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The First Chapter of Excellence: GCU Celebrates 1st Foundation Day



AZARA, October 20: Girijananda Chowdhury University (GCU) celebrated 1st Foundation Day on October 17, 2023, with great enthusiasm and jubilation. The day commenced with a flag hoisting ceremony in the morning, followed by a tree plantation drive to honour GCU's enthralling journey. A vibrant cultural rally showcasing the diverse cultures of different states of India captivated the audience with participation from students, faculty and staff members. The formal meeting started with the ceremony of lighting the auspicious lamp. Mr. Jashodaranjan Das, President, Shrimanta Shankar Academy Society delivered the welcoming address, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Kandarpa Das highlighted the institution's academic, research and other accomplishments. In commemoration of this significant occasion, Prof. Gautam Barua, Director, Indian Institute of Information Technology (IIIT, Guwahati) and former Director, IIT, Guwahati graced the event as the Chief Guest. He presented an in-depth lecture on Generative AI. On the occasion of Foundation Day, a commemorative edition of Girijananda Chowdhury University's news bulletin was unveiled that depicted the research records and publications of faculty members of GCU. Votes of thanks was delivered by Prof. Dipankar Saha, Registrar, GCU. The festivities continued with a variety of engaging games in the afternoon for the students and faculties of GCU adding an element of excitement and camaraderie to this special day. The Foundation Day celebrations extended beyond the Guwahati campus, as it was also commemorated at the School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, GCU, Tezpur campus. Prof. Abdul Baquee Ahmed, Principal, School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, GCU, Tezpur, delivered an enlightening lecture that provided a detailed account of the institution's journey. He traced its history all the way from the establishment of the Shrimanta Shankar Academy Society to the significant milestone of its upgradation to the status of university. Girijananda Chowdhury University (GCU) eagerly anticipates embracing this milestone, reflecting on its journey thus far and setting the University for a promising future.



Presenting a token of appreciation to Prof. Gautam Barua.



Lighting of the auspicious lamp.



The attendees of the formal session.



Mr. Jashodaranjan Das, President, SSA Society delivering the inaugural address.



Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof. Kandarpa Das sharing a report of 2022-2023 academic session.



Prof. Gautam Barua, invited speaker and Chief Guest of Foundation Day Celebration.



Flag hoisting ceremony, GCU, Azara.



Flag hoisting ceremony, GCU, Tezpur Campus



Plantation drive.



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Release of Special Edition of News Bulletin.



Saumyo Deep Ghosh awarded for designing GCU Flag.



Prize Distribution Ceremony.



Performance of GCU Students.



Harmonizing Hearts with our State Anthem.



Cultural rally showcasing diversity of India.



Fun games and dance performance amidst the exciting and momentous occasion.