

Invited lecture report and outcome

Department of Philosophy

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Invited lecture on Navyanyaya Pratyaksa praman. The seminar was held on 12.05.2023 by Philosophy department jointly with Sanskrit department, Rammohan College in coloration with IQAC. Rammohan College, Auditorium Hall, New Science building. Our honourable Principal Madam Dr. Saswati Sanyal and the IQAC co-ordinator Dr. Krishnendu Sarkar had chaired as chief guest glorify our seminar and welcome everyone with their welcome note. Students of both the department performed Manglacharan to inaugurate the seminar.

The eminent professor of Jadavpur University Prof. Pritam Ghosal had enlightened participants with this topic. Firstly he explained the definition of Pratyaksa in Nyaya System and for this he referred back to the basic of Indian Philosophy. He quoted Manu and other Upanishads that make the topic additional refreshment. Then he started with traditional view of Indian Philosophy to make more transparent. He discriminated Nyaya System with other systems of Indian Philosophy to clarify 'why Nyaya system is called 'Indian Logic' and thus it indeed is the backbone of all the explanations and reasoning's of this system. He defined traditional and modern views of Nyaya system starting from Maharshi Goutam to Acharya Gangesh Upadhyaya to update the topic. It was a fulfilling day overall. He successfully delivered his lecture the topic interesting for all and his session was informative and this beneficial for us. The question-answer session resolved all the doubts raised in different knowing minds.

Outcome of the seminar:

The entitled topic is included in both Hons. and General course of CBCS system of both subjects. Thus, this seminar was beneficial for all the participating students from these departments. The cardinal participation of other teaches from different departments made us happy and encouraged us as well. We are looking forward to organize more such informative session if near future.

