





Invited Lecture

"Field to Folder: Best Practices in Plant Collection and Herbarium Techniques"

Date: 04th March, 2025

Time: 11.00 am - 12:30pm

Mode: Online



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Assistant Professor, Assam Don Bosco University, Assam

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Introduction:

The Department of Botany, Holy Cross College, Agartala, successfully organized an invited lecture on "Field to Folder: Best Practices in Plant Collection and Herbarium Techniques" on 4th March 2025. The event, conducted in online mode to provide students and faculty members with in-depth knowledge and practical insights into plant collection and herbarium preparation techniques, delivered by an esteemed expert in the field, Dr. L. Malemnganbee Chanu.

Objective of the Lecture:

The primary objectives of the invited lecture were:

- To enhance students' understanding of plant collection methodologies and herbarium techniques.
- To provide exposure to best practices in preserving plant specimens for academic and research purposes.
- To encourage interactive discussions and knowledge exchange between students, faculty, and the guest speaker.

Participants:

Total 125 students and Faculty members from various Institutes of Tripura and other places like Assam, Silchar, Meghalaya, Maharashtra, registered for the event. The online session was conducted through the Google Meet platform and total 100 participants participated during the session (highest capacity of Google Meet was 100 participants).

Google Meet Link: https://meet.google.com/udh-xpmn-yzu

Registration Link: https://forms.gle/v2hefdaHZULLwipU9

Feedback Link: https://forms.gle/XUn9q2UR59WiNbkj8

WhatsApp Group Link: https://chat.whatsapp.com/CN5udcOmn47HPQjKN8mhn8

Event Proceedings:

The event commenced with a warm welcome address by Dr. Moumita Dey, Academic Coordinator and Assistant Professor of Holy Cross College, Agartala, followed by a short introduction about the program by Dr. Somnath Kar, Joint Convenor and Assistant HoD, Department of Botany, Holy Cross College, Agartala. A brief introduction of the resource person was given by Dr. Sudipta Sinha, Assistant Professor of Department of Botany, Holy Cross College, Agartala. Then Dr. L. Malemnganbee Chanu delivered an informative lecture covering key aspects of field collection, specimen preservation, herbarium documentation and modern advancements in herbarium techniques. The session was highly engaging, with active participation from students and faculty members. After the completion of the lecture, an interactive session with all the participants was held, which was hosted by Dr. Somnath Kar and Dr. Debasree Lodh, HoD & Assistant Professor of Department of Botany, Holy Cross College, Agartala. Attendees posed relevant questions, making the session interactive and insightful. The session was concluded with the feedback form link distribution and lastly vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Sampa Ghosh, Convenor of this program & Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, Holy Cross College, Agartala.

Key Takeaways:

- · Understanding the importance of proper plant collection techniques for research and conservation.
- · Learning best practices for herbarium specimen preparation and documentation.

· Gaining insights into modern technologies used in herbarium management and digitalization.

Prepared By:

Dr. Samba Ghosh

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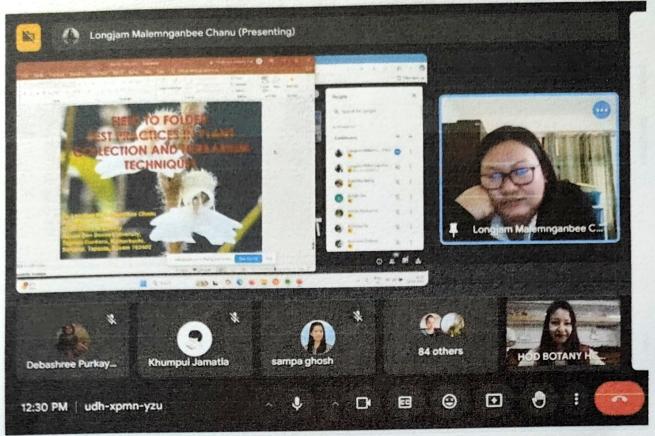
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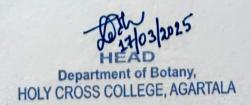
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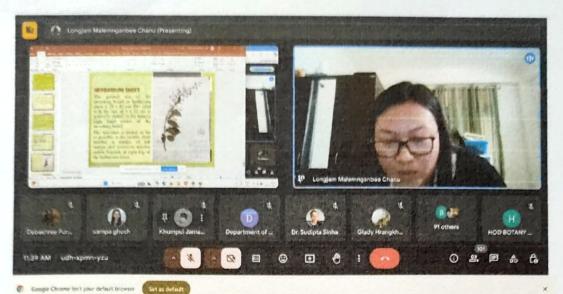




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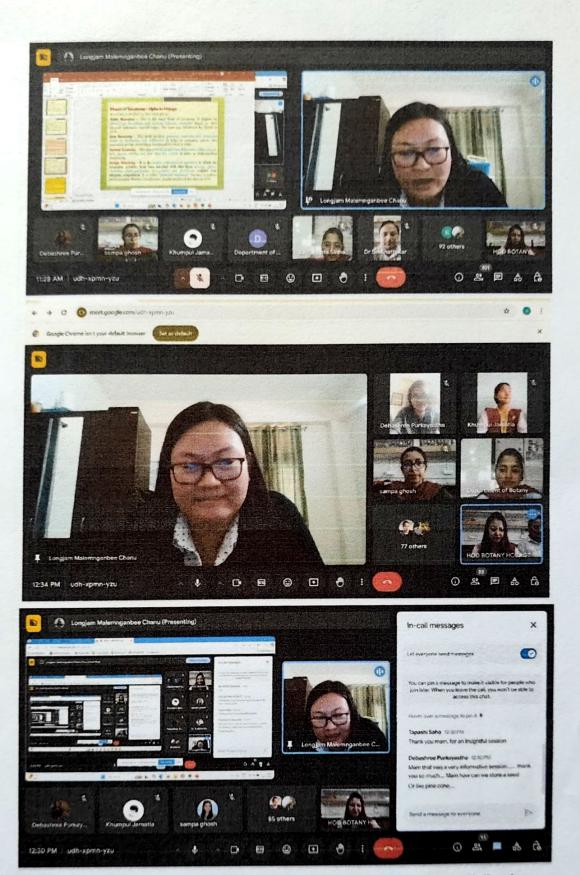


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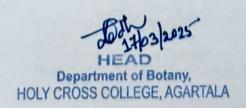
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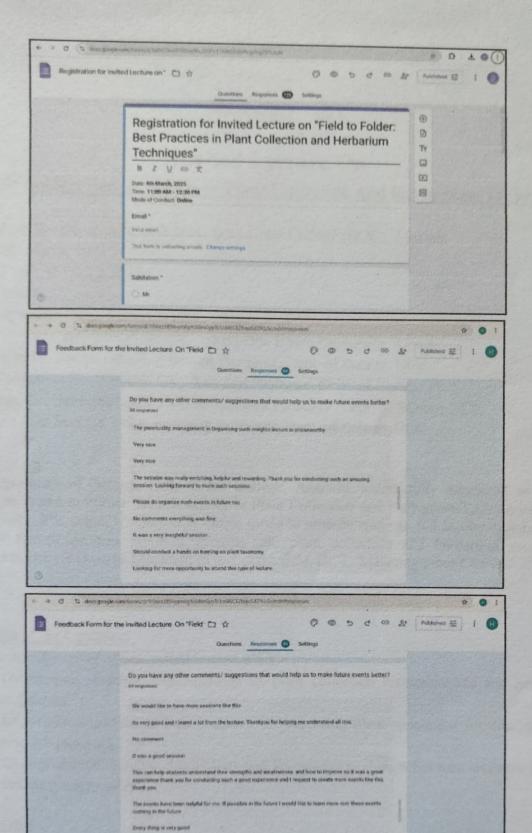
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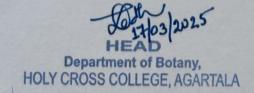


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<u>Pictures</u>: Registration & Feedback of the Invited Lecture on "Field to Folder: Best Practices in Plant Collection and Herbarium Techniques" on 04.03.2025.





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To

Dr. Longjam Malemnganbee Chanu Assistant Professor Assam Don Bosco University Tapesia, Assam

Through the Proper Channel

Subject: Invitation as a Resource Person for an Invited Lecture on 04th March, 2025.

Madam,

Greetings from the Department of Botany, Holy Cross College, Agartala.

We are pleased to invite you as a distinguished Resource Person for an Invited Lecture on "Field to Folder: Best Practices in Plant Collection and Herbarium Techniques" at the Department of Botany, Holy Cross College, Agartala. We believe that your expertise in Plant Taxonomy your valuable insights will greatly benefit our students, researchers and faculty members.

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Thank you, and we hope to welcome you soon.

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Date: 25.02.2025

Yours sincerely,

Dr. Debassee Loth

Dr. Debasree Lodh HoD, Department of Botany Holy Cross College Agartala, Tripura

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