



**7-Day National Workshop
On
'Vision towards Environmentally Sustainable Future'
And Inauguration of
Green Skill Development Programme (GSDP) Certificate Courses
On
24th July, 2018**

**Organized by
Department of Environmental Science & ENVIS Resource Partner,
University of Kalyani**

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MINUTES OF THE PROGRAMME

Inauguration of ENVIS Resource Partner new building:

At 10.00 AM Dr. Anandi Subramanian, Senior Economic Advisor, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Government of India inaugurated the **ENVIS centre on Environmental Biotechnology**, in Innovative building, University of Kalyani, Nadia, West Bengal in presence of Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Professor (Dr.) Sankar Kumar Ghosh, ENVIS coordinator Professor Asish Kumar Panigrahi, Head, Dept. of Zoology, Kumar Rajnish, ENVIS National Programme Coordinator, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Government of India, Dr. A.K Sanyal, Chairman, West Bengal Biodiversity Board, and Ex-Director ZSI, Kolkata, and University communities. The ENVIS centre displayed all their

activities of the centre. Programme Officer Dr. Anusaya Mallick demonstrated the ENVIS activities. Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Professor (Dr.) Sankar Kumar Ghosh exhibited the activities of the innovative building and future plan. ENVIS coordinator Professor A. K. Panigrahi also described the planning of the GSDP courses.

Inauguration of the Workshop and (GSDP) Certificate Courses:

Department of Environmental Science and ENVIS Resource Partner, University of Kalyani organized a 7-Day National Workshop on 'Vision towards Environmentally Sustainable Future' from 24-30 July, 2018 and Inauguration of three Green Skill Development Programme (GSDP) Certificate Courses on:

1. Waste Management Solid Waste, Biomedical Waste, Plastic Waste, E-Waste, Construction and Demolition Waste
2. Plant Tissue Culture Techniques and its Applications
3. Para-Taxonomy including Peoples Bio-diversity Register PBR

At 10.30 AM, the 7- day Workshop and (GSDP) Certificate Courses were inaugurated by the chief guest Dr. Anandi Subramanian, Senior Economic Advisor, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Government of India through lighting of lamp with Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Professor (Dr.) Sankar Kumar Ghosh, and other distinguished dignitaries. Prof. Rita Ghosh, Dean, Faculty of Science and workshop coordinator, Prof. Nimai Chandra Saha, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, University of Burdwan, Dr. A.K Sanyal, Chairman, West Bengal Biodiversity Board, Kolkata, Mr. Kumar Rajnish, National Programme Coordinator, ENVIS, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Government of India, Professor Asish Kumar Panigrahi, Coordinator ENVIS Centre, Head, Dept. of Zoology and Workshop Jt. Convener, Dr. Soma Mukharjee, Workshop Jt. Convener, HOD, Dept. of Environmental Science, Registrar Prof. Debansu Ray and Prof. Utpal Biswas, Dean, Faculty of Engineering Technology and Management were present in the dais. Prof. Rita Ghosh, workshop coordinator, Dean, Faculty of Science, KU delivered the inaugural speech on Environmentally Sustainability and human development. Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Professor (Dr.) Sankar Kumar Ghosh gave the inaugural address. The theme lecture of workshop on 'Vision towards Environmentally Sustainable Future' was delivered by Dr. S. Mukherjee Workshop Jt. Convener, Head, Dept. of Environmental Science, K.U. Professor Asish Kumar Panigrahi, Workshop Jt. Convener, ENVIS Coordinator,

also delivered a speech on workshop theme and GSDP course. As the Chief Guest Dr. Anandi Subramanian, Senior Economic Advisor, MOEF&CC, Govt. of India released the abstract volume of workshop and two ENVIS News letter on **Waste Management Biotechnology and Plastic waste and its Management**. Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Professor (Dr.) Sankar Kumar Ghosh released the Proceedings of the UGC SAP Sponsored National Seminar entitled "Effect of Climate Change on Faunal Diversity". Dr. Anandi Subramanian gave a speech on theme of the workshop and the environmental issues like the anthropogenic activity affects directly or indirectly to the environment and environmental sustainability. The ENVIS network HUBs and RPs and their functions in India to prepare environmental database. She emphasized on the preparations of nation wise GRID map on environmental parameters by the ENVIS HUBs and RPs initiated from District level. She also described about the GSDP courses and generate of skill human resources. Prof. Nimai Chandra Saha, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, University of Burdwan, welcomes the guests and gave a speech on utilization of ecological system and climate change major challenges in our life. Dr. A.K Sanyal, Chairman, West Bengal Biodiversity Board, Kolkata gave a speech on vision- without clear vision nothing can be possible, not only in the science but also in the life. How the modern human beings towards the vision. He told that nonliving objects having life in the form of energy, atoms and molecules. Registrar Prof. Debansu Ray gave his address on the programme. The inaugural session was concluded by the vote of thanks by Prof. Utpal Biswas, Dean, Faculty of Engineering Technology and Management.

There are 32 workshop participants and 44 GSDP courses participants, and all University communities, faculties, officers, staffs, research scholars, students were present in the programme.

Some selected Photos on Inaugural session of the Workshop & Green Skill Development Programme (GSDP) Certificate Courses on 24th July, 2018 Organized by Department of Environmental Science & ENVIS Resource Partner, University of Kalyani



Inauguration of ENVIS Resource Partner new building by Dr. Anandi Subramanian, Senior Economic Advisor, MOEF&CC.



Exhibitions of ENVIS Resource Partner's publications in new building



Demonstration of the ENVIS Resource Partner's activities by Programme Officer (Dr. Anusaya Mallick) to the guest.



Demonstration of the ENVIS Resource Partner's activities by the coordinator (Professor A. K. Panigrahi)



Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Professor (Dr.) Sankar Kumar Ghosh exhibited the activities of the innovative building and future plan



Photo session in front of the new ENVIS building, University of Kalyani



**Photo session in front of the Workshop hall
(Vidyasagar Sabhagriha) University of Kalyani**



Dignitaries on the dais



**Dr. Anandi Subramanian, Senior Economic Advisor,
MOEF&CC was felicitated by Hon'ble V C Prof.
(Dr.) Sankar Kumar Ghosh, KU**



**Felicitations of the dignitaries with floral bouquets,
uttariyas and mementoes.**



**Inauguration of the programme through lighting of the
lamp by the dignitaries**



**The Inaugural address was given by the Hon'ble
VC, Prof. Sankar Kumar Ghosh, KU**



Theme Address was delivered by Prof. A. K. Panigrahi, Coordinator, ENVIS Resource Partner, HoD, Dept. of Zoology



Chief Guest Dr. Anandi Subramanian, Senior Economic Advisor, MOEF&CC, Govt. of India released the ENVIS News letter on Waste Management Biotechnology.



Chief Guest Dr. Anandi Subramanian, Senior Economic Advisor, MOEF&CC, Govt. of India released the News Letter on Plastic Waste and its Management



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Dr. Anandi Subramanian gave a speech on theme of the workshop and the environmental issues.



Participants in the workshop and GSDP courses