

OBJECTIVES OF THE SEMINAR

- To assess the current status of development in North East India, particularly Arunachal Pradesh
- To identify priority sectors and intervention strategies
- To address region-specific challenges such as connectivity, education, healthcare, security, and tribal welfare
- To explore cultural preservation alongside economic growth
- To promote academic-policy dialogue for actionable outcomes
- To encourage multidisciplinary research collaborations and innovations

EXPECTED OUTCOME THE SEMINAR

- A comprehensive understanding of region-specific development needs.
- Policy recommendations and white papers for state and central governments
- Networking opportunities for institutions and individuals working in development and research
- Publication of selected papers in seminar proceedings
- Roadmap for future seminars, workshops, and collaborative projects

TARGET AUDIENCE

- Academicians- Professors, scholars, and students working on North East India's development.
- State/Central officials, NEC representatives, and policy advisors.
- NGOs, CBOs, and international agencies.
- Start-ups, social entrepreneurs, and trade associations.
- Think Tanks & Experts – Regional research bodies, and cross-border trade specialists.

ABOUT SEMINAR

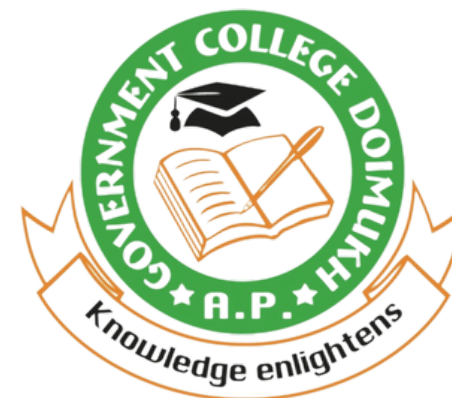
The North Eastern Region of India is a mosaic of diverse ethnicities, cultures, landscapes, and developmental narratives. Comprising eight states, this region holds significant strategic, ecological, and economic importance, yet it has long grappled with unique development challenges due to its geographic isolation, infrastructural bottlenecks, and sociopolitical complexities. Among the North East states, Arunachal Pradesh stands out for its border adjacency to three countries, rich biodiversity, and a predominantly tribal population with deep-rooted cultural traditions, and its development trajectory is shaped by its unique topography, demographic features, and ecological sensitivity. The region offers immense potential in sectors such as tourism, agriculture, hydropower, and cultural industries. However, harnessing this potential necessitates a holistic approach that balances economic growth with environmental sustainability and social inclusion. Keeping Arunachal Pradesh in the spotlight, this two-days multidisciplinary national seminar on "Development Strategies for North East India with Special Reference to Arunachal Pradesh: Potential, Priority Areas, Concerns and Way Forward" aims to provide a platform for bringing together academicians and researchers from various disciplines allowing them to share their expertise and indulge into collaborative discussions on region-specific potentials, priority areas, understanding local concerns, and envisioning a roadmap for inclusive progress. The goal is not merely bridging the gap across disciplines but the creation of holistic actionable insights and sustainable solutions that can be shared with decision-makers and local stakeholders.

TWO-DAYS MULTIDISCIPLINARY NATIONAL SEMINAR

ON

*DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES FOR
NORTH EAST INDIA WITH SPECIAL
REFERENCE TO ARUNACHAL PRADESH:
POTENTIAL, PRIORITY AREAS,
CONCERNS AND WAY FORWARD*

DATE: 28TH & 29TH APRIL 2026



ORGANIZED BY
DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY
GOVERNMENT COLLEGE DOIMUKH
PAPUM PARE DISTRICT
ARUNACHAL PRADESH

THEMES FOR ORAL PRESENTATION

- Harnessing Natural Resources for Sustainable Growth
- Agriculture and Horticulture: Pathways to Rural Prosperity
- Tourism and Cultural Heritage as Economic Drivers
- Infrastructure Development: Roads, Railways, and Digital Connectivity
- Hydropower and Renewable Energy Potential in Arunachal Pradesh
- Education and Skill Development for Inclusive Growth
- Healthcare Challenges and Human Development Priorities
- Entrepreneurship and Start-ups in the North East
- Border Trade and Cross-Border Economic Opportunities
- Environmental Concerns and Biodiversity Conservation
- Tribal Livelihoods and Socio-Cultural Integration
- Women Empowerment and Gender-Inclusive Development
- Policy Interventions and Governance for Regional Transformation
- Climate Change Adaptation and Disaster Management Strategies
- Digital Economy and E-Governance in Remote Areas
- Youth Engagement and Employment Generation
- Strengthening Cooperative and Community-Based Development Models
- Security, Migration, and Geopolitical Concerns in Border Regions
- Public-Private Partnerships for Accelerated Development
- Way Forward: Integrated Regional Planning and Vision 2040 for Arunachal Pradesh
- **Any other topic related to the broader theme of the seminar**

PUBLICATION OPPORTUNITY

THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE WILL PUBLISH SELECTED FULL-PAPERS IN AN EDITED ISBN BOOK. THE BOOK SHALL BE LAUNCHED ON THE INAUGURAL DAY OF THE SEMINAR.

BEST PRESENTER AWARD

THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE WILL PRESENT THE BEST ORAL PAPER PRESENTER AWARD TO RECOGNIZE THE VALUABLE CONTRIBUTIONS OF YOUNG RESEARCHERS, SCHOLARS, AND STUDENTS.

GUIDELINES FOR SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACT

Paper Size: MS A4

Font Style: Times New Roman

Text Font Size: 12

Spacing: 1.5

Word Limit: 300

Keywords: 4-5 Words

Abstract must contain short title, author/s' names, designation, affiliation, corresponding email, and contact no.

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Text Font Size: 12

Spacing: 1.5

Word Limit: 2500

Citation: APA

Formatting guidelines: Introduction, Methodology (Study Area, Methods and Materials), Results, Discussion, Conclusion, and Reference

Tables and Figures No. must follow sequence (e.g., Table 1, Table 2/Figure 1, Figure 2)

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IMPORTANT DATES

Abstract Submission Starts from 5th February 2026

Last Date of Abstract Submission: 25th February 2026

Acceptance Notification: 28th February 2026

Last Date for Submission of Full-Paper: 30th March 2026

Date of Seminar: 28th and 29th April 2026

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ABOUT THE COLLEGE

Situated at its permanent site in Midpu I, Papum Pare district, Arunachal Pradesh, Government College Doimukh (GCD) was established in 2012 and affiliated to Rajiv Gandhi University (A Central University), Rono Hills, Doimukh, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh. It serves students from the Papum Pare district and beyond, offering undergraduate programs in arts and commerce disciplines

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

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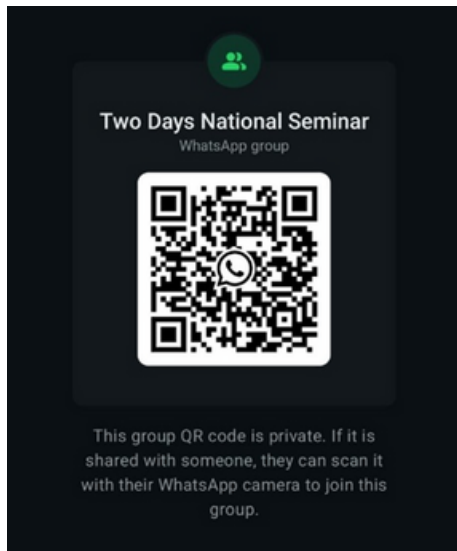
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Participants	Fee (Publication Charge Included)
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UG/PG Students (with paper)	Rs. 500
Research Scholars (without paper)	Rs. 550
Research Scholars (with paper)	Rs. 1250
Faculty/Scientist (without paper)	Rs. 1250
Faculty/Scientist (with paper)	Rs. 1500

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