

Victoria Institution (College)

78-B, Acharya Prafulla Chandra Road, Kolkata-700009

Workshop / Seminar / Conference

2019–2020



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**Extension Lecture on Demonitisation and its Impact
on the Economy on 20.09.2019**

An Extension Lecture was organised on 20/09/2019 by the Department of Economics, Victoria Institution (College). Professor Anjan Chakrabarti from the Department of Economics, University of Calcutta and Dr. Gagori Chakrabarti, Associate Professor, Presidency University were the honourable Resource Persons for the event. The topic was “Demonitisation and Its Impact on the Economy”. The students of Department of Economics were fascinated with the learnings and take -aways from the scholarly inputs from the Professors. 30 students from the Department of Economics along with 10 faculty members from the Institute participated in the deliberation.




VICTORIA INSTITUTION (COLLEGE)
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS IN
COLLABORATION WITH IQAC
**DEMONITISATION
AND
ITS IMPACT ON THE ECONOMY**
SPEAKERS:
PROF. ANJAN CHAKRABARTI - PROFESSOR,
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS,
UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA
AND
DR. GAGORI CHAKRABARTI-ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR,
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS,
PRESIDENCY UNIVERSITY
20/9/19
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**Departmental seminar of History on
"Valuable Art Collection of Indian
Museum"
on 25th September 2019**

A departmental seminar was organized on 25th September 2019 by the Department of History.

Nita Sengupta, in-charge of Indian Museum's art gallery graced the occasion. Head of the department Professor Jiaul Anam Molla presided over the seminar.



She presented her lecture on valuable art collection of Indian Museum, Kolkata. She explained in detail, how they preserve valuable artifacts. Students were engaged in discussion with her.



*Victoria Institution (College), Kolkata
Department of History organizes a
seminar lecture on 'Preservation of
Artefacts'*

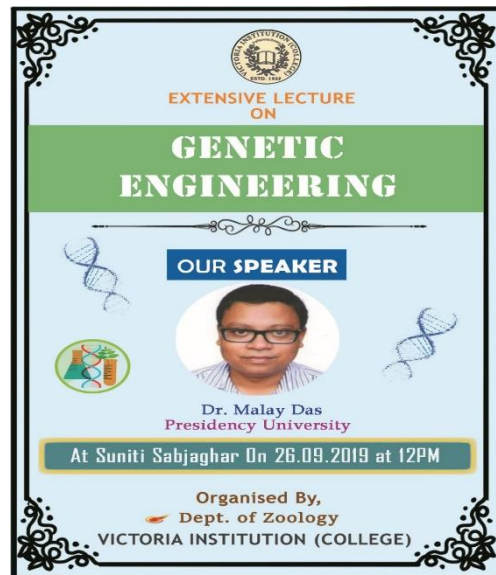
*Speaker: Dr. Nita Sengupta, Deputy
Keeper, Art Section, Indian Museum,
Kolkata.*

Venue: Suniti Sabhaghar, Date:
25/09/2019, Time: 12 noon

All are cordially invited.

**Extension Lecture on Genetic
Engineering on 26.09.2019**

An extension lecture was organized by the Department of Zoology, Victoria Institution (College) on 26.09.2019 on the topic Genetic Engineering. The Speaker was Dr. Malay Das of Presidency University. There were 26 participants in this programme.



Science has come up a long way. In today's world we are using Genetic engineering in modification and alterations of any kind of genetically improved variety of organisms.

With the extension lecture students gained knowledge about it and its importance and implications as it has a number of useful applications, including scientific research, agriculture and technology. In plants, genetic engineering has been applied to improve the resilience, nutritional value and growth rate of crops such as potatoes, tomatoes and rice.



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**Extension lecture
on 30.09.2019**

An extension lecture was organized by the Department of Psychology, Victoria Institution (College) on 30.09.2019.

The theme of the lecture was “Free will versus determinism and empiricism versus rationality”. This lecture was delivered by Dr. Jhuma Paul, Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy, Howrah Girls' College.

Free will and determinism debate whether our choices are ours or predestined. Empiricism values experience in knowledge acquisition, while rationality emphasizes reason. Together, they form a philosophical crossroad, questioning the origins of our understanding and actions. This interplay shapes ethics, science, and personal beliefs, challenging us to ponder the extent of human autonomy and intellect. This extension lecture is to understand how these dichotomies invite a deeper exploration of human cognition and existence.

Department of Psychology
VICTORIA INSTITUTION (COLLEGE)



Extension Lecture
**Freewill vs Determinism and
Empericism vs Rationality**

DR JHUMA PAUL
Assistant Professor, Bijoy Krishna Girls College

On : 30/09/2019 Time : 11am
VENUE : SUNITI SABHAGHAR



**Extension lecture on The Evolution
of American Literature on
07.11.2019**

An Extension Lecture on "The Evolution of American Literature" was arranged for the Semester 3 students of the Department of English on 7th Nov2019.

This enlightening lecture was delivered by the very eminent Prof. Sanjukta Dasgupta (Former Professor, Dept. of English; Former Dean – Faculty of Arts, University of Calcutta) to orient students toward American Literature, which is an integral part of their syllabus.

Though it was not possible to cover every detail in that short span of time, Prof. Dasgupta's presentation actually helped the students to gain a comprehensive understanding of what American literature is all about and also fostered in the man interest for the same. The lecture was followed by an interactive session where the students participated spontaneously. Prof. Dasgupta's presence was indeed a great motivation for the entire department



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Victoria Institution (College)
Department of English
Organizes
EXTENSION LECTURE
On
"The Evolution of American Literature"
By
PROF. SANJUKTA DASGUPTA
Former Professor, Dept. of English
Former Dean, Faculty of Arts
University of Calcutta
7th November, 2019 • 12:00 Noon • Victoria Institution (College)

**Extension lecture on Towards New English
on 16.11.2019**

An Extension lecture on Towards New English was organized by the Dept. of English on 16.11.2019

Dr. Jaydeep Sarangi, Principal, New Alipore College, Kolkata had delivered a stimulating lecture on the current state of English.

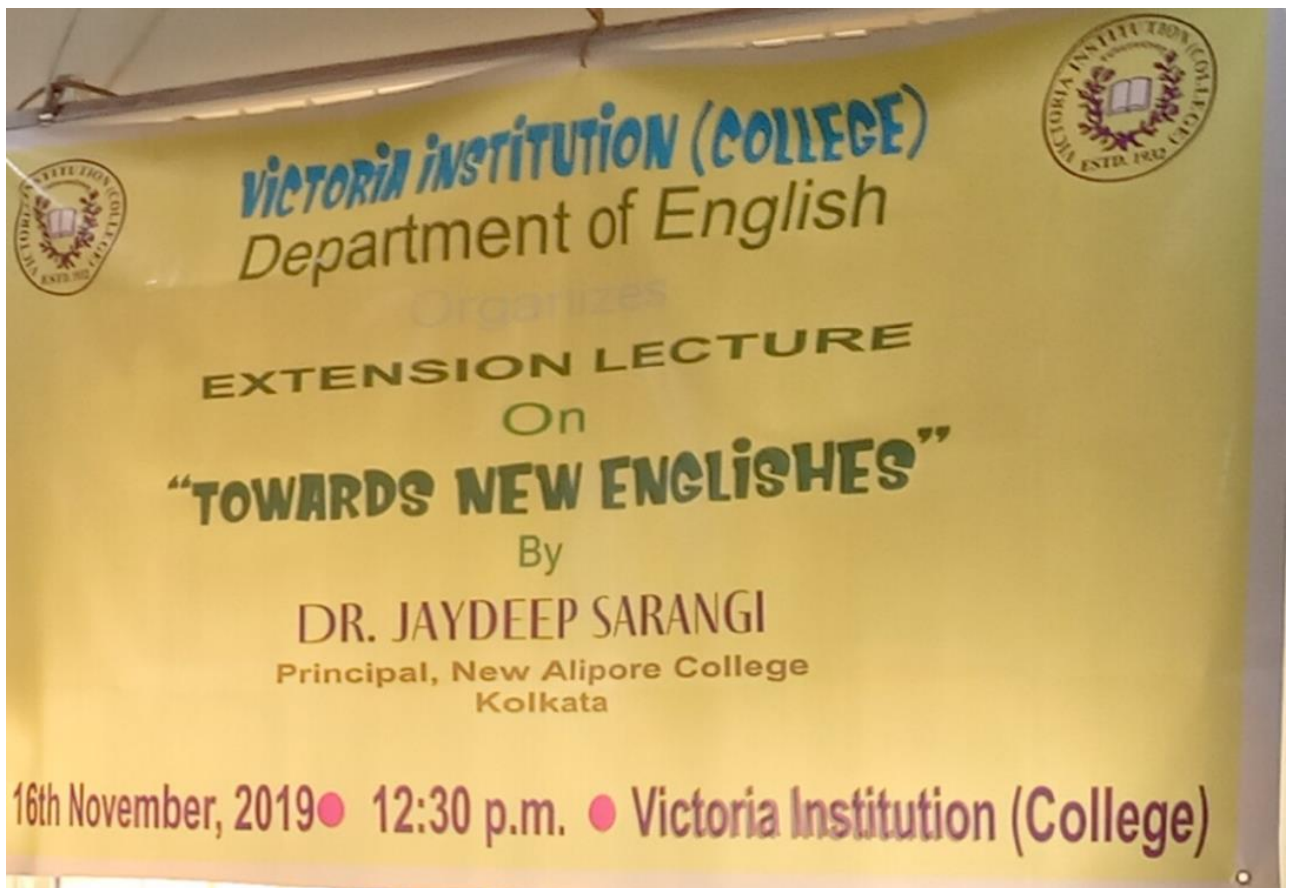
The lecture was mainly arranged for the fresh batch of Semester I students to give them an overview of English language,

from its very inception to its present usage in the contemporary world.

The lecture was both informative and interesting, as was the topic. Besides, Dr. Sarangi's lucid and interactive presentation made the session even more fascinating and relevant for our young English users.



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**Extension lecture
On 30.11.2019**

A talk was organized by the Department of Economics, Victoria Institution (College) on 30th November, 2019 covering two topics

- ❑ Current CBCS System
- ❑ Some topics on the theory of Consumer Behaviour.

The invited speaker was Sri Debasish Biswas, Inspector of Colleges, University of Calcutta.

The session was chaired by Principal Madam Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti, who delivered the welcome address and spoke over the necessity of the lecture. The first part of the session benefitted the faculty members as they were made aware about the newly introduced CBCS system.

The faculty members cleared their doubts about the functioning of the whole system.



Sri Debasish Biswas, the inspector of colleges of Calcutta University delivered a lecture on the Theory of Consumer Behaviour for the students of the Economics Department on 30th November, 2019 at the Suniti Sabhaghar of the college. Even after working as an administrator almost for three decades, Sri Biswas still nurtures a keen interest in Economics. He explained the topics of consumer behaviour to the students very lucidly. The students interacted with him after the talk and asked him questions to clear their understanding of this specific part of Microeconomic theory.




**Seminar on Astronomy
on 24.02.2020**

On 24-02-2020 Department of Physics, Victoria Institution (College) had organized a one day Seminar on 'Astronomy' to develop the interest about the space science and its research methodologies especially for the students of pure science.

About 45 students in Physics (H) of Part-3, Sem-2 and Sem-4 along with the students of Chemistry (H) and Mathematics (H) were present in this seminar.

The key note speech addressed by Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti, principal of our college and a lively audio-visual mode of presentation delivered by Mr. Tarun Das, Technical Officer of Birla Institute of Technological Museum (BITM) have extended the seminar a great success.

Mr. Das elaborate his lecture on the interface between cosmology and astronomy and on some of the experimental methodologies used therein.

 **One Day Seminar
on
"Astronomy"**

organized by the Dept. of Physics,
Victoria Institution (College)

Date : 24.02.2020	Time : 12pm
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Venue : Suniti Sabhaghar, VIC

Resource Person

Mr. Tarun Das

Technical Officer,
*Birla Industrial and Technological
Museum (BITM), Kolkata*

His lecture covered evolution of Astronomy starting from the contribution of Indian Astronomers to the present day scenario.

The continuous engagement of all the teaching, non-teaching staff and students of the department of Physics have supported the successful completion of the seminar.

