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From The Principal's Desk

It is with great pleasure that I present *KCIAN-2025*, reflecting the achievements, progress, and aspirations of K. C. Das Commerce College over the past academic year. Our journey continues to be shaped by dedication, resilience, and a shared commitment to excellence.

Inspired by Swami Vivekananda's words, "Education is the manifestation of the perfection already in man," we believe education empowers individuals while contributing to society and national development. As a centre of higher learning, we strive to nurture capable, ethical, and forward-thinking individuals.

Over its 43 years of existence, K. C. Das Commerce College has established a strong reputation for academic excellence. Academic results have been very good over the years. For eg., more than 90% students secured first class in B. Com., B.A. and BBA while 100% secured first class in BCA and B.Sc. in 2025. With a pass percentage of 95, 75% of the appeared students secured first division in Higher Secondary examinations of 2026. 119 students secured Star Marks and distinctions. Beyond academics, our students have also distinguished themselves in national and international co-scholastic events, thereby bringing honour and recognition to the institution.

The Department of Value-Added Education continues to strengthen the learning experience through a range of certificate courses conducted in collaboration with external agencies. These initiatives are designed to broaden students' knowledge base, enhance professional competencies, and prepare them for emerging opportunities.

We continue to place significant emphasis on experiential learning through industrial visits, fieldwork, seminars, workshops, and meaningful interactions with industry professionals. During this academic year, approximately 680 students successfully completed internships in various government offices, business establishments, and organisations across Assam and the wider North-Eastern region of India.

The success of students is greatly influenced by the guidance and inspiration of dedicated mentors. I am pleased to acknowledge that our faculty members, while discharging their teaching and administrative responsibilities with sincerity, have also excelled in the fields of research, literature, and wider social contribution. During the year 2025, they published 31 research papers and ISBN book chapters, reflecting the vibrant academic culture of the College. The year has also been marked by notable individual accomplishments. Sumit Ghosh, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, was awarded the Ph.D. degree by Gauhati University. Debasish Buragohain, Assistant Professor, Department of Assamese, received the 'Young Writers Award', conferred by the Publication Board of Assam at the Assam Book Fair 2025-26. Such achievements are indicative of the healthy intellectual and creative environment that prevails within the College.

I extend my sincere appreciation to all contributors to this edition of *KCIAN-2025* for their dedication and efforts. I also convey my gratitude to the entire College community, students, faculty, staff, alumni, and well-wishers—for their continued support and commitment. May the coming year bring renewed purpose, greater accomplishments, and continued fulfilment to every member of the K. C. Das Commerce College family.

Warm regards,
Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah
Principal

MONTH OF JANUARY

26th January, 2025 : Republic Day Celebration

K. C. Das Commerce College celebrated the 76th Republic Day with great enthusiasm and patriotic spirit. The programme commenced with the unfurling of the National Flag by the Principal, Dr Hrishikesh Baruah, who, in his address, reflected on the making of the Indian Constitution and its significance in a diverse nation like India. The Vice-Principals, Dr Bhababhuti Sarma and Dr Bijoy Kalita, also addressed the gathering, emphasising citizens' commitment to constitutional values and inspiring students to contribute meaningfully to the nation's progress. Students delivered brief speeches, followed by patriotic song and dance competitions, with prizes awarded to the winners.



MONTH OF FEBRUARY

7th-8th February, 2025 : National Seminar on Indian Knowledge Systems



A National-level seminar on “Indian Knowledge Systems: A Multidisciplinary Approach in Higher Education” was organised at K. C. Das Commerce College on 7-8 February 2025, in collaboration with Arya Vidyapeeth College, Sadou Assam Satra Mahasabha, and the Hare Krishna Movement. The seminar brought together 85 presenters from 46 institutions across several Indian states, with 62 papers presented over 7 sessions.

The inaugural session featured a keynote address by Shri Diganta Biswa Sharma, who emphasised the enduring relevance of traditional Indian knowledge systems. The Principal, Dr Hrishikesh Baruah, highlighted the importance of understanding indigenous knowledge in line with the National Education Policy.

The seminar included multiple technical sessions on themes such as education, management, literature, science, culture, and philosophy, chaired by eminent academicians. Parallel sessions on the second day enabled broader participation.

The valedictory session was attended by distinguished scholars, including Ravindra Chandrashri Palliyaguruge and Dr Raktim Patar. The seminar concluded successfully with active participation from faculty members and scholars, fostering meaningful academic dialogue on Indian Knowledge Systems.

MONTH OF FEBRUARY

19th-28th February, 2025 : College Week



K. C. Das Commerce College successfully organised its Annual College Week from 19 to 28 February, featuring a variety of academic, cultural, and sports events. Inter-institutional competitions such as online story writing, Bhupen Hazarika songs, arm wrestling, idea-innovation, and coding saw participation from institutions across Assam and Meghalaya. Sports events were held at Nehru Stadium.

The closing ceremony on 28th February was attended by Bijuli Kalita Medhi as Chief Guest, who praised the institution's achievements and encouraged students to face challenges with courage. The programme was also attended by Prof. Amlandeep Das and presided over by Principal Dr Hrishikesh Baruah.

21st February, 2025 : International Mother Language Day

Under the initiative of the K. C. Das Commerce College Literary Forum, 'International Mother Language Day' was observed on 21 February. On this occasion, an 'extempore speech competition' was organised among the students. A good number of students participated in the competition, in which Shobhna Kabra secured the first position, Vidhi Sharma the second, and Akash Ray the third. Prizes were awarded to the winners at the end of the programme. The competition was judged by Dr Upasana Chakravarty, Head of the Department of Economics, and Hira Jyoti Sharma, Assistant Professor in the Department of Information Technology.

24th February, 2025 : 4th Ramesh Chandra Chaudhury Memorial NE Regional Level Inter-Institutional Debate Competition

K. C. Das Commerce College organised the 4th Ramesh Chandra Chaudhury Memorial North East Regional Inter-Institutional Debate on 24 February 2025 on the topic "Social media is the prime cause behind the declining mindset of the present generation." A total of 42 participants from institutions across Assam and Meghalaya took part.

The session was chaired by Smti Aparna Devi and judged by Mr Pranjit Das, Mrs Umi Deka Baruah, and Mr Moon Talukdar. The Best Team award went to Dhiman Chakraborty and Mujahidul Islam of Royal Global University. Jeet Pathak of Cotton University was adjudged Best Debator. The second best debator award was jointly received by Anuprerona Mahanta of Darrang College and Agustya Kashyap of J.B. Law College, while the third prize went to Tina Dutta of PCPS Girls' Polytechnic and Gaurav Kashyap of J.B. Law College. Judges' special awards were presented to Darshana Patowary, Sudipta Saikia, and Jahanjoy Deb.



MONTH OF MARCH

3rd March 2025 : World Wildlife Day

K. C. Das Commerce College observed World Wildlife Day on 3 March 2025 with an extempore speech and poster-making competition organised by the Eco-Club in collaboration with the Department of Economics. Dr Upasana Chakrabarty highlighted the significance of wildlife, while Principal Dr Hrishikesh Baruah encouraged environmental responsibility. Around 70 students participated, and certificates and prizes were awarded to the top three in each competition.

8th March 2025 : International Women's Day's Outreach Programme

On the occasion of International Women's Day, the Women's Cell of K. C. Das Commerce College visited Bapuji Prathamik Vidyalaya, donating books and distributing stationery to 120 students. Thirteen faculty members and five students participated. Later, a screening of the documentary "He Named Me Malala" was held, attended by 36 faculty members and 90 students. The day proved both meaningful and successful.



20th March 2025 : Entrepreneurship Development Programme

The Department of Management, K. C. Das Commerce College, in collaboration with the IQAC Cell, organised an Entrepreneurship Development Programme on 20 March 2025, conducted by the Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship and sponsored by the Ministry of MSME. Resource persons Mr Simanta Goswami and Mr Siddhartha Dutta shared practical insights on entrepreneurship, technology, and funding opportunities. The session was attended by departmental faculty members and around 80 students.

MONTH OF APRIL

8th April 2025 : Voluntary Blood Donation Camp



On 8 April 2025, the Red Ribbon Club of K. C. Das Commerce College organised a Voluntary Blood Donation Camp in association with JCI Guwahati IGNITE and JCI Guwahati Princess. The programme was inaugurated by Dr Bhababhuti Sarma, Vice-Principal. Health check-up facilities were also provided. The camp witnessed enthusiastic participation, reflecting strong social commitment, and collected 25 units of blood. Certificates were awarded to all donors. The organisers expressed sincere gratitude to donors, staff, and student volunteers for their valuable contribution.

MONTH OF APRIL

12th April 2025: Campus Bazaar – Exhibition of Student Innovations

The Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) and the Career Guidance and Placement Cell of K.C. Das Commerce College organised Campus Bazaar on 12 April 2025 in the college premises to showcase the entrepreneurial talents of students. The exhibition provided a platform for young innovators to present their business ventures, with 43 stalls displaying creative ideas across diverse fields. The event was inaugurated by Dhruva J. Kalita and Suraj Pathak, digital creators, in the



presence of Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal of the college. The guests visited each stall and mentored participants on their business concepts. In the food category, Suhashi Ghosh of Cake My Day and Tanisha Debnath of Nishu Cake Shop were recognised, while Khushi Narzary and Priya Swargiary received honours for their crochet products.

30th April 2025: National Students' Conference on Entrepreneurship & Innovation



A National Students' Conference on Entrepreneurship and Innovation was organised at K.C. Das Commerce College on 30 April 2025 by the Departments of M.Com and BBA in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell. The conference offered a platform for students and researchers in Commerce and Management to present innovative ideas, with 27 research papers from institutions across India. The inaugural session began with a welcome address by Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal, followed by the key-

note address of Prof. Mukulesh Barua, Member Secretary, SLET Commission, Assam, who spoke on entrepreneurial qualities, challenges and overcoming fear of failure. Three technical sessions were chaired by Prof. Prashanta Sharma, Head, Dept. of Commerce, Gauhati University; Prof. Shrivardhan Pathak, Head & Dean, Faculty of Commerce, DDU Gorakhpur University; Dr. Pranami Sharma, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Commerce, Christ University, Bangalore; and Prof. Ayekpam Ibemcha Chanu, Professor of Commerce, Bodoland University. Papers covered social entrepreneurship, e-commerce, women empowerment, digital business models, artificial intelligence and start-up innovation. The conference concluded with a valedictory session, participant feedback and a vote of thanks, with both online and offline presentations ensuring wider participation.

MONTH OF MAY

5th May 2025: Workshop on Revised FYUGP Syllabus and Internship Orientation



The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of K.C. Das Commerce College organised a one-day workshop on the Revised FYUGP Syllabus of Gauhati University and Internship Orientation on 5 May 2025. Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal, delivered the welcome address. Resource persons included Prof. Ratul Mahanta, Dean, Faculty of Arts, Gauhati University, and Dr. Tilak Ch. Das, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, Gauhati University, who discussed the revised curriculum structure and internship

guidelines. Dr. Kukil Borah, Coordinator, R&D Cell, also addressed internship procedures. The session was conducted by Dr. Upasana Chakravarty, Coordinator, IQAC, and concluded with a vote of thanks by Jayashree Pathak, Head, Department of Mathematics and Statistics

9th-10th May 2025: Two-Day Administrative Training Workshop on e-Governance

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of K.C. Das Commerce College organised a two-day Administrative Hands-on Training Workshop on e-Governance on 9 and 10 May 2025 at the E-Resource Centre of the college library. The programme aimed to provide practical training on the Samarth Portal and institutional ERP system for improved administrative efficiency. Resource persons were Dr. Sanjay Kr. Dutta, OSD to the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Gauhati University; Dr. Pranjal Pratim Baruah, Department of English, Gauhati University; Mr. Amitava Dey, Scientific Officer, Gauhati University; and Mr. Tony Bayan, Assistant Professor and System Analyst, K.C. Das Commerce College.



12th May 2025: Civil Defence Mock Drills Conducted



Civil Defence mock drills were conducted on 12 May 2025 at Rehbari Arya Patshala, Chatribari Buniyadi School and Tokobari Durga Puja Field in coordination with the NSS and NCC units of K.C. Das Commerce College and the Guwahati Municipal Corporation. Sri Sankar Chakraborty, GMC Councillor, Ward No. 18, facilitated the programme. Training was conducted by Ms. Noorjahan Begum, Assistant Deputy Controller of Civil Defence, highlighting disaster preparedness in densely populated areas.



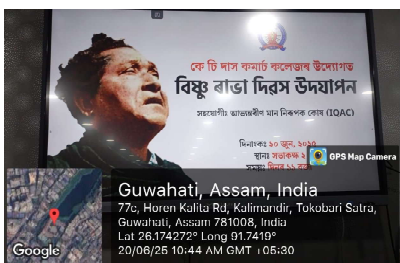
MONTH OF JUNE

5th June 2025: World Environment Day Celebration

World Environment Day was observed on 5 June 2025 at K.C. Das Commerce College through a series of programmes organised jointly by the Department of Economics and the Eco-Club. Dr. Upasana Chakravarty, Head, Department of Economics and Coordinator, Eco-Club, spoke on emerging environmental concerns, while Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal, welcomed the gathering and highlighted the harmful effects of plastic in line with the theme Beat Plastic. Activities included a cleanliness drive in the college campus and a plantation drive at Sarkari Urban Ucha Buniyadi Vidyalaya. An online essay competition and a quiz competition were also organised for students. Certificates and prize money were awarded to winners. The enthusiastic participation of students and faculty members ensured the success of the celebration.



20th June 2025: Bishnu Rabha Divas Observed



Bishnu Rabha Divas was observed on 20 June 2025 at K.C. Das Commerce College with a discussion programme and a Bishnu Rabha Song Competition. The event began with floral tribute and ceremonial lighting of the lamp. Dr. Swapna Smriti Mahanta, Faculty In-Charge of the Students' Union, spoke on the significance of Bishnu Rabha's songs. Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal, and Dr. Bhababhuti Sharma, Vice-Principal, highlighted his life, works and contributions to Assamese culture. Winners of the competition were Jayashree Das, Dikshita Das and Bishnu Nath. The programme concluded with a group song by faculty members.

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21st June 2025: International Yoga Day Observed at KCDCC

The IKS Cell of K.C. Das Commerce College, in collaboration with IQAC, observed the 11th International Yoga Day on 21 June 2025 in the college premises on the theme One Earth, One Health. Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal, delivered the welcome address and spoke on the benefits of yoga. BK Reena Kumari and BK Roshni Kumari, Meditation and Yoga Instructors, conducted the session. The programme concluded with a vote of thanks by Kalpana Dutta Dhar, Assistant Professor, Department of Bengali.

26th June 2025: Students Take Anti-Drug Pledge

On 26 June 2025, K.C. Das Commerce College observed the International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking with an anti-drug pledge under the Nasha Mukta Bharat Abhiyan. The programme was organised by the Red Ribbon Club and conducted by Ms. Jayashree Pathak, Programme Officer, RRC. The initiative aimed to create awareness on the harmful health, social and legal consequences of drug abuse. A total of 53 students and 5 teachers participated.



MONTH OF AUGUST

9th August 2025: World Sanskrit Diwas Celebration

World Sanskrit Day was observed on 9 August 2025 at K.C. Das Commerce College in collaboration with IQAC and Sanskrit Bharati. Ms. Chinmayi Das, Assistant Professor, Department of Hindi, welcomed the gathering. Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal, delivered the welcome address and encouraged students to learn Sanskrit. A Shloka Recitation Competition was organised, judged by Dr. Uditā Bhattacharyya, Assistant Professor, Gauhati University, and Mr. Dharmendra Upadhyay. Chief guest Bhaben Saikia highlighted the importance of Sanskrit.

15th August 2025: Independence Day Celebration

K.C. Das Commerce College observed the 79th Independence Day with patriotic fervour through a series of solemn events. The National Flag was ceremonially hoisted by Dr. Bhababhuti Sharma, Vice-Principal and seniormost faculty member, followed by the National Anthem. Addresses were delivered by Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal, Dr. Bhababhuti Sharma, Vice-Principal, and Ms. Archana Bora, Assistant Professor, highlighting the significance of the day. A speech competition on the importance of Independence Day was organised jointly by the IIC, NCC and NSS.

15th August 2025: Condolence Meeting Held on the Demise of Minati Choudhury

K.C. Das Commerce College mourned the demise of Minati Choudhury, former President of the Governing Body and former Principal, on 15 August 2025. She served as Principal from 1990 to 1992 and as President of the Governing Body from 2009 to 2020. Her mortal remains were brought to the college at 12:30 p.m. for homage. Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal, faculty members, students, former Principals and retired teachers paid tributes and offered prayers for her soul.

18th August 2025: Freshers' Welcome Programme Held at KCDCC

KCDCC organised its Freshers' Welcome Programme on 18 August 2025. The day began with the Best Fresher and Best Freshers' competitions, followed by the main session presided over by Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal. Dr. Konkana Goswami Bhardwaj, Assistant Professor, National Law University and Judicial Academy, Assam, attended as chief guest, while Mr. Amlandeep Das, President of the Governing Body, was the guest of honour. The programme included welcome addresses and an inspiring speech, followed by a cultural programme presented by students.

21st August 2025: World Entrepreneurs' Day Observed

The Institution's Innovation Council of K.C. Das Commerce College observed World Entrepreneurs' Day on 21 August 2025 at the college's Digital Conference Hall. Shri Swapnil Barua, IAS (Retd.), former Commissioner of Industries and Commerce, Government of Assam, spoke on the significance of entrepreneurship with special reference to cultural entrepreneurship. An IIC session on Geographical Indication was also held, where Dr. Gour Gopal Banik, Professor and Dean, Girijananda Chowdhury University, delivered an address.

30th August 2025: Sanskrit Language Orientation

A Sanskrit Language Orientation Programme was organised on 30 August 2025 at K.C. Das Commerce College by Sanskrit Bharati and the IKS Cell. Shri Shirish Dev Pujari attended as distinguished guest. Scholars discussed the importance of Sanskrit in understanding India's ancient knowledge traditions.

MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

8th September 2025: Birth Centenary of Bhupen Hazarika Observed

K.C. Das Commerce College observed the birth centenary of Bharat Ratna Dr. Bhupen Hazarika on 8 September 2025 through a cultural programme titled Mayurpankhi Rahanbor, organised by the Literary Forum in collaboration with IQAC. The programme began with ceremonial lighting of the lamp. Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal, spoke on the legendary artist's enduring contributions to music, culture and society. Dr. Bhababhuti Sharma, Vice-Principal, along with faculty members, presented songs and recitations in tribute. A Bhupen Hazarika Songs Competition was also organised for students, where Neha Boro, Tisha Das and Dikshita Das secured first, second and third positions respectively. The programme was conducted by Dr. Swapna Smriti Mahanta, Head, Dept. of Assamese.



15th September 2025: Soft Skills and Personality Development Programme

The Career Guidance and Placement Cell of K.C. Das Commerce College, in collaboration with Assam Down Town University, organised a Soft Skills Training and Personality Development Programme on 15 September 2025. Resource persons Mr. Bhaskar Jyoti Thakuria and Mrs. Mahhamuda Begum spoke on communication, interpersonal skills, confidence building and professional growth. An interactive session followed with active participation from students, faculty and staff. The programme concluded successfully with 95 participants.

19th September 2025: Seedling Plantation Drive Organised

As part of Seva Saptah initiated by the Government of Assam, the Eco-Club, NSS and NCC units of K.C. Das Commerce College organised a Seedling Plantation Drive on 19 September 2025 at Gandhi Mandap Road, Sarania Hills, Guwahati. Students and faculty members participated actively in the programme. Seedlings were also distributed among students to encourage environmental protection and responsible nurturing of plants.

20th September 2025: K.C. Das Commerce College Pays Tribute to Zubeen Garg



K.C. Das Commerce College paid heartfelt tribute to nationally acclaimed music artist Zubeen Garg on 20 September 2025 following his untimely demise. His passing has deeply saddened the people of Assam and the college community. Remembered as a transformative figure in Assamese music, he inspired a new generation and revived youth interest in the language's musical heritage. Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal, spoke on his immense contributions to music and society. Faculty members and stu-

dents also offered tributes through speeches and musical renditions in honour of the beloved artist.

MONTH OF OCTOBER

30th October 2025: MoU Exchanged Between NSIC and KCDCC

An MoU was exchanged between the National Small Industries Corporation (NSIC), Government of India, and K.C. Das Commerce College during the MSME Marketing Conclave in the presence of Sushri Shobha Karandlaje, Hon'ble Minister of State, Ministry of MSME. The collaboration aims to promote innovation, skill development and employability, creating valuable opportunities for students.

MONTH OF NOVEMBER

3rd November 2025: French Ambassador Visits the College

Dr. Thierry Mathou, Ambassador of France to India, visited K.C. Das Commerce College on 3 November 2025 with Mr. Thierry Morel, Consul General of France in Kolkata, and Mr. Samuel Bouchard, Cooperation Officer. They were welcomed by Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal, Prof. Amlandeep Das, President of the Governing Body, faculty members and students. A Climate Fresk workshop was organised for 48 students on climate change awareness. Dr. Mathou highlighted Indo-French cooperation in sustainable development, education and investment in Assam and the Northeast. The session was conducted by Dr. Upasana Chakravarty.



7th November 2025: 42nd Foundation Day Celebrated at KCDCC

K.C. Das Commerce College celebrated its 42nd Foundation Day on 7 November 2025 with enthusiasm and reverence through a series of academic and cultural programmes. The day commenced with hoisting of the institutional flag by Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal, followed by a Shradhanjali ceremony and floral tributes to late Keshab Chandra Das, late Ramesh Chandra Chaudhury and late Zubeen Garg. Dr. Baruah delivered the welcome address and highlighted the institution's progress and commitment to academic excellence. Meritorious students were honoured with academic awards. Prof. Amlandeep Das, President of the Governing Body, and Shri Ruben Ramesh Chaudhury also addressed the gathering. The Foundation Day Lecture on Hints to Navigate the Road Ahead was delivered by Shri Bhaskar Phukan, retired IAS officer. Several college and faculty publications were inaugurated. The celebration concluded with patriotic songs, cultural performances by students and illumination of the college campus.

18th November 2025: Plantation and Cleanliness Drive Organised

On 18 November 2025, the NSS Unit and Students' Union of K.C. Das Commerce College organised a plantation drive of Nahar saplings in the college premises on the occasion of the 53rd birth anniversary of renowned musician Zubeen Garg. A cleanliness drive was also conducted at Brahmaputra River Bank Park, Uzan Bazar.



MONTH OF NOVEMBER

26th November 2025: Intra-College Speech Competition Organised

The Central Library of K.C. Das Commerce College organised an Intra-College Speech Competition on 26 November 2025 at Conference Hall-I under the Government of Assam's Year of Books 2025 initiative. The topic was "A Book I Can Read Again and Again". Dr. Shrabani Bhadra, Librarian In-charge, delivered the inaugural address. Winners were Rajashree Saha, Jinat Khatun and Vidhi Sharma. The competition was judged by Ms. Purnima Singh and Ms. Archana Bora.

MONTH OF DECEMBER

4th December 2025: Apprenticeship cum Job Fair

An Apprenticeship cum Job Fair organised by the Board of Practical Training (Eastern Region), Ministry of Education, Government of India, in association with K.C. Das Commerce College, was held on 4 December 2025 in the college premises. The fair was inaugurated by Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal, and Smti. Sushmita Ghosh, Assistant Director, Board of Practical Training (Eastern Region). A total of 667 candidates from different disciplines participated in the programme. Thirty-five PSUs and corporate organisations, including



OIL, BSNL, Topcem, Marico Ltd. and Pantaloons, took part in the recruitment drive to fill 3,429 vacancies. The event provided a valuable platform for technical and non-technical employment opportunities, significantly enhancing the employability prospects of aspiring candidates.

20th December 2025: Guest Lecture on Mental Health

The Awareness Cell of Health and Hygiene, in collaboration with IQAC, organised a guest lecture and counselling session on 20 December 2025 on Depression and Self-Harm Behaviour among College Students. Dr. Deepanjali Medhi, Professor, Gauhati Medical College and Hospital, addressed 60 participants.

26th December 2025: Orientation Programme on UNESCO Activities

The IQAC of K.C. Das Commerce College, in collaboration with UNESCO Association, Guwahati, organised an Orientation Programme on UNESCO Activities on 26 December 2025. Resource persons Dr. Aswini Kumar Sarma, Dr. Nitul Gogoi, IPS, and Dr. Ashok Kumar Laskar highlighted UNESCO's objectives and activities, emphasising opportunities for institutional quality enhancement, capacity building, and individual development for students and faculty members.

DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES

DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTANCY

An Industrial Visit was organised by the Accountancy Department of K.C. Das Commerce College on 12 February 2025 at SRD Group of Industries, Mangaldoi, as part of the partial fulfilment of the B.Com 6th Semester CBCS curriculum of Gauhati University. The visit aimed to provide students with practical exposure to real-world industrial operations. A total of 90 students and 7

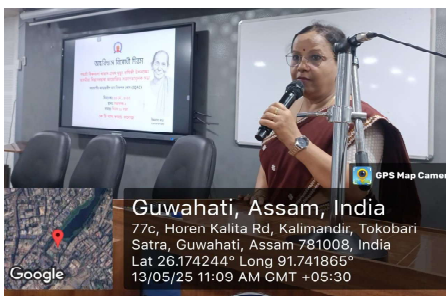


teachers participated. Students were divided into groups to visit Trinity Fructa Pvt. Ltd., Repose Biotech Pvt. Ltd., and SRD Nutrients Pvt. Ltd., where they observed production processes and gained insights into cost accounting, inventory management, and labour control systems.

A Workshop on “Wealth Creation Philosophy” was organised by the Accountancy Department on 29 April 2025 for B.Com 6th Semester students. Conducted offline from 11 a.m. onwards, the session was delivered by CA Deepjyoti Singha Roy. It focused on security markets, investment planning, and financial decision-making, benefiting 40 students and 7 teachers.

An Interactive Discussion with CA firms was organised by the Department of Accountancy, K.C. Das Commerce College, on 21 November 2025. The session, attended by representatives of 12 CA firms and 28 faculty members, focused on internship preparedness, emphasising basic accounting knowledge, data entry skills, and future academic collaboration.

DEPARTMENT OF ASSAMESE



‘Anti-Superstition Day’ was observed on 13 May, 2025 at K.C. Das Commerce College on the occasion of the first death anniversary of Padmashri Birubala Rabha. The programme was organised by the Department of Assamese in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of the college. On this occasion, an awareness meeting was held. Delivering the welcome address, the Principal of the college, Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, elaborated on how Birubala Rabha, who had grown up in a simple rural society, fought steadfastly against superstition. Dr. Swapna Smriti Mahanta,

Head of the Department of Assamese, conducted the programme and briefly discussed the superstitions and social evils associated with women’s lives.



DEPARTMENT OF BBA

An Industry Academia Meet on the theme “SDG Integration: Preparing Young Managers for a Sustainable Future” was organised by the Dept. of BBA on 26 November, 2025. The session was conducted by Sukriti Das of the State Institute of Panchayat and Rural Development. It aimed to bridge the gap between academic learning and industry expectations while emphasising sustainability in management. The resource person highlighted the importance of integrating Sustainable Development Goals into business strategies, ethical financial management, and responsible leadership. Through interactive discussions and real-world examples, students gained practical insights into sustainable practices, preparing them to become responsible managers.



DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS



On the occasion of World Wildlife Day, observed on 3 March 2025, the Eco-Club in collaboration with the Department of Economics organised an Extempore Speech and Poster-Making Competition at K.C. Das Commerce College to raise awareness about wildlife conservation. Upasana Chakravarty highlighted the significance of the day, while Principal Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, emphasised environmental responsibility. Around 80 students participated, and

prizes were awarded to the best performers.

A Discussion on the Assam Budget 2025–26 was organised on 12 March 2025 by the Department of Economics in collaboration with the Departments of Accountancy and Finance. Upasana Chakravarty outlined key budget provisions, while Sucharita Barua and Nilakshi Kalita presented sectoral allocations and schemes. Sumit Ghosh analysed policy implications, highlighting its focus on boosting consumption and supporting marginalised sections. Principal Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah stressed the importance of such academic discussions, enabling students to develop a deeper understanding of fiscal policy and governance.

The Department of Economics released a new edition of its wall magazine, ‘Arthosphere: The World of Economics,’ on 23 April 2025 at K.C. Das Commerce College. Prepared by students, the magazine showcased articles on global economic issues, reflecting creativity and collaborative learning.

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

A Guest Lecture on ‘Reading Essays: Funny or Fuzzy’ was organised on 3 May 2025 at K.C. Das Commerce College by the Department of English in collaboration with IQAC. The session was delivered by Nipon Nath, Asst. Professor, Department of English, Gauhati Commerce College. who discussed key aspects of reading essays and shared practical techniques for effective writing. The programme began with a welcome address by the Head of the Department Dr. Prarthana Barua, followed by felicitation of the resource person. The lecture concluded with a vote of thanks by Archana Bora, Asst. Prof., Dept. of English.



DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE



The Department of Finance, in association with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of K. C. Das Commerce College, organised a one-day workshop on “Intellectual Property Rights and Its Practical Aspects” on 3 May 2025. The workshop featured two distinguished resource persons from the National Law University and Judicial Academy Assam, Sharmistha Baruah and Dolly Kumar; who delivered insightful sessions on various dimensions of intellectual property rights (IPR), with particular emphasis on its practical relevance in the contemporary academic and business environment.

DEPARTMENT OF HINDI

A Guest Lecture was organised by the Department of Hindi in collaboration with IQAC on 29 April 2025 at K.C. Das Commerce College. The session was delivered by Pramod Kumar Sharma on “Bharatiya Gyan Parampara mein Bhakti Kaavya ka Yogdan”. The lecture enriched students’ understanding of Bhakti poetry, its socio-cultural relevance, and encouraged appreciation of India’s literary and spiritual heritage.



A Speech Competition was organised by the Department of Hindi in collaboration with IQAC on 16 September 2025 at K.C. Das Commerce College on the occasion of Hindi Diwas. The event aimed to promote awareness of the Hindi language, its role in Sustainable Development Goals, and to enhance students’ communication skills. The programme encouraged thoughtful discussions, strengthened public speaking abilities, and highlighted Hindi’s significance in fostering inclusive growth and national unity.

DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

A Guest Lecture on “E-Commerce and Business Transaction” was organised on 8 May 2025 at K.C. Das Commerce College by the Department of Information Technology in collaboration with IQAC. The session was delivered by Dr. Kuldeep Baishya, Asstt. Professor, Department of Management, IIT, Guwahati, who highlighted key aspects of e-commerce and online transactions. The programme began with a welcome address by Asst. Prof. Pratiksha Goswami, followed by felicitation by the HoD Jitumoni Borah. The lecture concluded with a vote of thanks by Asst. Prof. Hirajyoti Sarma.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT

An Industrial visit to India Carbon Ltd. was organised by the Department of Management on 15 February 2025 at its Noonmati premises, Guwahati. The visit aimed to familiarise students with industrial operations, production processes, human resource functions, and industrial relations.

A Seminar on “Impact of Development in Human Resource Management and Industrial Relations” was organised by the Department of Management on 9 April 2025 at Digital Conference Hall-1. The session was delivered by Mithu Roy on the role of artificial intelligence in HRM. Attended by 50 participants, including 41 students, the seminar enabled students to present find-



ings from their industrial visit and gain insights into recent developments in HRM and industrial relations.

An awareness programme on World Diabetes Day was organised on 14 November 2025 by the Department of Management in collaboration with IQAC and the Department of Endocrinology, GMCH. Resource persons Uma Kaimal Saikia, Ashok Krishna Bhuyan, and Abhamoni Baro highlighted diabetes awareness, prevention, and healthy lifestyle practices. The programme encouraged health consciousness and active engagement among students and faculty.

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS & STATISTICS

On 9th April 2025 a One-Day Workshop on “Research Methodology and Statistical Tests” was organized by the Department of Mathematics and Statistics in collaboration with IQAC, K.C.Das Commerce College. The resource person was Dr. Anjana Begum, Head of the Department of Statistics, Nowgong College.

On 30th June 2025, Department of Mathematics and Statistics organized an online essay writing competition for students on “Importance of Statistics in Artificial Intelligence” on the occasion of National Statistics Day.

On 15th November 2025, Department of Mathematics and Statistics organized a guest lecture on “Testing of Hypothesis”. The Resource Person was Dr. Runjun Phookun, Retired Vice-Principal and former head, Department of Mathematics and Statistics, KCDCC.

DEPARTMENT OF M.COM.

The Department of M.Com, K. C. Das Commerce College organised a One-Day Workshop on “Systematic Literature Review and Statistical Analysis for Social Science Research” on 11th September 2025 in Digital Conference Hall-II. The session was conducted by Dr. Jewel Mayur Phukon, Assistant Professor (Sr.), Assam Don Bosco University. Attended by 55 students and faculty members, the workshop included sessions on statistical techniques and a hands-on training in SPSS for research applications.





SCHOLARLY PROGRESS OF OUR FACULTY

SPECIAL ACHIVEMENTS:

1. Sumit Ghosh, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, was awarded the Ph.D. degree by the Gauhati University in 2025 for his research titled "Penetration and Impact of Crop Insurance in Agriculture of Assam", completed under the supervision of Prof. M. P. Bezbaruah.



2. Debasish Buragohain, Assistant Professor, Department of Assamese, received the 'Young Writers Award', conferred by the Publication Board of Assam at the Assam Book Fair 2025-26.



1. Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal

- i. Published a Paper: Implications of Paleoweathering And Sediment Maturity in Geochemical Characterisation of Kalijhora Sandstones Exposed in The Extra-Peninsular Gondwana Basin, Darjeeling District, West Bengal, India; 2025, International Journal of Environmental Sciences, (Scopus: Elsevier) ISSN: 2229-7359; vol. 11, No. 23s pp.6957-6969.
- ii. Nominated as Member Textbook Development Team (TDT), NCERT for Grade 9 and 10 (Subject: Science); F. No. 17-04/2024-25/DCS&D, Dated: 28th May, 2025.
- iii. Acted as resource person in a Workshop on Institutional Development Plan (IDP) organised by IQAC, Rangapara College on 8th April 2025.

2. Dr. Bijoy Kalita, Department of Accountancy, published following books:

- i. HS 2nd Year Book— Theory and Practice of Accountancy Part-A, ISBN: 978-81-934524-0-0, Publisher: Gayatri Publications
- ii. HS 2nd Year Book— Theory and Practice of Accountancy Part-B, ISBN: 978-81-934524-1-7 / Publisher: Gayatri Publications

3. Dr. Bipul Ch. Kalita, Department of Accountancy, published following book:

Advanced Corporate Accounting: B.Com. 4th Semester Course of Gauhati University, ISBN No.: 978-93-49424-10-4.

4. Dr. Safiqul Haque, Department of Accountancy

- i. Published the Book— *Advanced Corporate Accounting*: B.Com. 4th Semester Course of Gauhati University, ISBN No.: 978-93-49424-10-4.
- ii. Paper Presented and Published titled 'A Study on the Role of E-Commerce in Strengthening Market Linkages: The Future of Digital Trade in Emerging Markets' at National Seminar on "Viksit Bharat @2047: Transforming Rural India through Sustainable Growth", organised by Dept. of Commerce, Nagaland University, Kohima Campus, ISBN No: 978-93-49566-89-7.



5. Manoj Kr. Kedia, Department of Accountancy

Published the Book—*Advanced Corporate Accounting*: B.Com. 4th Semester Course of Gauhati University, ISBN No.: 978-93-49424-10-4.

6. Mr. Dipjoy Langhasa, Department of Accountancy

Paper Presented-- Viksit Bharat@2047: "Transforming Rural India Through Sustainable Growth" — 2025-03-11, Department of Commerce, Nagaland University, Paper: Awareness and Accessibility of Financial Services among Respondents by Educational Qualifications in Assam Gramin Vikash Bank with special reference to Goalpara District of Assam.

7. Dr. Swapna Smriti Mahanta, Department of Assamese

Paper Presented: "Asamar Byabarik Shikshar Khetrat Satra Naamgharar Bhumika: Ek Bishlesanatmak Adhyayan" — National Seminar on Indian Knowledge Systems: A Multidisciplinary Approach, IKS Cell, KCDCC Assam, on 7-8 February, 2025.

8. Debasish Buragohain, Department of Assamese

i. Participated as a Resource Person: Conference on "Asamiya Kahini Bijukta Gadya: Aoitjya aru Aoisharjya" — Department of Assamese, North Lakhimpur College (Autonomous), 2025-03-21.

ii. Paper Published: "Assamese Novels through the lens of Migration Studies (Syed Abdul Malikar 'Rupabarir Palas' aru Deepak Kumar Barkakatir Upatyakar Para Upatyakaloir Tulanamulak Bishlekhanere)" — *Dwibhashi Rastrasewak* (March 2025), ISSN/Vol/Issue: ISSN: 2321-4945.

iii. Paper Published: Proceeding of International Seminar on Bhakti Literature of Indian Sub-continent, Volume I — Paper: "Digital Mapping of the Approximate Location of the Places covered by Sankardeva and the study of the Impact of Neo-Vaishnavism)", 2025, ISBN: 978-81-962483-5-2 / Publisher: North Lakhimpur College Publication.

iv. Paper Presented: "অসমত ভাওনাৰ বিৱৰ্তন আৰু প্ৰাসংগিকতা : এক সমীক্ষাত্মক অধ্যয়ন) "Asamat Bhaonar Biwartin aru Prasangikata: Ek Samikhyatmak Adhyayan" — National Seminar on Indian Knowledge Systems: A Multidisciplinary Approach, IKS Cell, KCDCC Assam, on 7-8 February, 2025.

9. Ms. Rashmi Tiwari, Department of BBA

Book Published - *Brand Management* (Four year undergraduate programme) Based on NEP 2020 for B.Com 5th Sem (Major-11), ISBN-978-93-49655-19-5, Year-2025

10. Ms. Sudipta Karmakar, Department of BBA

i. Paper Presented: Teacher's Conference on the theme " Empowering Educators" — 2025-09-15, The Institute of Company Secretaries of India.

11. Dr. Shrabani Bhadra, Department of Bengali

i. Paper Presented at National Seminar on Indian Knowledge Systems — 2025-02-07, Indian Knowledge Systems Cell, K.C. Das Commerce College, Paper: Bharatiya Samaj Sabhyatay Prakriti - Paribesh O Rabindranather Briksharopon Utsab

ii. Book Chapter: "Rajnaitik Ganajagaran O Mahasweta Debit 'Aranyer Adhikar' : Bishleshani Pather Alope"---Sahityer Alope Rajnaitik Prekkhapat, (ISBN : 978-81-9838-13-8-5), Bangla Sahitya Bikash O Sanskriti, 2025

12. Ms. Kalpana Dutta Dhar, Department of Bengali

Paper Presented at National Seminar & Paper Presentation- IKS (KCDCC) — 2025-02-07, K C Das Commerce College Paper: Atma Unnatir Path Pradarshak Manab Deha O tar Avyontorin Vikash:Parjyalochana.



13. Dr. Upasana Chakravarty, Department of Economics

Published a Paper: "Indian Knowledge System-A Source of Empowering Indian Modern Education Scenario" Indian Knowledge System-A Timeless Wisdom(ed.), Jan, 2025, ISBN: 978-93-6078-512-3.

14. Dr. Ananta Pegu, Department of Economics

Paper Presented: National Seminar: 2025-02-07, K. C. Das Commerce College, Guwahati, Paper: Accounting and Auditing in Ancient Indian Peninsula.

15. Dr. Sumit Ghosh, Department of Economics

Paper Presented: National Seminar — 2025-02-07, K. C. Das Commerce College, Guwahati, Paper: Accounting and Auditing in Ancient Indian Peninsula.

16. Ms. Sucharita Baruah, Department of Economics

Published a Paper: "Indian Knowledge System-A Source of Empowering Indian Modern Education Scenario" Indian Knowledge System-A Timeless Wisdom(ed.), Jan, 2025, ISBN: 978-93-6078-512-3.

17. Ms. Anjita Bora, Department of English

Paper presented: "Indian Knowledge System: Redefining Education in the Contemporary Context" – National Seminar on Indian Knowledge Systems: A Multidisciplinary Approach, IKS Cell, KCDCC Assam, on 7-8 February, 2025.

18. Mr. Dipankar Hazarika, Department of Finance

Paper presented: "Indian Knowledge System: Redefining Education in the Contemporary Context" – National Seminar on Indian Knowledge Systems: A Multidisciplinary Approach, IKS Cell, KCDCC Assam, on 7-8 February, 2025.

19. Ms. Purnima Singh, Department of Hindi

- i. Paper Presented: "Ved Ek Aadhunik Drishti", – National Seminar on Indian Knowledge Systems: A Multidisciplinary Approach, IKS Cell, KCDCC Assam, on 7-8 February, 2025.
- ii. Book Chapter: "Beghar kahani Sangrah ke Patron ka yatharth" & "Boddha Darshan Aur Gyan Prampra"

20. Ms. Chinmayi Das, Department of Hindi

- i. Presented a seminar paper titled 'Bhaaratiye Gyan Paramara mein Ras aur Uska Svarup' at the National Seminar on Indian Knowledge Systems: A Multidisciplinary Approach in Higher Education, organized by K.C. Das Commerce College on 7th and 8th February 2025.
- ii. Participated in the UGC-sponsored Refresher Course in Hindi Literature and Linguistics, organized by MMTTC, University of Lucknow, from 18 August 2025 to 30 August 2025.

21. Dr. Kukil Borah, Department of Management

- i. Book Published: "Advertisement", Ashok Publication, 2025, ISBN:978-93-6078-013-5, Course: B.Com 3rd Semester FYUGP-GU.
- ii. Paper Published: International Journal Of Advance and Innovative Research –Volume 12 Issue 3 : July –September 2025, Paper- "The Role of NGO Sin Preventing Human Trafficking and Facilitating Rehabilitation : A case study of Eight Brothers Social Welfare Society , Sonitpur", 2394-7780.
- iii. Paper presented: National Seminar on VIKSIT BHARAT @2045:PROGRESS IN MOTION, Paper entitled " A Study on the Role of Government Aid in Fostering Entrepreneurship in MSME in India on 24th and 25th January 2025 organised by Faculty of Commerce S.B.M.S. College , Sualkuchi, 24-25 January, 2025, Faculty of Commerce, S.B.M.S. College , Sualkuchi
- iv. Paper presented, " The Problems and Prospectus of MSME in India with special reference



to Textiles Industries in NER”, 17-18 March, 2025, Department of Economics S.B.M.S. College. Sualkuchi.

22. Dr. Bonosree Bhuyan, Department of Management

- i. Book on ‘Brand Management’ for B.Com 5th Semester Marketing Management. Year of publication: 2025, Publisher: Global Publishing House (India), ISBN: 9789395606899
- ii. “What can a Modern day Manager learn from ancient Indian scriptures?” presented in the National Seminar on Indian Knowledge Systems: A Multidisciplinary Approach in Higher Education, organised by KCDCC on 7th-8th February, 2025.

STUDENTS’ ACHIEVEMENTS

1. **Ms. Pranita Sutradhar**, brought laurels to K.C. Das Commerce College by securing 1st position in the 8th All Assam Karate Do Championship 2025, and 2nd position at the 10th ISKF All India Open Karate Do Championship 2025–26 held in Darjeeling, West Bengal, 3rd position in Kumite (Cadet Female -61 kg) at the 9th UKAA Kamrup Metro District Karate Championships 2025, Gold and Silver medals in the 4th State Jump Rope Championship 2025.

2. **Men’s Football Team of K.C. Das Commerce College** secured the runners-up position in the ‘Guwahati Mahanagar Inter College Lachit Cup Football Tournament 2025’.



3. **Mr. Shah Jalal**, a student of B.Com 5th Semester, and **Ms. Mayuri Baishya**, a student of B.Com 1st Semester, secured the 2nd Winner Team position in the All Assam Inter Institutional Debate Competition organised by the Botanical Society of Assam in association with the Guwahati College Teachers' Unit at Guwahati College in 2025.

PAYING HOMAGE

We remember **Late Minati Choudhury**, former Principal and former President of the Governing Body, who passed away on 15 August 2025.



We remember **Late Pallavi Kakati**, Assistant Professor, Department of Finance, a devoted teacher and cherished member of K.C. Das Commerce College, who passed away on 12 September 2025.



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