

10th Professor H.K. Baruah Memorial Lecture and Visit to the Botanical Garden, Gauhati University on 08/11/2023

The Department of Botany organized a **Student Outreach Programme** to Gauhati University, where students attended the 10th Professor H.K. Baruah Memorial Lecture and visited the university's Botanical Garden.

The memorial lecture, delivered by Dr. R.R. Rao, focused on “Biological Diversity and Bio-Prospersion for Human Welfare - Concerns, Strategies and Challenges for 21st Century”, providing students with valuable insights into advancements in botany and biodiversity. The lecture was both enlightening and inspiring, encouraging students to delve deeper into their academic pursuits.

Following the lecture, the students explored the Botanical Garden at Gauhati University. They observed a wide variety of plant species, including rare and medicinal plants, and learned about their ecological and scientific significance. The outreach programme was a rewarding experience, combining academic enrichment with practical exposure. It motivated students to engage actively in learning and appreciate the intricate connections between research, education, and environmental conservation.



