at Maa Manikeshwari University Campus. This significant meeting provided a platform for the discussion and planning of various sports-related activities and initiatives across the affiliated colleges. Representatives from each college collaborated to strategize on improving sports infrastructure, fostering student participation in athletic events, and promoting overall physical fitness within the university community. The meeting reflected the university's commitment to enhancing extracurricular engagement and creating an inclusive environment for sports development across its affiliated colleges.



Activities on NEP - 2020

The principals' meet on NEP-2020 was held in Juba Sanskar Hall on date 17/09/2024

The 'Faculty Orientation meeting on NEP-2020' was held on 17/09/2024.

A Special BOS Meeting of all Department was held on 18/09/2024.



ACADEMIC COUNCIL MEETING 2024



ORIENTATION OF FACULTY ON IMPLEMENTATION OF NEP-2020



SEPTEMBER -2024

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Talk No-174
“ଉତ୍ତୀର୍ଣ୍ଣତ”
MAA MAHAKISHORE UNIVERSITY, BHANUPATTANA
Topic: “ବେବଗିରି ପାହାଡ଼ ତଳେ ସଂସ୍କୃତି”
Date-20th Sept-2024, Time: 4:00-5:00PM
Join the link to participate in the talk: <https://meet.google.com/ufb-ufb-ufb>

Resource Person –
Shri Sudhir Dh. majhi,
An Acknowledged Poet.

Agenda

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1.45-2.00pm	Question, Answer and Introduction of Speaker
2.00-2.15pm	Topic: Baby universe in the laboratory
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Talk No – 174

Topic – “ବେବଗିରି ପାହାଡ଼ ତଳେ ସଂସ୍କୃତି”.

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Senior Scientist, Department of Atomic Energy

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An Acknowledged Writer

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Resource Person –
Dr. Hiranmayee Mishra,
An Acknowledged Writer



INVITED LECTURE ON "INFECTIOUS DISEASE AND ADVANCEMENT OF TREATMENT METHODS" ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY



MMU/1/10: An invited lecture on "Infectious Disease and Advancement of Treatment Methods" was organized by the Department of Botany, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) at Maa Manikeshwari University. This lecture, part of the university's academic enrichment initiatives, featured Dr. Chita Ranjan Sahoo, ICMR Centenary Post-Doc Fellow, RMRC, Bhubaneswar, as the esteemed invited speaker. Dr. Sahoo delivered a comprehensive overview of the latest advancements in the treatment of infectious diseases, highlighting innovative therapeutic approaches and pioneering research in the field.

NATIONAL WILDLIFE WEEK CELEBRATION ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY AND ZOOLOGY



MMU/8/10: The 70th National Wildlife Week was observed by the Department of Botany and Zoology in collaboration with the Divisional Forest Office, North Division, Department of Forest Environment and Climate Change, Government of Odisha. The event featured an insightful address by the DFO Kalahandi, who served as the invited

speaker for the occasion. In his address, the Vice-Chancellor of Maa Manikeshwari University, Dr. Nibedita Nath, emphasized the theme of the 70th National Wildlife Week, titled "Safeguarding Our National Heritage." This significant event provided a platform for discussing the crucial role of wildlife conservation in preserving the nation's natural heritage, encouraging both academic engagement and awareness among students, faculty, and the wider community.

A SPECIAL LECTURE ON "20TH CENTURY MODERNISM" ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

MMU/26/10: A special lecture on "20th Century Modernism" was organized by the Department of English, Maa Manikeshwari University. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Jharana Rani Dhangadamajhi, Assistant Professor at Maa Manikeshwari University. Dr. Dhangadamajhi provided an insightful exploration of 20th-century modernism, analyzing its key themes, literary movements, and the profound impact it has had on contemporary thought and culture.



Department of English
Maa Manikeshwari University
Presents a Special Lecture on
"20th Century Modernism"

Speaker:- Dr. Jharana Rani Dhangadamajhi
Discussant:- Sri Sanjib Kumar Sahu

DT :- 26/10/24 TIME :- 11.00 AM
VENUE :- Room No 14

Patron Dr. Nibedita Nath Vice Chancellor (I/C), MMU	Patron Sri Pitamber Bhoi Registrar, MMU	Patron Major Dr. Jaydeb Sahoo Head, Dept. Of English & Deputy Registrar
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Chief Patron
Col. (Prof.) Sanjay Kumar Satapathy
Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, MMU

INVITED LECTURE ON "NEW ICONOGRAPHY OF A MAHATMA" ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH



MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATNA
Department Of English
Presents
Distinguished Invited Lecture on "New Iconography of a Mahatma: Revisiting Gandhian Consciousness through Select Screen Narratives"

Chief Speaker

Dr. Bhumiika Sharma
Associate Professor & Head,
Department of English Central
University of Rajasthan

Patron
Sri Pitamber Bhoi
Registrar, MMU

Co-convenor
Dr. Jharana Rani Dhangadamajhi,
Asst. Prof. English, MMU

Screen Narratives
02 October 2024
3:00 Pm
Venue: Room No. 14
[Link: http://meet.google.com/a-hq-qucd-and](http://meet.google.com/a-hq-qucd-and)

Chair

Dr. Kailash Chandra Das
Head, Department of Political
Science, Maa
Manikeshwari University

Patron
Major Dr. Jaydeb Sahoo
Head, Department of English &
Deputy Registrar, MMU

Co-convenor
Sanjib Kumar Sahu,
Asst. Prof. English, MMU



Chief Patron
Prof. Sanjay K. Satapathy
Vice Chancellor



MMU/2/10: An invited lecture on “**New Iconography of a Mahatma: Revisiting Gandhian Consciousness through Select Screen Narratives**” was organized by the Department of English, Maa Manikeshwari University, Bhawanipatna. The lecture, which explored the evolving representation of Mahatma Gandhi in contemporary media, featured Dr. Bhumika Sharma, Associate Professor & Head, Department of English, Central University of Rajasthan, Jodhpur, as the invited speaker. Dr. Sharma’s insightful analysis delved into the ways in which Gandhian principles have been reinterpreted and portrayed in modern cinema and visual narratives.

DISTINGUISHED INVITED LECTURE ON “RAWLSIAN APPROACH TO JUSTICE: A CRITICAL EXAMINATION,” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY
(Erstwhile Kalahandi University)
MANIKYA VIHAR, BHAWANIPATNA

CHIEF SPEAKER

Dr. Ankush Kumar
Asst. Professor
Lloyd Law College
Greater Noida

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Dr. Nibedita Nath
Vice Chancellor (I/c)
CPGC, Director, IQAC

Distinguished Invited Lecture on
Rawlsian Approach to Justice: A Critical Examination

Date- 30/10/2024 (11:00 am)
Venue- Juba Sanskar Hall

Organised by: Department of Political Sc. & IQAC, Maa Manikeshwari University

MMU/30/10: A distinguished invited lecture on “**Rawlsian Approach to Justice: A Critical Examination**” was organized by the Department of Political Science in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC). The lecture featured Dr. Ankush Kumar, Assistant Professor, Lloyd Law College, Greater Noida, as the invited resource person. Dr. Kumar’s presentation provided a comprehensive analysis of John Rawls’ theory of justice, critically examining its philosophical foundations and practical implications. The lecture offered valuable insights into political philosophy, fostering an engaging academic discussion on justice and its relevance in contemporary socio-political contexts.

Extra-curricular/ Outreach Activities

Students of Maa Manikeshwari University received prizes in essay, debate, and cartoon-cum-caption competitions on the theme of “**Culture of Integrity for Nation’s Prosperity.**”



BEST PRACTICES OF THE UNIVERSITY IN THE MONTH OF OCTOBER - 2024

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Talk No-178
“ଉତ୍କଳ”

MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATNA
Topic: “ଉତ୍କଳ ଗାଥା ଓ ଉତ୍କଳ ସାହିତ୍ୟ”
Date: 30/10/2024, Time: 4:00-6:00pm

Agenda:

1:00-1:15pm	Address of the President	Dr. Nibedita Nath, Vice Chancellor (I/c) CPGC, Director, IQAC
1:15-1:30pm	Address by Resource Person	Dr. Ankush Kumar, Asst. Professor, Lloyd Law College, Greater Noida
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2:45-3:00pm	Address by Resource Person	Dr. Nibedita Nath, Vice Chancellor (I/c) CPGC, Director, IQAC

Talk No – 178

Topic – “ସନ୍ଥ ପରମ୍ପରା ଏବଂ କବି ଚୈତନ୍ୟ ଦାସ”

Resource Person –
Shri Bibhudatta Chalan,
An Acknowledged Poet and Essayist.

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Talk No – 179

Topic – “କଳାହାଣ୍ଡିର ସପ୍ତଶତୀ ଆରାଧନା”

Resource Person –
Kabi Satyanarayan Rajput,
Retd. Teacher, Poet,
Ghumra Singer & Researcher

Talk No-180
“ଉତ୍କଳ”

MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATNA
Topic: “Environment and Sustainable Development”
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Talk No – 180

Topic – “Environment and Sustainable Development”.

Resource Person – Dr. Sundara Narayan Patro, Retd. Reader in Botany and President, Orissa Environmental Society

Talk No-181
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MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATNA
Topic: “ଗଣତନ୍ତ୍ର ଓ ଗଣତନ୍ତ୍ର”
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Talk No – 181

Topic – “ଗଣତନ୍ତ୍ର ଓ ଗଣତନ୍ତ୍ର : ଗତି ଓ ପ୍ରକୃତି”

Resource Person – Dr. Netaji Abhinandan, Associate Professor in Pol. Sc. Ravenshaw University, Cuttack



INVITED LECTURE ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF ODIA



MMU/2/11: An invited lecture on “**Lokabani ra Sankhya, Swarupa and Sangrachana Tatwa**” was organized on 2nd November 2024, by the Department of Odia, Maa Manikeshwari University. The lecture featured Dr. Ruddrani Mohanty, a retired Associate Professor from Central University, Koraput, as the invited speaker. Dr. Mohanty's presentation provided an in-depth analysis of the structure, forms, and essential elements of Lokabani, offering valuable insights into this important aspect of Odia literature and culture. The session enriched the academic discourse and contributed to a deeper understanding of regional literary traditions.

INDUCTION PROGRAMME AT VIDYANT COLLEGE OF MANAGEMENT & SOCIAL SCIENCE



MMU/2/11: The Vidyant College of Management & Social Science, M. Rampur Tujung an affiliated college of Maa Manikeshwari University (MMU), organized an induction program on 4th November 2024. On this occasion, Dr. Nibedita Nath, Vice-Chancellor (I/c) of MMU, was invited as the chief guest. Dr. Nath's presence at the event added significant value, as she addressed the incoming students, inspiring them to embark on their academic journeys with a sense of purpose and dedication. Her speech emphasized the importance of holistic education and the role of students in contributing to societal progress.

INAGURATION OF UGC, NET, JRF AND CUET GUIDENCE CLASS ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY



MMU/6/11: The Department of Geography at Maa Manikeshwari University (MMU) initiated NET, JRF, and CUET guidance classes for the Postgraduate students of Geography on 6th November 2024. These specialized sessions aim to provide the students with comprehensive support and strategic insights to excel in the national-level exams and university entrance tests. The initiative is designed to enhance the academic capabilities of the students and prepare them for future challenges in their professional careers. Through this initiative, the department continues to demonstrate its commitment to the academic and professional development of its students.

DISTRICT LEVEL YRC STUDY-CUM- TRAINING CAMP 2024 ORGANISED AT GOVT. WOMEN'S COLLEGE, BHAWANIPATNA



MMU/10/11: Govt. Women's College, Bhawanipatna, organized the **District-level YRC Study-cum-Training Camp 2024**, where Dr. Nibedita Nath, Vice-Chancellor (I/c) of Maa Manikeshwari University (MMU), was invited as the chief guest. During the event, Dr. Nath delivered an inspiring address, emphasizing the importance of



youth engagement in community service and personal development. Her insights motivated the participants to actively contribute to society while also enhancing their skills through the various training sessions offered during the camp. This event underscored the commitment to empowering young individuals through leadership and service initiatives.

WORKSHOP ON 'COMMUNICATE TO CONNECT' ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH



MMU/18/11: The Department of English, Maa Manikeshwari University (MMU), Kalahandi, organized a workshop titled **"Communicate to Connect : Developing Communicative Competence among UG and PG Students."** The primary objective of this workshop was to enhance students' communication skills and facilitate their ability to engage effectively in both academic and professional contexts. Sri Panchanan Dhuria, of English and the founder of the English Support Mission (ESM), was invited to lead the session. Drawing on his vast experience, Dhuria provided valuable insights into improving both verbal and written communication. His practical approach empowered students to strengthen their language proficiency, thereby helping them build the essential skills required for success in academic, personal, and professional spheres.

INVITED INTERNATIONAL LECTURE ON BUILDING CAREER IN THE NEW AI WORLD ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE, BCA, IN COLLABORATION WITH IQAC

MMU/18/11: The Department of Computer Science, BCA, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), organized an insightful invited lecture on **"Developing a Career in the New AI World."** The lecture, aimed at guiding students



on career opportunities in the rapidly evolving field of Artificial Intelligence, featured Mr. Prasant Behera, a distinguished professional from California, USA, as the invited speaker. Mr. Behera's extensive experience in the AI sector provided students with valuable perspectives on how to navigate and excel in the emerging AI-driven job market. His presentation highlighted key trends in AI, essential skills for future professionals, and practical advice for building a successful career in this innovative domain. The session was well-received by the students, who gained important insights into the growing importance of AI in shaping career paths.

INVITED LECTURE ON 'INSIGHTS FOR A RESEARCH PAPER WRITE-UP' ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

Department Of English
Maa Manikeshwari University
Presents International Webinar on
"Insights for a Research Paper Write-Up"

Dr. Proddhan Mahbub Ibna Seraj
Associate Professor, Dept. of English,
American International University Bangladesh, Dhaka, Bangladesh
DATE: 23RD NOVEMBER 2024 TIME 8.30 AM PLATFORM: GOOGLE MEET
Link:- <https://meet.google.com/ahq-qucd-and>

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HON'BLE VICE CHANCELLOR, MMU

MMU/23/11: The Department of English organized an international invited lecture on **"Insights for Writing a Research Paper"** to provide students and faculty with valuable guidance on academic writing and research methodology. Dr. Proddhan Mahbub Ibna Seraj, Associate Professor in the department of English at American International University, Bangladesh, Dhaka, was the invited speaker for



the event. Dr. Seraj's lecture focused on effective strategies for writing high-quality research papers, emphasizing the importance of structure, clarity, and critical analysis. His vast expertise and practical tips offered attendees a deeper understanding of research processes and enhanced their ability to produce academically rigorous papers.

WORKSHOP ON MENTAL HEALTH ORGANIZED BY DSW



MMU/28/11: A comprehensive **workshop on mental health**, aimed at raising awareness and providing strategies to enhance well-being among students and staff was organised. The event featured Mr. Summon Patra, the founder of EK SAWAL, Bhubaneswar, and the winner of the National Radiant Wellness Conclave award, as the invited speaker. Mr. Patra shared his expertise on mental health issues, emphasizing the importance of emotional resilience, stress management, and self-care. His engaging session provided valuable insights into maintaining mental wellness in challenging environments, equipping attendees with practical tools for improving their mental health.

WORKSHOP ON THE THEME "RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS (GIS)." ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY



MMU/29/11: The Department of Geography at Maa Manikeshwari University organized a one-day **national-level workshop** on the theme "**Recent Developments in Geographic Information Systems (GIS)**". On 29th November 2024 The workshop featured two esteemed experts in the field: Prof. Surajit Ghosh, Regional Researcher and Water Risk and Data Sciences Specialist at the International Water Management Institute, and Miss Ankita Sindhu, Geo-AI Systems Research Institute AI & ArcGIS Expert at Environmental Systems Research Institute (ESRI), India. The distinguished speakers shared their valuable knowledge on the latest advancements in GIS technology, with a focus on its applications in water management and environmental research. Their presentations provided the participants, including faculty and students, with a deeper understanding of GIS techniques and their growing importance in tackling contemporary environmental challenges. The workshop was a significant opportunity for all attendees to engage with cutting-edge GIS developments and explore innovative solutions for future research and applications.

Extra-curricular/ Outreach Activities

INAUGURATION OF NET/JEE COACHING TO MERITORIOUS ST CANDIDATE OF KALAHANDI DISTRICT

MMU/12/11: The District Administration of Kalahandi launched the NEET/JEE Coaching Program at Maa Manikeshwari University. for deserving ST candidates from the Kalahandi District This initiative, funded through the District Mineral Foundation Trust (DMFT), that was inaugurated at Jubasanskar Hall, Maa Manikeshwari University, Bhawanipatna. The coaching program aims to provide specialized training and guidance to enhance the academic prospects of tribal students in the district, particularly for entrance exams like NEET and JEE. It was inaugurated by Shri. Sachin Pawar, IAS, Collector and District Magistrate, Kalahandi.



**MEGA BLOOD DONATION CAMP - 2024 ORGANIZED BY NSS**

MMU/19/11: A Mega Blood Donation Camp was organized by the NSS Bureau of Maa Manikeshwari University on 19th November 2024. The event aimed to promote awareness about the importance of blood donation and encourage community participation in this noble cause. Students, faculties, and staffs of the university actively participated, contributing to a successful camp that supported the local healthcare system. The initiative reflected the university's commitment to social responsibility and health-consciousness, providing a vital service to the community.

CELEBRATION OF HERITAGE WEEK – 2024 ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF HISTORY

MMU/19-25/11: Heritage Week 2024 was celebrated from 19th November to 25th November 2024, at Maa Manikeshwari University in the P.K. DEO Seminar Hall, hosted by the Department of History. The week-long event aimed to raise awareness about the importance of preserving cultural heritage and fostering a deeper understanding of historical legacies. The celebration featured a series of lectures, exhibitions, and interactive sessions that highlighted the rich historical and cultural diversity

of the region. The event provided a platform for students, faculty, and community members to engage in meaningful discussions on heritage conservation and its relevance in today's world. It was an enriching experience for all attendees, encouraging a sense of pride and responsibility towards preserving the cultural heritage for future generations.

CONSTITUTION DAY – 2024 ORGANIZED DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

MMU/26/11: On 26th November 2024, the Department of Political Science in Maa Manikeshwari University hosted the observance of “**Constitution Day**” at Jubasanskara Hall. This significant event aimed to commemorate the adoption of the Constitution of India, highlighting the importance of constitutional values and the role of the Constitution in shaping the nation. The event provided an insightful platform for students and faculty to engage in discussions on the fundamental rights, duties, and principles enshrined in the Constitution. Through this observance, the university reinforced its commitment to promoting awareness about democratic values, legal principles, and the ongoing relevance of the Constitution in contemporary India.

INTER-COLLEGE CHESS AND CARROM TOURNAMENT



MMU/21/11: The Inter-College Carrom and Chess Tournament was organized at Maa Manikeshwari University on 21st November 2024, bringing together participants from various affiliated colleges to foster a spirit of healthy competition and strategic thinking. The tournament witnessed enthusiastic participation and was conducted in a vibrant and disciplined environment. By encouraging student involvement beyond the classroom, the event contributed meaningfully to the holistic development of the participants and reinforced the university's commitment to promoting extracurricular excellence alongside academic achievement.

ADVENTURE CAMP ORGANISED BY MMU



MMU/10/11: Adventure Camp 2024, a content-based experimental learning event, was organized by **Maa Manikeshwari University** with the objective of fostering physical endurance, leadership, and team-building skills among students. The event was graced by the presence of **Dr. Nibedita Nath, Vice-Chancellor (I/c)** of MMU, who encouraged students to embrace challenges and explore learning beyond the classroom. A major highlight of the camp was the successful ascent of the **1720-foot Gudialipadar Peak** by participating students, showcasing their resilience, determination, and spirit of adventure. The camp not only offered an opportunity for outdoor engagement but also contributed to the holistic development of students through active participation in nature-based learning experiences.

HOCKEY TEAM OF MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY PARTICIPATED IN THE EAST ZONE INTERCOLLEGIATE HOCKEY TOURNAMENT, ORGANIZED BY SAMBALPUR UNIVERSITY AT ROURKELA.



MMU/19/11: The Hockey Team of Maa Manikeshwari University participated in the East Zone Intercollegiate Hockey Tournament, organized by Sambalpur University at Rourkela. The team was led and managed by Dr. Saroj Kumar Panda, PET of Khariar Autonomous College, Khariar, one of the affiliated colleges under MMU. Prior to the tournament, Dr. Ghanashyam Behera, Director of the Sports Council, and Dr. Nibedita Nath, Vice Chancellor (I/c) of the university, extended their best wishes and encouraged the players to perform with dedication and sportsmanship. On 19th November 2024, the MMU Hockey Team played against Ravenshaw University at the renowned Birsamunda Stadium, Rourkela. The participation reflected the university's growing engagement in inter-university sports and its commitment to promoting athletic excellence alongside academic pursuits.





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'Uttisthata: A Motivational Talk Series' on every Friday at 4:00 pm on 01/11/2024, 8/11/2024, 15/11/2024, 22/11/2024 and 29/11/24 (Talk No.:182,183,184,185,186).



Agenda	
4.00-4.05pm	Joining of Participants
4.05-4.10pm	Welcome Song
4.10-4.15pm	Address by Registrar
4.15-4.20pm	Welcome Address and Introduction of Speaker
4.20-4.25pm	Talk by Invited Speaker
4.25-4.30pm	Presidential Address
4.30-4.35pm	Vote of Thanks
4.35-4.40pm	Moderator

Talk No – 182

Topic – “Research Orientation in Social Science Research”.

Resource Person –

DR. MINAKETAN BEHERA
Professor of Economics, JNU,
New Delhi.



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4.35-4.40pm	Moderator

Talk No-183

Topic – “Pathways to Success”

Resource Person –

Prof. Dr. Raghunath Panda,
Retired Principal, BJB College,
Bhubaneswar.



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4.35-4.40pm	Moderator

Talk No – 184

Topic – “Opportunity in Higher Education”.

Resource Person –

Dr. Guptaeswar Patel,
Assistant Professor of
Economics, IIM, Bodhgaya.

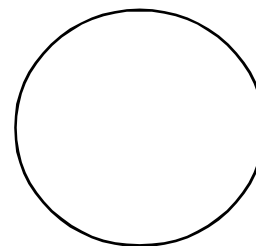


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Talk No – 185

Topic – “ଶିକ୍ଷା ଓ ଚରିତ୍ର”

Resource Person – Dr. Debilal
Mishra, Assistant Professor in
Mass communication, Ravenshaw
University, Cuttack.



Talk No –186

Topic – “Use of Bio-pesticides in organic farming

Resource Person –

Dr. Nirakar Ransingh, Asso.
Prof. Plant Pathology, OUAT,
Bhawanipatna

**WORLD AIDS DAY-2024 ORGANIZED BY YRC**

MMU/1/12: World AIDS Day was observed on 1st December 2024 in the Maa Manikeshwari University Campus, organized jointly by the Youth Red Cross (YRC) and the Red Ribbon Club (RRC). The event aimed to raise awareness about HIV/AIDS prevention, reduce stigma surrounding the disease, and promote empathy and support for affected individuals. Through informative sessions, interactive discussions, and student participation, the observance underscored the importance of education, early detection, and community engagement in combating the global HIV/AIDS epidemic.

IMPORTANCE OF PLANT PATHOLOGY ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF BOTANY

MMU/05/12: The Department of Botany at Maa Manikeshwari University organized a Distinguished Invited Lecture on 5th December 2024, aimed at enriching academic discourse in the field of plant sciences. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Nirakar Ranasingh, Associate Professor in Plant Pathology, OUAT, Bhawanipatna, who addressed the topic "Importance of Plant Pathology in Botany." Dr. Ranasingh offered a comprehensive overview of the pivotal role plant pathology plays in understanding plant

health, disease management, and sustainable agricultural practices. The session provided valuable insights into emerging challenges and innovations in plant disease diagnostics and control, fostering deeper academic engagement among students and faculty.

STATE LEVEL SEMINAR ON "UNSUNG FREEDOM FIGHTERS OF UNDIVIDED KALAHANDI ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF HISTORY

MMU/06/12: A State Level Seminar on "Unsung Freedom Fighters of Undivided Kalahandi" was organized by the Department of History, Maa Manikeshwari University, on 6th December 2024. The seminar aimed to shed light on the lesser-known yet significant contributions of local heroes from the undivided Kalahandi region in India's struggle for independence. Scholars, faculty members, and students actively participated in the academic discourse, which sought to reclaim and document regional histories that have often remained marginalized in mainstream narratives. The event served as a meaningful platform to encourage historical inquiry, foster regional pride, and promote a deeper understanding of Odisha's role in the national freedom movement.

DISTRICT-LEVEL YUVA UTSAV:INDIA @ 2047 ORGANIZED BY NSS WING OF MMU



MMU/7/12: The District-Level Yuva Utsav: INDIA @2047 was successfully organized on 7th December 2024 at the Maa Manikeshwari University Campus, in collaboration with the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India, Mera Yuva Bharat (MY Bharat), and Nehru Yuva Kendra, Kalahandi. The event was designed to empower and engage the youth in envisioning a progressive and inclusive India by the year 2047, marking the centenary of the nation's independence. Featuring a rich array of cultural performances, competitions, and youth-centric discussions, the Utsav served as a dynamic platform for fostering creativity, leadership, and civic responsibility among young participants.

HUMAN RIGHTS DAY ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE.



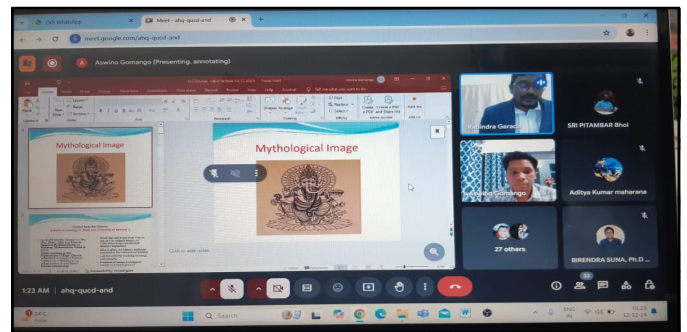
MMU/10/12: The Department of Political Science at Maa Manikeshwari University commemorated Human Rights Day on 10th December 2024 with the theme "Our Rights, Our Future, Right Now." The observance aimed to highlight the critical importance of safeguarding human rights in shaping a just and equitable future.

"STUDYING LINKAGES BETWEEN HUMAN HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT : GEOGRAPHICAL PERSPECTIVE," ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY.



MMU/19/12: An invited lecture was organized by the Department of Geography on the theme, **"Studying Linkages between Human Health and Environment: Geographical Perspective,"** on 19th December 2024. The lecture was delivered by Prof. Sibabrata Das, Department of Applied Geography, Ravenshaw University, Cuttack.

131ST BIRTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE EMINENT SOCIOLOGIST GOVIND SADASHIV



MMU/19/12: The Department of Sociology organized a distinguished invited lecture to commemorate the 131st birth anniversary of the eminent sociologist Govind Sadashiv Ghurye. Professor Rabindra Garada, Head of the Department of Sociology at Utkal University, delivered an insightful lecture titled *"Govind Sadashiv Ghurye: Confluence between Indology and Sociology."*

"RETHINKING VULNERABILITY, RE-UNDERSTANDING RESISTANCE: PERSPECTIVES FROM LANGUAGE, LITERATURE, AND CULTURE." ORGANIZED BY DEPT. OF ENGLISH



MMU/23-24/12: The Department of English at Maa Manikeshwari University organized a two-day National Seminar in hybrid mode on 23rd–24th December 2024, titled *"Rethinking Vulnerability, Re-understanding Resistance: Perspectives from*



Language, Literature, and Culture.” The event saw the participation of distinguished academic figures, including Prof. N. Nagaraju, Vice Chancellor of Gangadhar Meher University; Prof. Saugata Bhaduri, JNU New Delhi; Prof. Saroj Mahananda, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi; Prof. Raj Kumar, University of Delhi; Prof. Asima Ranjan Parhi, Utkal University; Prof. Sambit Panigrahi, Ravenshaw University; and Prof. Anjali Tripathy, GM University.

CONDOLENCE MEETING



MMU/26-27/12: A condolence meeting on the sad demise of Prof (Col.) Sanjaya Kumar Satapathy, Hon’ble Vice Chancellor of our university was held on 26th December 2024. On the same day a candle light march was held in the evening. On 27th December 2024, a second condolence gathering was held at Jubasankar Hall where numerous distinguished dignitaries shared heartfelt tributes and fond recollections of the late Vice Chancellor.

ODISHA RESEARCH CONCLAVE 2025



MMU/27-28/12: Maa Manikeshwari University took part in the Odisha Research Conclave 2025, held from December 26th to 28th, 2024, at Fakir Mohan University, Balasore. The University was represented by Dr. Pabitra Bag, Assistant Professor in the Department of Political Science, and Mr. Sudhir Kumar Nag, a doctoral scholar from the same department.

PUBLICATIONS BY THE FACULTY (DECEMBER)

Dr. Sumana Roy, Asst. Prof. Dept. of Geography Published research article titled “Dynamics of Demography and Utilization of Labour Force in India: A State Level Analysis”. *The Decan Geographer*. ISSN: 0011-7269. Vol.: 62. Number: 7th December, 2024 Page No.: 266-285 (UGC Care listed).



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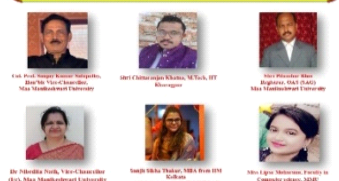
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‘Uttisthata: A Motivational Talk Series’ was organised on every Friday at 4:00 pm on 06/12/2024, 13/12/2024, 20/12/2024, 27/12/2024 (Talk No.:187,188,189,190).

Talk No-187
“ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା”
A MOTIVATIONAL TALK SERIES
Uninterrupted Journey Since 19 May, 2021
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MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATANA
Topic: “AI and 3D printing for New Generation”
Date-6th Dec-2024, Time: 4.00-5.00PM
Join the link to participate in the talk: <https://meet.google.com/tdt-gh-ikx>



Agenda	
3.30-4.00pm	Joining of Participants
4.00-4.05	Welcome Song
4.05-4.10pm	Address by Registrar
4.10-4.15pm	Witness Address and Introduction of Speaker
4.15-4.20pm	Talk by invited speaker
4.20-4.25pm	Presidential Address
4.25-4.30pm	Vote of Thanks
	Moderator

Talk No – 187

Topic – “AI and 3D printing for New Generation ”.
Resource Person –
Shri Chittaranjan Khatua, M.Tech, IIT Kharagpur.

Talk No-188
“ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା”
A MOTIVATIONAL TALK SERIES
Uninterrupted Journey Since 19 May, 2021
Completion of Three Years

MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATANA
Topic: “Archaeological heritage of undivided Kalahandi”
Date-13th Dec-2024, Time: 4.00-5.00PM
Join the link to participate in the talk: <https://meet.google.com/tdt-gh-ikx>



Agenda	
3.30-4.00pm	Joining of Participants
4.00-4.05	Welcome Song
4.05-4.10pm	Address by Registrar
4.10-4.15pm	Witness Address and Introduction of Speaker
4.15-4.20pm	Talk by invited speaker
4.20-4.25pm	Presidential Address
4.25-4.30pm	Vote of Thanks
	Moderator

Talk No – 188

Topic – “Archaeological heritage of undivided Kalahandi”
Resource Person – Prof Dr. Raghunath Panda, Retired Principal, BJB College, Bhubaneswar.

Talk No-190
“ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା”
A MOTIVATIONAL TALK SERIES
Uninterrupted Journey Since 19 May, 2021
Completion of Three Years

MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATANA
Topic: “ପ୍ରଫେସର ସତ୍ୟ ନାରାୟଣ ମୁନ୍ଦା”
Date-27th Dec-2024, Time: 4.00-5.00PM
Join the link to participate in the talk: <https://meet.google.com/tdt-gh-ikx>



Agenda	
3.30-4.00pm	Joining of Participants
4.00-4.05	Welcome Song
4.05-4.10pm	Address by Registrar
4.10-4.15pm	Witness Address and Introduction of Speaker
4.15-4.20pm	Talk by invited speaker
4.20-4.25pm	Presidential Address
4.25-4.30pm	Vote of Thanks
	Moderator

Talk No – 189

Topic – “ସୁଦ୍ଧ ସମାଜ ପାଇଁ ଗାଡ଼ାର ମହତ୍ତ୍ୱ”.

Resource Person –
Shri Ramnath Panda, Retired Registrar, Central Administrative Tribunal.

Talk No – 190

Topic – “ପ୍ରଫେସର ସତ୍ୟ ନାରାୟଣ ମୁନ୍ଦା”
Resource Person –
Shri Satya Narayan Mundchhina, Principal, MMHSS, Th. Rampur and Shri Parameswar Mund, An Acknowledged Dramatist and Linguist.

**18TH PRAVASI BHARATIYA DIVAS AT MMU**

MMU/9/1: Maa Manikeshwari University commemorated the **18th Pravasi Bharatiya Divas** on 9th January 2025, by organizing a seminar titled "Diaspora's Contribution to Viksit Bharat." The event brought together distinguished speakers from various corners of the global Indian diaspora, who shared insights on their professional journeys and contributions to nation-building from abroad. The panel of esteemed speakers included: Dr. Digambar Patra, Professor of Chemistry, University of Beirut, Lebanon; Dr. Sunanda Mishra Panda, Social Entrepreneur and Community Leader, Toronto, Canada; Prof. Nila Madhab Kar, MBBS, MD, DNB, FRC Psych, and Poet, United Kingdom; Mr. Manish Kumar, Senior Software Engineer (AI), PTC Inc., Montreal, Canada; Mrs. Chandra Mishra, Retired Medical Scientist and Writer, United States of America. The department of Odia and IQAC organised the event.

"VISWA HINDI DIVAS" ORGANIZED BY DEPARTMENT OF HINDI

MMU/9/1: Department of Hindi celebrated "Viswa Hindi Divas" on 09.01.2025.

EXPERT TALK AND WORKSHOP TITLED "BUILD YOUR OWN AI AVATAR" ORGANIZED BY DSW

MMU/28/1: Maa Manikeshwari University organized an **expert talk and workshop** titled "Build Your Own AI Avatar" on 28th January 2025, aimed at fostering practical skills in emerging technologies. The session

NXT WAVE™ Maa Manikeshwari University, Katahandi, Odisha

Present's

EXPERT TALK & WORKSHOP

Build your own AI Avatar

Workshop Highlights:

- Practical AI Training
- Hands-on Project Building
- Enhance your resumes and LinkedIn profiles with an AI Mastery Certificate.

DATE 28th Jan , Tuesday
TIME 3:00 PM

Mode of conduction:- Online

Coordinator: Dr. Madhulika Sahoo,
Director Skill Development And Director Student welfare

MR. ABHINAV DEVAGUPTAPU
AI & CYBERSECURITY EXPERT.

was conducted by Mr. Abhinav Devaguptapu, a renowned expert in Artificial Intelligence and Cyber Security, who served as the resource person. The event was successfully coordinated by Dr. Madhulika Sahoo, Director of Student Welfare, the University's commitment to promoting innovation and industry-oriented learning among students.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON "CAPITAL DEMOCRACY AND FOREIGN POLICY IN THE CONTEMPORARY WORLD" ORGANISED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE.

MMU/30-31/1: The Department of Political Science, Maa Manikeshwari University, organized a two-day International Conference on the theme "Capital, Democracy and Foreign Policy in the Contemporary World" from 30th to 31st January 2025 in hybrid mode. The conference was convened by Dr. Kailash Chandra Das, Head of the Department, with Dr. Pabitra Kumar Bag, Dr. Nidhi Mehra, and Smt. Sarita Bag, all Assistant Professors in the Department of Political Science, serving as Co-Conveners. The event featured distinguished international resource persons, including Prof. Ismile Suardi Wekke from University Muhammadiyah Barru, Indonesia, and Dr. Balakrishnan Muniapan, Associate Professor at Birmingham City University, United Kingdom.



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NATIONAL YOUTH DAY



MMU/12/1: Maa Manikeshwari University celebrated **National Youth Day** on **12th January 2025**, an occasion dedicated to honoring the contributions and potential of youth in nation-building. The event was graced by the esteemed presence of **Dr. Nibedita Nath**, Vice Chancellor (I/C), along with the faculty members of the University. The celebration provided a platform for reflecting on the ideals of youth empowerment and leadership, while reinforcing the University's commitment to fostering the intellectual and personal growth of its students.

DAK CHOUPAL



MMU/12/1: Maa Manikeshwari University organized a **Dak Choupal** in collaboration with the **Department of Post, India, Kalahandi Division** on **12th January 2025** at the University campus. The event aimed to engage students and the local community in discussions about the role of postal services in contemporary society, while also fostering awareness about the evolving landscape of communication and delivery systems. This initiative reflected the University's commitment to promoting social engagement and knowledge dissemination among its students and staff.

CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME ON “ENHANCING EMPLOYABILITY AND SOFT SKILLS”

MMU/24/1: Maa Manikeshwari University, in collaboration with the **United School of Business Management, Bhubaneswar**, organized a **Capacity Building Programme on Enhancing Employability and Soft Skills** on **24th January 2025**. The programme aimed to equip students with essential skills for professional growth and career advancement, focusing on the development of employability and soft skills that are crucial in today's competitive job market.

**ENHANCING EMPLOYABILITY
ROLE OF SOFT SKILLS**

ORGANISED BY
MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY

IN ASSOCIATION WITH
UNITED SCHOOL OF BUSINESS MANAGEMENT
BHUBANESWAR

24th JANUARY 2025
11 AM ONWARDS

JUBA SANSKR HALL

SCAN FOR REGISTRATION



SPORTS & GAMES

MMU/14-18/1: The Sports Council of Maa Manikeshwari University organized the Inter-College Cricket Tournament from 14th to 18th January 2025. The tournament brought together teams from various colleges, fostering a spirit of competition and sportsmanship. After a series of thrilling matches, Khariar Autonomous College, Khariar, emerged as the champions of the tournament, showcasing exceptional talent and team coordination throughout the event.



CELEBRATION OF 76TH REPUBLIC DAY - 2025



MMU/26/1: The **76th Republic Day** was celebrated with great pride and enthusiasm at Maa Manikeshwari University. On this occasion, Dr. Nibedita Nath, Vice Chancellor (I/c), hoisted the national flag, marking the significance of the day. The event was further enriched by vibrant cultural performances, which were showcased by the university's students, reflecting their creativity and patriotic spirit. The celebrations highlighted the university's commitment to fostering a sense of national pride and cultural expression among its community.



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'Uttisthata: A Motivational Talk Series' on every Friday at 4:00 pm on 03/1/2025, 10/1/2024, 17/1/2025, 24/1/2025 and 31/1/25 (Talk No.:191,192,193,194,195).

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Talk No-191
“ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା”
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MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHANUAPATTANA

Topic: “ଶ୍ରମରେ ଶେଷ ହେଉଛି ଏକ ଉପାଦାନର ସ୍ୱପ୍ନର ଅବତରଣ”
Date-3rd Jan-2025, Time: 4:00-5:00PM

Join the link to participate in the talk-<https://meet.google.com/tdz-jfb-kka>



Agenda	
3:54-4:00pm	Initiation of Participants
4:04-4:05	Welcome Note
4:04-4:10pm	Address by Resource Person
4:14-4:15pm	Resource Address and Introduction of Speaker
4:14-4:20pm	Talk by Invited Speaker
4:20-4:25pm	Presidential Address
4:25-4:30pm	Vote of Thanks
4:30-4:35pm	Vote of Thanks

Talk No – 191

Topic – “ଶ୍ରମ ଜୀବନରେ ପାଠ୍ୟକ୍ରମ ଓ ସହପାଠ୍ୟକ୍ରମର ଗୁରୁତ୍ୱ ଓ ଆବଶ୍ୟକତା”.

Resource Person –

Ms Manashi Acharya, Lecturer in Education, SLN Degree College,

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MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHANUAPATTANA

Topic: “ସ୍ୱାମୀ ବିବେକାନନ୍ଦ ଓ ସାମ୍ପ୍ରତିକ ଯୁଗ”
Date-10th Jan-2025, Time: 4:00-5:00PM

Join the link to participate in the talk-<https://meet.google.com/tdz-jfb-kka>



Agenda	
3:54-4:00pm	Initiation of Participants
4:04-4:05	Welcome Note
4:04-4:10pm	Address by Resource Person
4:14-4:15pm	Resource Address and Introduction of Speaker
4:14-4:20pm	Talk by Invited Speaker
4:20-4:25pm	Presidential Address
4:25-4:30pm	Vote of Thanks
4:30-4:35pm	Vote of Thanks

Talk No – 192

Topic – “ସାମୀ ବିବେକାନନ୍ଦ ଓ ସାମ୍ପ୍ରତିକ ଯୁଗ ସମ୍ପର୍କ”

Resource Person – Dr. Bijaya Kumar Sahoo, Eminent Speaker and Educationist, Koshleswar Degree College, Keonjhar

Talk No-193
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Topic: “ଜନଜାତି ଜୀବନର ଜୀବନ ଆବେଦନ ଗୀତ କୁଟିଆ ପରମ୍ପରା”
Date-17th Jan-2025, Time: 4:00-5:00PM

Join the link to participate in the talk-<https://meet.google.com/tdz-jfb-kka>



Agenda	
3:54-4:00pm	Initiation of Participants
4:04-4:05	Welcome Note
4:04-4:10pm	Address by Resource Person
4:14-4:15pm	Resource Address and Introduction of Speaker
4:14-4:20pm	Talk by Invited Speaker
4:20-4:25pm	Presidential Address
4:25-4:30pm	Vote of Thanks
4:30-4:35pm	Vote of Thanks

Talk No – 193

Topic – “(ଜନଜାତି ଜୀବନର ଜୀବନ ଆବେଦନ ଗୀତ କୁଟିଆ ପରମ୍ପରା)”.

Resource Person – Professor Basanti Mohanty, An Acknowledged Writer and Educationist.

Talk No-194
“ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା”
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MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHANUAPATTANA

Topic: “Urban Forestry: A Noble Initiative Towards Reducing Carbon Footprint”
Date-24th Jan-2025, Time: 4:00-5:00PM

Join the link to participate in the talk-<https://meet.google.com/tdz-jfb-kka>



Agenda	
3:54-4:00pm	Initiation of Participants
4:04-4:05	Welcome Note
4:04-4:10pm	Address by Resource Person
4:14-4:15pm	Resource Address and Introduction of Speaker
4:14-4:20pm	Talk by Invited Speaker
4:20-4:25pm	Presidential Address
4:25-4:30pm	Vote of Thanks
4:30-4:35pm	Vote of Thanks

Talk No – 194

Topic – “Urban Forestry: A Noble Initiative Towards Reducing Carbon Footprint”

Resource Person – Dr. Sundar Narayan Pato, Retired Reader in Botany and President, Orissa Environmental Society.

Talk No-195
“ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା”
A MOTIVATIONAL TALK SERIES
Uninterrupted Journey from 14 May, 2021
Completion of Three Years

MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHANUAPATTANA

Topic: “ଜୀବନ ସ୍ୱପ୍ନ ଉପରେ ପ୍ରଭାବ ପଡ଼ିଥିବା ଉପକ୍ରମ”
Date-31st Jan-2025, Time: 4:00-5:00PM

Join the link to participate in the talk-<https://meet.google.com/tdz-jfb-kka>



Agenda	
3:54-4:00pm	Initiation of Participants
4:04-4:05	Welcome Note
4:04-4:10pm	Address by Resource Person
4:14-4:15pm	Resource Address and Introduction of Speaker
4:14-4:20pm	Talk by Invited Speaker
4:20-4:25pm	Presidential Address
4:25-4:30pm	Vote of Thanks
4:30-4:35pm	Vote of Thanks

Talk No – 195

Topic – “ଜୀବନ ସ୍ୱପ୍ନ ଉପରେ ପ୍ରଭାବ ପଡ଼ିଥିବା ଉପକ୍ରମ”

Resource Person – Dr. Lala Aswini Kumar Singh. Retd. Senior Research Officer (Wildlife)// Vice President - Orissa Environmental Society.



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ANWESHA

“THE QUEST FOR KNOWLEDGE”

Distinguished Invited Lecture Series Uninterrupted Journey from 11 JANUARY, 2025

MMU/11/1: Anwesha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 1, was organized by the Department of Anthropology in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 11th January 2025. The lecture was delivered by Prof. S. Gregory, Member Secretary, Former Dean, Faculty of Social Science, who presented a comprehensive discourse on “Understanding Tribal Culture, Mainstreaming and Development from an Eco-centric Indigenous Perspective for Global Sustainability”.

MMU/18/1: Anwesha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 2, was organized by the Department of BBA in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 18th January 2025. The lecture was delivered by Prof. S.K Baral, Prof. Dept. of Commerce, who presented a comprehensive discourse on “Startup Ecosystems and Social Entrepreneurs: Pioneering a Sustainable Circular Economy”.

MMU/25/1: Anwesha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 3, was organized by the Department of BCA in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 25th January 2025. The lecture was delivered by Dr Brajo Kishor Mishra, Prof. and Head Dept. of Computer Science, who presented a comprehensive discourse on Competitive Coding Techniques: Strategies for Winning Challenges.

MMU/25/1: Anwesha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 4, was organized by the Department of B. ED in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 25th January 2025. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Partha Sarathi Mallik Professor and Head School of Education Gangadhar Meher University, who presented a comprehensive discourse on Transformation of Indian Education; Framework and Critical View in the Light of NEP, 2020.

**SKILL INITIATIVE PROGRAMME ORGANIZED BY THE DSW**

MMU/1/2: The Directorate of Student Welfare (DSW) at Maa Manikeshwari University organized a **Skill Initiative Programme** on 1st February 2025, aimed at enhancing students' practical competencies and preparing them for professional success. The programme was successfully coordinated by Dr. Madhulika Sahoo, Director of Student Welfare, and provided participants with valuable opportunities to develop essential skills that are integral to their academic and career growth.

INVITED LECTURE ON "INNOVATION MANAGEMENT IN CLIMATE ACTION." ORGANIZED BY IQAC

MMU/6/2: A Distinguished Invited Lecture was organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) in collaboration with the Department of Odia on 6th February 2025, focusing on the theme "Innovation Management in Climate Action." The lecture aimed to explore innovative strategies and management approaches in addressing climate challenges. The esteemed speakers for the event included Dr. Bijay Kumar Sahu, Senior Regional Manager and Head of the Outreach Office at the National Renewable Energy Development Corporation (NRDC), Government of India, and Mr. Jyotiraj Patra, who shared their expertise on climate action and sustainability practices. The lecture

provided valuable insights into the role of innovation in mitigating climate change and promoting sustainable development.

"COMPETITIVE CODING TECHNIQUES: STRATEGIES FOR WINNING CHALLENGES" ORGANIZED BY IQAC IN COLLABORATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF BCA

MMU/7/2: An Invited Lecture was organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) in collaboration with the Department of BCA on 7th February 2025. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Brojo Kishore Mishra, Professor and Head of the Department of Computer Science and Engineering at NIST University, Berhampur, Odisha. Dr. Mishra's lecture provided valuable insights into the latest advancements in computer science and engineering, contributing to the academic enrichment of students and faculty alike.

**"UNDERSTANDING CLIMATE CHANGE THROUGH STUDIES IN ANTARCTICA," ORGANIZED BY IQAC IN COLLABORATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY**

MMU/8/2: The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) and the Department of Geography hosted a distinguished invited lecture, featuring Dr. Ashit Kumar Swain, Director of the Geological Survey of India, SU: India. Dr. Swain delivered an insightful lecture titled "Understanding Climate Change Through Studies in Antarctica," highlighting the critical role of Antarctic research in advancing our understanding of global climate change.



INVITED LECTURE ON “ANTHROPOLOGY OF HEALTH, NUTRITION, AND EPIDEMIOLOGY” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ANTHROPOLOGY



MMU/10/2: An invited lecture was organized by the Department of Anthropology, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), on 10th February 2025. The lecture was presented by Mr. Manoranjan Mohapatra, Assistant Professor in the Department of Anthropology at KISS Deemed to be University, on the topic, “Anthropology of Health, Nutrition, and Epidemiology.”

INVITED LECTURE ON “FUNCTIONING OF THE FINANCE COMMISSION,” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS



MMU/11/2: An invited lecture was organized by the Department of Economics on 11th February 2025. The lecture was delivered by Prof. Manoj Panda, Member of the 16th Finance Commission, Government of India (GOI), and Former Director of the Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi. The session focused on the topic, “Functioning of the Finance Commission,” providing valuable insights into the role and operations of the Finance Commission in India.

“NAVIGATING COMMERCE EDUCATION AND RESEARCH FOR SUSTAINABLE EMPLOYABILITY.” ORGANIZED BY DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE



MMU/22/2: The Department of Commerce organized the invited lecture Anwesha: The Quest for Knowledge on 22nd February 2025, focusing on the topic, “Navigating Commerce Education and Research for Sustainable Employability.” The lecture featured Dr. Malay Kumar Mohanty, Former President of the OCA, who graced the event as the Chief Guest, offering valuable perspectives on the intersection of commerce education, research, and sustainable employability.

INVITED LECTURE ON “INDIA’S FOREIGN POLICY: ENTITLEMENT TRAITS AND INFLECTION POINTS,” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE



MMU/25/2 : An invited lecture was organized by the Department of Political Science on 25th February 2025. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Jagmohan Meher, Professor in the Department of Political Science, National Defence Academy, on the topic, “India’s Foreign Policy: Entitlement Traits and Inflection Points,” providing an in-depth analysis of the key characteristics and pivotal moments in India’s foreign policy.



Extra-curricular/ Outreach Activities

INVITED LECTURE ON “PUSTAK SAMIKSHYA” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF ODIA

MMU/5/2: The **Department of Odia**, in collaboration with the **Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)**, organized a lecture on “**Pustak Samikshya**” on 5th February 2025, aimed at enhancing critical reading and analytical skills in the field of literature. The event was graced by the esteemed **Chief Guest, Dr. Niharendra Panda**, a renowned writer of **Sapta Tirtha** from **Kalahandi**.



WORKSHOP ON “SKILL SHIFT: HOW AI & ML RESHAPE JOB REQUIREMENTS” ORGANIZED BY THE DSW

MMU/10/2: A Workshop on “**Skill Shift: How AI & ML Reshape Job Requirements**” was organized by **Maa Manikeshwari University, Bhawanipatna**, in collaboration with **ASTHA School of Management, Bhubaneswar**, on 10th February 2025. The workshop aimed to explore the transformative impact of **Artificial Intelligence (AI)** and **Machine Learning (ML)** on the evolving landscape of job skills and employment opportunities.



“STUDY-CUM-TRAINING PROGRAMME” ORGANIZED BY THE NSS

MMU/10/2: The **University** organized a **Study-cum-Training Programme** under the auspices of the **NSS Bureau** on 10th February 2025. This programme was designed to provide students with a comprehensive understanding of both theoretical and practical aspects related to social service and community engagement. Through a series of structured sessions, participants were equipped with essential skills and knowledge to effectively contribute to social welfare initiatives.



CELEBRATION OF WORLD ANTHROPOLOGY DAY ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF ANTHROPOLOGY

MMU/20/2: **World Anthropology Day** was celebrated by the **Department of Anthropology** on 20th February 2025, with a focus on promoting awareness and understanding of the field of anthropology. The theme of the event, “**Culture Speaks, History Whispers, and Anthropology Listens**,” emphasized the integral role of anthropology in interpreting cultural narratives and historical contexts through careful listening and analysis. The event featured an insightful lecture by **Dr. Nibedita Nath, VC (I/c)**, who was the invited speaker on this occasion. Magazine of Dept. of Anthropology was released



“MATRUBHASA DIVAS” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF ODIA

MMU/21/2: The **Department of Odia** organized the celebration of “**Matrubhasa Divas**” on 21st February 2025, an event dedicated to promoting and honoring the importance of the mother tongue in preserving cultural heritage and fostering linguistic diversity. The occasion witnessed active participation and was attended by the **Registrar** and **Deputy Registrar**.





POTHI COLLECTION FROM SRI KSHIPATI PRADHAN AT SIKELKUPA VILLAGE

MMU/21/2: Pothi Collection from Sri Kshipati Pradhan at Sikelkupa Village by Dr. Nibedita Nath VC (I/c) and Sri Dolamani Dharua was done on 4th February 2025 for the presentation of traditional indigenous knowledge.



SPORTS AND GAMES

Odisha Inter - University Competitions at Berhampur University



MMU/19-24/2: Odisha Inter-University Competitions at Berhampur University, was conducted from 19th to 24th February 2025, Maa Manikeswari University achieved notable success by securing four individual prizes and a group award across various competitive categories. Demonstrating exceptional talent and dedication, Sri Ayush Jha earned the 2nd Position in Solo Instrumental, while Ashwin Kumar Acharya secured the 3rd Position in Painting. In the Quiz competition, Kanakram Majhi and Bhagirathi Rana jointly attained the 3rd Position, showcasing their academic acumen. Additionally, the university's team won the 2nd Position in Group Dance, reflecting the students' vibrant artistic expression and coordination. These achievements underscore the university's commitment to nurturing diverse talents and promoting excellence in both cultural and intellectual domains.



MMU/21/2: The Department of B.Ed organized its Annual Athletic Meet on 21st February 2025, with the objective of promoting physical fitness, team spirit, and holistic development among student-teachers. The event served as a platform to encourage active participation in sports and to emphasize the role of physical education in teacher training programs. The occasion was graced by Dr. Nibedita Nath, VC (I/c), who attended as a Chief Guest. In her address, Dr. Nath highlighted the significance of integrating physical activity within the academic curriculum to nurture well-rounded educators. The meet witnessed enthusiastic involvement from students and faculty members, contributing to a vibrant and engaging athletic environment.



MMU/28/2: The University's Sports Council organized the **Annual Athletic Meet** on 28th February 2025, an event aimed at fostering sportsmanship, physical fitness, and overall well-being among the university community. The event saw active participation from both teaching and non-teaching staff, who engaged in a variety of athletic competitions, promoting a spirit of camaraderie and healthy competition. The prize distribution ceremony was graced by Dr. Nibedita Nath, VC (I/c), who distributed the awards to the winners, acknowledging their dedication and athletic achievements. This event not only highlighted the importance of sports in academic settings but also reinforced the university's commitment to encouraging holistic development through physical activity and team participation.

AT CENTRAL ZONE VICE – CHANCELLOR MEET 2025

MMU/25/2: Dr. Nibedita Nath, Vice-Chancellor (I/c) of Maa Manikeshwari University, participated in the All-India University Central Zone Vice-Chancellor's Meet held on 25th February 2025, hosted by the Kalinga Institute of Industrial Technology (KIIT), Bhubaneswar. The meet served as a significant platform for academic leaders to deliberate on emerging challenges and opportunities in higher education, institutional governance, research innovation, and policy implementation. Dr. Nath's participation underscored the university's proactive engagement in national academic discourse and its commitment to contributing to the development of strategic frameworks aimed at enhancing the quality and inclusivity of higher education in India.



STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS IN UGC NET / JRF EXAMINATION

Sl. No	Name Of the Department	Name Of the Students	Qualified Only Ph.D.
01	Anthropology	Sthitiprajna Swain	Only Ph.D.
02	Commerce	Nabanita Sahu	Assistant Professor & Ph.D.
03	Education	Smrutiranjana Sahoo	Assistant Professor & Ph.D.
04	Odia	Krupasindhu Behera	Assistant Professor & Ph.D.
05	Odia	Bhaktilata Sahu	Assistant Professor & Ph.D.
06	Political Science	Laxmi Suna	Assistant Professor & Ph.D.
07	Political Science	Gupteswar Sahu	Assistant Professor & Ph.D.
08	Political Science	Indira Charan Bodek	Assistant Professor & Ph.D.
09	English	Shankar Meher	NET
10	English	Naresh Suna	NET
11	English	Pallavi Rout	JRF
12	Odia	Sumanta Rana	JRF
13	Odia	Ashirbada Sahoo	JRF
14	Geography	Rabi Narayana Majhi	Ph.D.

Participation of faculty in refresher course : Dr. Suman Roy, Asst. Prof. in Geography successfully completed Refresher Course on Geography and environmental studies from 3rd Feb. to 19th Feb. 2025 organised by MMIC, Jamia Millia Islamia University, New Delhi and she placed with A+ Grade.



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'Uttisthata: A Motivational Talk Series' on every Friday at 4:00 pm on 7/2/2025, 14/ 1/2024, 21/1/2025, 28/1/2025 (Talk No.:196,197,198,199).

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Talk No:-196
"ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା"
AMOTIVATIONAL TALKS
Uninterrupted Journey from 14 May, 2021
Completion of Three Years

MAA MAHESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHUBANESWAR
Topic:- "Gender and Health: Sexual and Reproductive Health Rights"
Date: 07 Feb-2025, Time: 4:00-5:00PM
Join to participate in the talk-<https://meet.google.com/ldj-jfr-kka>



Agenda	
4:00-4:05pm	Opening of Participants
4:05-4:10pm	Welcome Song
4:10-4:15pm	Address by Resource Person
4:15-4:20pm	Welcome Address and Introduction of Speaker
4:20-4:25pm	Topic to be discussed
4:25-4:30pm	Practical Address
4:30-4:35pm	Vote of Thanks
4:35-4:40pm	Prayer

Talk No – 196

Topic – “Gender and Health: Sexual and Reproductive Health Rights”

Resource Person:

Ms.Pujafula Pattanayak,
State Consultant IEC/BCC,
Directorate of State Institute
of Health & Family Welfare
Baipariguda.

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Talk No:-197
"ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା"
AMOTIVATIONAL TALKS
Uninterrupted Journey from 14 May, 2021
Completion of Three Years

MAA MAHESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHUBANESWAR
Topic:- "Political Empowerment of Women: Paving the Path for Equality and Leadership"
Date: 14 Feb-2025, Time: 4:00-5:00PM
Join to participate in the talk-<https://meet.google.com/ldj-jfr-kka>



Agenda	
4:00-4:05pm	Opening of Participants
4:05-4:10pm	Welcome Song
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Talk No – 197

Topic: – Political Empowerment of Women: Paving the Path for Equality and Leadership

Resource Perso: –

Dr.Pratima Sarangi Associate
Professor and Head
Department of Public
Administration, Utkal
University

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Talk No:-198
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AMOTIVATIONAL TALKS
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MAA MAHESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHUBANESWAR
Topic:- "Gender Based Violence"
Date: 21 Feb-2025, Time: 4:00-5:00PM
Join to participate in the talk-<https://meet.google.com/ldj-jfr-kka>



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4:00-4:05pm	Opening of Participants
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Talk No – 198

Topic – “Gender Based Violence”

Resource Person – Pragnya
Paramita Bastia, Senior
Manager, Breakthrough Trust

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Talk No:-199
"ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା"
AMOTIVATIONAL TALKS
Uninterrupted Journey from 14 May, 2021
Completion of Three Years

MAA MAHESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHUBANESWAR
Topic:- "Protection of Women from Domestic Act (PWDVA) - 2005"
Date: 28 Feb-2025, Time: 4:00-5:00PM
Join to participate in the talk-<https://meet.google.com/ldj-jfr-kka>



Agenda	
4:00-4:05pm	Opening of Participants
4:05-4:10pm	Welcome Song
4:10-4:15pm	Address by Resource Person
4:15-4:20pm	Welcome Address and Introduction of Speaker
4:20-4:25pm	Topic to be discussed
4:25-4:30pm	Practical Address
4:30-4:35pm	Vote of Thanks
4:35-4:40pm	Prayer

Talk No – 199

Topic – “Protection of Women from Domestic Act (PWDVA) – 2005”

Resource Person: –

Pragyan Priyadarsani Rath,
Training coordinator
NAWO, Odisha Chapter
Pragyan Priyadarsani Rath,
Training coordinator
NAWO, Odisha Chapter



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ANWESHA

“THE QUEST FOR KNOWLEDGE”

Distinguished Invited Lecture Series Uninterrupted Journey from 11 JANUARY, 2025

MMU/1/2: Anwesh: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 4, was organized by the Department of B.Ed in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 1st February 2025. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Partha Sarathi Mallik, Professor and Head of the School of Education at Gangadhar Meher University, who presented a comprehensive discourse on “Transformation of Indian Education: Framework and Critical Perspectives in the Light of NEP, 2020.” The session provided valuable insights into the evolving landscape of Indian education, critically examining the framework of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 and its implications for the future of education in India.

Chief Patron
Dr. Niladri Nath
Vice-Chancellor (IQ)
Chairperson, IQAC
Patron

Maa Manikeshwari University
Manikya Vihar, Bhawanipatna

Welcomes You to
ANWESHA
THE QUEST FOR KNOWLEDGE
(Every Saturday)
Distinguished Invited Lecture Series, No. 5

Topic:
“How Funny is the Specific Heat Capacity and it's Anomalous Negative Behaviour”

Chief Speaker
Dr. Trilochan Swain,
Associate Professor & Head
Dept. of Chemistry
Fakir Mohan University

Convener
Dr. Jayadev Sahoo
Deputy Registrar

Date: 8th Feb, 2025; Time: 3:30 PM
Google Meet Link: <https://meet.google.com/tqy-utth-pab>

Organized by
Department of Chemistry
In Collaboration with Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)
Maa Manikeshwari University (erstwhile: Kalahandi University)
Manikya Vihar, Bhawanipatna, Kalahandi

MMU/8/2: Anwesh: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 5, was organized by the Department of Chemistry in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 8th February 2025. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Trilochan Swain, Associate Professor & Head Dept. of Chemistry Fakir Mohan University, “How Funny is the Specific Heat Capacity and it's Anomalous Negative Behaviour “

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THE QUEST FOR KNOWLEDGE
(Every Saturday)
Distinguished Invited Lecture Series, No. 4

Topic:
Transformation of Indian Education: Framework and Critical View in the Light of NEP, 2020.

Chief Speaker
Dr. Partha Sarathi Mallik,
Professor and Head School
of Education Gangadhar
Meher University

Convener
Dr. Jayadev Sahoo
Deputy Registrar

Date: 1st Feb, 2025; Time: 3:30 PM
Google Meet Link: <https://meet.google.com/tqy-utth-pab>

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Manikya Vihar, Bhawanipatna, Kalahandi

MMU/15/2: Anwesh: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 6, was organized by the Department of Botany in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 15th February 2025. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Tribhuvan Panda Eminent Taxonomist, who presented a comprehensive discourse on “Indigenous knowledge on selection and sustainable utilization of local flora and fauna for food by aborigines of Kalahandi: a potential resource for food and environmental security “

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THE QUEST FOR KNOWLEDGE
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Distinguished Invited Lecture Series, No. 6

Topic:
“Indigenous knowledge on selection and sustainable utilization of local flora and fauna for food by aborigines of Kalahandi: a potential resource for food and environmental security”

Chief Speaker
Dr. Tribhuvan Panda
Eminent Taxonomist

Convener
Dr. Jayadev Sahoo
Deputy Registrar

Date: 15th Feb, 2025; Time: 3:30 PM
Venue- Seminar Hall, Dept. of Botany

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ANWESHA
THE QUEST FOR KNOWLEDGE
(Every Saturday)
Distinguished Invited Lecture Series, No. 7

Topic:
“Navigating Commerce Education and Research for Sustainable Employability”

Chief Speaker
Prof. Malay Kumar Mohanty
Former President, OCA,
Managing Editor,
Odisha Journal of Commerce
World Bank-TNO, OHEPEE

Convener
Dr. Jayadev Sahoo
Deputy Registrar

Date: 22nd Feb, 2025; Time: 3:30 PM
Google Meet Link: <https://meet.google.com/tqy-utth-pab>

Organized by
Department of Commerce
In Collaboration with Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)
Maa Manikeshwari University (erstwhile: Kalahandi University)
Manikya Vihar, Bhawanipatna, Kalahandi

MMU/22/2: Anwesh: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 7, was organized by the Department of Commerce in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 22nd February 2025. The lecture was delivered by Prof. Malay Kumar Mohanty Former President, OCA, Managing Editor, Odisha Journal of Commerce World Bank-TNO, OHEPEE, who presented a comprehensive discourse on “Navigating Commerce Education and Research for Sustainable Employability “.

**WORKSHOP ON “ONE NATION, ONE ELECTION” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE**

MMU/04/3: The Department of Political Science, Maa Manikeshwari University, organized a workshop on “One Nation, One Election”, focusing on the implications of simultaneous elections for democratic governance in India. The session featured insightful addresses by Member of Parliament, Rajya Sabha Shri Sujit Kumar and Member of Parliament, Lok Sabha Smt. Malvika Devi, who emphasized that the frequent conduct of elections poses challenges to policy continuity, governance efficiency, and national development.

ONE-DAY CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME CENTERED AROUND THE THEME “MAKING ECO CRAFT.” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY

MMU/09/3: The Department of Zoology at Maa Manikeshwari University successfully conducted a One-Day Capacity Building Programme centered around the theme “Making Eco Craft.” This program aimed to promote sustainable and eco-friendly craftsmanship, encouraging both creativity and environmental conservation. The event featured a diverse range of experts, including Ms. Bharati Sahu, Principal of Maharaja Udit Pratap Deo School of Art,



Rajbari, Bhawanipatna, and renowned freelance artist, Mr. Manas Ranjan Panda, Lecturer in Fine Arts at Pragati Concept School (holding an MFA qualification), and Mr. Khirashindhu Bhoi, Lecturer in Fine Arts at MMU, Bhawanipatna, who also holds an MFA qualification.

NATIONAL SEMINAR “LOKA TATWA AND ANUBAD TATWA” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF ODIA

MMU/18/3: The Department of Odia at Maa Manikeshwari University organized an insightful Invited Lecture on “Loka Tatwa and Anubad Tatwa”. The lecture, held as part of the department’s academic enrichment initiatives, featured Vice Chancellor (I/c) Dr. Nibedita Nath as the invited speaker. Dr. Nath explored the essential principles of Loka Tatwa and Anubad Tatwa (the principles of translation), highlighting their relevance in contemporary literary and cultural studies. Her thought-provoking insights enriched the academic discourse, fostering a deeper understanding of Odia literature among the students and faculties present.

ONE-DAY CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME ON THE THEME “ENERGY SAVED” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF ZOOLOGY

MMU/11/3: The Department of Zoology at Maa Manikeshwari University successfully organized a one-day capacity building programme on the theme



“Energy Saved” on 11th March 2025. This event was conducted in collaboration with the Centre for Environmental Studies (CES), Forest, Environment, and Climate Change Department, Government of India. The programme focused on promoting awareness and practices related to energy conservation and its critical role in sustainable development. Experts and environmental specialists shared insights on efficient energy use, sustainable practices.

WORKSHOP ON “MAKING AN ETHNOGRAPHIC FILM: TECHNIQUES, EMOTIONS, AND NARRATIVES” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF ANTHROPOLOGY



MMU/21/3 : The Department of Anthropology, Maa Manikeshwari University organized a Webinar on “Making an Ethnographic Film: Techniques, Emotions, and Narratives” on 21st March 2025. The event featured Dr. Rukshana Zaman, Associate Professor at the School of Social Sciences, Indira Gandhi Open University, as the invited speaker. Dr. Zaman provided valuable insights into the process of creating ethnographic films, focusing on the technical aspects, emotional depth, and narrative strategies that shape such films.

NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON ACADEMIC WRITING AND PUBLISHING ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CELL



MMU/29/3: The national workshop on academic Writing and Publishing was successfully organized by the Research and Development Cell at Maa Manikeshwari University in Bhawanipatna on 29th March 2025. Prof. Subho Roy ISI, Kolkata was the chief Speaker. Prof. Manoranjan Mishra of FM University Balesore & Prof. Rajib Padhi, Dy. Registrar Sambalpur University were the invited speakers of the workshop.

NATIONAL SEMINAR ON “ANTHROPOLOGY OF HEALTH AND WELL-BEING” ORGANIZED BY DEPT. OF ANTHROPOLOGY



MMU/30/3: The Department of Anthropology at Maa Manikeshwari University successfully organized a national seminar on “Anthropology of Health and Well-being” on 30th March 2025. Having Prof. Subho Roy, Head of the Biological Anthropology Unit at ISI Kolkata, as the Chief Guest would have added significant value to the event. Prof. Roy’s expertise in biological anthropology would have provided valuable insights to the participants. discussions, share research, and collaborate on future projects.

NATIONAL SEMINAR ON ADVANCES IN “BIOLOGY AND BIODIVERSITY” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF BOTANY AND ZOOLOGY



MMU/30/3: A two day national seminar on Advances in Biology and Biodiversity was organised on 30th and 31st March 2025 by the Department of Botany and Zoology, Maa



Manikeshwari University, Bhawanipatna. Many participants from the state and away from the state participated in the National Seminar. Dr. Subrat Kumar Panigrahi, Head, Department of Zoology was the Convenor and Dr. Ghanashyam Behera, Head, Department of Botany was the organising secretary of the national seminar. Prof. Ashok Ku. Panigrahi, Former Prof. Emretius, Berhampur University was the Chief Guest on this occasion. Jay, Andhra University, Prof. Manoj Singh, Kalinga University graced the national seminar as Keynote Speakers.

NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON "BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP" ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF COMMERCE



MMU/28/3: The Department of Commerce at Maa Manikeshwari University successfully organized a National Workshop on Business and Professional Leadership on 28th and 29th March 2025 engage in discussions, share research, and collaborate on future projects. This workshop likely covered topics such as: Leadership Development: Strategies for effective leadership in business and professional settings. Business Ethics: Importance of ethics in business decision-making and practices. Industry Insights: Latest trends and developments in various industries.

NATIONAL SEMINAR ON "VIKASIT BHARAT" ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF ECONOMICS

MMU/16/3: Prof. Umashankar Dash (Regional Director of Education, Sambalpur), Dr. Uma Charan Pati (Deputy Registrar, GMU), Prof. Kanhaya Ahuja (Professor, Department of Economics, Devi Ahilya University, Indore), Dr. Nibedita Nath (Vice-Chancellor (I/c), Maa Manikeshwari University), and Prof. Dukhsbandhu Sahoo (Professor, HSS, IIT Bhubaneswar) during the National Seminar on "Vikasit Bharat 2047: Odisha's Pathways to Inclusive and Sustainable Development" organized by the



Department of Economics, Maa Manikeshwari University, Bhawanipatna, on 16th March 2025.

INVITED TALK ON "DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS AND THE SOCIAL SCIENCES: INTERDISCIPLINARY PERSPECTIVES," ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF ECONOMICS



MMU/27/3: Prof. Rajshree Bedmata (Professor, HSS, IIT Guwahati) and Dr. Nibedita Nath (Vice-Chancellor I/c, Maa Manikeshwari University) along with other dignitaries during the Invited Talk on "Development Economics and the Social Sciences: Interdisciplinary Perspectives," organized by the Department of Economics, Maa Manikeshwari University, Bhawanipatna, on 27th March 2025.

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MMU / 25/03 : Prestigious Maa Manikeshwari Lecture series was organised on 25th March 2025 at Juba Sankar Hall, Dr. Iti Samanta, Editor Kadambini was invited as the chief speaker on the occasion





LEVERAGING GEOSPATIAL TECHNOLOGY AND MACHINE LEARNING FOR DISASTER MANAGEMENT ORGANIZED BY DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY, IN COLLABORATION WITH IQAC



MMU/28/3: The Department of Geography, in collaboration with IQAC, organised an invited lecture on a very relevant topic! Leveraging geospatial technology and machine learning for disaster management is a cutting-edge area of research that can have significant practical applications. The collaboration with IQAC likely adds an extra layer of academic rigor to the event. Prof. Manoranjan Mishra, Dept. of Geography, F.M. University, Balasore was the invited speaker of this occasion.

INVITED LECTURE ON “LIGHTNING HAZARD MITIGATION AND PUBLIC AWARENESS” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY IN COLLABORATION WITH IQAC



MMU/28/3: The Department of IQAC at Maa Manikeshwari University organized an invited lecture on “Lightning Hazard Mitigation and Public Awareness” on 28th March 2025. Prof. Manoranjan

Mishra, Dept. of Geography, F.M. University, Balasore was the invited speaker of this occasion. Prof. Mishra’s expertise in the field would have provided valuable insights to the audience, emphasizing the significance of lightning hazard mitigation and public awareness. The event would have been beneficial for students, faculty, and staff, promoting a safer and more informed community.

INVITED LECTURE ON “A BRIEF SYNOPSIS OF BUDDHISM” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF HISTORY



MMU/30/3: The Department of History at Maa Manikeshwari University organized a distinguished invited lecture on “A Brief Synopsis of Buddhism in Odisha as Gleaned through Archaeological Excavations” on 30th March 2025. Dr. Jeeban Kumar Pattnaik, Ex Superintending Archaeologist, Archaeological Survey of India. The event would have provided a valuable platform for scholars and students to engage with Dr. Pattnaik’s expertise and explore the rich cultural heritage of Odisha



Extra-curricular/ Outreach Activities

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY 2025 WAS CELEBRATED BY IQAC



DISTRICT LEVEL VIKSIT BHARAT YOUTH PARLIAMENT – 2025 ORGANIZED BY NSS



MMU/08/3: Maa Manikeshwari University organised a National Symposium “Role of women for Viksit Bharat” on the occasion of International Women's day on 8th March 2025 on the occasion all the female students achievers and faculties having administrative positions were felicitated.



MMU/19/3: The NSS Bureau, Maa Manikeshwari University, Bhawanipatna (Erstwhile: Kalahandi University), proudly organized the District Level Viksit Bharat Youth Parliament – 2025 on 19th and 20th March 2025, as part of the nationwide initiative under the aegis of the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, Government of India. The event was hosted at the university campus and witnessed active participation from youth representatives across three districts: Kalahandi, Nuapada, and Rayagada. The central theme of the programme was “One Nation, One Election: Paving the Way for Viksit Bharat”, aimed at engaging youth in constructive democratic dialogue and policymaking awareness



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FIRST ANNUAL FUNCTION OF

MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY 12th March 2025

The First Annual Function of Maa Manikeshwari University was organised on 12th March 2025 with much pump and ceremony, The Collector & DM, Kalahandi District, Shri Pawar Sachin Prakash was the Chief Guest.



The Winners of different competitions were given prizes, The faculties who are holding different administrative positions are also felicitated for their hard work and dedication.





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Talk No-200
“ଉତ୍ତମ”
A MOTIVATIONAL TALK SERIES
Uninterrupted Journey from 14 May, 2021
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MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATANA
Topic: “ଉତ୍ତମ ଶିକ୍ଷା ଓ ଆଦର୍ଶ”
Date: 27th March 2025, Time: 4.00-5.00PM
Join to participate in the talk-<https://meet.google.com/bdr-jfr-ika>



Dr. Shikha Nath, Vice-Chancellor
(Dr. Manikeshwari University)



Mrs. Debahuti Kar, An
Acknowledged Writer



Dr. Pratiksha Pattnaik, BEd,
Ods, NMU



Major Dr. Jayashankar Bhatnagar,
Faculty in Computer Science, NMU



Dr. Pratiksha Pattnaik, BEd,
Ods, NMU



Ms. Sushma Mishra, Faculty in
Computer Science, NMU

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4.20-4.25pm	Talk by Guest Speaker
4.25-4.30pm	Practical Address
4.30-4.35pm	Vote of Thanks
4.35-4.40pm	Moderator

Talk No – 200

Topic – “ନାରୀ : କାଳି ଓ ଆଦର୍ଶ”.

Resource Person –
Mrs. Debahuti Kar,
An Acknowledged Writer

Talk No-201
“ଉତ୍ତମ”
A MOTIVATIONAL TALK SERIES
Uninterrupted Journey from 14 May, 2021
Completion of Three Years
MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATANA
Topic: “Global Environmental Challenges - Our Common Future”
Date: 14th March 2025, Time: 4.00-5.00PM
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Dr. Shikha Nath, Vice-Chancellor
(Dr. Manikeshwari University)



Professor Jaya Krishna
Panigrahi, Eminent
Environmentalist and
Educationist



Major Dr. Jayashankar Bhatnagar,
Faculty in Computer Science, NMU



Major Dr. Jayashankar Bhatnagar,
Faculty in Computer Science, NMU



Ms. Sushma Mishra, Faculty in
Computer Science, NMU



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4.30-4.35pm	Vote of Thanks
4.35-4.40pm	Moderator

Talk No – 201

Topic – “Global Environmental
Challenges - Our Common
Future”

Resource Person – Professor
Jaya Krishna Panigrahi, Eminent
Environmentalist and
Educationist.

Talk No-202
“ଉତ୍ତମ”
A MOTIVATIONAL TALK SERIES
Uninterrupted Journey from 14 May, 2021
Completion of Three Years
MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATANA
Topic: “ଅନୁବାଦରେ ନାରୀ”
Date: 27th March 2025, Time: 4.00-5.00PM
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Dr. Shikha Nath, Vice-Chancellor
(Dr. Manikeshwari University)



Ms. Shreya Haldar, Faculty,
Department of Comparative
Indian Literature and Language
and Professional Translator,
University of Calcutta



Ms. Sushma Mishra, Faculty in
Computer Science, NMU



Major Dr. Jayashankar Bhatnagar,
Faculty in Computer Science, NMU



Dr. Pratiksha Pattnaik, BEd,
Ods, NMU



Ms. Sushma Mishra, Faculty in
Computer Science, NMU

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Talk No – 202

Topic – “ଅନୁବାଦରେ ନାରୀ”.

Resource Person – Ms Shreya
Haldar, Faculty, Department of
Comparative Indian literature
and language and Professional
Translator, University of Calcutta

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MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY, BHAWANIPATANA
Topic: “Rights of PWD”
Date: 28th March 2025, Time: 4.00-5.00PM
Join to participate in the talk-<https://meet.google.com/bdr-jfr-ika>



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Ms. Sneha Mishra
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Topic – “Rights of PWD”

Resource Person –
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ANWESHA

“THE QUEST FOR KNOWLEDGE”

Distinguished Invited Lecture Series Uninterrupted Journey from

11 JANUARY, 2025

MMU/1/3: Anwesha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 8, was organized by the Department of Computer Science in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 1st March, 2025. The lecture was delivered by Debabrata Dansana HoD, Dept. of Computer Science Rajendra University, Balangir, Odisha, “Artificial Intelligence in the Modern Era: Challenges and Innovations”

MMU/8/3: Anwesha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 9, was organized by the Department of Economics in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 8th March, 2025. The lecture was delivered by Dr Chittaranjan Nayak Professor Department of Economics, NEHU, Shillong, India, who presented a comprehensive discourse on “Budgeting for a Vikshit Odisha: 2025-26 and beyond.”

MMU/15/3: Anwesha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 10, was organized by the Department of Education in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 15th March, 2025. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Sangeeta Nath Principal, Oriental College of Education (OCE) Mumbai University, Maharashtra, who presented a comprehensive discourse on “National Education Policy 2020: A Vision for Inclusive and Equitable Education”.

MMU/22/3: Anwesha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 11, was organized by the Department of English in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 22nd March, 2025. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Dharmendra Kumar Assistant Professor Department of English, HNB Garhwal University, Dr. BGR Campus, Pauri Garhwal Uttarakhand-246001, who presented a comprehensive discourse on “Mythopoeic Literature: Some Reflections

MMU/29/3: Anwesha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 12, was organized by the Department of Geography in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 29th March, 2025. The lecture was delivered by Ranjan Basu, Professor (Retd.) Department of Geography, University of Calcutta Kolkata, West Bengal, who presented a comprehensive discourse on “A PEEP INTO NATURAL AND SOCIAL HAZARDS: ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSE AND PEOPLE'S PERCEPTION.”



NATIONAL SEMINAR ON “DEMOCRACY, RIGHTS AND SOCIAL JUSTICE IN CONTEMPORARY INDIA: DR. B.R. AMBEDKAR’S PERSPECTIVES” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF SOCIOLOGY



MMU/14/4: The Department of Sociology at Maa Manikeshwari University successfully organized a national seminar on “Democracy, Rights and Social Justice in Contemporary India: Dr. B.R. Ambedkar’s Perspectives” on 14th April 2025. Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, the chief architect of the Indian Constitution, remains one of the most influential thinkers and social reformers in modern India. His vision of democracy extended far beyond periodic elections and formal political structures.

NATIONAL SEMINAR ON “UNVEILING ODISHA: NEW HORIZON IN HISTORY, CULTURE AND ARCHELOGY” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF HISTORY



MMU/20/4: The Department of History at Maa Manikeshwari University successfully organized a National Seminar on “Unveiling Odisha: New Horizon in History, Culture and Archeology” on 20th April 2025. “Unveiling Odisha: New Horizons in History, Culture, and Archaeology” sounds like an exciting initiative! Odisha has a rich cultural and historical heritage, and exploring new horizons in these areas could lead to fascinating discoveries and insights.

NATIONAL SEMINAR ON “POPULATION GROWTH AND FOOD SECURITY: CHALLENGES AND PROSPECTS” ORGANIZED BY THE DEPT. OF GEOGRAPHY



MMU/30/4: The Department of Geography at Maa Manikeshwari University successfully organized a National Seminar on “Population Growth and Food Security: Challenges and Prospects” on 30th April 2025. Given the pressing issues of population growth and food security, this seminar would provide a valuable platform for experts to discuss and share insights on addressing these challenges.

“CAREER PROSPECTS IN ZOOLOGY” ORGANIZED BY DEPT. OF ZOOLOGY



MMU/29/4: The Department of Zoology at Maa Manikeshwari University organized an invited lecture on “Career Prospects in Zoology” on 29th April 2025. Prof. Prafulla Kumar Mohanty, Former Vice Chancellor Khallikot Unitary University was the invited speaker of this occasion. A degree in **Zoology** opens up a range of career paths in science, conservation, research, education, and even business sectors.



Extra-curricular/ Outreach Activities

POTHI COLLECTION FROM DR. DASARATHI ACHARJYA, LECTURER IN ODIA



Pothi Collection from Dr. Dasarathi Acharya
by Dr. Nibedita Nath VC (I/c) and Sri Dolamani Dharua on 02nd April 2025.

PROF. SANJAY KUMAR SATAPATHY MEMORIAL LECTURE ON “ABIBHAKTA KALAHANDI JILLA RA LOKA DEBA DEBI AND LOKA BISWASA”



MMU / 16.04.2025 : The Professor Sanjay Kumar Satapathy Memorial Lecture Series is a wonderful tribute to first VC of Kalahandi University, The topic “Abibhakta Kalahandi Jilla Ra Loka Deba Debi and Loka Biswasa” focus on the folk deities and beliefs of undivided Kalahandi district. This would be a fascinating exploration of the region’s cultural heritage and traditions. Maj. Dr. Ramachandra Mishra, Retd. Principal, Nation College, Nuapada was the Chief Speaker on this occasion.



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**CELEBRATION ON ODIA PAKHYA AT MAA MANIKESHWARI UNIVERSITY
FROM 1ST APRIL TO 15TH APRIL 2025**



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BEST PRACTICES OF THE UNIVERSITY IN THE MONTH OF APRIL - 2025

'Uttisthata: A Motivational Talk Series' on every Friday at 4:00 pm on 04/4/2025, 11/4/2025, 18/4/2025 and 25/04/2025 (Talk No.:204,205,206,207).

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Uttisthata
Talk No:-204
"ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା"
A MOTIVATIONAL TALK SERIES
Uninterrupted Journey from 14 May, 2021
Completion of Three Years
MAA MAHATMA JYOTI BAPU MAHAVIDYALAYA, BHUBANESWAR
Topic: **"POSH Act - An Instrument for Working Women's Security"**
Date: 4th April 2025, Time: 4:00-5:00PM
Join to participate in the talk: <https://meet.google.com/tdd-jfr-kka>



Agenda	
4:00-4:05pm	Joining of Participants
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4:10-4:15pm	Address by Resource Person
4:15-4:20pm	Question Answer and Introduction of Speaker
4:20-4:25pm	Talk by Invited Speaker
4:25-4:30pm	Practical Address
4:30-4:35pm	Vote of Thanks
4:35-4:40pm	Moderator

Talk No – 204

Topic – "POSH Act - An Instrument for Working Women's Security".

Resource Person – Ms Bishakha Bhanja, Leading Women Activist Governing Body Member, NAWO, Odisha Chapter. Baipariguda.

Uttisthata
Talk No:-205
"ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା"
A MOTIVATIONAL TALK SERIES
Uninterrupted Journey from 14 May, 2021
Completion of Three Years
MAA MAHATMA JYOTI BAPU MAHAVIDYALAYA, BHUBANESWAR
Topic: **"Modern Life Style, Hidden Crisis"**
Date: 11th April 2025, Time: 4:00-5:00PM
Join to participate in the talk: <https://meet.google.com/tdd-jfr-kka>



Agenda	
4:00-4:05pm	Joining of Participants
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4:35-4:40pm	Moderator

Talk No – 205

Topic – "Modern Life Style, Hidden Crisis"

Resource Person – Er. Arun Kumar Mishra Retd Chief Engineer Degree College, Keonjhar

Uttisthata
Talk No:-206
"ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା"
A MOTIVATIONAL TALK SERIES
Uninterrupted Journey from 14 May, 2021
Completion of Three Years
MAA MAHATMA JYOTI BAPU MAHAVIDYALAYA, BHUBANESWAR
Topic: **"ଓଡ଼ିଶାର ଆଦିବାସୀ ଚିନ୍ତା"**
Date: 18th April 2025, Time: 4:00-5:00PM
Join to participate in the talk: <https://meet.google.com/tdd-jfr-kka>



Agenda	
4:00-4:05pm	Joining of Participants
4:05-4:10pm	Welcome Speech
4:10-4:15pm	Address by Resource Person
4:15-4:20pm	Question Answer and Introduction of Speaker
4:20-4:25pm	Talk by Invited Speaker
4:25-4:30pm	Practical Address
4:30-4:35pm	Vote of Thanks
4:35-4:40pm	Moderator

Talk No – 206

Topic – "ଓଡ଼ିଶାର ଆଦିବାସୀ ଚିନ୍ତା".

Resource Person – Dr. Jagannath Mohanty, IAS Ex-Collector.

Uttisthata
Talk No:-207
"ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା"
A MOTIVATIONAL TALK SERIES
Uninterrupted Journey from 14 May, 2021
Completion of Three Years
MAA MAHATMA JYOTI BAPU MAHAVIDYALAYA, BHUBANESWAR
Topic: **"କଳାହାଣ୍ଡି, ନବରଙ୍ଗପୁର ଜିଲ୍ଲାରେ ଲାଗୁ ହେଉଥିବା ପରିବର୍ତ୍ତନ"**
Date: 25th April 2025, Time: 4:00-5:00PM
Join to participate in the talk: <https://meet.google.com/tdd-jfr-kka>



Agenda	
4:00-4:05pm	Joining of Participants
4:05-4:10pm	Welcome Speech
4:10-4:15pm	Address by Resource Person
4:15-4:20pm	Question Answer and Introduction of Speaker
4:20-4:25pm	Talk by Invited Speaker
4:25-4:30pm	Practical Address
4:30-4:35pm	Vote of Thanks
4:35-4:40pm	Moderator

Talk No – 207

Topic – "କଳାହାଣ୍ଡି, ନବରଙ୍ଗପୁର ଜିଲ୍ଲାରେ ଲାଗୁ ହେଉଥିବା ପରିବର୍ତ୍ତନ".

Resource Person – Dr. Pradip Kumar Mishra.



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ANWESHA

“THE QUEST FOR KNOWLEDGE”

Distinguished Invited Lecture Series Uninterrupted Journey from 11 JANUARY, 2025

MMU/5/4: Anwasha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 13, was organized by the Department of History in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 5th April, 2025. The lecture was delivered by Prof. D.P Tiwari Vice Chancellor, Jai Minesh Adivasi University, Ranpur, Kota (Rajasthan), who presented a comprehensive discourse on *“Excavations at Sanchankot: A site of Upper Ganga Plain.”* The session provided valuable insights into the evolving landscape of Indian education, critically examining the framework of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 and its implications for the future of education in India.

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THE QUEST FOR KNOWLEDGE
(Every Saturday)
Distinguished Invited Lecture Series, No. 13

Topic:
“Excavations at Sanchankot: A site of Upper Ganga Plain”

Date: 5th April, 2025; **Time:** 3:30 PM
Google Meet Link: <https://meet.google.com/tqy-utfh-pab>

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Ranpur, Kota (Rajasthan)

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Distinguished Invited Lecture Series, No. 14

Topic:
“प्रेमचन्द साहित्य की प्रासंगिकता”

Date: 12th April, 2025; **Time:** 3:30 PM
Google Meet Link: <https://meet.google.com/tqy-utfh-pab>

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Manikya Vihar, Bhawanipatna, Kalahandi

Chief Speaker
Prof. Jayantakar Sharma
Former Registrar, OSOU,
Sambalpur
Convener

Sri Subhojit Chandra
HOD in Hindi, MMU

MMU/12/4: Anwasha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 14, was organized by the Department of Hindi in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 12th April 2025. The lecture was delivered by Prof. Jayantakar Sharma, Former Registrar, OSOU, Sambalpur who presented a comprehensive discourse on “Premchand Sahitya ki Prasangigta.”

MMU/19/4: Anwasha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 15, was organized by the Department of Home Science in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 19th April 2025. The lecture was delivered by Prof. Harapriya Samantraya Retd Prof and Head Dept. of Home Science, Sambalpur University, who presented a comprehensive discourse on “Nutrition Education: Promoting Awareness and Knowledge”.

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THE QUEST FOR KNOWLEDGE
(Every Saturday)
Distinguished Invited Lecture Series, No. 15

Topic:
“Nutrition Education: Promoting Awareness and Knowledge”

Date: 19th April, 2025; **Time:** 3:30 PM
Google Meet Link: <https://meet.google.com/tqy-utfh-pab>

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Chief Speaker
Prof. Harapriya Samantraya
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Dept. of Home Science,
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THE QUEST FOR KNOWLEDGE
(Every Saturday)
Distinguished Invited Lecture Series, No. 16

Topic:
“Dynamics and Responsibility of Media in the Digital Era”

Date: 26th April, 2025; **Time:** 3:30 PM
Google Meet Link: <https://meet.google.com/tqy-utfh-pab>

Organized by
Department of Philosophy
In Collaboration with Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)
Maa Manikeshwari University (erstwhile: Kalahandi University)
Manikya Vihar, Bhawanipatna, Kalahandi

Chief Speaker
Dr. Raj Kishore Patra
CPGC & Head
Dept. of Philosophy,
Rajendra University, Bolangir

Convener
Mr. Tarunish Debary
HOD Dept. of Philosophy

MMU/26/4: Anwasha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 16, was organized by the Department of Philosophy in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 26th April 2025. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Raj Kishore Patra CPGC & Head Dept. of Philosophy, Rajendra University, Bolangir, “Dynamics and Responsibility of Media in the Digital Era”.



“Samakalina Sahitya ra Prasangikata” organized by Dept. of Odia



MMU/01/5: The Department of Odia at Maa Manikeshwari University organized an invited lecture on “Samakalina Sahitya ra Prasangikata” on 1st May 2025. Dr. Benudhara Padhi, the Chief Speaker of the Occasion.

Dr. Sumana Roy, Asst. Prof. in Geography presented a paper on Agricultural Transformation through Occupational Diversification and water Prospecting for Controlling outmigration from Kalahandi District of Odisha in an International Conference organised by the Department of Geography Vidyasaagar College on 14th & 15th May 2025, She has received **best paper award** in the conference.

Extra-curricular/ Outreach & Other Activities



Pothi Collection from Sukanti Ratha by Dr. Nibedita Nath VC (I/c) and Sri Dolamani Dharua.

Student Achievement - Rajiv Gandhi Pratibha Puraskar-2025





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Deepak Kumar Behera (NSS) Receiving Bharat Yuva Shakti Samman-2025



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‘Uttisthata: A Motivational Talk Series’ on every Friday at 4:00 pm on 02/5/2025, 9/ 5/2025, 16/5/2025 and 23/05/2025 (Talk No.:208,209,210,211).

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UTTISTHATA
Talk No:-208
“ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା”
A MOTIVATIONAL TALK SERIES
Uninterrupted Journey from 14 May, 2021
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Topic: “Prevention is the only solution to combat microplastic pollution.”
Date-2nd May-2025, Time-4.00-5.00PM
Join to participate in the talk- <https://meet.google.com/bdr-jfr-aka>



Agenda	
4.00-4.05pm	Joining of Participants
4.05-4.10pm	Welcome Song
4.10-4.15pm	Address by Resource Person
4.15-4.20pm	Topic by Invited Speaker
4.20-4.25pm	Topic by Invited Speaker
4.25-4.30pm	Presidential Address
4.30-4.35pm	Vote of Thanks
4.35-4.40pm	Moderator

UTTISTHATA
Talk No:-209
“ଉତ୍ତିଷ୍ଠତା”
A MOTIVATIONAL TALK SERIES
Uninterrupted Journey from 14 May, 2021
Completion of Three Years

Topic: “ସୁବ ରୋଗରୁ ସ୍ୱାସ୍ଥ୍ୟ ସେବା ଓ ବହୁରାଜା ଦ୍ୱିବେଶୀ ସଙ୍ଗମ”
Date-09 May-2025, Time-4.00-5.00PM
Join to participate in the talk- <https://meet.google.com/bdr-jfr-aka>



Agenda	
4.00-4.05pm	Joining of Participants
4.05-4.10pm	Welcome Song
4.10-4.15pm	Address by Resource Person
4.15-4.20pm	Topic by Invited Speaker
4.20-4.25pm	Topic by Invited Speaker
4.25-4.30pm	Presidential Address
4.30-4.35pm	Vote of Thanks
4.35-4.40pm	Moderator

UTTISTHATA
Talk No:-210
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Topic: “ଜଗତିକରଣ ପରିପ୍ରେକ୍ଷାରେ ଏକବିଂଶ ଶତାବ୍ଦୀର ଓଡ଼ିଆ କବିତା”
Date-16 May-2025, Time-4.00-5.00PM
Join to participate in the talk- <https://meet.google.com/bdr-jfr-aka>



Agenda	
4.00-4.05pm	Joining of Participants
4.05-4.10pm	Welcome Song
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Talk No – 208

Topic – “Prevention is the only solution to combat microplastic pollution”.

Resource Person –

Dr. Atia Arzoo, Head, Department of Environmental Science, BJB Autonomous College, Bhubaneswar, Baipariguda.

Talk No – 209

Topic – “ସୁବ ରୋଗରୁ ସ୍ୱାସ୍ଥ୍ୟ ସେବା ଓ ବହୁରାଜା ଦ୍ୱିବେଶୀ ସଙ୍ଗମ”

Resource Person –

Dr. Ramesh Chandra Behera SNO-cum-Deputy Secretary, Youth Red Cross Officer Odisha.

Talk No – 210

Topic – “ଜଗତିକରଣ ପରିପ୍ରେକ୍ଷାରେ ଏକବିଂଶ ଶତାବ୍ଦୀର ଓଡ଼ିଆ କବିତା”.

Resource Person –

Dr. Shrikant Kumar Barik, An Acknowledged Poet and Critic, Asst.Professor Department of Odia Model Degree College, Nuapada.

UTTISTHATA
Talk No:-211
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Topic: “ବିଶ୍ୱାସୀତା”
Date-23 May-2025, Time-4.00-5.00PM
Join to participate in the talk- <https://meet.google.com/bdr-jfr-aka>



Agenda	
4.00-4.05pm	Joining of Participants
4.05-4.10pm	Welcome Song
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4.15-4.20pm	Topic by Invited Speaker
4.20-4.25pm	Topic by Invited Speaker
4.25-4.30pm	Presidential Address
4.30-4.35pm	Vote of Thanks
4.35-4.40pm	Moderator

Talk No – 211

Topic – “ବିଶ୍ୱାସୀତା”.

Resource Person –

Dr. Paramba Shree Yogamaya, Associate Professor, P. G. Teaching Department of Veda, Shri Jagannath Sanskrit University, Shri Vihar, Puri.



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MMU/17/5: Anwesha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 19, was organized by the Department of Physics in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 17th May, 2025. The lecture was delivered by Mr. Sushil Kumar Sahoo IISc, Bangalore, India, who presented a comprehensive discourse on “2D Materials in Nanoscience: Recent Developments and Future Perspectives.”

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MMU/24/5: Anwesha: The Quest for Knowledge, the Distinguished Lecture Series No. 20, was organized by the Department of Political Science in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 24th May, 2025. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Bishnu Charan Choudhury Retired Professor of Political Science Berhampur University, Odisha, India, who presented a comprehensive discourse on “Constitutional Values in India.”

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2024	Subrat Kumar Panigrahi*, Binayak Behera, Amisha Agasti, Kamalakanta Kapat, Ankita Buddhia, Smruti Ranjan Parida, Raj Kumar Behera and Nihar Ranjan Nayak	Morphogenotyping of Cyclosa bifida (Arachnida: Araneidae) from Odisha, India	Journal of Advances in Biology & Biotechnology	Volume 27, Issue 12, Page 450-461, 2024	DOI: 10.9734/jabb/2024/v27i121793	SCIENCEDOMAIN	YES	https://journaljabb.com/index.php/JABB/article/view/1793	YES
2024	Dr. Chitta Ranjan Malik	Role of Transgender in Indian and Japanese Cinema Industry	The Third Voice Reality And Vision	6(1): 52-55	https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.13341170	Voice for Voiceless		https://thirdvoice.voiceforvoiceless.in/	Google Scholar

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December, 2024	Dr. Sumana Roy	Dynamics of Demography and Utilization of Labour Force in India: A State Level Analysis	The Decan Geographer	Vol.: 62. Number: 7 Page No.: 266-285	#VALUE!	The Decan Geographical Society	UGC Care listed		Yes
December, 2024	Mr. Chiranjibi Sabar and Dr. Dhananjay Kumar	Traditional Knowledge, Ethnobotany and socioeconomic importance of alcoholic beverages among the Kutia Kandha tribe of Kalahandi district in Odisha.	ADIVASI JOURNAL	Volume 64, Issue-II (December, 2024).		SCSTRTI, Bhubaneswar	Reviewed		
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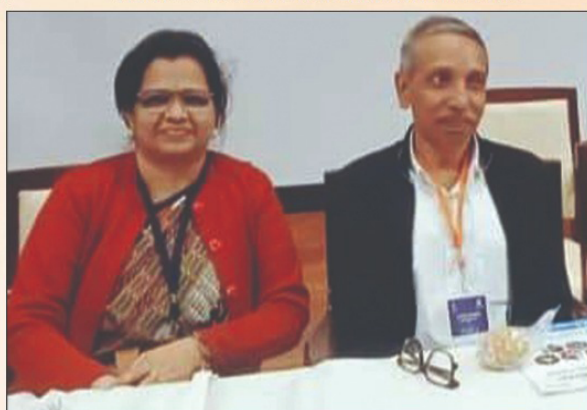
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