

Detailed Report of the Seminar

SL. No-18: International Webinar on “Covid 19 and Environment”

Name of the Activity:

A. International Webinar on "Covid 19 And Environment"

B. Type of the Activity: Webinar

C. Organizing Department: Department of Geography, Chakdaha College

D. Date and time of the Activity: 11.07.2020 from 18.30 pm – 21.30 pm

E. Number of participants: 1302

F. Speakers: 1. Dr. Ajit Kumar Sil, An eminent writer and researcher of Geography and Associate Professor of Geography, Bhairab Ganguly College, Kolkata

2. Dr. Guruprasad Chattopadhyay, Former Professor, Department of Geography, Visva-Bharati University

3. Dr. Siddharth G. Chatterjee, Associate Professor, Department of Chemical Engineering, SUNY College of Environmental Science & Forestry, New York

4. Dr. D. K. Nayak, Professor Department of Geography, North Eastern Hill University

5. Dr. Debabrata Bhadra, Assistant Professor of Physics, Bhairab Ganguly College, Kolkata , Chairman, ICWAI, ERO.

G.Outcome: Department of Geography, Chakdaha College, Chakdaha, Nadia organized

International Webinar on “COVID 19 AND ENVIRONMENT” on 11th July, 2020. Five eminent speakers from different fields namely i) Dr. Dr.Ajit Kumar Sil, an eminent writer and researcher of Geography and Associate Professor of Geography, BhairabGangulyCollege,Kolkata ii). Dr.GuruprasadChattopadhyay formerly professor, Department of Geography,Visva-Bharati University iii) Dr.Siddharth G. Chatterjee Associate Professor, Department of Chemical Engineering, SUNY College of Environmental Science & Forestry, New York iv)Dr.D. K. Nayak, Professor Department of Geography, North Eastern Hill University v) Dr.Debabrata Bhadra, Assistant Professor of Physics, Bhairab Ganguly College, Kolkata delivered their valuable speech. There were about 1300 registered participant for the webinar.

H. Objective:

To talk about the two significant effects on our surroundings that the Covid-19 pandemic-related economic closure has had.How it has drastically reduced our material use, water usage, and waste output while also significantly improving the quality of our air and water.The world came to a complete halt due to the devastating Covid-19 pandemic, and with it, greenhouse gas emissions fell to an unprecedented level. However, this historic decrease had minimal effect on atmospheric carbon dioxide levels and was insignificant in the larger scheme of climate change. This overall discussion was aimed at this seminar.

I. Photograph of the Programme:


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ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS: SOCIAL MEDIA

- Indirect, mostly due to Lockdown, Social Distancing, quarantine, Changes in Consumption behaviour.
- Social Media: awash with photos and videos of clear skies and waterways as people stay home during the Covid-19 pandemic.
- stories of wild animals being spotted in urban centres.
- Some of these have been found to be hoaxes, aided by the latest image-processing technology.
- but scientists see a link between reduced human activity and pollution levels.
- Did we expect anything different?

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