

One-Day Student Seminar on

Embracing Techno-Pedagogy from Chalk to Click



NETAJI SUBHAS OPEN UNIVERSITY (NSOU)



In Collaboration with

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Report

Name of the program: One-Day Student Seminar on "Embracing Techno-Pedagogy from Chalk to Click".

Date & Venue: 4th August 2024, Haldia Government College, Haldia, Purba Medinipur, W.B.

Participants: The seminar attracted a diverse audience, including 75 students, as well as academic teaching and non-teaching staff from the NSOU study centre located at Haldia Government College, Haldia.

Perspectives:

The seminar, co-organized by Netaji Subhas Open University (NSOU) and the National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration (NIEPA), focused on their collaborative project titled "Integrating Digital Technology with Teaching and Learning in Indian Higher Education." The event aimed to gather comprehensive data on digital learning awareness and practices among teachers and students associated with NSOU study centers. It highlighted the vast opportunities for lifelong learning, global collaboration, innovative pedagogy, accessibility, and cost efficiency in education.

Objectives of the Seminar:

The primary objectives of the seminar were to assess the current level of digital learning awareness among students, to explore the practical applications and integration of digital technology in higher education, and to identify and address the challenges and opportunities presented by digital technology in the educational landscape.

Registration:

The participants of the seminar were duly registered, with each individual providing the necessary details on the attendance sheet.

Welcome address:

The seminar commenced with a cordial welcome from the coordinator of the study center, Dr. Hasibul Rahaman, Haldia Govt College LSC (B-06) who acknowledged the vital role of the attendees in ensuring the



event's success. He conveyed deep appreciation to both the speakers and participants for their invaluable contributions, emphasizing their expertise and readiness to share knowledge.



Overview of the seminar:

Presenter: Prof. Anirban Ghosh, Professor of Commerce, Director (i/c)-SPS & SVS, NSOU, P.I of the project.

Overview: Presented an overview of the seminar, outlining its objectives and the transformative potential of digital learning.

- ➤ Highlighted the benefits of digital technology in enhancing accessibility, flexibility, and personalized learning in higher education.
- > Stressed the importance of digital tools in creating inclusive learning environments and urged participants to innovate in their teaching practices.
- > Detailed the national project with NIEPA and NSOU.
- > Emphasized the need for institutions to adapt to the digital landscape and expressed confidence in NSOU's role as a leader in this transformation.
- ➤ Provided clear instructions for the survey process, explaining the methodology and the importance of accurate responses.
- Addressed potential queries and encouraged active participation, ensuring students that their feedback would be instrumental in shaping future educational strategies.
- ➤ His guidance ensured a smooth and effective survey, enabling meaningful contributions to the seminar's goals.



Interaction and Doubt resolutions:

Following Prof. Ghosh's address, project assistant Ms. Sudipta Karmakar, along with the academic staff of Haldia Government College, distributed questionnaires to all participants. They ensured everyone received the necessary materials and offered guidance throughout the process. Participants were instructed to carefully read and respond to the questionnaire, taking 30-40 minutes for completion. The team efficiently collected the completed questionnaires, gathering valuable insights. The seamless process, facilitated by the project assistants and the students' cooperation, significantly contributed to the seminar's success.



Vote of Thanks:

The coordinator of the study centre extended heartfelt gratitude to everyone involved in the event, including the speakers, participants, support staff, and volunteers. He expressed sincere appreciation to the collaborating institutions, NIEPA and NSOU, for their invaluable partnership. With genuine modesty, he concluded by thanking the audience for their presence and active participation, and he expressed his hopes for continued success and collaboration in future endeavors.





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