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Departmental Annual Report - 3

Departmental Activities: Curriculum and Beyond

Department: Bengali

Year: 2018-19

Department Society and its Office Bearers: Bengali literary and cultural Society, 'AGRANI' organizes various seminars/webinars to extend the learning process beyond classrooms. Activities also include arranging Freshers' Welcome, Farewell party and Student Excursion.

Society President- Sweta Sinha

Vice-President- Payel Mal

Staff Advisors: Dr. Sreemati Chakravarty
Dr. Saswati Ganguli
Dr. Sukanta Ghosh

Part B.1

Seminars/conferences/workshops conducted by the Department



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The Academic year 2018-19 for the Bengali Department of Miranda House started with an extremely informative seminar by Mr. Samriddha Dutta and chaired by Dr. Munshi Md. Yunus on Journalism and Travelogue. The topic was “JOURNALISM TO TRAVELOGUE: A JOURNEY AND CULTURE” on 25th February, 2019. Mr. Dutta is an eminent journalist and author. News bureau chief of Bartaman Newspaper, New Delhi.

The lecture was held with more than 100 participants.

**'AGRANI' THE LITERARY AND CULTURAL SOCIETY
OF
MIRANDA HOUSE, BENGALI DEPARTMENT**

**Organizes Seminar on
Journalism to Travelogue: A Journey
&
Cultural
Fest Utsav 2019**

**25th February, Monday, 2019
Venue: Seminar Hall**

Today's Speaker



Mr. Samriddha Dutta.
Eminent Journalist and Author.
News Bureau Chief of Bartaman
Newspaper, New Delhi. Started his
career as a journalist in Bengal. He
has accompanied the Prime Minister
of India on three visits to Europe and
has travelled widely within the
country in his capacity as a journalist
and writer. His varied literary repertoire includes non-
fiction and poetry. As a poet he has left his footprint in
some of the leading bengali magazines like "Desh". He
has contributed regularly in one of the leading bengali
newspaper, "Bartaman", for over a period of 25 years. A
number of his books have been published by some of the
leading publishing house of our times – they are:

1. Guptachar: Bharat Pakistan
2. Onyo Desh
3. Black Corridor
4. Bangalir Shirdara
5. Road to Rajdhani



Today's Chair Person



Dr. Munshi Md. Yunus
A bengali poet and short story
writer was born in Burdwan,
West Bengal in 1977. He has
completed his higher
education from Jadavpur
University. For the last 15
years he is teaching at Zakir
Husain Delhi College
(Evening), University of Delhi
in the Department of Bengali.



In the field of academics he has delivered lectures in
more than 40 national/international seminars and has
written more than 35 articles in various journals. Till
date he is associated with five literary journals as an
editor. He also taught tourism management for 2 years
to the under graduate students of D.U. Dr. Yunus has
written and edited seven books; amongst his works
"Nakshatra Barta", "New Delhi Junction", "Mohasutra"
have been much appreciated by the readers.



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Part B.3

Any other event organized as part of students' activities (not listed above)

The Department hosted a **Freshers' Party** for the incoming batch of 2018-19 on 23th August, 2018





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The Department hosted a **Teachers's Day** celebration on 5th September, 2018.



The Department has organized an outdoor trip at Delhi Hut to explore the food variety and cultural diversity of our country on 1st February, 2019.





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The Department went to the flower show organized by University of Delhi on 1st March, 2019.



The Department hosted a **Farewell Party** for the outgoing batch of 2018-19 on 16th April, 2019





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The Department has organized an outdoor picnic at Jamali-Kamali, New Delhi on 21th April, 2019

