



Distinctiveness of Pub Kamrup College in one area, Academic session-2018-19

Pub Kamrup College envisions to be one of the pioneer higher educational institutions of the State. Imparting quality education to the students from all sections of the society and preparing them for the challenges of time are its basic objectives. The college envisages erecting a proper platform for both the teachers and the taught to mold them intellectually and morally combined with social commitment for building social order and discipline amidst the plurality and diversity of region and culture of the nation. The mission of the college is to provide quality education to the young generation for preparing them as responsible citizen of the nation and to face the challenges of time. To face the challenges of time Pub Kamrup College has adopted various policies and given pedagogic thrust to a multitude of areas. One such area is creating a culture of research among the teachers as well as the taught. The materialization of Feeder Village Research Centre in the academic year 2018-19 is a part of such effort. The institution can boast of having Advance level Institutional Biotech Hub which not only has helped the in-campus students, but also many scholars from nearby institutes. During this session altogether 14 researchers from Gauhati University, Srimanta Sankardeva University of Health Sciences, Assam University and Tezpur University took advantages of this laboratory. The college is a part of two ongoing major twinning projects funded by DBT, Govt of India in Collaboration with IITG and Assam University, Diphu campus. Dr P.V.B Reddy, Associate professor, Department of Life Science has transferred project instruments from Assam University, Diphu campus to Pub Kamrup College Biotech Hub for active research. The laboratory of the biotech hub has facilitated completion of many such projects. The opening of PG program in Biophysics has become possible because of the Advance level Institutional Biotech hub. Moreover, the Computer Science Department Laboratory is another laboratory which has recognition as PhD Laboratory by Gauhati University. To enthuse students in research activity, the college organizes summer research program for both UG and PG students. Moreover, there are many outreach programs which are designed to create a scientific bent of mind among school children which can further help them in possessing a mindset for research work. The college can boast of being successful to a great extent as one faculty member from Biophysics, an alumnus of the college, has got employment as Post-doctoral degree in Kumoh National Institute of Technology, South Korea during this session. Moreover, two teachers, Dr Manash Barthakur, Department of Zoology and Dr Anup Kr Nath, Department of Physics, have been awarded INSA summer research fellowship. Such research culture has also helped faculties to pursue PhD programs in various Universities and three of them have been awarded doctoral degree in the academic session 2018-19. Thus, research is an area in which the institution considers itself as having distinctiveness.

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