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Webinar Title - National Webinar on Traditional-Blended-Online: A Paradigm Shift in Teaching-Learning in Higher Education

Speaker – Dr. Parthasarathi Mukhopadhyay (Professor, Department of Library & Information Science, University of Kalyani)

Date – 1st August, 2020

Time - 11:30 AM onwards

Organized by – Central Library, Dhruba Chand Halder College in collaboration with IQAC, Dhruba Chand Halder College

Patron – Dr. Satyabrata Sahoo (Principal)

Convener – Smt. Sudakshina Sengupta (IQAC Coordinator)

Organizing Secretary – Smt. Sudeshna Moitra (Librarian)

Target Audience – Teachers, Librarians from all kinds of academic institutions

Brief Report –

The webinar was started at 11:30 am sharp and continued up to 2 pm. At the start of the webinar, organizing secretary delivered the welcome address. Then she requested the patron of the webinar, Dr. Satyabrata Sahoo, Principal of Dhruba Chand Halder College, to deliver the inaugural speech. Afterwards, convener of the webinar, Smt. Sudakshina Sengupta, IQAC Coordinator of the college was requested to deliver her lecture. The speaker Dr. Parthasarathi Mukhopadhyay started delivering his lecture at about 12 noon. Everyone was patient in listening to the informative lecture. The speaker introduced a brain-storming session for the educators to update and refresh their knowledge on the shifting paradigm of teaching-learning in the higher education horizon. In a socially distanced world, going digital with e-learning and embracing newer online tools are the orders of time. This is not only to keep people somehow engaged, but to make learning more relevant, contextual and immersive. With smart phones in hands, learners want information anywhere, anytime and with just a few clicks of the button. Rich interactive media formats such as video/audio files are slowly complementing direct interactions in classrooms – creating the premises of blended learning. Witnessing and dealing with the massive waves of teaching-learning reforms from the traditional to complete online modes – educators

have to remain focused and technology-friendly. The webinar was focused to provide a wide platform to the teachers, librarians, and varied types of academicians to know more about blended and online modes of teaching-learning.

Towards the end of the lecture, participants were requested to ask questions, if any. A good number of participants asked relevant questions to clarify their doubts. At the end, feedback link was given to the participants to get their certificates. The webinar ended with formal vote of thanks by Dr. Rupa Acharya, Teachers' Council Secretary of the College.

BROCHURE LINK -

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