

S.N.M COLLEGE MALIANKARA

(Affiliated to Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam)

- 1. Title of the program:** A national webinar on Floristic Diversity and Ethnobotany of Himalayas and Western Ghats
- 2. Name of the Coordinator/s :** Dr. Sanilkumar MG
- 3. Organizing Department/Cell:** Department of Botany SNM College in collaboration with Department of Botany Nethaji Nagar Day College, Kolkata
- 4. Date:** 16th October 2020
- 5. Number of participants:** 90
- 6. Venue:** Online
- 7. Resource Person/s :** Dr Abhaya Prasad Das, Dr P. Sujanapal
- 8. Objective of the Program:** Participants will have the opportunity to interact and share their thoughts on biodiversity in two entirely different ecosystems of India.
- 9. Detailed description of the event:** A national webinar on Floristic Diversity and Ethnobotany of Himalayas and Western Ghats was jointly organized by the Department of Botany, SNM College, Maliankara and Nethaji Nagar Day College, Kolkata on 16/10/2020. The webinar had two technical sessions and was organized through the Google Meet Platform.

Registration for the session started at 9.30 am. The webinar was started by invoking the almighty's blessing through silent prayer. After which welcome address was delivered by Dr. Bhumika Pradhan, Assistant Professor of the Department of Botany, Nethaji Nagar Day College, Kolkata. This was followed by the inauguration of the webinar by Dr Abhaya Prasad Das, Adjunct Professor, Department of Botany, Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh. Principal of Nethaji Nagar Day College, Kolkata. Dr. Sonali Banerjee Jash delivered the Principal's message.

The first session was by Dr Abhaya Prasad Das. The topic for the session was "Ethnobotany: The Traditional Knowledge Base of Human Society: Special Reference to the Eastern Ghats". The participants were given a brief introduction about Dr Abhaya Prasad Das by Dr. E. C. Baiju, Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, SNM College. The session was very informative and gave an insight into the importance of traditional knowledge. He shared his experience from his own research endeavors to study ethnobotany. It was a knowledgeable session and the speaker had a great command over the subjects. Sir stressed the need to protect nature and investigate nature for healing ourselves and the importance of holding strong to our roots. The session was concluded with a discussion and feedback

session. A vote of thanks was delivered by Dr Bhumika Pradhan. The first session concluded by noon.

The second session was handled by Dr P. Sujanalpal, Senior Scientist, Kerala Forest Research Institute, Pechi, Kerala. The session was on the topic “Western Ghats: The evergreen world of Flowering Plants”. Dr Sujanalpal was welcomed to the session by Dr.Sayantani Das, Head, Department of Botany, Nethaji Nagar Day College, Kolkata. The session by Dr. Sujanalpal gave an overview on Western Ghats' floristic diversity. Throughout the session, he shared beautiful pictures of the plant diversity of the Western Ghats. The session concluded by 12.50 pm. Vote of thanks was delivered by Dr. M. G. Sanilkumar, HoD, Department of Botany, SNM College. About 90 participants were present throughout the session. In the final session vote of thanks was delivered by Asha A., Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, S N M College.

10. Outcome of the event/Evaluation by Program Coordinator:

The event was well organised and the students were actively engaged in the talk and participated in the session, till the end. This was a great opportunity for two distant colleges to interact and share their views on biodiversity. It began with the session on traditional knowledge and ended with the session on the flora of Western Ghats.

11. Brochure

National Webinar
on
Floristic Diversity and Ethnobotany of Himalayas and Western Ghats

Organized by
SNM College, Maliankara, Kerala
in association with
Netaji Nagar Day College, Kolkata, W. Bengal
on
16.10.2020

Our Resource Persons
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Adjunct Professor, Department of Botany,
Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar,
Arunachal Pradesh
Dr. A. Sujanalpal, PhD
Senior Scientist,
Kerala Forest Research Institute
Pechi, Kerala

Programme Co-ordinators of SNMC & NNDC
Dr. Raju E.C. (Assistant Professor)
Ms. Asha A. (Assistant Professor)
Dr. Sayantani Das (Head of the Department)
Mrs. Sushil Pradhan Pal (State Aided College Teacher)
Dr. Debansu Maj Roy (State Aided College Teacher)
Mrs. Roshanara Khatun (State Aided College Teacher)

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Programme Schedule
9:30 am :Registration
9:55 am :Prayer
10:00 am :Inaugural Session
Welcome address : Dr. Bhumika Pradhan (Assistant Professor, NNDC)
Inauguration : **Prof. Abhay Prasad Das**
(Adjunct Professor, Rajiv Gandhi University
Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh)
Principals' Message : Dr. Sonali Banerjee Jash (NNDC)
: Dr. M.G. Bhuvaneshwary (SNMC)

Technical Session I - Ethnobotany: The Traditional Knowledge Base of Human Society: Special reference to Eastern Himalaya
10:15 to 11:40 am
Resource Person: Prof. Abhaya Prasad Das

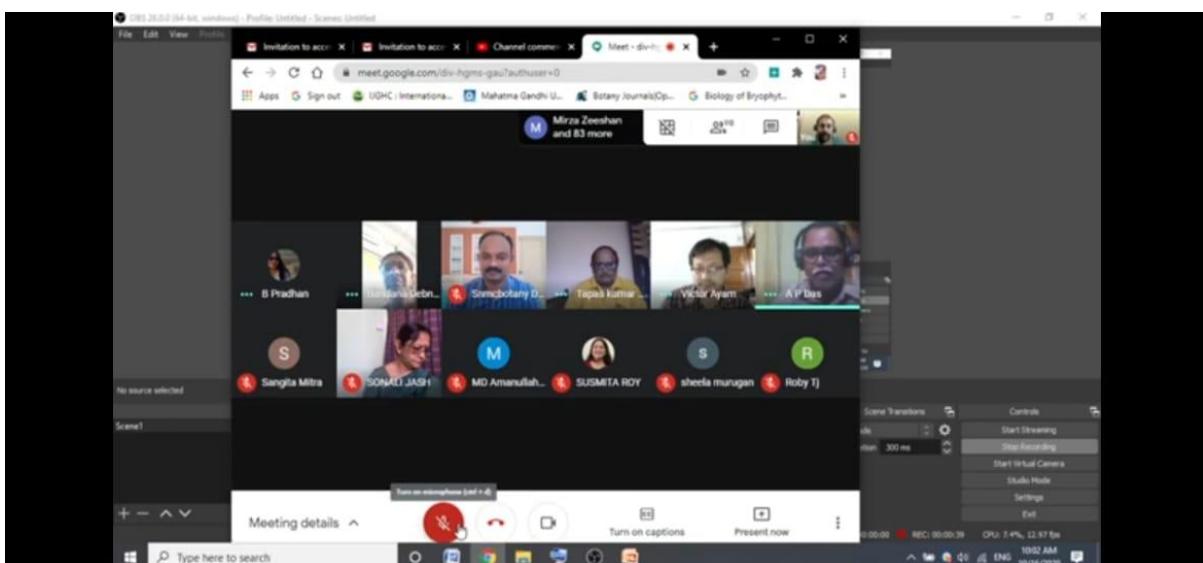
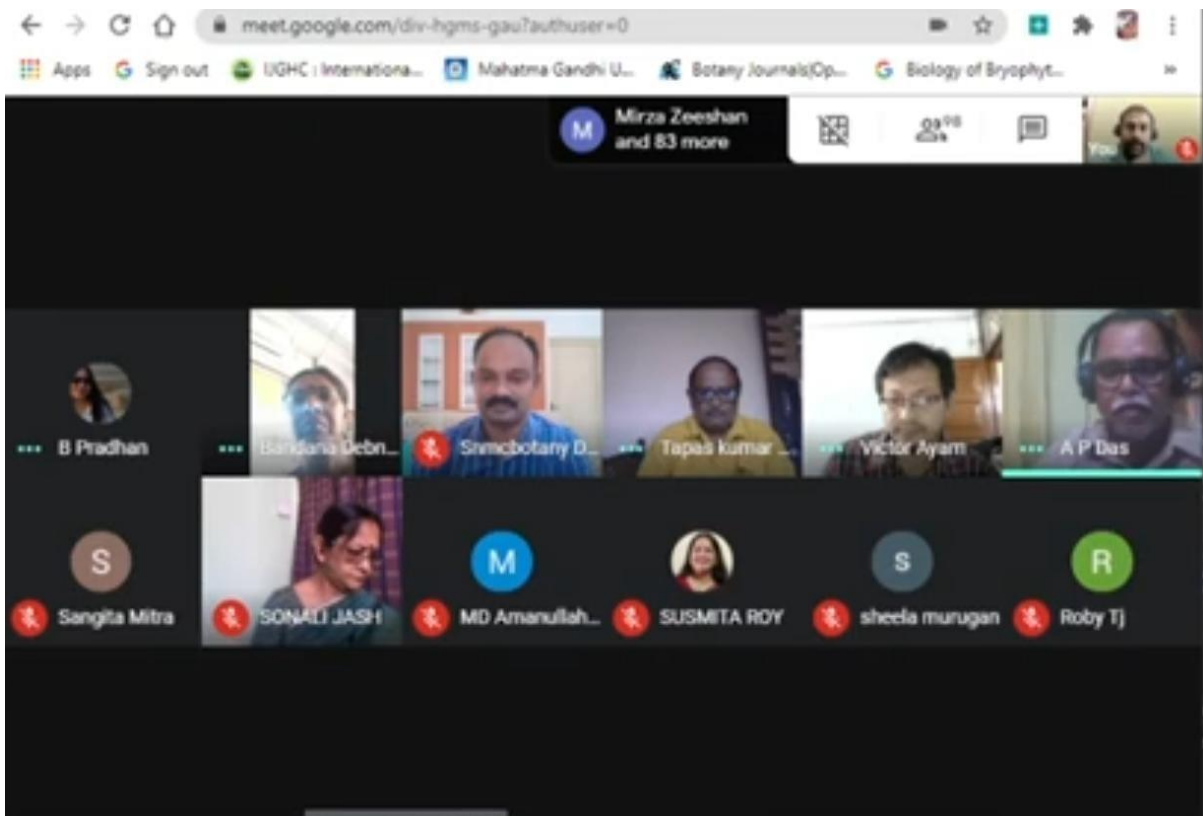
Technical Session II - Western Ghats: The Evergreen World of Flowering Plants
11:50 am to 1:00 pm
Resource Person: Dr. A. Sujanalpal

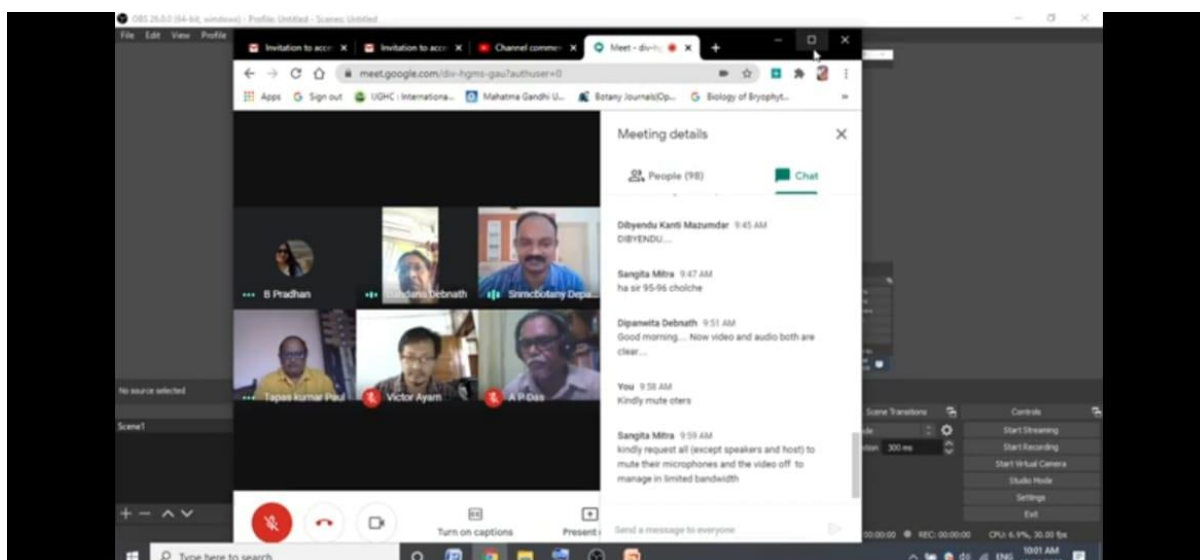
Vote of Thanks : Ms. Asha, A. (Assistant Professor, SNMC)

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Mr. Bipulkumar T.S. President HMDF Sakka
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Patrons of NND College, Kolkata
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Dr. Sonali Banerjee Jash President
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12. List of participants

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10	Aiswarya M. J	Female	II B. Sc Botany	Online
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13	Anjana K.S	Female	II B. Sc Botany	Online
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19	Athira Wilson	Female	II B. SC Botany	Online
20	Hareeshma Jayan	Female	II B. SC Botany	Online
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30	Sangeetha O.S	Female	II B. SC Botany	Online
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83	Dr.Basanda Dutt	Female	Teacher	Online

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