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Gurucharan University

Journey towards excellence



22nd Jan 2026: Prof. Niranjan Roy, Vice Chancellor, Gurucharan University felicitates Hon'ble Minister of Education, Government of Assam, Dr. Ranaj Pegu who delivered the First Rabijit Choudhury Memorial Lecture on the theme "Three Language Policy of NEP: The Way Forward?", focusing on its relevance, challenges and future prospects. The programme was held in the University Auditorium.



8th Jun 2026: 1st Executive Council meeting. Prof. Dilip Ch Nath, former VC of Assam University and Observer of Hon'ble Governor of Assam to the EC attended the meeting. Two nominees of the Govt. Assam, Sri Sajalendu Das Laskar and Dr. Chandan Dey, two alumni Prof. Snigdha Das Roy and Prof. Anup Kr. Dey attended the meeting.



Gurucharan Nag



Kiransasi Nag

Message from the Vice Chancellor

The Gurucharan University, which started its journey on 28th July, 2025, is on the verge of completing one year. The University will celebrate Foundation Day on 15th July, honouring the establishment of the erstwhile Gurucharan College, Silchar, on this day in 1935. During the last one year, the University achieved significant milestones in creating an administrative structure, establishing a full-fledged examination branch, and strengthening physical infrastructure and student support services. In regard to academic programmes, the University started PG and PhD programmes from this academic session, along with the undergraduate programme started during the last session. The implementation of NEP 2020 has been the targeted goal in all academic policy formulations. Accordingly, the Executive Council, Academic Council, Board of Studies and other statutory bodies prioritized seamless mobility of students, focusing on skill formation. The internship programmes for FYUG students have been institutionalized with the placement of students in different government and non-government agencies. The performance of students in different activities is commendable, and many of them earned laurels for the University. In the coming days, we will place more emphasis on employability through an outcome-based curriculum framework in all programmes. The University has started the Kiransashi Nag Memorial Lecture as part of the celebration of the Foundation Day programme to commemorate her contribution to the establishment of the erstwhile Gurucharan College in the name of her husband, Gurucharan Nag.

The second volume of this Newsletter covers the important activities of the University during Jan-June 2026.

I convey my greetings and best wishes to all the members of different statutory bodies, faculty members, non-teaching staff and students.

Prof. Niranjan Roy,

Vice Chancellor, Gurucharan University

Celebrations



23rd Jan, 2026: Gurucharan University celebrated Saraswati Puja with joyous and enthusiastic participation of thousands of students



23rd Jan 2026: Gurucharan University celebrated the 129th Birth Anniversary of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose as Parakram Divas



12th Jan 2026: Gurucharan University celebrated the 164th Birth Anniversary of Swami Vivekananda

Important Events



5th Jan 2026: IQAC organised National Symposium on NEP 2020. Prof. Mazhar Asif, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, was the Chief speaker.



17th Jan 2026: 1st Nibaran Chandra Laskar Memorial Lecture delivered by Sri Soumya Kanti Purkayastha, on the topic "Brand Activism as a Strategy for the Education Sector"



17th Jan 2026: Mega Voter Inclusion Drive was organized by Electoral Literacy Club (ELC) of Gurucharan University



25th Mar 2026: A motivational lecture on "Youth Entrepreneurship and Developed India" was organized by Skill Development Centre & Career Counselling Cell, with Swadeshi Jagaran Manch and Swavalambi Bharat Abhiyan.



26th Jan 2026: Celebration of 77th Republic Day in Gurucharan University



3rd Feb 2026: Ceremonial Distribution of the Dr. Banikanta Kakati Merit Certificate

Important Events



13th Feb 2026: An Advanced Training and Engagement Activity on National Clean Air Programme (NCAP) was organised by Silchar Municipal Corporation & Department of Ecology and Environmental Science.



24th Feb 2026: UCO Bank under its Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR), donated an ambulance to Gurucharan University at a formal handover ceremony in the university premises.



28th Feb 2026: A workshop on "Security Features of Bank Notes" was held under the initiative of Reserve Bank of India with the Finance Club of Gurucharan University, Silchar.



11th Mar 2026: The Kiransashi Women's Cell, Gurucharan University, Silchar, in collaboration with Eastern Chronicle, hosted a Women's conclave to mark International Women's Day at the university's conference hall. The conclave featured an esteemed panel including Deputy Inspector General of Police, Southern Assam, Range Mrs. Jayshree Khersa (IPS), Mrs. Bithika Acharyya, Special Public Prosecutor, Prof. Suparna Roy, Dept of History, Assam University, Gynaecologist Dr. Monika Deb, and Editor of The Eastern Chronicles, Dr Sujata Choudhary Dhar.



21th June 2026: International Yoga Day 2026 Celebration



7th March, 2026: Extension activity at Aswini Kumar ME school, Binnakandi, Silchar by Kiransashi Women's Cell on to celebrate International Women's Day

Academic Programs



4th Feb 2026: Swapan Ashangbam, Convener, Barak Ecosystem and Water Governance Resource Centre (BEWGRC) deliberated on “Ecosystem Degradation and Local Restoration” to promote awareness on nature conservation. Department of Biotechnology and the Department of Ecology & Environmental Science, Gurucharan University, Silchar, jointly organized the programme.

4th Feb 2026: Department of Economics, Gurucharan University, Silchar, organized a discussion on “Union Budget 2026”. Mr. Vivek Poddar, renowned businessman, entrepreneur and social activist from the Barak Valley, Prof. Niranjana Roy, VC & Dr. Sanjib Bhattacharjee, Dept of Commerce, Gurucharan University enlightened the audience with their in depth analysis.



10th Jun 2026: Eminent educationist Dr. Dilip Chandra Nath delivered an expansive, in-depth lecture on capacity building, infrastructural development, and related aspects of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020

15th Jun 2026: Department of Biotechnology, Gurucharan University, Silchar successfully hosted a one-day lecture programme along with the DCBI Certificate Distribution Ceremony. The programme was graced by Dr. Bula Choudhury, Senior Scientist, Guwahati Biotech Park, Guwahati, as the Chief Guest and Resource Person.





5th June 2026: Observance of World Environment Day



19th May 2026: The University observed Bhasa Swahid Divas to pay homage to Eleven Martyrs who dedicated their life on 19th May 1961 for the protection of Mother Tongue.



3rd Jun National Workshop on Yoga on the theme "Mind-Body Resilience through Yogic Integration" was successfully jointly organized by Gurucharan University, Silchar and NIRAMAYA (School of Yoga Education) & Institute for Yoga Education Research and Holistic Sciences (IYERHS).



30th April 2026: Commendation Ceremony of Dr. Atanu Nath, the awardee of the Breakthrough Prize in Fundamental Physics, 2026.



12th May 2026: Gurucharan University extended a warm welcome to the newly admitted Higher Secondary First Year students of Science, Arts, and Commerce streams through a "Diksharambh" Orientation programme held in the University Auditorium.

Student's activities



NCC Cadet Shreya Purkayastha, awarded Outstanding Cadet Medal from Maj Gen Anurag Vij, ADG, NER



2nd Apr 2026: An Election Quiz was successfully conducted, under the aegis of Quiz and Debate Club, Gurucharan University.



28th Mar 2026: Blood donation camp organised by NSS cell Gurucharan University Silchar in collaboration with Barak valley Voluntary blood donors forum and Cachar Cancer Hospital Silchar.



27th Feb 2026: Parama Dey, Zoology, 6th Sem, secured 3rd position in the Vikshit Bharat Youth Parliament held at NIT Silchar



JUO Ngiakambe Riame, successfully summited West Gorichen peak at a altitude of 16900ft with his team.



8th Feb 2026: The National Service Scheme (NSS) won the Best Participation Award in the Republic Day parade, 2026.

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