

ANNUAL REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF SHILLONG COLLEGE



FOR THE YEAR 2021

Normal Academic activities continued for the Three Year Degree Courses and Post Graduate Programme throughout the year. Highlights of various academic and extra-curricular activities and achievements are presented herein.

NEHU FINAL YEAR EXAMINATION, 2021

(Note: Due to the pandemic, NEHU did not declare the Merit List)

Sl. No.	Course	Subject (Honours)	Pass %
1	BA	Economics	98%
2	BA	Education	100%
3	BA	English	96%
4	BA	Garo	100%
5	BA	Hindi	100%
6	BA	History	89%
7	BA	Khasi	92.4%
8	BA	Philosophy	92.3%
9	BA	Political Science	97.8%
10	BA	Sociology	94.8%
12	B. Com	Commerce	98.21%
13	B.Sc	Botany	90.5%
14	B.Sc	Chemistry	95.7%
15	B.Sc	EVS	100%
16	B.Sc	Mathematics	95.7%
17	B.Sc	Microbiology	100%
18	B.Sc	Physics	100%
19	B.Sc	Zoology	93.3%
20	B.Sc	Statistics	100%
21	BBA	BBA	88.50%
22	BCA	BCA	95.08%
23	B.Sc	Computer Science and Applications	100%

Highlights of Important Activities Organised During the Period:

1. College re-opened on 18th January, 2021 post Winter Vacation.
2. Free Employability Online Training cum Hiring programme was organised by Placement Cell in collaboration with TCS for a batch of 31 students from 19th October, 2020 to 11th January, 2021.
3. Classes for 1st Semester PG English commenced from 18th January, 2021.
4. A meeting of the Heads of Departments was held on 1st February, 2021 at 12:30 P.M in the Principal's Conference Hall.
5. A Condolence Meeting for (Late) Prof. T.T. Pachunga, former In-Charge, Department of Mizo, was held on 1st February, 2021 at 12 noon.
6. A meeting of the Teaching staff of all Departments was held on 5th February, 2021, at 11.30 P.M in the Conference Room to discuss important academic and other related matters.
7. UG classes for 1st Semester, 3rd Semester & 5th Semester commenced from 8th February, 2021.
8. A Co-ordination Committee was constituted on the 8th of February, 2021 for conducting the Skills Training Programme on “Low Cost Appropriate Technology” organised by the college in collaboration with SCSTE at Mawkasiang Extended Campus from 15th to 19th February, 2021.
9. Inauguration of Swimming Pool and Valedictory Function of Five Day Skills Training Programme on 'Low Cost Appropriate Technology' organised by Shillong College in collaboration with SCSTE was held at Shillong College Extended Campus, Mawkasiang, on 19th February, 2021.
10. The Examination Committee was reconstituted on 22nd February, 2021 to facilitate smooth conduct of college/NEHU Examinations 2021-22.
11. Duties of 4th Grade Staff were detailed out through an order issued on 2nd March, 2021.
12. A notification for online registration (through the college portal) of 1st, 3rd and 5th Semester (BA, B.Com, B.Sc, BBA and BCA) students was issued on the 2nd of February, 2021. This in connection with Odd Semester Examination 2021.
13. A Staff Meeting was held on 3rd March, 2021 (Wednesday), in Principal's Conference Hall at 11-30 A.M.

14. Women's Cell, Shillong College, organised a Lecture on "Government Services for the Upliftment of Women" by Smt. Dolfie V. Massar, Assistant Director, Department of Social Welfare, Govt. of Meghalaya, on 8th March, 2021 at Principal's Conference Room at 11 A.M.
15. A Notice regarding conduct of Practical Examinations for Odd Semester(1st, 3rd and 5th Semesters/B.Sc and BCA from the 8th March, 2021 onwards was issued on the 4th of March, 2021.
16. A Tale on "Unsung Heroes" was organised by NCC and NSS in collaboration with IQAC, on the 12th March, 2021, at 11-30 A.M in the Conference Hall. The event was organised to commemorate the 75th Anniversary of India's Freedom.
17. A Popular Talk on "Nature Conservation" was organized by the Department of Botany on the 12th March, 2021.
18. Under Graduate Odd Semester Examinations for 1st, 3rd and 5th Semesters BA, B.Sc, B. Com, BBA, BCA and 3rd Semester MA Examination NEHU, commenced from the 15th of March, 2021, as notified in the NEHU Academic Calendar 2020-2021. The examination was conducted in blended mode.
19. On the 19th of March, 2021 a Sub-Committee was constituted to discuss matters pertaining to opening of BPES Course in the College.
20. Principal along with the Vice-Principals, IQAC Co-ordinator and members of the ICT team and representatives from Mass Tech sat for a meeting on the 26th of March, 2021 at 11-30 A.M to discuss matters relating to ICT and MIS of the College.
21. A meeting of IQAC (internal members only) was held on 26th March, 2021 at 12-30 P.M in the Principal's Conference Hall.
22. A meeting of the Sub-Committee for introducing BPES Course was held on 31st March, 2021 at 11-30 A.M in the Principal's Conference Room.
23. A Notice regarding reconstitution of the various Sub-Committees/Cells of the College was issued on 1st April, 2021 wherein the Conveners/Jt. Conveners and Teachers in-Charge of the respective Committees/Cells were requested to convene meetings to discuss and propose relevant programmes and conduct activities during the Academic Session 2021.
24. Online classes for 2nd Semester, 4th Semester and 6th Semester BA, B.Com, BBA and BCA commenced from 5th April, 2021.

25. A One Day Workshop on UGC Regulations 2018 was organised by IQAC, Shillong College, on 8th April, 2021. Dr. B. D. Cajee, Deputy Director, DHTE was the Resource Person for the Programme.
26. An Emergent Meeting of Heads of Departments was held on 19th April, 2021 at 11-30 A.M. in the Principal's Conference Room to discuss Academic and other matters.
27. A meeting between the Principal and the Department of English was held on 19th April, 2021 at 1.00 P.M to discuss Academic and Administrative matters.
28. A Notice instructing all Heads of Departments to submit Departmental Routines was issued from the Office of the Principal on the 27th of April, 2021.
29. National Statistics Day was observed by the Department of Statistics, Shillong College on the 29th of June, 2021.
30. A meeting (in blended mode) between the Principal, Vice-Principals, IQAC Coordinator, and the teaching faculty of the Department of Khasi was held on 2nd July, 2021, at 12.30 P.M to discuss Academic and Administrative matters.
31. A meeting (in blended mode) between the Principal, Vice-Principals, IQAC Coordinator, the Librarian and the teaching faculty of the Department of English was held on 5th July, 2021, at 12.30 P.M to discuss Academic matters.
32. A meeting (in blended mode) between the Principal, Vice-Principals, IQAC Coordinator, the Librarian and the teaching faculty of the Department of Chemistry was held on 7th July, 2021, at 12.30 P.M to discuss Academic matters.
33. Admission portal for 1st Semester Undergraduate Courses for B.A., B. Com., B.Sc, BBA and BCA was opened on 9th July, 2021 and applicants were asked to visit the College Website: www.shillongcollege.ac.in for details.
34. The Examination Committee was reconstituted on 12th July, 2021 to help make all necessary arrangements for conducting College/NEHU Examination, 2021-2022.
35. A meeting (in blended mode) between the Examination Cell and the teaching staff of the College was held on 15th July, 2021 at 1.00P.M to discuss Even Semester Examination process.
36. Study Leave was granted for all Degree Classes w.e.f 16th July to 19th July, 2021.
37. A meeting (in blended mode) between the Principal and the Science Departments of the College- Botany, Zoology, Chemistry, Physics, Environmental Science, Computer Science and Microbiology was held on 19th July, 2021 at 2.30 P.M.
38. Examination for 2nd, 4th and 6th Semesters commenced from 20th July, 2021.

39. Online interactive session for online admission was held on 26th July, 2021 at 1.30 P.M. for all Faculties for the smooth conduct of Online Admission.
40. Moodle was made operational from 27th July, 2021 and all teachers were requested to upload their lessons for the upcoming (Odd) Semester.
41. The Examination Committee was reconstituted on the on 29th July, 2021 to help make all necessary arrangements for conducting College/NEHU Examination, 2021-2022.
42. Notice regarding Placement of Teachers under CAS, was issued on the 28th of July, 2021 by the office of the Principal and teachers due for placement before 18th July, 2021 were asked to apply immediately.
43. Following a Directive by the Deputy Commissioner & Chairperson (DDMA) of East Khasi Hills District, Shillong dated 17th July, 2021, vide letter No. DDMA/EKH/200/2021/115, Shillong, wherein the college was asked to furnish updated details of Vaccination Status for Teaching and Non-Teaching staff of the college, a notification likewise was issued by the Principal, on the 29th of July, 2021 for updating Vaccination Status of Teaching and Non- Teaching Staff of the college.
44. A meeting (in blended mode) of the Principal, Vice Principals, IQAC Co-ordinator the members of ICT Cell and the vendor of MIS Mr. Evan Kharsyntiew was held on the 30th July, 2021 at 3.00 P.M.
45. A meeting (in blended mode) of the Entrepreneurship Development Cell (EDC) was held on 6th August, 2021 at 11.30 P.M in the Principal's Conference Room.
46. National Webinar on "Reinventing and Redefining Library Spaces in Digital Era" was organised by Shillong College Central Library on the 12th of August, 2021 to commemorate the Birth Anniversary of Dr. S.R. Ranganathan.
47. Examination for 2nd Semester M.A. English commenced from 1st September, 2021.
48. Online Classes for 3rd Semester and 5th Semester BA, B.Com, B.Sc, BBA and BCA commenced from 23rd August, 2021.
49. The college observed Independence Day cum College Foundation Day on 15th August, 2021, in the College premises.
50. Online Admission Portal for MA English 1st Semester was opened on 3rd September, 2021. Applicants were asked to visit the college website by logging in at www.shillongcollege.ac.in or www.shillongcollege.co.in.

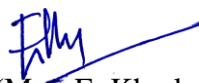
51. Classes (in blended mode) for B.A. 3rd Semester and 5th Semester and B.Com 1st, 3rd and 5th Semesters commenced from 8th September, 2021.
52. The SWOC committee was constituted via a Notice Dated 8th September, 2021.
53. An IQAC meeting (in blended mode) with the Departmental IQAC Coordinators was held on 14th September, 2021 at 11.30 A.M in the Principal's Conference Room.
54. An IQAC meeting (in blended mode) with the Conveners of all the Cells, Committees and Societies was held on the same day at 1.30 P.M. A meeting (in blended mode) between the Principal and the Alumni, was held on 16th September, 2021 at 12.30 P.M to discuss matters related to the Alumni Association.
55. A meeting of the IQAC with the HODs, In-Charge and Departmental IQAC Coordinators was held on 17th September, 2021, at 11.30 A.M in the Shillong College Conference Hall to discuss AAA and other matters.
56. Classes (in online mode) for 3rd Semester M.A. English commenced from 27th September, 2021.
57. A notice regarding the reconstitution of the various Sub-Committees/Cells of the College was issued on 9th September, 2021. The Conveners/Jt. Conveners, Teachers-in Charge of the respective Committees/Cells were requested to convene meetings to discuss and propose relevant meaningful programmes and conduct activities during the academic session.
58. A meeting of all College Post Staff both teaching and Non teaching was held on 1st October, 2021 at 2.30 P.M in the Principal Conference Room.
59. Celebrating Wildlife Week 2021, a two day Webinar on "Importance of Wildlife Conservation". was organised by Co-curricular Academic Development Committee in collaboration with the Office of the Divisional Forest Officer, Khasi Hills Wildlife Division, Shillong on the 5th and 6th of October, 2021. Smt. Anu P. James, IFS, Divisional Forest Officer, Khasi Hills Wildlife Division was the Guest Speaker at the G Meet.
60. A meeting of the MIS Committee was held on 7th October, 2021 in the Principal's Conference Room at 12.30 P.M.
61. Anti-ragging Programme was held in online mode on 8th October, 2021 at 3.00 P.M.
62. A Webinar on "Covid-19 Vaccination" organised by Health Care Cell Shillong College was held in Online Mode on the 9th of October, 2021 at 4.00 P.M.

63. 'Leading Light-Meet Your Alumni', the first, of a series of programmes was organised by the Department of English, Shillong College on the 11th October, 2021. The Programme Series was introduced with the sole objective of familiarising the current English Honours students with multiple career opportunities.
64. Classes for 1st Semester M.A. English commenced from 21st October, 2021.
65. Inter-College Quiz Competition on "50 years of Meghalaya: A Trip Down Memory Lane" was organised by Co-curricular Academic Development Committee, Shillong College. 24 Students from 12 different Colleges of Shillong participated in the Quiz Competition.
66. Academic and Administrative Audit Team was constituted on 9th October, 2021 to conduct the Academic and Administrative Audit.
67. *Ek Bharat Sresth Bharat* Committee was reconstituted on 26th October, 2021.
68. Academic and Administrative Audit of the Departments was conducted on the 1st, 3rd, 8th and 9th November, 2021 and of the Sub-Committees/Cells on the 10th, 11th, 13th and 15th of November, 2021.
69. The Youth Red Cross, Shillong College Unit, organised an Awareness Programme on "Importance of Blood Donation and its Challenges" on 29th October, 2021 (in blended mode) at 3.00 P.M.
70. The Disaster Management Committee organised a Webinar on "Disaster Psycho-Social Care: People's Attitude and Mental Health Status in Coping with the Pandemic" on 9th November, 2021 at 4.00 P.M.
71. A meeting of the SWOC Committee was held in the Principal's Conference Room on 17th November, 2021 at 3.00 P.M.
72. A Workshop on "Origami in Mathematics" was organised by the Department of Mathematics, Shillong College in collaboration with State Council of Science, Technology and Environment, Meghalaya, on 16th and 17th November, at Shillong College.
73. Research Innovation & Publication Cell, Shillong College released the Fourth Volume of the Annual Interdisciplinary Journal "Echoes from the Hills" (ISSN No. 2581-5253, and RNI. Reg.No. MEGENG/2017/74683) with the Sub-theme "Society in a Frantic Habitat" on the 18th of November, 2021 in the Principal's Conference Room at 10.00 A.M. Smt. Isawanda Laloo, Deputy Commissioner, East Khasi Hills graced the function as Chief Guest.

74. "Meeting the Author: A Lecture and Readings" was organised by the Department of English on the 20th of November, 2021.
75. Celebrating 50 years of Statehood of Meghalaya, Department of Political Science and Department of Sociology, Shillong College, organised a Panel Discussion on "Higher Education in Post Pandemic World: Challenges in the New Normal" (in blended mode) on the 22nd of November, 2021 at 1.30 P.M. in the Principal's Conference Room.
76. For S.C. Dutta Memorial Lecture an Interactive Session on "Accessing Inner Resources during Crisis Moments" was organised by the Department of Education, Shillong College, on 22nd November, 2021 at 10-30 A.M.
77. A meeting of RUSA Equity Assurance Plan implementation Committee was held on the 22nd November, 2021 at 2.30 P.M. in the Principal's Conference Room.
78. As per GB Resolution Dated 6th October, 2021, a Committee was constituted to meet the Self Financed Departments to discuss important matters.
79. A Notice was issued on the 26th of November, 2021 in connection with the creation of questionnaire in the Google form to be sent to the stakeholders for SWOC analysis.
80. Free COVID Vaccination Sessions were conducted by the Department of Microbiology in collaboration with the Office of the District Medical and Health Officer every Wednesday and Thursday from the 24th of November, 2021.
81. An Awareness Programme on "Importance of Oral Health" was organized by NSS Unit of Shillong College in collaboration with Dorbar Smit Pyllun on the 25th of November, 2021. The Programme held at Smit Higher Secondary School was attended by students, women and local youths.
82. Online Internal Tests for the 1st, 3rd and 5th Semesters commenced from the 29th of November, 2021.
83. A meeting of the Building Committee (internal members) was held in the Principal's Conference Room on 29th November, 2021 at 2.00 P.M.
84. A meeting of the Committee for BPES was held in the Principal's Conference Room on 1st December, 2021 at 2-30 PM.
85. A meeting of the Mawkasiang Campus Development Committee was held in the Principal's Conference Room on 2nd December, 2021 at 2-30 P.M.
86. A meeting of the Task Force on the implementation of National Education Policy was held in the Principal's Conference Room on 3rd December, 2021.

87. Dr. Dhira Bhowmick, Head, Department of English and Shri Nicholas Jyrwa, Department of BCA were made In –charge of Language and Skill Development Lab vide a Notice issued on 3rd December,2021.Shri C. Syiemlieh was made In – charge of College Gymnasium with Shri P.Moksha and Shri S.warjri as Assistant in-charge vide the same notification.
88. Editorial Board of the Interdisciplinary Journal “Echoes from the Hills” announced Call for Papers on 29th November,2021 for the Fourth Volume of the Issue on the theme ‘Interdisciplinarity and Innovation in Education’
89. Celebrating 50th Anniversary of the Statehood of Meghalaya, a Guest Lecture on “Forms of Consciousness and Creation of States in Modern India” was organised by the Department of History, Shillong College on 6th December, 2021 at 10-30 A.M.
90. On 7th December, 2021 a Notice was brought out requiring all Heads of Departments to nominate two Class Representatives from ongoing semesters to enable the formation of Executive Body of the Shillong College Student’s Union (SCSU).
91. The Department of Environmental Science in collaboration with *Ek Bharat Srestha Bharat* Club, Shillong College organised a Webinar on “Overview of Climate Change in Meghalaya and Adaptation Initiatives” on the 8th December, 2021 at 3-30 P.M.
92. Department of Khasi in collaboration with IQAC,Shillong College organised a Two Day Webinar on *Ka JaitbynriewHynniewTrep haka Jingiaidlyntiba50thSnem* on the 9th and 10th of December, 2021.
93. As part of the Celebrations of the 50th Anniversary of Statehood of Meghalaya, the Department of Chemistry organized a National Webinar on “Recent development in Nanomaterials Chemistry and Natural products Chemistry” on the 10th of December, 2021.
94. A meeting of the members of the teaching Staff was held on 11th December, 2021, at 11 A.M. in the College Conference Hall.
95. An IQAC meeting (internal members only) was held on 11th December, 2021, in the Principal’s Conference Room at 2-30 P.M.
96. The Youth Red Cross, Shillong College Unit, organised a talk on “Drug Abuse and its Effects Cum Pledge Taking Ceremony”, on 13th December, 2021 at 11 A.M. as part of the 50th Anniversary Celebrations of the Statehood of Meghalaya.

97. A talk on “Khasi Religion” was organised by the Department of Philosophy on 15th December, 2021 at 10-30 A.M.
98. A Notice was issued on the 14th of December, 2021 seeking submission of Internal Assessment marks and Course Completion Certificate by the 17th of December, 2021.
99. Commemorating 50 years of Statehood of Meghalaya, Department of Economics, Shillong College in collaboration with Meghalaya Economic Association (MEA) organised S. C Dutta Memorial Lecture on “Education and Economic Growth: Perspectives on National Education Policy, 2020” on the 15th of December, 2021.
100. Department of Zoology in collaboration with IQAC organised a Popular Talk on “Diversity and Conservation of Birds in North East India with special reference to Meghalaya” on the 15th of December, 2021.
101. Language and Skill Development Lab in association with IQAC, Shillong College organised *The French Connection* an initiation programme into the learning of French on the 16th of December, 2021. Prof Dharmendra Kr. Singh from the Department of French, The English and Foreign Languages University, Shillong Campus was the resource person for the Programme.
102. As a part of the Celebration of the 50th Statehood Celebrations of Meghalaya, the Department of Physics, Shillong College organized a National Webinar on “From Basic Science to Nanotechnology” on the 17th of December, 2021.
103. College closed for Winter Vacation from the 20th of December, 2021 to 29th January, 2022 for teaching staff and 22nd December to 15th January, 2022 for the non-teaching staff of the college.



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