



PM-USA SPONSORED

ONE-WEEK ONLINE FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

“HOLISTIC EDUCATION FOR HIGHER EDUCATION: THEORY, PURPOSE AND PRACTICE”

Jointly organized by

**The UGC–Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (MMTTC)
Gauhati University, Assam**

and

**Padmanath Gohain Baruah Govt. Model College, Kakopathar
Tinsukia, Assam**

(Dates: 16th March, 2026 – 21st March, 2026)

Programme Schedule

16 March, 2026 (Monday)

Session I (09:30 – 11:00 AM)

Inaugural Session

- **Welcome Address:** Dr. T. R. Majinder, Principal, PNGB Govt. Model College, Kakopathar
- **Programme Objectives:** Dr. Ila Deka, Coordinator, Organizing Committee
- **Inaugural Address:** Prof. Jiten Hazarika, Vice-Chancellor, Dibrugarh University

Session II (11:00 AM – 12:30 PM)

NEP 2020 and Structural Transformation of Higher Education

Speaker: Arinjit Hazarika, Controller of Examinations, Sri Sri Aniruddhadeva Sports University, Dibrugarh

Session III (01:30 – 03:00 PM)

Conceptual Foundations of Holistic Education: Indian and Global Perspectives

Speaker: Dr. Rajinder Singh, Associate Professor, Department of Education, Central University of Himachal Pradesh

Session IV (03:00 – 04:00 PM)

Philosophical Foundations of Indian Knowledge Systems

Speaker: Iqbal Ahmed, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Tezpur University

Moderators: Dr. Anurag Borpatra Gohain, Dr. Puja Dihingia



17 March, 2026 (Tuesday)

Session I (09:30 – 11:00 AM)

Education for Holistic Development

Speaker: Dr. Pranjal Buragohain, Associate Professor, Department of Education, Dibrugarh University

Session II (11:00 AM – 12:30 PM)

Holistic Pedagogical Practices in Higher Education

Speaker: Dr. Amar Upadhyaya, Associate Professor, Department of Education, Dibrugarh University

Session III (01:30 – 03:00 PM)

Holistic Education and Language Skills

Speaker: Prof. Prasenjit Das, Professor, Department of English, Krishna Kanta Handiqui State Open University

Session IV (03:00 – 04:00 PM)

Value Education in Higher Education: Philosophical Foundations and Contemporary Relevance

Speaker: Iqbal Ahmed, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Tezpur University

Moderators: Dr. Ajijur Rahman, Mr. Lakhiprasad Dihingia, Mr. Kaushik Chetia

18 March, 2026 (Wednesday)

Session I (09:30 – 11:00 AM)

Decision-Making Skills for Holistic Education

Speaker: Mohammad Asif, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Tezpur University

Session II (11:00 AM – 12:30 PM)

Higher Education for Holistic Development: Issues and Challenges

Speaker: Dr. Ritimoni Bordoloi, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Krishna Kanta Handiqui State Open University

Session III (01:30 – 03:00 PM)

Communication Skills for Holistic Education

Speaker: Dr. Yeasmin Sultana, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Tezpur University

Session IV (03:00 – 04:00 PM)

ICT Tools and Blended Learning in Higher Education

Speaker: Dr. Smritishikha Choudhury, Assistant Professor, Department of Management, Krishna Kanta Handiqui State Open University

Moderators: Dr. Panchi Pathak, Ms. Jushmi Gogoi, Dr. Dipen Basumatary

19 March, 2026 (Thursday)

Session I (09:30 – 11:00 AM)

Language Policies and Higher Education

Speaker: Dr. Yeasmin Sultana, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Tezpur University

Session II (11:00 AM – 12:30 PM)

Mentoring, Supervision and Academic Advising

Speaker: Dr. Ritimoni Bordoloi, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Krishna Kanta Handiqui State Open University

Session III (01:30 – 03:00 PM)

Digital Education and Generation-Z

Speaker: Mohammad Asif, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Tezpur University

Session IV (03:00 – 04:00 PM)

Role of Higher Education Institutions in Social Transformation

Speaker: Dr. Bikash Deka, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Dibrugarh University

Moderators: Mrs. Aakankhita Sharma, Dr. Chetan Chandra Das, Dr. Monalisha Kachari

20 March, 2026 (Friday)

Session I (09:30 – 11:00 AM)

Transforming Classrooms through Holistic Education: Pedagogical Innovations for the 21st Century

Speaker: Prof. Vimal Kishor, Professor & Head, Department of Education, Central University of Jharkhand

Session II (11:00 AM – 12:30 PM)

Artificial Intelligence in Higher Education: Opportunities and Challenges

Speaker: Dr. Rajinder Singh, Associate Professor, Department of Education, Central University of Himachal Pradesh

Session III (01:30 – 03:00 PM)

Inclusive Education: Gender, Diversity and Equity in Higher Education

Speaker: Dr. Barnali Das, Assistant Professor, UGC Centre for Women's Studies, Dibrugarh University

Session IV (03:00 – 04:00 PM)

From Inclusion to Empowerment: Holistic Education and Disability

Speaker: Dr. Priyanka Sharma, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Dibrugarh University

Moderators: Dr. Sanjeeb Kalita, Dr. Diganta Das, Mrs. Krishna Saikia

21 March, 2026 (Saturday)

Session I (09:30 – 11:00 AM)

Foundation of Holistic Development on the basis of Vedic Education System

Speaker: Dr. Akash Ranjan, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Education, Banaras Hindu University

Session II (11:00 AM – 12:30 PM)

Classroom-Based Action Research for Holistic Learning

Speaker: Dr. Parag Rajkhowa, Associate Professor, Department of Education, Sivasagar University

Session III (01:30 – 03:00 PM)

From Knowledge to Wisdom: Reimagining Higher Education through Holistic Approaches

Speaker: Dr. Munmi Borah, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Dibrugarh University

Session IV (03:00 – 04:00 PM)

Valedictory Session

- **Valedictory Address:** Pankaj Borthakur, Registrar, Sri Sri Aniruddhadeva Sports University, Dibrugarh
- **Vote of Thanks:** Mr. Bituraj Gohain, Coordinator, Organizing Committee
Moderators: Dr. Panchi Pathak, Dr. Rimi Bora, Mr. Gideon L. Faihriem,

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