



GYANJYOTI
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**ACTIVITIES
FOR THE
YEAR
2008-2012**

FOREWORD

It gives me great pleasure to present this consolidated annual report on the activities of Gyanjyoti Foundation under various schemes of the Central & State Governments of the North Eastern States.

Hence this consolidated report was put together.

Since its inception in 2007, the Organization however, emphasized more on the significance of education and thereafter gradually registered in the year 2011, under Section 3 of the Societies Registration Act, 1860, to promote multi-dimensional educational activities to the cause of the people-in-need in both rural and urban areas of the North Eastern Region. It has given due stress on academic education, vocational education and Entrepreneurship & Skill Development. Gyanjyoti Foundation has been implementing and extending diverse welfare activities for the cause through campaigning community awareness, need-based vocational training, irrespective of caste & creed or religion. It has completed more than seven years of services as on 31.03.2012.

The Activity Report for 2008-2012 will give the Readers an account of the numerous programs conducted and implemented by Gyanjyoti Foundation. In the process of development, Gyanjyoti Foundation has experienced the success and failure which have strengthened its vision and capability to work more effectively for humanity. And I am sure that the activities initiated by the Gyanjyoti Foundation will continue to grow further to reach newer heights to the cause in ameliorating the suffering humanity.

I am very much obliged to those benevolent people, Departments and development agencies for their constant support and immense cooperation and unstinted support have made it possible to keep our development drive on-going. Further, I convey my heartfelt thanks to all our Members of the Board of Management for their advice & cooperation. I am also very thankful to the Administrative Staff of Gyanjyoti Foundation, the Teaching Faculties and Volunteers for their tireless and firm efforts in different fields of programme activities initiated by the Organization.



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Organization Profile

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DETAILS OF LEGAL STRUCTURE:

Gyanjyoti Foundation is a registered organization under Societies Registration Act XXI of 1860.

Registration No.: KAM (M) / 240 / A-28 / 342 of 2011-12

PAN : AABTG2911P

TAN : SHLG00832G

CHARACTER OF THE ORGANIZATION:

Gyanjyoti Foundation is a non-profit, apolitical, non-partisan and non-governmental organization which derives its mandate from constitution as a Welfare & Development Organization.

VISION:

Gyanjyoti Foundation intend to be the preeminent public research and teaching symbol, linking the people of North-East India to the nation and the world.

MISSION:

Gyanjyoti Foundation's primary purpose is to move forward the frontiers of human knowledge and enrich and elevate society. The mission of the Gyanjyoti Foundation is to:

- Advance the community of learning by engaging in scientific research, humanistic scholarship and artistic creation
- Provide a high quality educational experience to students in a diverse learning environment – promoting the values and institutions of democracy that prepare students to lead lives of personal integrity and civic responsibility in a global society
- Prepare the next generation of skilled and ethical professionals by providing excellent qualification /degree and professional education that prepares graduates to compete in a diverse world market
- Promote a campus environment that welcomes and honour women and men of all races, creeds and cultures and foster an atmosphere that values intellectual curiosity, pursuit of knowledge and academic freedom and integrity
- Partner with communities to provide educational, technical and cultural support to increase the livability of those communities
- Partner with industry and government to improve the quality of the workplace and to serve as an engine for economic and cultural development.
- To extend socio-economic activities in the area for the betterment of the community as a whole.
- To undertake activities in the field of education, health and hygiene, to spread awareness of appropriate sanitation and diffusion of useful knowledge.
- To undertake activities in the field of horticulture, agriculture, environment etc.
- To campaign for awareness in environment and educate them about the effect of the environment.
- To provide facilities of Health, Hygiene and Homes to the poor.
- To provide operational efficiency and in depth focus to its work, Gyanjyoti Foundation is working with the sub groups based upon the three thematic areas that are of crucial concern to the sector.

KEY INITIATIVES

- ASIAN INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT AND TECHNOLOGY** (Approved by the Department of Higher Education, Govt. of Assam and affiliated to GAUHATI UNIVERSITY & DIBRUGARH UNIVERSITY) with the motto of LEARN & LEAD.
- GYANJYOTI SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME**, a partner institute of Indira Gandhi Technological and Medical Sciences University, Arunachal Pradesh under National Community College of Skill Development, with the motto of LEARN & EARN.

AREA OF OPERATION:

Area of operation of this society will be confined to the Eight states of the North-East with further aim to spread its activities across India.

ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR 2008-2012

1. SCHOLARSHIP TO MERITORIOUS AND SC, ST, OBC, MOBC STUDENTS:

GYANJYOTI FOUNDATION has awarded Scholarship seats to Meritorious students scoring 60% and above in their Higher Secondary Board Examination to study at Asian institute of Management and Technology (A unit of Gyanjyoti Foundation) for the academic year 2008-2009, 2009-2010 & 2010-2011. The Gyanjyoti Foundation also took the initiative for motivating SC, ST, and OBC& MOBC students to pursue Higher Education by providing scholarship and other support

DETAILS OF SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED:

Names of Students

- | | |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Bhagyashree Saikia | 14. Debraj Paul |
| 2. Anamika Das | 15. Arunima Talukdar |
| 3. Deep Kumar Das | 16. Roshan Thapa |
| 4. Pancheng Thowmoung | 17. Nomita Tanti |
| 5. Apurba Jyoti Yein | 18. Debojit Konwar |
| 6. Rishabh Saikia | 19. Biki Singh |
| 7. Manas Daimary | 20. Amrit kr Rai |
| 8. Pritam Rabha | 21. Angana Phukan |
| 9. Kripamoy Saikia | 22. Jimi Khanikar |
| 10. Swati Gupta | 23. Rojit Thangjam |
| 11. Bhaskar Deka | 24. Imran Hussain |
| 12. Shilpi Saikia | 25. Tariffuddin Ahmed |
| 13. Ishan Jyoti Borgohain | |

MERITORIOUS STUDENTS:

Names of Students (Meritorious Students) Above 60%

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|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Imdad Rasul Ahmed | 7. Shahnaz Ahmed |
| 2. Shankit Sharma | 8. Jayshree Medhi |
| 3. Megha Khetawat | 9. Manoj Talukdar |
| 4. Pinky Mazumdar | 10. Jyoti Srivastav |
| 5. Ditti Sarma | 11. Monika Srivastav |
| 6. Pallav Pratim Nath | |

HALL OF FAME

Passed out batches (2011) of BBA, BCA and BSc Biotech students of ASIAN INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT have shown exceptionally good results in the Final Examination under GAUHATI UNIVERSITY. The following are the toppers:

HALL OF FAME



IMRAN HUSSAIN
 1ST CLASS, 1ST POSITION
 WITH DISTINCTION (BBA) 2011



PRIYANKA SHARMA
 1ST CLASS, 4TH POSITION
 BSC BIOTECHNOLOGY 2011



SHAHEENAZ AHMED
 1ST CLASS, 5TH POSITION
 BSC BIOTECHNOLOGY 2011



SHILPI SAINIK
 1ST CLASS, 7TH POSITION
 BSC BIOTECHNOLOGY 2011



MEGHA KHATAWAT
 1ST CLASS, 12TH POSITION
 BSC BIOTECHNOLOGY 2011



ANAMIKA DAS
 1ST CLASS, 14TH POSITION
 BSC BIOTECHNOLOGY 2011



PINKY MAZUMDAR
 1ST CLASS, 17TH POSITION
 BSC BIOTECHNOLOGY 2011



BHAGYASHREE SAINIK
 1ST CLASS, 18TH POSITION
 BBA 2011



SAMUJJAL PHUKAN
 1ST CLASS, 32TH POSITION
 BCA 2011



SANKIT SARMA
 1ST CLASS, 37TH POSITION
 BBA 2011

2. SPORTING EVENT, 2012:

Sports education teaches us strength of participation, love of competition, respect for the opposition, value of trying the best, and how to win and lose graciously. Gyanjyoti Foundation organized a four-day event on the 31st January 2012, at the SAI Stadium. The event formally started at 10.30 a.m. with the speech of Mr. P.C. Das, Retd. Secretary, Gauhati University. The sports included events like 100 metre race, relay race, football tournament, cricket tournament, high jump, long jump and indoor games like chess, carom, etc.





3. WORKSHOP ON “FILM MAKING TECHNIQUE” (SHORT FILM):

Date: December 2011- January 2012, Gyanjyoti Foundation organized a short Film making workshop at AIMT Hall. The participants made short films on various subjects, which were to be screened at 2nd Guwahati International Short Film Festival.

4. FILM SCREENING:

Date: November - December 2011, Venue: Seminar Hall, AIMT, Movies Screened: Beijing Bicycle, No Man’s Land, Scavengers (Short Film), including a host of other reports. Short films made by participants too were screened.

5. FIELD TRIP TO “SEVEN SISTERS POST” GUWAHATI:

Date: December, 2011 Mr. Subhir Bhaumick addressed the participants and conducted a small tour of the organization covering topics like Investigative Journalism, Essentials of editing for print, Ethics & media regulations, Departmentalization and structure of newspaper house.

6. SEMINAR ON “ROLE OF BANKING IN DEVELOPMENT”

A Seminar on the topic, “Role of Banking in Development” was organized by Gyanjyoti Foundation. The distinguished speakers included, Mr. Arindam Pal, Retd. Asst. GM, SBI; Mr. V.K.Bisht, Assistant General Manager, NABARD and Mr. Satya Narayan Sahu, Chairman, Assam Gramin Vikas Bank. This seminar provided the participants a deep insight into the very significant aspects of financial inclusion and the opportunities and challenges faced by the Indian Banking Sector.



7. FIELD TRIP TO SUPREME PUBLIC LTD. AND JYOTHI LABORATORIES:

Industrial Visits to EPIP Complex at Amingaon, Guwahati. The visits were made to the two industries- Supreme Public Ltd and Jyothi Laboratories. This provided the participants an opportunity to learn about the products, production processes, segmentation of departments involved, capacity of the plants, etc.



8. SEMINARS ON “ORGANIZATIONAL POLICIES AND PRACTICES”

A programme was organized in the seminar hall on 19th August, 2011 on the topic, “Organizational Policies and Practices” by Ms. Niharika Bora, H.R.Manager (North-East), Procter and Gamble Ltd. She explained the beneficial aspects of the study of HHRM and its future prospects and also the process of recruiting quality manpower into an organization. The participants found the session highly informative and useful. Nearly 100 Participants got benefitted through this programme.

9. “EXPORT PROMOTION AND INDUSTRIAL PARK”

Industrial visit to AIDC, in three industries i.e Emami Pvt. Ltd., Jyoti Lab and Supreme Industries situated at EPIP, Amingaon. Around 100 participants visited the industries.

10. NATIONAL SMALL INDUSTRIES CORPORATION:

The participants had been taken to National Small Industries Corporation (NSIC) to familiarize them with the various kinds of training programmes initiated by the organization to boost up the entrepreneurial spirit of the unemployed youths. It also generated awareness about different kinds of schemes funds, and support available for ones who want to be self-employed individual in the near future.

11. ENGLISH LEARNING PROGRAMME LAUNCHED BY GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM:

Gyanjyoti Foundation has conducted English Learning Program of 40 government primary schools in Kamrup district under English learning programme launched by Government of Assam on 1st September, 2012, for a period of 8 days. The programme was successfully completed. The representatives were highly appreciated for their hard work and dedication and overall performance.

12. FIELD TRIP TO NATIONAL SMALL INDUSTRIES CORPORATION (NSIC), GUWAHATI:

Participants had been taken to National Small Industries Corporation (NSIC) to familiarize them with the various kinds of training programmes initiated by the organization to boost up the entrepreneurial spirit of the unemployed youths. The Participants saw different types of machineries and processes to help them develop entrepreneurs of NSIC. It also generated awareness about different kinds of schemes and funds, and support available for ones who wants to be a self-employed individual in the near future.

13. INDUSTRIAL EXPOSURE IN THE FIELD OF PRODUCTION AND OPERATION MANAGEMENT:

19/09/2011. The Participants got a grand opportunity to have a practical exposure of the operations of Dharampal Satyapal Group Ltd. located in the Industrial Estate. The Participants came to know about the layout, production process, departmentalization, quality inspection measures, quality improvement measures, different types of machineries and equipments and the present existing practices of the industries concerned through exposure.



14. WORKSHOP ON WEBPAGE DESIGNING USING HTML:

Webpage Designing using HTML: The workshop was held on 7th January, 2012 in the seminar hall and laboratory of AIMT. The main purpose behind organizing the workshop was to make the people aware of the web based language HTML. It was a three-hour programme. The first hour was a training session for the Participants and the last two hours were given to the Participants to exercise their skills in completing a given designed page.



15. FIELD TRIP TO MSME, GUWAHATI:

The participants visited MSME, Guwahati The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Institute, Guwahati was established in 1958. This institute is a field office of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises-Development Organization (MSME-DO) under Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise day act. With the enactment of the MSMED Act in 2006, the institute has worked with the wider mandate of promotion and development of MSME sector. The participants were given an overview of CAD.



16. INDUSTRIAL EXPOSURE IN THE FIELD OF COMPUTER SCIENCE:

The participants visited the Department of Computer Science, Gauhati University on 11th January, 2012. The main emphasis was on the Speech and Natural Language Laboratory of GU and to give the students an overview about careers in NLP research field. It is a computerized approach to analyze text that is based on both theories and technologies.



17. SEMINARS ON "NETWORKING TECHNOLOGY"

A seminar was organized by Gyanjyoti Foundation on 26th September, 2011 at AIMT. Mr Harjinder Singh of Telnet Technologies, with a number of CISCO CERTIFICATIONS LIKE CCNA, CCNP, CCIE (R&S) CCDA, CCDP, CCIP and also a Cisco Trainer (CCIE No. 23861) was invited as a resource person. The topic of discussion was networking.



18. ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME:

To promote entrepreneurship skills among the youth. The participants visited Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship, Guwahati on 8th July 2011 and were given motivational seminar, addressed by Mr. Ashinta Kumar Baruah, chief executive personal of IIE. The erstwhile Ministry of Industry set up the Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship in the year 1994 in the city of Guwahati, Assam. The national institute is an autonomous body functioning on its own in developing the skills in entrepreneurship. The objective of the institute is to develop the skills and train aspiring entrepreneurs.



19. INDUSTRIAL EXPOSURE IN THE FIELD OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND TELECOMMUNICATION:

The envoys from Gyanjyoti Foundation visited IIT, Guwahati. The main focus was Computer Science Department and Electronics Department. The Computer Centre has servers of 100 GBps speed entirely connected with fiber optics. There are two Supercomputers- Parampada which is not in the working state and Varuda (in working state) which has 16 processors and is a node station connected to main Veruda Super Computer in Bangalore maintained by CDAC. Also Electronics Department comprises PCB, Microprocessor kit and Oscilloscope and various devices, which were explained by the deputed personnel.



20. QUIZ COMPETITION "Q-MANTRA":

A general Quiz competition, "Q-Mantra" was held by the Biotech club of Gyanjyoti Foundation on 29th February, 2012 in the AIMT college campus.

21. WORKSHOP ON PCR BY MERCK MILLIPORE:

A workshop on PCR techniques was organized in association with Merck Millipore. During the workshop, participants gained hands on experience on various types of PCR protocol. They also gained theoretical knowledge on PCR techniques and its industrial applications. The instructors also provided information on various career prospects for the students in the biotechnology industry and how PCR knowledge helps in gaining an entry into the same.



22. SEMINAR ON “EMERGING TRENDS IN BIOINFORMATICS” BY PROF. P. BORA OF ASSAM AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY:

Prof. Prabodh Bora, from AAU, Khanapara, who is the head-of-in-charge of biotech hub in NorthEast India enlightened the Participants with a seminar on “Emerging Trends in Bioinformatics”. His easy and interesting way of lecture benefited participants with all the recent development in the field of biotechnology with special reference to bio informatics. The seminar involved the introduction, application and relation of computer science and information technology to the field of biology and medicine.



23. SEMINAR ON “DIVERSITY OF ORCHIDS” BY PROF. G.U. AHMED OF GAUHATI UNIVERSITY:

Prof. Ahmed enlightened the participants by a presentation on diversity of orchids and their commercialization. Orchids form an important part of the cultural heritage of Assam apart from being highly endangered species; this plant has got a high economic importance. Prof. Ahmed gave a brief knowledge on the introduction to these plants, their distribution in northeastern area, mode of cultivation via scientific methods such tissue culture technique in large scale.



24. FIELD TRIP CUM ENVIRONMENT SCIENCE PROJECT TO KASO PUKHURI, KAMAKHYA:

A trip to the Kaso Pukhuri of Kamakhya temple was conducted on 26th November, 2011. It benefitted the Participants with immense knowledge on the local fauna particularly turtle species in urban Guwahati. Various aspects of the turtle conservation were studied by the Participants. The different physical and chemical parameters of the Kaso Pukhuri was studied to ascertain the effects of the environment (pond water) on the turtle species residing there. Implementation of effective measures to be taken for maintaining this pond as well as to protect these highly endangered turtle species were discussed. A quiz program on turtles was conducted during the trip along with distribution of T-shirts. An excerpt was included in the book, Urban Herpetofauna.



Students collecting water sample for analysis.



25. LABORATORY VISIT TO IIT, GUWAHATI:

Participants from biology background were taken to IIT, Guwahati for a lab visit. The institute is one of the renowned institute of India, fully equipped with all the sophisticated instruments such as NMR spectrophotometer, X-RD, ESR, HPLC, bioreactor, lypholizer, Mass spectroscopy, TEM, SEM and Gel documentation unit. These machines are used mainly for research and teaching purpose. There the Participants interviewed Arun Chattopadhaya, who is one of the renowned scientists of India. Thus, the students were highly benefited by this tour.



26. DEMONSTRATION ON ANIMAL CELL CULTURE BY RESOURCE PERSON FROM IIT, GUWAHATI:

Mr. Shamim Rahman, from IIT Guwahati was invited to provide a hands-on demonstration of animal cell culture methods as well as a presentation prior to the demonstration. The students were highly benefited by the lecture and the demonstration. Animal cell culture techniques such as monolayer culture, enzymatic disaggregation, etc were performed by the resource person for the benefit of the participants.

27. INDUSTRIAL EXPOSURE AT "SILVER DROP"

A visit to silver drop was conducted on 5th October, 2011.

Silver Drop Food and Beverages Pvt. Ltd is located at Amingaon, Guwahati. They are manufacturers of packaged drinking water, soft drinks, lemonade and carbonated drinks. The representatives from Gyanjyoti Foundation visited the packaging and bottling units and received an on-hand demonstration of reserve osmosis technique along with other scientific methods of water purification and disinfection such carbon filters, ultra violet disinfection system, ozone generators, etc.



Formation of PET bottles in Silver Drop

28. SOCIAL ACTIVITY AT "GRACE CHILDREN HOME"

Grace Children Home is a school for orphans. It is situated at Khanapara, Guwahati. The purpose of Grace Children's Home is to provide care, nourishment, special guidance and direction to children and youths from disrupted families. The Home is dedicated to providing physical, spiritual, social, emotional and educational needs to those young people placed in the care of the home. Gyanjyoti Foundation Organized a daylong event with children and engaged them in art, singing and dancing competitions that day. Prizes and gifts were distributed among disabled children on the basis of the activities held.



29. WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY 2011:

A rally was organized on 5th June, 2011 to observe World Environment Day and it was followed by a tree plantation drive at Bhaskar Vidyapeeth School to encourage the children to plant more trees and help protect the environment.



30. SOCIAL ACTIVITY AT "SOCIETY OF HEALTH AND EDUCATION DEVELOPMENT" (SHED):

SHED (Society of Health and Education Development) is a school for mentally challenged students of the region. This school was established in 2008, The founder of SHED is Mr. Lanu A. Aimol and the president of SHED is Lt. Cornel Retd. Bhim Anal. Gyanjyoti Foundation organized a daylong event with the children. Prizes and gifts were distributed among differently abled children.

31. SOCIAL ACTIVITY - "JEEVAN KA ANSH"

UTTARAN was founded by Monali Senapati with the partnership of NIPCED (National Institute Of Physical Challenge Educational Development). UTTARAN has taken the initiative for such special and important section of our society i.e physically and mentally challenged people by opening a special school for them. This social activity was organized on the 23rd of December 2011 by Gyanjyoti Foundation (AIMS), under the activity name "JEEVAN KA ANSH" collaborating with Guwahati based NGO "UTTARAN" at Silpukhuri. Prizes and gifts were distributed among differently abled children on the basis of the activities held on the occasion.



32. DONATION TO AKSHAYA PATRA:

A visit to Akshaya Patra Foundation was conducted on 5th October, 2011. The very name Akshaya Patra means inexhaustible vessel. This foundation enables hunger free education for nearly 1.3 million children in India. Gyanjyoti Foundation contributed five thousand rupees to this noble cause.



Representatives from Gyanjyoti Foundation at Akshaya Patra Foundation

33. "AIMS YOUNG ENTREPRENEUR AWARD 2011"

Aims young entrepreneur award was given to Mrs. Ananya Sharma for her unique social entrepreneurship endeavors.



34. NATIONAL SEMINAR "IGNITED"

Asian Institute of Management and Sciences, Date: November 25, 2011 Venue: District Library Auditorium.

Media Coverage: DY 365, NE TV, Prag News, Seven Sisters Post, Amar Asom, Eastern Chronicle
Colleges/University Participated: Gauhati University, Handique Girls College, Assam School of Journalism, Cotton College, Arena Multimedia, Maac Institute, Broadcasting Academy, Jazzy, Pragiyotish College, Dispur College, B. Borooah College

The response was very good Department Lab Journal 'Beats & Bytes' was launched during the seminar.

Speakers: Subhir Boumick, Editor-in-chief, Seven Sister's Post, Arindom Borah, Editor-in-Chief, Doordarshan, R. S. Joshi, Chairman, Finer, NI Laskar, Executive Editor, Eastern Chronicle



35. STREET PLAYS TO PROMOTE BLOOD DONATION:

JIBONDAAN: To promote the social cause of blood donation among citizens. The crowd response was encouraging. Date: November 2011, Venue: Commerce Point, Cotton College, AIMS Tanz Block, Gauhati University, Dispur College, B. Borooah College, Jyoti Chitranban Campus, Gauhati Medical College, AIMT Campus.



36. STREET PLAY ON SOCIAL ISSUES:

PARIVARTAN - To highlight the social cause of changing trends in society this has serious after effect. Date: September 2011 Venue: Commerce Point & Cotton College, Guwahati.



37. DONATION TO ASSAM SWIMMING ASSOCIATION:

A donation of Rs 13,000.00 was made to Assam Swimming Association to promote the sporting activities and encourage students to participate in huge number.

38. GREAT GUWAHATI RUN:

Huge numbers of people participated in the peace rally. The motto of GREAT GUWAHATI RUN was to promote the peace message and avoid terrorism in the northeastern region.



39. DONATION TO OLD AGE HOME:

A donation of shirting material for the wards of an old age home was given to an NGO called "People's Welfare Society". On this occasion, the elderly people were given an opportunity to conduct a city tour during Durga Puja.

40. DONATION TO BHASKAR BIDYAPEETH HS SCHOOL:

On the occasion of the Golden jubilee celebration of Bhaskar Bidyapeeth HS School, Gyanjyoti Foundation contributed a considerable amount and committed to sponsor the entrance gate of the approach by lane.

41. INDUSTRIAL EXPOSURE AT "EMAMI INDUSTRIES"

For the development of the student community Industrial visit was arranged at Emami industries situated at EPIP complex Amingaon. The visit was immensely helpful to the students as they could connect and relate their course study with industrial application. Students were given complete insight of the industrial application of biotechnology by Human resource manager Mr. D. Kanikar and quality control officer Ms. Deepa Bhuyan and Ms. Arundhati of Emami Industries.



42. INDUSTRIAL EXPOSURE AT "PEPSI CO."

Participants were given the opportunity to understand the actual industrial operation and also to know the various types of recruitment, selection, training etc provided by the company to its employees. The Participants derived information regarding the various security measures adopted by an industrial concern and gathered knowledge on waste management system of a company. Manufacturing product: Pepsi, 7up, Mango Slice, Mountain Dew, Mirinda.



43. YOUNG ENTREPRENEUR AWARDS:

"AIMS Young Entrepreneur Award, 2010" was given to Mr. Uttam Teron for his unique social entrepreneurship towards the under privileged children of Pamohi. AIMT made a documentary on Mr. Uttam Teron named 'The Unsung Hero'. The preview copy was shown during the seminar. SPEAKERS: Mr. Utpal Dutta, Noted Film Critic and Journalist, Mr. Bikash Sharma, Editor of the Sentinel, Mr. Rahul Jain, Asst. Editor, Eastern Chronicle, Mr. Gautam Bora, Internationally Acclaimed Filmmaker



44. NATIONAL SEMINAR "IGNITED":

Asian Institute of Management and Sciences - Date: December 18, 2010. A media seminar was held focusing on important topics related to media and its effect in the world. The seminar also focused on the topic of Assamese Film Industry and its plight. The seminar comprised two topics for discussion "Is Media Running Its Own Agenda Leaving out Social Responsibility?" and "Does Originality Still prevail in the Assamese Film Industry? Are Video Films Destroying The Scope For Developing Our Industry?"



45. SEMINAR ON FILM MAKING TECHNIQUES:

For the Development of Mass Communication in the Northeast, a session with the National award winning film director Mr. Bidut Kotaky from Mumbai was conducted. Date: November 9, 2010. The highlights of the event were: #Film Studies #Filmmaking #Techniques of Filmmaking. The session with Mr. Bidyut Kotoky was memorable and informative for the Participants. The session helped the Participants to clear their doubts and understand the differences between documentary filmmaking and filmmaking.



46. EXPOSURE TO INSTRUMENTS BY THE EXPERTS IN THE RESPECTIVE FIELDS AT IIT GUWAHATI:

Date of visit Sept 4th 2010. Participants were introduced to modern tools. The techniques used in biotechnology research and the theoretical aspects of the instruments were discussed. Participants got in-depth knowledge and accumulated a lot of information in this regard from the experts.



47. PREPARING HERPETOFAUNAL INVENTORY OF THE AREA WITH REFERENCE TO CONSERVATION MEASURES AT DEEPPORBEEL

The main objective of the visit to Deeporbeel was to study the amphibians and reptiles of the area and chalk out conservational measures. Our participants spent some time with the local village headman (Gaonbura) to discuss the problem faced by the local people because of pollution.



48. SEMINAR ON “EDUCATION FOR ALL” – JOB PROSPECTS AND MARKET TRENDS

Free seminar for general public on EDUCATION FOR ALL was organized by the Asian Institute of Management and Technology (a unit of Gyanjyoti Foundation). Dr. R. Venkatraman Ph.D. (IIT, Chennai) and Dr. B.G. Prasad (IIT, Delhi) were the Chief Guests for the seminar who contributed with their valuable speech on the topic. They spoke about the current market trends and employment avenues in various sectors in India like Information Technology, Biotechnology, Manufacturing, Management, Hospitality and Aviation Sector.



49. AN INVENTORY PROJECT RELATED TO CAPTIVE BREEDING OF GOLDEN LANGUR AT ASSAM STATE ZOOLOGICAL PARK:

The State Zoo cum botanical garden has a huge collection of reptiles, mammals and apes. Some very rare and endangered species of wildlife are there in the Assam State Zoo. One of the ways in which zoos help conserve animals is by participating in breeding programmes. Thus, zoos are of great importance. It was elaborated in a speech by Divisional Forest Officer Assam State Zoo cum Botanical Garden and pathologist, Dr. B. K. Gogoi. His talk was informative and highlighted the Captive breeding of golden langur.



50. SEMINAR ON CONSERVATION OF WILDLIFE WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO AMPHIBIANS AND REPTILES:

DATE: 21st OF AUGUST 2011, Speaker – Mr. Jayaditya Purkayastha, General Secretary – Help Earth, Guwahati. In the course of lecture, the speaker showed some inspiring movies on wild life. All the participants took active part and pledged to protect nature.



51. “SEMINAR ON OPEN SOURCE SOFTWARE” BY DR. SHIKHAR KUMAR SHARMA, READER, COMPUTER SCIENCE DEPARTMENT OF GAUHATI UNIVERSITY

A seminar was organized by Gyanjyoti Foundation on 8th October, 2010 at AIMT. The venue was AIMT seminar Hall. Dr. Shikhar Kumar Sharma, Reader, Computer Science Department of Gauhati University was invited, as the Resource Person. The topic of the discussion was Open Source Software which proved to be very informative to the participants.



52. SEMINAR BY DR. GAUTAM DUTTA, PROFESSOR FROM INDIAN INSTITUTE OF FOREIGN TRADE (IIFT), DELHI.

A seminar by Dr. Gautam Dutta was organized at the AIMT seminar hall. He enlightened the participants with the scope and avenues of foreign trade and its implication in Indian market.



53. ASSISTANCE TO SCIENCE SOCIETY OF COTTON COLLEGE FOR QUIZ COMPETITION:

Financial assistance was provided to Science Society of Cotton College to conduct an inter-college quiz competition.

54. A SEMINAR ON "FUTURE PROSPECTS" BY A.V. SETHA GIRISHA

A free seminar was conducted on 22nd March 2009 by the name of FUTURE PROSPECTS for the students, which was attended by more than 100 students from various colleges. Keynote speaker was Mr. A.V. Seetha Girisha, BE, MISTE, FIE, M Tech, Vice-principal of Cambridge Institute of Technology, Bangalore. He enlightened the participants with the future prospects in the field of Management, IT and the effect of recession on the education sector.



55. DISTRIBUTION OF FM RADIO AND MUSIC PLAYERS BY GYANJYOTI FOUNDATION AMONG MERITORIOUS STUDENTS:

Free FM Radio and Music Players were donated to meritorious students by Mr. Amit, President of Asian Institute of Management & Technology (a unit of Gyanjyoti Foundation) at an Educational Event which was held on 23-04-2009 at Hotel Brahmputra Ashok. The selection process was on merit basis for economically challenged students of backward community.



56. DISTRIBUTION OF LAPTOPS BY GYANJYOTI FOUNDATION TO MERITORIOUS STUDENTS:

Free laptops were provided to meritorious students, at an Educational Event at Hotel Brahma Putra Ashok by Mr. Amit, President of Gyanjyoti Foundation on 12-06-08. The selection process was on merit basis for backward community and economically challenged students only.



57. EDUCATION FOR ALL

a. Education Awareness Campaign 2008

Education awareness Campaign was carried out in Guwahati to promote education and its importance in their daily lives. It was carried out by career and physiological counselors Mr. Vijay Ranjan from Gyanjyoti Foundation for a better social wellbeing.

b. Education Awareness Campaign 2009

Similar activity was undertaken in the year 2009 where educational awareness was stimulated on the various job oriented courses by career and physiological counselors Mr. Manash Borah, Mr. Vijay Ranjan from Gyanjyoti Foundation.



c. Education Awareness Campaign 2010

A three-day workshop at TRP indoor stadium was organized to promote vocational and technical job oriented courses. Counseling for prospects and job avenues in field information technology, biotechnology, mass communication and management was imparted to aspirants by career counselor Mr. Mayank Taparia from Gyanjyoti Foundation. More than 2000 participants were benefited by the event.

58. WORKSHOP ON CONFIDENCE BUILDING: "UNLEASH YOUR CONFIDENCE"

A free confidence development workshop by Mr. Wasim Khandekar was organized at the Asian Institute of Management and Technology (a Unit of Gyanjyoti Foundation) Seminar Hall on the 25th day of April, 2009. About 100 participants were benefited by the workshop.

59. WORKSHOP ON BIO-SAFETY AND ANIMAL ETHICS:

A free workshop on "Bio-safety and Bio-ethics" was held at the Asian Institute of Management and Technology (a Unit of Gyanjyoti Foundation) seminar hall on the 15th day of May, 2009. The chief spokesperson for the event was Dr. Pradip Hazarika, Deputy Director from Institute of Veterinary and Biological Sciences, Govt. of Assam. The event was free for general public. Dr. Pradip Hazarika spoke about the prospect of biotechnology sector in India and in the North East in general and particularly in Assamese. He also gave demonstration on Bio-Safety and Animal Ethics, which was beneficial for the general public.

