DEPARTMENT of **ENGLISH**

Profile: The Department of English has been an integral part of Chandra Kamal Bezbaruah Commerce College, Jorhat, since 1965, the year the college was founded. For more than five decades, it has been playing a pivotal role in contributing to the academic and socio-cultural life of this part of Upper Assam. Mr. D.R. Gupta joined the college in 1966 as the first full- time teacher and founder Head of the Department. Both Mr. P.K. Phookan and Mr. N.N. Sarmah joined as permanent Lecturers in 1972. The former retired as Head, Department of English, Chandra Kamal Bezbaruah Commerce College, Jorhat, on August 31, 2004 while the latter left the college on April 22, 2002 to join Mariani College, and later retired as its Principal.

Currently, the Department has its full sanctioned strength of 3 Teachers. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye) joined the Department on March 29, 2001 in the post of Mr. D.R. Gupta and is appointed Head of the Department since 2009. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta joined the Department on April 22, 2008 in the post of Mr. N.N. Sarmah, and Dr. Kironmoy Chetia joined the Department on August 8, 2009 in the post of Mr. Pratap Keshari Phookan.

Departmental Activities: The Department provides their teaching and other related services in the H.S. Course and the Six Semester Degree Course for B.Com students. Besides other college duties, the teachers of the department also contribute their services in taking BBA, IGNOU and Tutorial classes in the college premises. It further organizes workshops, seminars, special lectures, talks, etc. on literary as well as socially relevant issues. The Department has a Student Wall Magazine which is named 'The Quill'. It also has a society called DELVESS (Department of English-Literature, Values, and English Studies Society) to promote literary activity as well as being a platform for students to tap and express their creativity.

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Vision and Mission of The Department of English,

Chandra Kamal Bezbaruah Commerce College, Jorhat-1. Assam.

Vision of the English Department (CKBCC, Jorhat)

The Department of English aims to promote and encourage the spirit of inquiry, to enhance the communication and soft skills of the stakeholders, especially the students, and to learn the values of life and living through the touchstones of literature studies.

Mission of the English Department (CKBCC, Jorhat)

- The primary mission of the Department of English is to impart fruitfully to its learners the four essential skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing.
- It has taken up the cudgels to impart basic knowledge of English Communication and English Speaking Skills to its learners, especially those who are from regional medium schools and rural areas, and to make the students realize the necessity of the English language- both spoken and writtenin the majority of professional fields after graduation.
- Another important mission of the department is to assist in making the learners job-ready, by offering them training, workshops, and courses in Soft Skills, English Communication and Personality Development.
- Keeping in mind the multifariousness of Indian culture and identity, the English Department will make tireless efforts to form and transform the outlook of the students by organizing activities such as poetry-writing and poetry-reading sessions that will encompass the culture and ethos of the country.
- It intends to advance the understanding of the students through Written Self-Expression, Creative Writing processes and English Literature studies including Translation Studies.

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Departmental Activities Report: 2017-2022 Department of English Chandra Kamal Bezbaruah Commerce College, Jorhat-785001. Assam. Student-related Activities

				Name of Teacher/
			Participants	Coordinator/Department
1.	2022	Syllabus and Modules of 2 (two) Add-		Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
	(July)	On Courses Prepared and Submitted		
		to the HOI for further action.		
		(1- Communicative English & Personality Development;		
		2- Spoken English)		
2.	2022	Participation in the Voluntary Blood	7	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
	(July)	Donation Drive by students and		
		faculty of the college in Jorhat Medical		
		College and Hospital in association		
		with Jorhat Rotary Club & Red		
	0000	Ribbon Club, CKBCC.		M D D #
3.	2022 (June)	Release of CKBIAN (36 th issue)		Mrs. Rupasree Dutta
4.	2022	World Environment Day observed in	20	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
4.	(June)	5 (five) Schools of the adopted villages	20	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
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5.	2022	Soft Skills and Communicative	30	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
	(May-June)	English Certificate Course		
6.	2022 (Appril)	Field Visit to North-East Agro Products and Services (BAHUBALI)	08	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta
	(April) 2022	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	00	M_ D
7.	2022 (April)	SSS orientation	09	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta
8.	2022	SSS orientation	64	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta
9.	(Mar) 2021	Awareness Programme on World	81	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta
9.	(Dec)	Awareness Frogramme on world AIDS Day	01	Co-convener
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10.	2021	A Talk on NEP-2020	60	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta
11.	(Dec) 2021	Workshop cum Aptitude Test (Yuva		Dr. Kironmoy Chetia
11.	(Dec)	Pratibha Scholarship)		Di. Knonnoy Uneua
	(Dec)	Traubha Scholarship)		
12.	2021	Photography Competition	11	Dr. Kironmoy Chetia
	(Dec)			/DELVESS
13.	2021-22 (Nov-	Certificate Course in ITES BPO, Soft	30	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
10.	2021-22 (Nov- Mar)	Skills & Communicative English	00	Di. neeta Lagachu (Taye)
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14.	2021	Collection of Students' Feedback		Mrs. Rupasree Dutta
	(Nov)			Jt. Coordinator

15.	2021 (Nov)	Intra College Essay Writing Competition in collaboration with UCO Bank, Jorhat	15	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta
16.	2021 (Oct)	Online Induction Programme for B.Com. Semester I	167	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta
17.	2021 (Oct)	Online Student Satisfaction Survey	48	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta Jt. Coordinator
18.	2021 (Sept)	International Webinar on "Awareness of Students at the Wake of the 3 ^{nt} Wave of COVID-19 in India"		Dr. Kironmoy Chetia
19.	2021 (Sept)	National level Online FDP on Intellectual Property Rights for Academia.	218	Dr. Kironmoy Chetia
20.	2021 (May)	Web-based Investors Awareness Program		Mrs. Rupasree Dutta (Co-Convener)
21.	2021 (Apr)	Awareness Program on Women Health on the occasion of World Health Day for girl students.	36	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye) (Co-Convener)
22.	2021 (Mar-Apr)	Workshop on Entrepreneurship Development.	26	Dr. Kironmoy Chetia (Co- Convener)
23.	2021 (Mar)	Online Poetry Recitation Competition	14	Dr. Kironmoy Chetia /DELVESS
24.	2021 (Mar-Apr)	Short Term Course on "GST with Tally 9.0"	24	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
25.	2021 (Mar)	Counselling for Tech Mahindra Campus Drive.	36	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
26.	2021 (Feb)	Motivational Seminar on Career Development	230	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta
27.	2020 (Nov)	Online Student Satisfaction Survey (Internal)	160	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta Jt. Coordinator
28.	2020 (Dec)	Photography Competition	15	Dr. Kironmoy Chetia /DELVESS
29.	2020 (Dec)	Seminar on "Career Prospect Post COVID - 19"	07	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
30.	2020 (Oct)	National Webinar on "Investor Awareness"	91	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
31.	2020 (Aug)	Students' Development Program on "Group Discussion & Personal Interview Techniques".	100	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
32.	2020 (June- July)	ONLINE Soft Skills Communicative English Course	60	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta
33.	2020 (June)	National Webinar on "Perspectives on the Global Pandemic Scenario: Health, Education & Society"	200	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)

34.	2020 (M ay)	National level Prize Money Online Essay Competition	100	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
35.	2020 (March)	Motivational Seminar on "Personal Development"	80	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta
36.	2019 (Nov)	Inauguration of English Department Wall Magazine, <i>The Quill.</i>	35	English Department & DELVESS
37.	2019 (Nov)	Intra College Essay Writing Competition in collaboration with UCO Bank, Jorhat	11	Mrs, Rupasree Dutta
38.	2019 (Nov)	Student Satisfaction Survey (Internal)	239	Mrs, Rupasree Dutta Jt. Coordinator
39.	2019 (Apr)	All Assam Inter-College Prize- Money Debate Competition	100	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
40.	2019 (Mar- Apr)	Workshop on Spoken English	50	Dr. Kironmoy Chetia
41.	Apr) 2018 (June)	Workshop on Soft Skills & Effective Communication	52	Dr. Kironmoy Chetia
42.	2017 (Sept)	Inter College PPT/Wall magazine Competition in collaboration with Vivekananda Kendra, Kanyakumari, Assam Prant	10	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta (Co-convener)
43.	2017 (Aug)	Extempore speech Competition	14	Mrs. Rupasree Dutta
44.	2017 (Aug)	Art Competition on the topic "Independence Day Celebration in Our College"	10	Mrs, Rupasree Dutta
45.	2017 (Aug)	Holistic Development Workshop in collaboration with D.C. Crackers, Gurgaon.	80	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
46.	2017 (Aug)	Seminar on Career in Civil Service in collaboration with Sukalp Foundation, Guwahati.	35	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)
47.	2017 (Mar)	Career Counselling Programme in collaboration with New Delhi Institute of Management (NDIM), New Delhi.	69	Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye)

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Report on Student-related Activities Undertaken by the English Department:

1. On **July 28**, **2022** Syllabus and Modules of 2 (two) Add-On Courses was Prepared and Submitted by Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), HoD of English, to the HOI, for further action. The 2 (two) Add-On Courses are:

- (1) Communicative English & Personality Development;
- (2) Spoken English.

2. On **July 1, 2022** three students of the institution, namely: Biki Prasad, Pritam Das & Sumit Sah, and a young fellow colleague, Manash Pratim Goswami, Asst. Prof., Dept of Banking, voluntarily donated blood in Jorhat Medical College and Hospital, in the Voluntary Blood Donation Drive conducted by Jorhat Rotary Club in association with Red Ribbon Club of CKB Commerce College. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), HoD of English, and a member of Jorhat Rotary Club was the College Convener.

3. On June 28, 2022 the 36th issue of CKBIAN (Session 2020-21) was released by noted academician Mrs. Binita Dutta. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, is the Adviser of the Magazine Secretary (English Section).

4. On June 5, 2022 (Sunday), World Environment Day was celebrated by CKB Commerce College, Jorhat along with the whole globe. The celebration was conducted through a series of plantation programs in four schools namely Kowari Pukhuri Public High School, 130 No. Namoni Gaon Primary School, 132 No. Konwari Pukhuri Primary School and Naam Jamuguri L. P. School, and in a Namghar named Pangiriya Gaon Bonamghar, in Konwari Pukhuri village, all under the purview of the adopted Gam Panchayat of the College. Dr. Neeta Lagachu Taye, Coordinator of the Village Adoption Committee, was a Co-Convener of the program.

5. A 30 Hour Soft Skills and Communicative English Certificate Course was organized by the Department from May 30, 2022 to June 16, 2022 in collaboration with the Assam Kaziranga University. Dr. Neeta Lagachu Taye, HoD of English, was the Programme Coordinator.

6. A Field Visit to North-East Agro Products and Services (BAHUBALI) was organized on April 06, 2022 in association with NSS Unit and IECGC of the college. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Coordinator of this programme.

7. An Orientation Programme for students on Student Satisfaction Survey (SSS) was conducted by NAAC as part of the third cycle of assessment of the college on April 01, 2022. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Coordinator of this programme.

8. An Orientation Programme for students on Student Satisfaction Survey (SSS) was conducted by NAAC as part of the third cycle of assessment of the college on March 30, 2022. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Coordinator of this programme.

9. A Workshop cum Aptitude Test (Yuva Pratibha Scholarship) was organized on December 15, 2021 in collaboration with ICA Jorhat Mega Centre. Dr. Kironmoy Chetia, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the College Coordinator of the Workshop.

10. A Talk on NEP-2020 was organized on December 13, 2021 where Dr. Bimal Barah, Principal, JB College (Autonomous), Jorhat was the Resource Person. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Coordinator of this programme.

11. A **Photography Competition** was organized by the Department of English-Literature, Values, and English Studies Society (DELVESS), for the B.Com. & BBA students of the college to revive the glorious legacy left by Siu-Ka-Pha in December 2021. 11 students took part in the competition. Dr. Kironmoy Chetia, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Coordinator of the competition.

12. An Awareness Programme on World AIDS Day was organized on December 01, 2021 in association with NCC, NSS Unit of the College and TLE, SS&P and GL&M, IQAC. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Co-convener of this programme.

13. In Academic Partnership with NIELIT (National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology), an NSQF Level-4 200-hour **Certificate Course in ITES BPO, Soft Skills & Communicative English** (200 hrs) for 30 SC/ST students began from November 1, 2021 and concluded in March, 2022. (Free Admission). Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), Head, Department of English and Coordinator of IQAC, was the College Convener of the Course.

14. As part of Internal Quality Assurance initiatives, Students' Feedback was collected in November 2021. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Jt. Coordinator of Students' Feedback collection process.

15. As part of "Vigilance Awareness Week-2021" of UCO Bank, an Intra College Essay Writing Competition was organized on October 29, 2021 on the topic "Independent India @75: Self Reliance with Integrity" in which Bhagyaban Borah (B.Com. Sem V) got the 1st prize, Manisha Devi Viswakarma (B.Com. Sem V) got the 2nd prize and Radhika Borah (B.Com. Sem III) got the 3rd prize. The prizes were distributed on November 3, 2021. Dr. Ranjit Sarma, Principal of the college, Mr. Abhijit Das, Zonal Head, UCO Bank, Jorhat and Mr. Amardeep Kulshresth, Chief Manager, UCO Bank Zonal Office, Jorhat were present. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Coordinator of this programme.

16. Online Induction Programme for newly admitted students of B.Com. Semester I was held on October 06, 2021 in Google Meet platform to welcome the new comers and orient them about the college. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Jt. Coordinator.

17. Online Student Satisfaction Survey was conducted during October, 2021 by sharing the questionnaire using Google link. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Jt. Coordinator of this process.

18. On September 18, 2021 an International Webinar on "Awareness of Students at the Wake of the 3rd Wave of COVID-19 in India" was organized by the college. The Resource Person of the Webinar was Dr. Gaffar Sarwar Zaman, Associate Professor, King Khalid University, Saudi Arabia. Dr. Kironmoy Chetia, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the College Coordinator of the Webinar.

19. On May 12, 2021, a Web-based Investors Awareness Program was organized in association with BSE-IPF, Mumbai for B.Com./BBA 5th Sem. Students from 3-4 pm in Google Meet. Marina Jose of BSE-IPF was the Resource Person. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Co-Convener of the program.



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21. On April 7, 2021 an Awareness Program on Women Health was organized on the occasion of World Health Day and 36 girl students actively participated in the event. The Resource Person of the event was Dr. Ibharani Morang, MD (Obstetrics and Gynaecology), Consultant Gynaecologist, Jorhat Christian Medical Centre. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), Head, Department of English and Coordinator of IQAC, was the Co-Convener of the program.



22. From March 22, 2021 to April 12, 2021 a 30 hour Workshop on Entrepreneurship Development was conducted for the college students in collaboration with Assam Agricultural University, Jorhat. 26 students participated in the Workshop. Dr. Kironmoy Chetia, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Co-Convener of the Workshop.





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23. On **21st March 2021**, an **Online Poetry Recitation Competition** was conducted under the aegis of DELVESS (Department of English, Literature, Values and English Studies Society) on the occasion of World Poetry Day. 14 students participated in the competition. Dr. Kironmoy Chetia, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Convener of the Competition.

24. On 13th March 2021, Counselling for Tech Mahindra Campus Drive was conducted in the College premises by Kaziranga University. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), Head, Department of English and Coordinator of IQAC, was the Coordinator of the program.

25. From March 8, 2021 to April 12, 2021, a 96 hour Short Term Course on "GST with Tally 9.0" with MSME was conducted and a total of 24 students successfully completed the self-financed course. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), Head, Department of English, was the College Coordinator of the Course.

26. On February 10, 2021, a Motivational Seminar on Career Development for students was organized in collaboration with Kaziranga University. The Seminar attracted 230 participants. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the College Convener of the Seminar.

27. Online Student Satisfaction Survey was conducted during November, 2021 by sharing the questionnaire using Google link. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Jt. Coordinator of this process.

28. A **Photography Competition** was organized by the Department of English-Literature, Values, and English Studies Society (DELVESS), for the B.Com. & BBA students of the college to revive the glorious legacy left by Siu-Ka-Pha in December 2020. 15 students took part in the competition. Dr. Kironmoy Chetia, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Coordinator of the competition.

29. On October 30, 2020, a National Webinar on "Investor Awareness" was organized for the benefit of Faculty members, Administrative Staff & Students, in association with Ambition Learning Solutions, Mumbai (on behalf of Bombay Stock Exchange, Investor Protection Fund). Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), Head, Department of English and Coordinator of IQAC, was the Coordinator of the program.

30. On August 28, 2020 a Students' Development Program on "Group Discussion & Personal Interview Techniques" was conducted in Virtual Platform (Zoom) at 1.00 pm. jointly organized by IQAC, Chandra Kamal Bezbaruah Commerce College, Jorhat and IBS Business School. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), Head, Department of English and Coordinator of IQAC, was the Coordinator of the program.



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31. An **ONLINE Soft Skills Communicative English Course** of 30 hours for the B. Com. & BBA students was successfully conducted by the Department of English, Chandra Kamal Bezbaruah Commerce College, Jorhat in association with NIELIT (National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology), Jorhat from June 24, 2020 to July 14, 2020. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Convener of the Course.



32. On June 20, 2020 a National Webinar on "Perspectives on the Global Pandemic Scenario: Health, Education & Society" was hosted by the Department of English, Chandra Kamal Bezbaruah Commerce College, Jorhat in association with Rotary Club of Jorhat. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), Head, Department of English and Coordinator of IQAC, was the College Convener of the National Webinar.



33. In May 2020, a National level Prize Money Online Essay Competition (in English and Assamese) for Higher Secondary and Graduate Level students was organized by the Department of English, Chandra Kamal Bezbaruah Commerce College in collaboration with Rotary, Jorhat. The topic of the essay competition was "Post Covid-19 Life: Will the World be the Same Again". The results were made public on June 5, 2020 (World Environment Day). Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), Head, Department of English and Coordinator of IQAC, was the College Convener of the Essay Competition.



34. A "Motivational Seminar on Personal Development" was organized on March 02, 2020 in collaboration with the Assam Kaziranga University. Mrs Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Coordinator of the programme.

35. As part of "Vigilance Awareness Week-2021" of UCO Bank, an Intra College Essay Writing Competition was organized on November 06, 2019 on the topic "Corruption in Public Life: A Menace" in which Bhagyaban Borah (B.Com. Sem III) got the 1st prize, Priyanshi Maheswari (B.Com. Sem III) got the 2nd prize and Naina Borah (HS 1st Year) and Manisha Devi Viswakarma (B.Com. Sem III) jointly got the 3rd prize. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the coordinator of this programme.

36. On November 5, 2019 the English Department Wall Magazine, *The Quill*, exclusively a student enterprise, was unveiled by Adil Yasin, Vice-Chairman, Sri Aurobindo Society, Jorhat Centre.



The Quill-2021



The Quill-2020

37. Internal Student Satisfaction Survey was conducted among the B.Com. and BBA Semester III students during November 2019. Total 239 students participated in this survey. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Jt. coordinator of this programme.

38. On April 23, 2019 an All Assam Inter-College Prize-Money Debate Competition was organized by the Department of English, in association with Rotary Club of Jorhat. Ms. Rishikanya Batswa of Cotton University was adjudged the Best Debater while the Second and Third prizes went to Ms. Aliva Dutta of Assam Agricultural University, Jorhat and Ms. Suhana Tasneem of J.B. College (Autonomous) respectively. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), Head, Department of English and Coordinator of IQAC, was the College Convener of the Debate Competition.

39. Inter College Power Point and Wall Magazine Competition was held in the college on September 22, 2019 in collaboration with Vivekananda Kendra Kanyakumari Assam Prant on the occasion of 150th Birth Anniversary of Sister Nivedita. The group from BBA Second Semester got 1st prize in wall magazine competition and the group from HS 1st Year comprising of Pratim Sannal, Pinky Das got the 1st prize in PPT competition. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Co-Convener of the programme.

40. A Fourteen-Day **Workshop on Spoken English** was organized for the students of the college from March 23, 2019 to April 5, 2019. Dr. Kironmoy Chetia, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Convener of the Workshop.

41. A Week-long **Workshop on Soft Skills & Effective Communication** targeting the B.Com & BBA 6th Semester students was organized under Faculty Exchange Programme, from **June 19, 2018 to June 25, 2018.** Dr. Kironmoy Chetia, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Convener of the Workshop.

42. An Extempore Speech Competition was organized in the college on August 04, 2017 as part of 71st Independence Day Celebration in which Ainityam Dutta (B.Com. Sem I) got the 1st prize, Pratim Sanyal (HS 1st Year) got the 2nd prize and Mintumoni Gogoi (B.Com. Sem I) got the 3rd prize. The programme was coordinated by Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English.

43. As part of 71st Independence Day Celebration an art competition on the theme "Independence Day Celebration in Our College: A Glimpse" was organized in the college on August 13, 2017 with Sujata Ghosh, Nikita Choudhury and Bikash Sahu bagging the 1st, 2nd & 3rd prizes respectively. The programme was coordinated by Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English.

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Faculty-related Activities of the English Department:

1. On July 6, 2022 Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye) Associate Professor & Head, Department of English, was invited as Resource Person in the Extended Contact Programme (ECP) for the learners enrolled in Post Graduate Diploma in School Leadership Management (PGDSLM) held from 4th to 7th July, 2022 at IGNOU Regional Centre Campus, Jorhat.

2. On April 28, 2022 Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye) Associate Professor & Head, Department of English, was invited as Chairperson in the Webinar on "Effective Communication in Work Life-A Better Version of Yourself" conducted by the Assam Forum of iSPELL (Indian Society for the Promotion of English Language & Literature).

3. On April 27, 2022 Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was invited as Judge in the Inter Department Wall Magazine Competition organized by J.B. College (Autonomous), Jorhat during Annual College Week.

4. On March 21, 2022 on the occasion of World Poetry Day Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye) Associate Professor & Head, Department of English, was invited as Speaker by the Department of English, DCB Girls' College, Jorhat. She spoke to the English Major Students on the topic, "The Potential Power of Poetry as Therapy: An Interdisciplinary Perspective."

5. On February 24, 2022 Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye) Associate Professor & Head, Department of English, presented her poem at the Poetry Reading Event of iSPELL (Indian Society for the Promotion of English Language and Literature), Assam Forum.

6. On December 18, 2021 the maiden issue of *Pulsebeat* (Issue I, Volume I, Jan-June, 2021), the College IQAC Newsletter inscribed with QR code, was released by Dr. Minakshi Phookan Hazarika, Associate Professor, Dept of Geography, JB College (Autonomous), Jorhat. Dr. Kironmoy Chetia, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was the Editor of *Pulsebeat*.

7. The second issue of *Divergence* (An Assortment of Interdisciplinary Research Articles) was brought out on November, 2021 by the IQAC of the college. The book was edited by Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), Associate Professor & Head, Department of English, and Coordinator, IQAC of the college.

8. Dr. Kironmoy Chetia, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was invited as Chairperson (**Session No. 5**) at the Online National Conference (COIN-2021) on *Literature, Language, and Culture of North East India* organized by Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, National Institute of Technology, Meghalaya, in collaboration with the Department of English Language Education, The English and Foreign Languages University (EFLU), Shillong Campus, and Spectrum: An International Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences (2319-6076) on 19th and 20th November, 2021.

9. On June 13, 2021 Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), Associate Professor & Head, Department of English, was one among three Guest Speakers in the International Online Event celebrating WB Yeats' Poetry and commemorating his 156th Birth Anniversary.

10. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye) Associate Professor & Head, Department of English, was invited as Chairperson (Session No. 5.3), in the Virtual Three- Day International Conference on "Gender Studies and Women Empowerment" organized by Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, National Institute of Technology, Agartala, from 16th April – 18th April, 2021.

11. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was invited as Judge in the **Inter Department Wall Magazine Competition** organized by J.B. College (Autonomous), Jorhat during Annual College Week, held on February 11, 2021.

12. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye) Head, Department of English, was invited as Chairperson (Session No. 02) in the TEQIP sponsored Online International Conference (COIN-2020) on *Interdisciplinary Interpretation of Literature* organized by Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, National Institute of Technology, Meghalaya, from December 14, 2020 to December 18, 2020.

13. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye) Head, Department of English, was **Coordinator of the** Webinar on **''E Learning of Rotary's TEACH Program''** organized by Rotary Club and Inner Wheel Club of Jorhat in collaboration with Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, on July 27, 2020.

14. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye) Head, Department of English, was Joint-Coordinator of the Webinar on "Urban Health Hazard and Post-Covid 19 Management" organized by JB College (Autonomous) Jorhat, in collaboration with Rotary Club of Jorhat, on May 13, 2020.

15. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was invited as Speaker by Centre for Mising Studies, Jorhat on the occasion of International Women's Day on March 8, 2020.

16. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), Head, Department of English, was invited as Judge in the **Inter-College Poster Competition** on "Gender Sensitization" organized by Women Cell of JB College (Autonomous) Jorhat on March 7, 2020.

17. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, presented her Paper titled "Search for Identity in Maryse Condé's *Segu, I, Tituba, Black Witch of Salem* and *Crossing the Mangrove*" at the Applied Research International Conference on "Education, Literature & Language (ARICELL) 2020 Oxford, U.K." held on February 24-25, 2020 at The University of Oxford, U.K.

18. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, presented her Paper titled "Race and Resistance in Maryse Condé's *I, Tituba, Black Witch of Salem"* at the Universal Academic Cluster International December Conference held in Bangkok, Thailand on December 19 - 20, 2019.

19. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye), Head, Department of English, was invited as Resource Person in the **Poetry-Writing Workshop** conducted by the Women Cell of JB College (Autonomous), Jorhat on September 3, 2019.

20. Dr. Kironmoy Chetia, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was invited as Resource Person under Faculty Exchange Program by Jorhat Medical College and Hospital, **for teaching Spoken English** (Foundation Course), to MBBS First Year students for two weeks in August, 2019.

21. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was invited as Resource Person in the two day **English Language Teaching Programme** organized by Regional Institute of English, North East, in association with Jorhat College (amalgamated), from 25-26 July, 2019.

22. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was invited as Judge in recitation competition organized by the Staff Club of CSIR-North East Institute of Science and Technology on the occasion of Sri Sri Sankardeva's 570th Birth Anniversary Celebration on October 13, 2018.

23. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English was a Coconvener of the Short Term Course on Film Appreciation organized in the college in collaboration with Assam Film Society and Federation of Film Societies of India (FFSI) during July 1-6, 2018.

24. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was invited as Judge in recitation competition organized by the Staff Club of CSIR-North East Institute of Science and Technology on the occasion of Sri Sri Sankardeva's 569th Birth Anniversary Celebration on October 22, 2017.

25. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, prepared brochure (along with Ankan Rajkonwar and Jintu Phukon) of 1st Assam International Rural Film Festival 2017 organized by Assam Film Society and Fedaration of Film Societies of India (FFSI) held during 23-26 December, 2017 at Phesual, Meleng, Jorhat (Assam).

26. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye) Head, Department of English, was invited as Judge in the **Inter-School Debate Competition** organized by HHMI Alumni Association, Jorhat on 24th October, 2017.

27. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye) Head, Department of English, was invited as Chairperson in the International Conference (COIN-2017) on *Interdisciplinarity: Contemporary Research in Humanities, Social Sciences and Management Studies* organized by Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, National Institute of Technology, Meghalaya, in collaboration with Shillong Literary Coterie, on 21st and 22nd July, 2017.

28. Dr. Neeta Lagachu (Taye) Head, Department of English, was Anchor (Inaugural Session) & Rapporteur (in a Technical Session) in the National Conference on "Vision-2025: Connecting North-East through Open and Distance Learning" organized by IGNOU Regional Centre, Jorhat. Assam on 8th and 9th July, 2017.

29. Mrs. Rupasree Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, was a **Rapporteur (in a Technical Session) in the** National Conference on "Vision-2025: Connecting North-East through Open and Distance Learning" organized by IGNOU Regional Centre, Jorhat. Assam on 8th and 9th July, 2017.

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