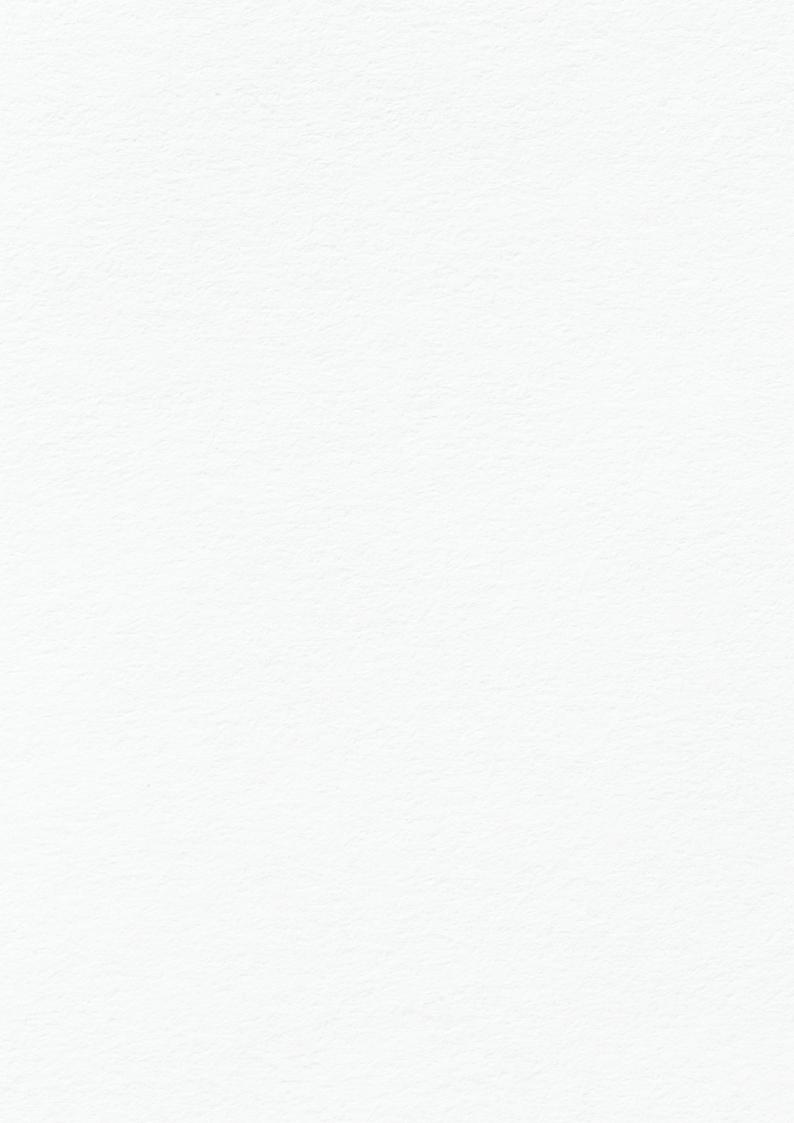




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| The Chairperson, BoG declares the Convocation Open |  |
| Director's Report                                  |  |
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| Special Awards by the Chief Guest                  |  |
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## **Chief Guest**



#### Prof. Abhay Karandikar

Prof. Abhay Karandikar is currently Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Science of Technology (DST), Ministry of Science & Technology. Before joining DST in October 2023, he served as the Director, IIT Kanpur during April 2018 to September 2023. Prof Karandikar is best known for his exceptional contributions in the field of telecom technology development and global 5G/6G standards with 100+ publications and 40 granted and filed patents to his credit. Before joining IIT Kanpur as the Director, he also held prominent positions such as Head of the Electrical Engineering Department and Dean of Faculty Affairs at IIT Bombay.

The most notable impact of his research has been in the area of affordable broadband access which led to the formation of "Frugal 5G" working group in IEEE standards. His research has profound impact on starting the activities of two global IEEE standards. IEEE 1930.1 is the first IEEE standard coming out of Indian efforts led by Karandikar. His group has also made some pioneering contributions towards 6G architecture in ITU.

He spearheaded a national effort in setting up Telecom Standards Development Society of India (TSDSI), India's standards body for telecom. Prof Karandikar was the founding member and former Chairman of TSDSI. He was also Member (Part-Time) of Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI) during January 2018 – January 2021.

Prof. Karandikar's vast experience in policy-making and standardization in tele communications has been recognized at international levels. He served on the Board of Governors of the IEEE Standards Association (SA) from January 2022 to December 2023. Prof Karandikar was awarded with IEEE SA's Standards Medallion in December 2016 in New Jersey.

## **Guest of Honour**



#### **Prof. Sukumar Mishra**

Prof. Sukumar Mishra, Director, Indian Institute of Technology (Indian School of Mines), Dhanbad, an acclaimed researcher and effective administrator has carved a niche for himself in the field of Electrical Engineering.

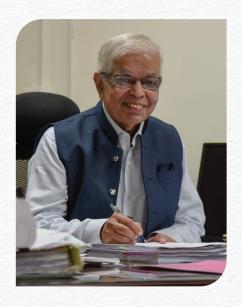
As part of his administrative role, he has served as Dean, Research and External Engagement, IIT Delhi- Abu Dhabi Campus and also as Associate Dean (R&D). His research expertise lies in fields of Smart grid, Grid integration of renewable energy sources, intelligent control, modeling and optimization of power systems, Power System stability and control, technologies for smart grids, Electric Vehiclea (EV) charging infrastructure, Maximum Power Point Tracking (MPPT) for Photovoltaic (PV) and wind energy conversion system, voltage and frequency control of Microgrid having both inverter and rotating machine-based sources, stability of inverter based system.

With a rich industrial experience, Prof Mishra has won many accolades such as Young Scientist Award (1999) by Orissa Bigyan Academy; Young Engineer Award (2002) by Indian National Academy of Engineering, New Delhi (INAE); INSA Medal for Young Scientist (2002) by INSA; Career Award for Young Teachers (2004) by AICTE; Silver Jubilee Young Engineer Award (2012) by INAE, New Delhi; Samanta Chandra Sekhar Award (2016) by Odisha Bigyan Academy; Distinguished Investigator Award (2019) by SERB; NASI-Reliance industries Platinum Jubilee Award for Application Oriented Innovation in Physical Sciences (2019) by NASI; Outstanding Teachers Award (2021) by INAE, New Delhi; Prof. K.L. Chopra Applied Research Award (2023) by IIT Delhi; Distinguished Alumnus Award (2023) by Veer Surendra Sai University of Technology (VSSUT), Odisha; Award for Excellence (2023) by Power Grid and IEEE India Council (IC), Hyderabad; Hingorani Award for Excellence in Solar Photovoltaic Systems (2024) by IEEE (PES), among others

He has been granted fellowship of various professional bodies, including, Fellow of Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (FIEEE), 2025; Fellow of Asia-Pacific Artificial Intelligence Association (AAIA), 2025; INAE-SERB, DST Abdul Kalam Technology Innovation National Fellowship, India (2023); The Institution of Engineers, India, 2016; National Academy of Science, India, (NASI) 2014; Indian National Academy of Engineering, New Delhi (INAE), 2009; Institution of Engineering and Technology, London, UK (FIET), 2011; Institute of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineers (FIETE), 2006.

Prof. Mishra has also carried out many important industrial consultations with TATA Power, Microtek and others. He is the founder of SILOV SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED under the Companies Act, 2013. The company specifically deals in products related to renewable energy sources utilizable at household scale as well as at commercial setups such as bidirectional electric vehicle supply equipment, AC based EV charger, DC based EV charger, grid connected solar inverters, smart DC home management systems, online UPS etc.

## Chairperson, Board of Governors



#### Prof. Arvind A. Natu

Prof. Arvind Anant Natu is an internationally acclaimed academician, currently Chairman of the Board of Governors of IISER Kolkata, Thiruvananthapuram, Bhopal and Berhampur. He is also an honorary advisor to the Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (Pune). He was actively involved in conceptualizing and planning of the IISERs, an Institute of national importance of the Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD), Govt. of India.

For the last forty years, Prof. Natu has been actively engaged in research at the National Chemical Laboratory (NCL), Pune as a Senior Scientist in the Organic and Bio-organic Chemistry Group followed by at IISER Pune. He has significantly contributed to the areas of organic synthesis, natural products, and bio-organic Chemistry. He has equally contributed to the development of chemical industry in various capacities such as member of Board of Directors, consultant, IPR expert etc. He is known as a well-trained chemist in India and abroad, for his involvement in the process

development of several drugs and drug intermediates fulfilling the motto of NCL "Concept to Commercialization". His work has been well-recognized globally by the researchers. Prof. Natu is an expert in Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and patents and has participated in related deliberations in the Court of Law. He has served as Director and Consultant in Discovery, Process Development, and Management in the Pharmaceutical Industries throughout the globe.

Prof. Natu has a teaching experience of more than 25 years mostly at the post-graduate and PhD levels in Organic and Bio-organic Chemistry, Biology of DNA & RNA in India and Germany. He has led the Indian team in International Chemistry Olympiad thrice, where the Indian team came out with flying colours.

Prof. Natu is engaged in Indo-German cooperation in Research and Education. He was the recipient of the "Cross Order of Merit Award" which is the highest civilian award for foreigners bestowed by the President of Germany. It was a recognition of his contributions to Indo-German programmes in the area of education and research. He was also the Honorary Advisor and the German Research Ambassador of Science in 2007 and had represented many German Institutes.

Prof. Natu was bestowed with several Lifetime Achievement Awards for his contribution to education and research including the "Lifetime Achievement Award" by the Labdhi Research Development and Education (RDE) from the Labdhi Foundation, Gujarat. He was also the recipient of the Lifetime Achievement Award bestowed by a consortium of North Maharashtra University titled "Golden Opportunities" for the latest developments in Chemistry and Technology. He was a Fellow of the Maharashtra Academy of Science and a Member of the Board of Directors of Pharma companies. He was also the Scientific Advisor in the areas of scientific research and education and health of females in rural areas. He was a Member of Academic Councils of universities including Savitribai Phule Pune University; Founder Member of the Indian Peptide Society and Indian Society of Bio-organic Chemists; Member of the National Steering Committee for Olympiads in Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education and a Visiting Scientist at the Bielefeld University.

Prof. Natu has a keen interest in the upliftment of underprivileged tribal female students especially from the North-East. He has been actively involved in bringing them to the mainstream of the Indian higher education system. He runs many motivational programmes throughout the country.

## Director, IISER Kolkata



#### **Prof. Sunil K. Khare**

Prof. Sunil K. Khare is a distinguished academician currently serving as the Director of the Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER) Kolkata and Institute Chair Professor (HAG) of Biochemistry, Former Dean (R&D), Dean, Corporate Relations at the Indian Institute of Technology Delhi. In addition, he holds the position of the Vice Chancellor of the Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Institute of Higher Learning (NSCBIHL), Deemed Central University, Port Blair, A&N.

Prof. Khare received his doctoral degree in Biochemistry in 1990 from IIT Delhi and pursued postdoctoral research at the National Food Research Institute, Tsukuba, Japan. With over three decades of exemplary academic and research experience, he has emerged as a leading figure in the fields of extremophiles and enzyme technology, with their applications spanning across nanobiotechnology, food sciences, Biomedical environmental biotechnology. He has contributed extensively to scientific literature, with more than 230 peer-reviewed research publications, h-index of 54,

several notable innovations including five patents, and 25 book chapters and edited volumes. His research contributions also include the deposition of numerous microbial strains to the Microbial Type Culture Collection (MTCC) and the submission of over fifty genetic sequences to the National GenBank. Over the years, he has mentored more than 70 postgraduate and 25 doctoral students, playing a pivotal role in shaping future scientific talent.

Prof. Khare's academic standing is recognized internationally. He has been invited as a Visiting Professor at the University of Blaise Pascal, Clermont-Ferrand, France in 2014 and 2018, and served as a DBT Visiting Fellow at the Northern Regional Research Laboratory, USDA, Peoria, Illinois, USA in 2006.

His contributions have been acknowledged through numerous national and international awards. Some of his most notable accolades include the IIT Delhi Basic Science Research Award in 2021, the United Nations-Amway Award in 1998, and the Malaviya Memorial Faculty Award in 2018. He has also been elected as a Fellow of several prestigious scientific societies including the Royal Society of Chemistry (FRSC), the National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (NAAS), the International Bioprocessing Association (France), the Biotech Research Society of India (BRSI), the Microbiological Society of India, and the UNU-Kirin Fellowship, Japan.

Prof. Khare is actively involved in the scientific community beyond academia as well. He currently serves as the President of the Association of Microbiologists of India and the Vice President of the Biotech Research Society of India. His leadership, scholarly contributions, and commitment to advancing the frontiers of science continue to inspire researchers and institutions alike at both national and international levels.

## Director's Report

Respected Chief Guest, Prof. Abhay Karandikar, Secretary, Department of Science and Technology; Guest of Honour, Prof. Sukumar Mishra, Director, Indian Institute of Technology (Indian School of Mines), Dhanbad, Honourable Chairman of the Board of Governors, Dr. Arvind Kumar Natu; Our esteemed guests & faculty members, parents, and our bright graduating students—

It gives me immense joy to welcome you all to this landmark celebration. Today is not just another day — it is a turning point that marks the end of one chapter and the beginning of another one in the lives of our graduates.

As the Director of IISER Kolkata, it is a true privilege to share this stage with you on the occasion of the institute's 12th Convocation. This ceremony reflects the collective effort, spirit, and achievements of everyone who has been a part of this journey.

It is a pleasure to showcase the key achievements of IISER Kolkata. I sincerely acknowledge the unwavering support of the Board of Governors, Ministry of Education, faculty, staff, and students in driving the Institute's progress.

With an NIRF ranking of 61, the IISER Kolkata family has grown to the strength of 128 faculty members, distributed across seven academic departments, and supported by a dedicated team of 88 administrative staff members. In addition, we have a few visiting, adjunct, and honorary faculty members of great distinction, who enrich the vibrant atmosphere at IISER Kolkata.

IISER Kolkata has successfully implemented most of the modules of Samarth. Samarth is a transformative initiative launched in 2019 by the Ministry of Education. It supports Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) in the planning, management, delivery, and monitoring of services. These services benefit students, faculty and staff members, and other stakeholders as well. The implementation marks a significant step toward administrative efficiency and academic excellence at our institute.

Our combined student strength across all the departments comprises 867 BS-MS, 85 Integrated PhD (IPhD), 457 Doctoral students and 14 post-doctoral fellows. We have 70 PhD students and 24 IPhD, students who have graduated during this academic year including one international student from Nigeria.

Following new academic programmes and streams are going to be started from the academic year 2025-26: BS-MS Dual Degree Programme in Computational and Data Sciences, MS by Research in Biological Sciences, MS Programme on Sustainability Science, along with an Online Certificate course on Artificial Intelligence and Law.

I am pleased to share that our students and faculty members are earning well-deserved recognitions at both national and international levels through notable awards, fellowships, and honours. These accomplishments not only reflect their excellence but also affirm that we are moving in the right direction toward our scientific aspirations.

It a pleasure to let you all know that more than twelve faculty members have been elected as Fellows of the various science academies, namely, West Bengal Academy of Science and Technology (WAST), Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS), National Academy of Sciences, Indian National Science Academy (INSA), the Optical Society of America & many more. Our esteemed faculty members are chairing and leading as executive members of various important organizations and peer reviewed journals like *European Polymer Journal*, *Journal of Macromolecular Science*, *Part A: Pure and Applied Chemistry* (JMS-PAC), ASEAN-India Collaborative R&D Proposals Programme under Anusandhan National Research Foundation (ANRF) in 'Materials Science Thematic Area', "Advanced Materials" under National Programme on Nano Science & Technology (NPNST), Rasayan Society, Indian Photobiology Society, the Gordon Research Conference on Systems Chemistry in the USA, Birbal Sahni Institute of Palaeosciences (BSIP), Lucknow; Commission E4 Impact of Magnetic Activity on Solar and Stellar Environments of the International Astronomical Union and many more.

New sponsored research projects and schemes amounting to over 20 Crores have been obtained by our faculty members during this year. It has enhanced our total tally to over 170 ongoing projects and schemes worth over 85 crores on issues like the sustainable environment, earth sciences, quantum research, impact of chemicals on society and environment etc.

The total number of Patents filed during the financial year 2024-25 is eight and the total number of patents filed as of date is 48.

IISER Kolkata is actively collaborating with other National and global institutions, and we currently have 20 National and 7 International active MOUs including those with Max-Planck-Gesellschaft (MPG), Germany, and Taiwan National Academy of Sciences. Industrial organizations like Tata Steel, and Bharat Biotech International Limited, to name a few, have supported the translational part of IISER's research.

IISER Kolkata has signed a joint MoU with the University at Buffalo for research collaboration in frontier areas, with student and faculty exchanges.

We actively organised outreach activities and workshops in collaboration with renowned bodies like TCS Research group, All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE), All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Kalyani, etc.

This year, we had more than 15 distinguished visitors from various national and international institutes and organizations on our campus. We also welcome school and college visits to our campus from different parts of the country. This year, institutions like St. Anthony's College, Shillong, Barasat Government College and Midnapore College visited IISER Kolkata.

Throughout the year we celebrate Science on our campus. We celebrated National Science Day on 28th February 2025. It was enthusiastically supported by the faculty members, staff and students of IISER Kolkata. The Science Day celebration saw a brimming excitement of over 450 students from more than 25 schools. A few popular Science Talks were organised on this occasion. Eight IISER Kolkata students were awarded CNR Rao Foundation Prize certificates as part of this programme.

The Institute also organised various sports and cultural events like Teachers Day, Rampage Musical Event, Dance Workshop, Annual Drama Workshop and Annual Drama Production. The literary club IISER Kolkata organized The Lexis, a literary event.

Festivals of Pongal, Ugadi, Basant Panchami, Ganesh Chaturthi, Janamashtmi, Agomoni, International Yoga Day, Netaji Jayanti etc. were celebrated with great enthusiasm and vibrance here. We hosted Inter IISER Cultural Meet (IICM) this year and participated actively in Inter IISER Sports Meet (IISM) hosted by IISER Pune. IISER Kolkata's consistent efforts and achievements were rewarded with an overall 5th rank in IISM.

Inquivesta XI, science fest of IISER Kolkata, marked its grand return to campus post-COVID-19. IISER Kolkata proudly presented Roots@IISER-K 2025, its first-ever grand alumni meet for two days at the MN Saha Auditorium.

The Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, a flagship programme of the Ministry of Education for rural India and evolving appropriate solutions for accelerating sustainable growth, is running successfully on our campus.

Activities of "Ek-Pahel, an IISER Kolkata student initiative" included Door-to-Door Teaching (DTDT): Basic Literacy and Numeracy, Outreach: Science and Fun Workshops, In-Campus Sessions, Space-Themed Drawing Competition (August 2024), Space-Themed Workshop for School Children (August 2024), Diwali Outreach Event, 10th Anniversary Celebration (April 2025), Support for Manipur Children during Regional Instability (2024) and many more.

We also organised and participated in government-mandated programmes like Rajbhahsa Pakhwada, Swachhata Pakhwada, etc. Our students and staff members actively participated in the competitions we organised in collaboration with the Town Official Language Implementation Committee (TOLIC) Kolkata Office 2 and won prizes. We jointly organised Kavya Path Pratiyogita this year with Science City and TOLIC Kolkata Office 2. IISER Kolkata celebrated its Staff Day on 20th December 2024 with Chief Guest Dr. Kaoushik K. Mukherjee, Registrar of IIIT Kalyani, at the R.N. Tagore Auditorium.

#### Indian Institute of Science Education and Research Kolkata

Having shared the institute's progress, I now turn to you, dear graduates.

Congratulations on reaching this important milestone. Your success reflects not just academic excellence, but the curiosity and passion for science that define IISER Kolkata. Here, you have learned not just facts, but how to think, question, and innovate.

As you move forward, remember—this is just the beginning. Let your curiosity lead the way, and use your knowledge to make a meaningful impact on society.

May your path ahead bring you purpose, progress, and joy. Thank you!

### List of Medal recipients in the year 2025

- 1. Category: Director's Gold Medal
  - (A) to students securing highest CGPA in respective departments in BS-MS Programme

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name               | Department                 | CGPA |
|---------|----------|--------------------|----------------------------|------|
| 1       | 20MS018  | Shraman Jana       | Biological Sciences        | 9.53 |
| 2       | 20MS191  | Urvi Mukherjee     | Chemical Sciences          | 9.4  |
| 3       | 20MS080  | Tanisha Garg       | Earth Sciences             | 9.68 |
| 4       | 20MS001  | Sumit Bagchi       | Mathematics and Statistics | 9.39 |
| 5       | 20MS176  | Dipesh Kumar Singh | Physical Sciences          | 9.88 |

#### Director's Gold Medal

(B) to students securing highest CGPA in respective departments in Master of Science Programme

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name                    | Department                 | CGPA |
|---------|----------|-------------------------|----------------------------|------|
| 1       | 23MP015  | Vivienne Judith Mathias | Chemical Sciences          | 9.46 |
| 2       | 23MP036  | Ahana Ghosh             | Mathematics and Statistics | 8.75 |

2. Category: Chairman's Gold Medal for best academic performance to a student securing overall highest CGPA across all departments in the BS-MS Programme.

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name               | Department        | CGPA |
|---------|----------|--------------------|-------------------|------|
| 1       | 20MS176  | Dipesh Kumar Singh | Physical Sciences | 9.88 |

3. Chairman's medal of excellence: Aniket Sabar.

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name         | Department          |
|---------|----------|--------------|---------------------|
| 1       | 20MS033  | Aniket Sabar | Biological Sciences |

4. Chairman's medal of commendation: Jeeban Kumar Nayak.

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name               | Department        |
|---------|----------|--------------------|-------------------|
| 1       | 19RS027  | Jeeban Kumar Nayak | Physical Sciences |

# List of Degree Recipients -PhD, IPhD, IP-MS, MP & BS-MS (2025)

#### **PhD Programme:**

#### **Department of Biological Sciences**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name                    | Name of the Supervisor/<br>Co-supervisor | Year of<br>Completion |
|---------|----------|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|
| 1       | 15RS073  | Rahul Kumar Singh       | Prof. Partha Pratim Datta                | 2025                  |
| 2       | 16RS015  | Mandip Pratham Gadpayle | Dr. Sankar Maiti                         | 2024                  |
| 3       | 17RS018  | Vikas Garhwal           | Dr. Sreeramaiah N Gangappa               | 2024                  |
| 4       | 17RS069  | Paramita Gayen          | Prof. Rituparna Sinha Roy                | 2025                  |
| 5       | 18RS087  | Sreya Das               | Dr. Sreeramaiah N Gangappa               | 2025                  |
| 6       | 18RS090  | Anirban Roy             | Dr.Babu Sudhamalla                       | 2024                  |
| 7       | 18RS098  | Ishani Mukherjee        | Prof. Anuradha Bhat                      | 2024                  |
| 8       | 19RS001  | Safiriyu Abass Alao     | Prof. Jayasri Das Sarma                  | 2024                  |
| 9       | 19RS017  | Gauraw Kumar            | Prof. Punyasloke Bhadury                 | 2025                  |
| 10      | 19RS081  | Shubham Das             | Dr. Sankar Maiti                         | 2025                  |
| 11      | 19RS088  | Ishita Bardhan          | Dr. Babu Sudhamalla                      | 2025                  |
| 12      | 19RS097  | Sucharita Bhowmick      | Prof.Amirul Islam Mallick                | 2025                  |
| 13      | 19RS107  | Afruja Khan             | Prof.Amirul Islam Mallick                | 2025                  |
| 14      | 20RS127  | Binayak Banerjee        | Dr. Dipjyoti Das                         | 2025                  |
| 15      | 20RS137  | Aswathi S               | Dr. Radhika Venkatesan                   | 2024                  |

#### **Department of Chemical Sciences**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name              | Name of the Supervisor/<br>Co-supervisor        | Year of<br>Completion |
|---------|----------|-------------------|---|-----------------------|
| 1       | 14RS083  | Munirathnam Manda | Prof. Sayam Sen Gupta / Prof.<br>R.N. Mukhrejee | 2024                  |
| 2       | 17RS002  | Kumari Raksha     | Prof. Sumit Khanra                              | 2024                  |
| 3       | 18RS004  | Aniruddha Sarkar  | Prof. Sayam Sen Gupta                           | 2024                  |
| 4       | 18RS029  | Sumit Garai       | Dr. Sureshkumar Devarajulu                      | 2024                  |
| 5       | 18RS041  | Vishwadeepa Hazra | Prof. Sayan Bhattacharyya                       | 2025                  |
| 6       | 18RS042  | Madalasa Mondal   | Dr. Ratheesh K Vijayraghavan                    | 2024                  |
| 7       | 18RS046  | Surajit Mondal    | Prof. Sayan Bhattacharyya                       | 2025                  |
| 8       | 18RS058  | Paramita Datta    | Prof. Swadhin Kumar Mandal                      | 2025                  |
| 9       | 18RS061  | Subir Maji        | Prof. Swadhin Kumar Mandal                      | 2024                  |



| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name                      | Name of the Supervisor/<br>Co-supervisor           | Year of<br>Completion |
|---------|----------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------|
| 10      | 18RS063  | Souryadip Roy             | Prof. Arindam Mukherjee                            | 2025                  |
| 11      | 18RS066  | Triza Pal                 | Prof. Debansu Chaudhuri                            | 2024                  |
| 12      | 18RS069  | Maglu Mura                | Prof. Sayan Bhattacharyya                          | 2025                  |
| 13      | 18RS074  | Indrajit Giri             | Dr. Ratheesh K Vijayraghavan                       | 2024                  |
| 14      | 18RS096  | Swagata Sil               | Prof. Swadhin Kumar Mandal                         | 2025                  |
| 15      | 18RS105  | Satyadip Paul             | Prof. Rahul Banerjee                               | 2024                  |
| 16      | 19RS009  | Devendra Mayurdhwaj Sanke | Prof. Sanjio S. Zade                               | 2024                  |
| 17      | 19RS014  | Chhotan Mandal            | Dr. Debabrata Mukherjee                            | 2025                  |
| 18      | 19RS024  | Shamim Ahmad              | Prof. Chilla Malla Reddy / Prof.<br>Rahul Banerjee | 2025                  |
| 19      | 19RS029  | Sumit Pal                 | Dr. Dibyendu Das                                   | 2025                  |
| 20      | 19RS035  | Ayan Jati                 | Dr. Biplab Maji                                    | 2024                  |
| 21      | 19RS041  | Saikat Bag                | Prof. Rahul Banerjee                               | 2024                  |
| 22      | 19RS042  | Sumana Mondal             | Dr. Debabrata Mukherjee                            | 2025                  |
| 23      | 19RS051  | Pradip Pattanayak         | Prof. Pradipta Purkayastha                         | 2025                  |
| 24      | 19RS057  | Sudip Baguli              | Dr. Debabrata Mukherjee                            | 2025                  |
| 25      | 19RS066  | Sourabh Biswas            | Dr. Sureshkumar Devarajulu                         | 2024                  |
| 26      | 19RS067  | Ashok Kumar Mahato        | Prof. Rahul Banerjee                               | 2024                  |
| 27      | 19RS072  | Palash Jana               | Prof. Subhajit Bandyopadhyay                       | 2024                  |
| 28      | 19RS074  | Animesh Das               | Dr. Biplab Maji                                    | 2024                  |
| 29      | 19RS090  | Pranay Shaymal            | Prof. Alakesh Bisai                                | 2024                  |
| 30      | 19RS096  | Debgopal Jana             | Prof. Alakesh Bisai                                | 2024                  |
| 31      | 19RS109  | Milan Gumtya              | Prof. Debasish Haldar                              | 2024                  |
| 32      | 19RS112  | Subhadip Roy              | Prof. Priyadarsi De                                | 2025                  |
| 33      | 20RS005  | Arunavo Chatterjee        | Prof. Pradipta Purkayastha                         | 2025                  |
| 34      | 20RS027  | Suman Kumar Saha          | Prof. Suman De Sarkar                              | 2025                  |
| 35      | 20RS035  | Surajit Singh             | Prof. Debasish Haldar                              | 2025                  |
| 36      | 20RS064  | Ranjit Murmu              | Prof. Alakesh Bisai                                | 2025                  |

#### **Department of Earth Sciences**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name                | Name of the Supervisor/<br>Co-supervisor                    | Year of<br>Completion |
|---------|----------|---------------------|---|-----------------------|
| 1       | 15RS074  | Suman Basak         | Dr. Kajaljyoti Borah / Prof.<br>Supriyo Mitra               | 2025                  |
| 2       | 17RS005  | Ashish Kumar Tiwari | Dr. Tapabrato Sarkar  | 2025                  |
| 3       | 17RS022  | Vibhuti Shivsager   | Prof. Manoj Kumar Jaiswal                                   | 2025                  |
| 4       | 18RS101  | Padmaja J           | Dr. Tapobrata Sarkar / Prof.<br>Somnath Dasgupta (External) | 2025                  |
| 5       | 19RS105  | Zahid Ahmad Ganie   | Dr. Gopala Krishna Darbha                                   | 2024                  |
| 6       | 20RS098  | Neha Sharma         | Dr. Subhronil Mandal  | 2024                  |

#### **Department of Mathematics and Statistics**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name         | Name of the Supervisor/<br>Co-supervisor | Year of<br>Completion |
|---------|----------|--------------|--|-----------------------|
| 1       | 14RS079  | Sanjib Gayen | Prof. Asok Kumar Nanda                   | 2025                  |

#### **Department of Physical Sciences**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name               | Name of the Supervisor/<br>Co-supervisor               | Year of<br>Completion |
|---------|----------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|
| 1       | 15RS071  | Neeraj             | Prof. Prasanta K Panigrahi / Dr.<br>Kamaraju Natarajan | 2025                  |
| 2       | 16RS021  | Subhadip Manna     | Prof. Chiranjib Mitra                                  | 2024                  |
| 3       | 17RS016  | Arpan Chatterjee   | Prof. Rangeet Bhattacharyya                            | 2024                  |
| 4       | 17RS025  | Soumya Mukherjee   | Dr. Kamaraju Natarajan                                 | 2024                  |
| 5       | 17RS055  | Abu Bakkar Miah    | Dr. Partha Mitra                                       | 2025                  |
| 6       | 18RS031  | Mrinmay Sahu       | Prof. Goutam Dev Kumkerjee                             | 2024                  |
| 7       | 18RS084  | Amulya Ratnakar    | Prof. Sourin Das                                       | 2024                  |
| 8       | 19RS008  | Amir Subba         | Prof. Ritesh Kumar Singh                               | 2025                  |
| 9       | 19RS027  | Jeeban Kumar Nayak | Prof. Nirmalya Ghosh                                   | 2024                  |
| 10      | 19RS063  | Sudip Sinha        | Dr. Subhasish Sinha                                    | 2025                  |
| 11      | 20RS114  | Khursid Alam       | Prof. Koushik Dutta                                    | 2025                  |

#### Center of Excellence in Space Sciences India (CESSI)

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name       | Name of the Supervisor/<br>Co-supervisor | Year of<br>Completion |
|---------|----------|------------|--|-----------------------|
| 1       | 18RS037  | Souvik Roy | Prof. Dibyendu Nandi                     | 2024                  |



#### IPhD Programme (Students Graduating with PhD):

#### **Department of Biological Sciences**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name           | Name of the Supervisor/<br>Co-supervisor | Year of<br>Completion |
|---------|----------|----------------|--|-----------------------|
| 1       | 17IP001  | Chirag Singhal | Dr. Sreeramaiah N Gangappa               | 2025                  |
| 2       | 17IP006  | Madhav Sharma  | Prof. Jayasri Das Sarma                  | 2025                  |
| 3       | 17IP029  | Saurav Kumar   | Prof. Jayasri Das Sarma                  | 2024                  |

#### **Department of Chemical Sciences**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name                     | Name of the Supervisor/<br>Co-supervisor | Year of<br>Completion |
|---------|----------|--------------------------|--|-----------------------|
| 1       | 14IP040  | Chandan Kumar            | Prof. Sajio S. Zade                      | 2024                  |
| 2       | 16IP003  | Debabrata Das            | Dr. Sureshkumar Devarajulu               | 2025                  |
| 3       | 16IP006  | Shrestha Chowdhury       | Prof. Pradip Kumar Ghorai                | 2025                  |
| 4       | 16IP010  | Samrat Mallick           | Prof. Suman De Sarkar                    | 2025                  |
| 5       | 17IP002  | Nimisha Gautam           | Prof. Swadhin Mandal                     | 2025                  |
| 6       | 17IP004  | Ishani Mukherjee         | Prof.Pradipta Purkayastha                | 2025                  |
| 7       | 17IP005  | Poulami Majumder         | Prof. Rahul Banerjee                     | 2024                  |
| 8       | 17IP014  | Paliwal Khushboo Shivdas | Prof. Venkataramanan<br>Mahalingam       | 2024                  |
| 9       | 17IP015  | Nidhi Tiwari             | Prof. Ashwani Tiwari                     | 2025                  |
| 10      | 17IP019  | Shibani Mohata           | Prof. Rahul Banerjee                     | 2024                  |
| 11      | 18IP007  | Arnab Banerjee           | Prof. Priyadarsi De                      | 2024                  |

#### **Department of Earth Sciences**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name         | Name of the Supervisor/<br>Co-supervisor           | Year of<br>Completion |
|---------|----------|--------------|--|-----------------------|
| 1       | 13IP036  | Farzan Ahmed | Dr. Kathakali Bhattacharyya                        | 2024                  |
| 2       | 17IP020  | Archita Rana | Dr. Sayantan Sarkar / Prof. Manoj<br>Kumar Jaiswal | 2024                  |
| 3       | 17IP023  | Ajay         | Prof. Prasanta Sanyal                              | 2024                  |

#### **Department of Mathematics and Statistics**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name             | Name of the Supervisor/<br>Co-supervisor | Year of<br>Completion |
|---------|----------|------------------|--|-----------------------|
| 1       | 16IP002  | Sanjoy Chaterjee | Dr. Sushil Gorai                         | 2024                  |
| 2       | 16IP021  | Nurun Nesha      | Prof. Saugata Bandyopadhyay              | 2024                  |
| 3       | 17IP021  | Jiten Kumbhakar  | Dr. Shirshendu Chowdhury                 | 2024                  |

#### **Department of Physical Sciences**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name               | Name of the Supervisor/<br>Co-supervisor               | Year of<br>Completion |
|---------|----------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|
| 1       | 14IP041  | Saumya Ghosh       | Dr. Sunandan Gangopadhyay /<br>Prof. Nirmalya Ghosh    | 2025                  |
| 2       | 16IP019  | Aabir Mukhopadhyay | Prof. Sourin Das                                       | 2024                  |
| 3       | 17IP010  | Dheerendra Singh   | Prof. Prasanta K Panigrahi / Dr.<br>Kamaraju Natarajan | 2025                  |
| 4       | 17IP025  | Ram Nandan Kumar   | Prof. Ayan Banerjee                                    | 2025                  |

#### IPhD Programme (Students Graduating with MS):

#### **Department of Biological Sciences**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name                  |
|---------|----------|-----------------------|
| 1       | 23IP002  | Sharanya Bhattacharya |

#### **Department of Physical Sciences**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name              |
|---------|----------|-------------------|
| 1       | 23IP001  | Triyash Mukherjee |

#### **Master of Science Programme:**

#### **Department of Chemical Sciences**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name                    |
|---------|----------|-------------------------|
| 1       | 23MP001  | Souvik Agasti           |
| 2       | 23MP003  | Rupam Ghosh             |
| 3       | 23MP004  | Jharana Mishra          |
| 4       | 23MP007  | Ankita Mondal           |
| 5       | 23MP008  | Tiyasa Roy              |
| 6       | 23MP009  | Sourav Chandra          |
| 7       | 23MP011  | Debashis Ghosh          |
| 8       | 23MP012  | Nitik Bhandary          |
| 9       | 23MP013  | Pratyay Pan             |
| 10      | 23MP014  | Sanghamitra Paul        |
| 11      | 23MP015  | Vivienne Judith Mathias |
| 12      | 23MP016  | Khyati Sarma            |
| 13      | 23MP018  | Saswati Sasmal          |

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name              |
|---------|----------|-------------------|
| 14      | 23MP019  | Subhankar Saha    |
| 15      | 23MP020  | Soma Biswas       |
| 16      | 23MP022  | Soumava Mukherjee |
| 17      | 23MP024  | Sabana Parvin     |
| 18      | 23MP026  | Krishnendu Shit   |
| 19      | 23MP028  | Mainak Guha       |
| 20      | 23MP029  | Sayanil Ghosh     |
| 21      | 23MP030  | Shanoli Das       |
| 22      | 23MP032  | Anisha Guha Roy   |
| 23      | 23MP034  | Jai Sundar J      |
| 24      | 23MP038  | Debraj Pal        |
| 25      | 23MP039  | Tuhin Sarkar      |
|         |          |                   |



#### **Department of Mathematics and Statistics**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name              |
|---------|----------|-------------------|
| 1       | 22MP003  | Jeet Mukhopadhyay |
| 2       | 22MP005  | Annoy Chatterjee  |
| 3       | 23MP017  | Soumak Majumder   |
| 4       | 23MP021  | Prabal Talukdar   |
| 5       | 23MP023  | Deepta Roy        |

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name          |
|---------|----------|---------------|
| 6       | 23MP025  | Sougata Das   |
| 7       | 23MP027  | Sk Jishan Ali |
| 8       | 23MP033  | Debasish Paul |
| 9       | 23MP036  | Ahana Ghosh   |
|         |          |               |

#### BS-MS Degree: 191 students (MS20 Batch) + 1 student (MS18 Batch)

#### **Department of Biological Sciences**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name                 | Minor Degree in                          | Batch |
|---------|----------|----------------------|--|-------|
| 1       | 20MS004  | Titas Raha           | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 2       | 20MS008  | Rupsa Basu           | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 3       | 20MS011  | Swapnil Sengupta     |  | MS20  |
| 4       | 20MS015  | Hiba Hanan K         |  | MS20  |
| 5       | 20MS018  | Shraman Jana         | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 6       | 20MS023  | Swarnendu Panda      | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 7       | 20MS029  | Anushka Sinha        | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 8       | 20MS033  | Aniket Sabar         | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 9       | 20MS035  | Baivab Kumar Saha    | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 10      | 20MS037  | Mainak Sarkar        | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 11      | 20MS046  | Abel Xavier Francis  | Chemical Sciences; Physical Sciences     | MS20  |
| 12      | 20MS048  | Kushal Haldar        | Mathematical Sciences; Physical Sciences | MS20  |
| 13      | 20MS059  | Rajdeep Bhattacharya |  | MS20  |
| 14      | 20MS071  | Aniket Sarkar        |  | MS20  |
| 15      | 20MS075  | Rounak Majumdar      | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 16      | 20MS077  | S Manasvini          | Mathematical Sciences; Physical Sciences | MS20  |
| 17      | 20MS083  | Saindhabi Ghosh      | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 18      | 20MS084  | Ahana Chakraborty    | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 19      | 20MS088  | Avijit Majumder      | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 20      | 20MS089  | Tannistha Roy        | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 21      | 20MS095  | Sreetama Bhaduri     | Chemical Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 22      | 20MS105  | Dipendu Malakar      |  | MS20  |

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|---------|----------|-------------------------|---|-------|
| 23      | 20MS106  | Tushar Pal              | Chemical Sciences; Physical<br>Sciences | MS20  |
| 24      | 20MS110  | Rohan Roy               | Physical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 25      | 20MS111  | Tisha Dash              | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 26      | 20MS114  | Kumari Shristi Kejriwal | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 27      | 20MS121  | Archisman Chakrabarti   |   | MS20  |
| 28      | 20MS124  | Anshuman Das            | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 29      | 20MS125  | Souvik De               | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 30      | 20MS127  | Rahul Pradhan           | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 31      | 20MS129  | Najma                   | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 32      | 20MS131  | Urbi Paul               | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 33      | 20MS132  | Hanna Huvaiz            | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 34      | 20MS133  | Rashik A                | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 35      | 20MS138  | Sudipta Majumder        | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 36      | 20MS139  | Paromita Khan           | Geological Sciences                     | MS20  |
| 37      | 20MS140  | Arpita Das              | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 38      | 20MS143  | Amar Aparajeet          |   | MS20  |
| 39      | 20MS147  | Souhardya Saha          |   | MS20  |
| 40      | 20MS149  | Bondita Brahma          | Geological Sciences                     | MS20  |
| 41      | 20MS156  | Nagpure Shruti Sunil    | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 42      | 20MS159  | Jayamohan.P.M           |   | MS20  |
| 43      | 20MS160  | Ananya Brahmachari      | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 44      | 20MS171  | Utkarsh Pandey          | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 45      | 20MS180  | Ankita Mishra           | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 46      | 20MS182  | Neha Kumari             | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 47      | 20MS185  | Ritam Samanta           | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 48      | 20MS186  | Debanjana Mondal        | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 49      | 20MS188  | Himanshu Gupta          | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 50      | 20MS190  | Manini Saxena           | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 51      | 20MS194  | B Srisindhu             | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 52      | 20MS200  | Sowmya                  | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 53      | 20MS202  | Hassan Shabbir Rasiwala | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 54      | 20MS204  | Shruti Santosh Sail     | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 55      | 20MS211  | Diana Denzil Fernandez  | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 56      | 20MS212  | Borkar Aditya Ashok     | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |
| 57      | 20MS213  | Anandita Gope           | Chemical Sciences                       | MS20  |



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|---------|----------|------------------|-------------------|-------|
| 58      | 20MS217  | Anjali Mohan     | Chemical Sciences | MS20  |
| 59      | 20MS222  | Bipasha Das      |                   | MS20  |
| 60      | 20MS228  | Tanusree Mondal  | Chemical Sciences | MS20  |
| 61      | 20MS231  | Achal D Rajratna | Chemical Sciences | MS20  |

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|    | 19MS031  | Balwinder Singh         | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 2  | 19MS072  | Ratnajit Brahma         | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 3  | 20MS005  | Angshuman Talukder      | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 4  | 20MS022  | Sampurna Roy            | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 5  | 20MS024  | Niharendra Sarkar       |                     | MS20 |
| 6  | 20MS026  | Anish Dey               | Physical Sciences   | MS20 |
| 7  | 20MS027  | Sourasish Das           | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 8  | 20MS041  | Sayantan Khan           |                     | MS20 |
| 9  | 20MS043  | Anirudh Dixit           |                     | MS20 |
| 10 | 20MS049  | Priyaraj Pal            | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 11 | 20MS052  | Arindam Kumar Pal       | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 12 | 20MS054  | Soumyadeep Sarkar       | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 13 | 20MS058  | Swagata Das             | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 14 | 20MS061  | Chaarvi Kemprai         | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 15 | 20MS062  | Subhajit Chakraborty    |                     | MS20 |
| 16 | 20MS065  | Riya Paul               | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 17 | 20MS072  | Joyjit Kundu            |                     | MS20 |
| 18 | 20MS081  | Ankit Kumar             |                     | MS20 |
| 19 | 20MS087  | Sayak Roy               | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 20 | 20MS092  | Anurag Bhattacharya     | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 21 | 20MS097  | Amisha Singh            |                     | MS20 |
| 22 | 20MS100  | Odhavia Sahil Jaykishan |                     | MS20 |
| 23 | 20MS107  | Souptik Choudhury       |                     | MS20 |
| 24 | 20MS120  | Prajakta Kashyap        | Biological Sciences | MS20 |
| 25 | 20MS126  | Suryatanu Santra        |                     | MS20 |
| 26 | 20MS134  | Aliya V J               |                     | MS20 |
| 27 | 20MS135  | Yash Mohature           |                     | MS20 |
| 28 | 20MS144  | Utsho Biswas            | Biological Sciences | MS20 |

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|---------|---------|---------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| 29      | 20MS146 | Arghyadeb Roy                   | Physical Sciences   | MS20  |
| 30      | 20MS150 | Isha Nandini Kaman              | Geological Sciences | MS20  |
| 31      | 20MS153 | Priyam Chakraborty              |                     | MS20  |
| 32      | 20MS162 | Snigdha Ghosh                   | Biological Sciences | MS20  |
| 33      | 20MS172 | Anupam Sen                      |                     | MS20  |
| 34      | 20MS173 | Surya Gayathri S Bhattathiripad |                     | MS20  |
| 35      | 20MS189 | Rounak Mukhopadhyay             | Biological Sciences | MS20  |
| 36      | 20MS191 | Urvi Mukherjee                  |                     | MS20  |
| 37      | 20MS192 | Kushagra Advani                 | Biological Sciences | MS20  |
| 38      | 20MS193 | Sooraj S                        |                     | MS20  |
| 39      | 20MS195 | Naik Atharv Ajit                |                     | MS20  |
| 40      | 20MS201 | Tanishqa Ajay Chaubal           | Biological Sciences | MS20  |
| 41      | 20MS203 | Bishes Ray                      | Biological Sciences | MS20  |
| 42      | 20MS206 | Arya K                          |                     | MS20  |
| 43      | 20MS210 | Hrishika Dekate                 | Biological Sciences | MS20  |
| 44      | 20MS215 | Sakshi Ajay Shirsath            | Biological Sciences | MS20  |
| 45      | 20MS218 | Anagha E                        |                     | MS20  |
| 46      | 20MS219 | Amjed Khader K T                |                     | MS20  |
| 47      | 20MS232 | Tushar Singh                    | Geological Sciences | MS20  |

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|---------|---------|--|--|-------|
| 1       | 19MS117 | Shreya Shylesh                             | Biological Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 2       | 20MS045 | Sarthak Mahaur                             |  | MS20  |
| 3       | 20MS069 | Antarip Mahanti                            |  | MS20  |
| 4       | 20MS080 | Tanisha Garg                               | Mathematical Sciences<br>Physical Sciences | MS20  |
| 5       | 20MS085 | lyer Sriparameshwaran<br>Shankaranarayanan |  | MS20  |
| 6       | 20MS141 | Rupam Mondal                               | Biological Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 7       | 20MS142 | Supratim Roy                               | Biological Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 8       | 20MS148 | Dhritimona Deka                            | Chemical Sciences                          | MS20  |
| 9       | 20MS151 | Ariana Gayle Kharsyntiew                   | Biological Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 10      | 20MS181 | Anushil Kumar Bhagat                       |  | MS20  |
| 11      | 20MS216 | Chaithanya B P                             | Biological Sciences                        | MS20  |
| 12      | 18MS069 | Chandra Sekhar Padhan                      |  | MS18  |

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| Sl. No. | Roll No | Name                  | Minor Degree in                 | Batch |
|---------|---------|-----------------------|---------------------------------|-------|
| 1       | 20MS001 | Sumit Bagchi          | Computational and Data Sciences | MS20  |
| 2       | 20MS028 | Yash Jakhmola         | Computational and Data Sciences | MS20  |
| 3       | 20MS036 | Navprabhat Semalti    | Physical Sciences               | MS20  |
| 4       | 20MS042 | N Devharish           | Computational and Data Sciences | MS20  |
| 5       | 20MS102 | Swapnil Ray           |                                 | MS20  |
| 6       | 20MS155 | Mukund Balanarayan    | Physical Sciences               | MS20  |
| 7       | 20MS177 | Abhijit Kundu         |                                 | MS20  |
| 8       | 20MS178 | Safarul Rasheed       |                                 | MS20  |
| 9       | 20MS198 | Nripendra Kr Deb      |                                 | MS20  |
| 10      | 20MS224 | Didmishe Rohan Manish | Physical Sciences               | MS20  |

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| 1  |         | Name                      | Minor Degree in                 | Batch |
|----|---------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-------|
| 1  | 19MS056 | Gourish Majumdar          | Mathematical Sciences           | MS20  |
| 2  | 20MS002 | Supratik Sadhukhan        | Computational and Data Sciences | MS20  |
| 3  | 20MS003 | Aritra Pal                | Mathematical Sciences           | MS20  |
| 4  | 20MS007 | Arkaprova Dutta           | Mathematical Sciences           | MS20  |
| 5  | 20MS013 | Ayan Sahoo                |                                 | MS20  |
| 6  | 20MS014 | Kirty Ranjan Sahoo        |                                 | MS20  |
| 7  | 20MS016 | Saptak Mandal             |                                 | MS20  |
| 8  | 20MS019 | Snehadip Bhunia           | Chemical Sciences               | MS20  |
| 9  | 20MS021 | Dibyajyoti Mech           | Mathematical Sciences           | MS20  |
| 10 | 20MS031 | Sohan Pati                | Chemical Sciences               | MS20  |
| 11 | 20MS032 | Debanu Bandyopadhyay      |                                 | MS20  |
| 12 | 20MS038 | Arghya Maity              | Chemical Sciences               | MS20  |
| 13 | 20MS040 | Anish Dutta               | Chemical Sciences               | MS20  |
| 14 | 20MS044 | Abir Mondal               | Computational and Data Sciences | MS20  |
| 15 | 20MS051 | Pratyay Pal               | Mathematical Sciences           | MS20  |
| 16 | 20MS053 | Sourashis Roy             |                                 | MS20  |
| 17 | 20MS056 | Rohit Verma               |                                 | MS20  |
| 18 | 20MS060 | Ankan Basak               | Biological Sciences             | MS20  |
| 19 | 20MS063 | Somnath Roy               | Computational and Data Sciences | MS20  |
| 20 | 20MS068 | Rajit Sen                 | Biological Sciences             | MS20  |
| 21 | 20MS070 | Ritopriyo Pal             |                                 | MS20  |
| 22 | 20MS074 | Vana Phalguna Krishna Das | Computational and Data Sciences | MS20  |

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| 23      | 20MS078 | Faiq Lateef               |  | MS20  |
| 24      | 20MS082 | Aritra Sankar Brahmachari | Chemical Sciences                      | MS20  |
| 25      | 20MS091 | Abhisek Sarkar            | Computational and Data Sciences        | MS20  |
| 26      | 20MS094 | Sanskar Bhagowati         | Chemical Sciences                      | MS20  |
| 27      | 20MS101 | Priyajit Jana             | Mathematical Sciences                  | MS20  |
| 28      | 20MS103 | Saminur Rahaman           | Chemical Sciences                      | MS20  |
| 29      | 20MS104 | Aikya Banerjee            | Mathematical Sciences                  | MS20  |
| 30      | 20MS109 | Barshan Ray               | Computational and Data Sciences        | MS20  |
| 31      | 20MS112 | Richa Halder              | Computational and Data Sciences        | MS20  |
| 32      | 20MS113 | Jesneil Lauren Lewis      | Geological Sciences                    | MS20  |
| 33      | 20MS115 | Twishum Tah               | Biological Sciences                    | MS20  |
| 34      | 20MS116 | Divyansh Dewan            | Chemical Sciences                      | MS20  |
| 35      | 20MS117 | Sreejit Das               |  | MS20  |
| 36      | 20MS118 | Arkoprava Ganguly         | Biological Sciences                    | MS20  |
| 37      | 20MS119 | Meghna Sarkar             | Chemical Sciences; Biological Sciences | MS20  |
| 38      | 20MS128 | Deep Gopinath Kasar       |  | MS20  |
| 39      | 20MS152 | Swarnendu Saha            | Geological Sciences                    | MS20  |
| 40      | 20MS157 | Theajeshvar S             | Biological Sciences                    | MS20  |
| 41      | 20MS158 | Nandhana K P              | Computational and Data Sciences        | MS20  |
| 42      | 20MS163 | Soumyajit Datta           | Mathematical Sciences                  | MS20  |
| 43      | 20MS164 | Anandu Vinod              |  | MS20  |
| 44      | 20MS166 | Sanchari Ray              | Biological Sciences                    | MS20  |
| 45      | 20MS167 | Biyas Chowdhury           |  | MS20  |
| 46      | 20MS168 | Richik Bhattacharya       | Mathematical Sciences                  | MS20  |
| 47      | 20MS170 | Shivangi Menon            |  | MS20  |
| 48      | 20MS175 | Swastik Majumder          | Mathematical Sciences                  | MS20  |
| 49      | 20MS176 | Dipesh Kumar Singh        |  | MS20  |
| 50      | 20MS179 | Debayan Das               | Biological Sciences                    | MS20  |
| 51      | 20MS183 | Anuj Kumar Chaurasia      |  | MS20  |
| 52      | 20MS187 | Aarya Bothra              |  | MS20  |
| 53      | 20MS197 | Shashwat Gaur             |  | MS20  |
| 54      | 20MS199 | Yashvardhan Jain          | Chemical Sciences                      | MS20  |
| 55      | 20MS207 | G. P Hrishikesh           | Biological Sciences                    | MS20  |
| 56      | 20MS208 | Anusha Ashish Naik        | Biological Sciences                    | MS20  |
| 57      | 20MS209 | Aakash Kumar              |  | MS20  |
| 58      | 20MS221 | Sudipta Mridha            | Geological Sciences                    | MS20  |

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| 59      | 20MS225 | Satyam Mahajan  |                       | MS20  |
| 60      | 20MS227 | Piduri Ritwik   | Mathematical Sciences | MS20  |
| 61      | 20MS229 | Pawni Manchanda |                       | MS20  |
| 62      | 20MS230 | Saqlain Afroz   |                       | MS20  |

#### BS Degree with Research: 3 students

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| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name                | Minor Degree in | Batch |
|---------|----------|---------------------|-----------------|-------|
| 1       | 21MS167  | Navonil Chakrabarti |                 | MS21  |

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| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name                       | Minor Degree in                 | Batch |
|---------|----------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|-------|
| 1       | 19MS024  | Patel Meetkumar Bharatbhai | Computational and Data Sciences | MS20  |

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| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name             | Minor Degree in     | Batch |
|---------|----------|------------------|---------------------|-------|
| 1       | 20MS123  | Namrata Banerjee | Biological Sciences | MS20  |

#### **BS Degree: 14 students**

#### **Department of Biological Sciences**

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name                  | Minor Degree in | Batch |
|---------|----------|-----------------------|-----------------|-------|
| 1       | 21MS010  | Kritika Margadarshini |                 | MS21  |

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| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name           | Minor Degree in | Batch |
|---------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------|
| 1       | 17MS186  | Siddharth Nair |                 | MS20  |

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| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name                   | Minor Degree in | Batch |
|---------|----------|------------------------|-----------------|-------|
| 1       | 19MS057  | Abhiroop Kumar Chauhan |                 | MS21  |
| 2       | 21MS082  | Ram Kripal Singh Yadav |                 | MS21  |
| 3       | 21MS085  | Suhas Preetham S       |                 | MS21  |
| 4       | 21MS211  | Tarak Sanjay Yadav     |                 | MS21  |
| 5       | 21MS248  | Prabhat Kumar Bhagat   |                 | MS21  |

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| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name             | Minor Degree in                 | Batch |
|---------|----------|------------------|---------------------------------|-------|
| 1       | 19MS157  | Sanmoy Saha      |                                 | MS20  |
| 2       | 20MS108  | Snehankur Sarkar | Computational and Data Sciences | MS20  |
| 3       | 21MS011  | Tarushi Jindal   |                                 | MS21  |
| 4       | 21MS054  | Abhilash Saha    |                                 | MS21  |

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| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name                | Minor Degree in | Batch |
|---------|----------|---------------------|-----------------|-------|
| 1       | 20MS006  | Shiv Raj Hembrom    |                 | MS20  |
| 2       | 21MS019  | Rohan Kumar         |                 | MS21  |
| 3       | 21MS230  | Archis Mukhopadhyay |                 | MS21  |

#### Diploma: 1 student

| Sl. No. | Roll No. | Name        | Batch |
|---------|----------|-------------|-------|
| 1       | 20MS067  | Deblina Das | MS23  |

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