

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

The Department of Political Science was established on 10th September, 1974, and started functioning from 19th September 1974 with 35 students on the roll of M.A.(previous) class. The Department started its teaching with two teachers only. By 1992-93 the Department had on its roll 80 students both in the M.A.(previous) and M.A.(Final) year classes with a sanctioned strength of 13 faculty members, excluding a Professor of Political Science from the University Pool. The Department started a regular M.Phil programme from the academic year 1979-80 with six regular and four special M.Phil students. During the year 1994-95 there were 6 regular M.Phil students. Apart from M.A. and M.Phil courses, the Department also provides research facilities leading to a Ph.D degree, During 1994-95 two Ph.D candidates were enrolled. Most of the M.A., M.Phil and Ph.D students belong to the schedule Tribe communities of the North-Eastern States.

The Department aims at building an academic community of students, researchers and teachers devoted to a dispassionate open and critical study of Political Science. Its teaching and research programmes seek to promote inter-disciplinary studies, to make courses and studies socially relevant, and to develop in the students and awareness of the basic needs and issues of the country and to equip them intellectually to fulfil these needs.

Head of the Department :- Prof. A.K.Baruah.

Faculty :-

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. B.Pakem	Professor	On Lien
Dr. A.K.Baruah	Professor	Contemporary Political theory, and Government and Politics.
Dr. R.L.Walli	Professor	International Politics
Dr. R.Borgohain	Reader	Indian Govt & Politics
Dr. L.S.Gassah	Reader	Government & Politics in North-East India.
Dr. B.J. Deb	Reader	International Politics & Govt & Politics in N.E.India.
Dr. Elizabeth Laitflang	Lecturer	North East
Mr. Khakchang Debbarma	Lecturer	Public Administration, International Politics.
Mr. Pascal Malngiang	Lecturer	International law & Comparative Politics.
Ms. Susmita Sen Gupta	Lecturer	Indian Govt. & Politics & Political sociology.

Student Intake :-

(a) Enrolment Capacity - 40 students each for M.A.(Previous) and M.A.(final). 10 for M.Phil, Ph.D according to the availability of supervisors.

(b) Actual Admissions:-

	SC.	ST.	Genl.	Male.	Female	Total
M.A.(Previous)	Nil	39	2	19	20	41
M.Phil	Nil	2	-	1	1	2
Ph.D.	Nil	3	2	1	4	5

Courses Conducted :-

M.A. (Previous) :- First Semester

Political Theory :- the Classical Traditions, theories and concept in Public Administration, government and Politics in India, theory of International Politics.

Second Semester

Political theory :- the Liberal Democratic theory and Conservation, Issues in Public Administration, Socio-economic Basis of the Indian Political system, Problems of International Politics.

M.A. (Final) :- Third Semester - compulsory

Political Theory :- contemporary Marxist theory, Modern Political Analysis.

Optional . (Any Two)

International Law, Traditional govt. & Politics of the Hill Areas of North-East India, issues in Indian Administration/ Research methodology.

Fourth Semester - Compulsory

Contemporary Political theory : Major Issues Comparative Politics

Optional : (Any Two)

International Organisation, Govt. & Politics of the Hill Areas of N.E. India, Modern Indian Political ideas, Foreign Policy Studies, Political sociology, Dissertation in lieu of one course.

M.Phil :-

Contemporary Political theory and Research Methodology.

Seminar/Conferences :

(a) Organised

- i. National Seminar on Student Movements in North East, 30-31 March 95.
- ii. Fourth Annual conference NEIPSA-Shillong-March 30-31 1995.

(b) Attended :

- Dr. A.K.Baruah :-
1. Annual conference of the North-East India History Association in Arunachal University.
 2. Acted as resource person in 2 orientation programmes in the Academic Staff college Gauhati University.
- Dr. L.S.Gassah :-
1. The National workshop on the 73rd Amendment Act of the constitution and Self-Governing Institutions of the Tribal People of N.E.India, Guwahati August 1994.
 2. Seminar on Population Growth Trend in N.E.India & its impact on natural Resources and social Services, 27th March 1995, Shillong.
 3. National Seminar and 4th Conference of North-East India Political Science Association, 30-31 March 1995, Shillong.
- Dr. B.J.Deb :-
1. Attended and submitted paper during the Seminar on Social Movements in N.E.India, organised by NEICSSR, August 94.
 2. Delivered a lecture 'Human Rights under the Constitution & the Law in the orientation programme for Meghalaya Police personnel, April 1994.
 3. chaired a panel on environment during Seminar organised by NEICSSR on the occasion of World environment Day 5 June 1994.
- Dr. E.Laitflang :-
1. Indian Council of Social Science Research- March 22-24, 1995.
 2. NECSSR- Youth Centre - Shillong - March 27, 1995.
 3. Political Science Refresher course Gauhati University - Nov 7-31, 1994.
 4. National Seminar and 4th conference of North-East India Political Science association, 30-31 March, 1995 Shillong.

Mr. Khakchang-
Debbarma

1. Conference on UN Working Group on
Indigenous Population 20th-29th July
1994, Geneva, Switzerland.

2. Seminar on Autonomy of Tribal Peoples, 22-23
May, 1994.

Mr. Pascal Malngiang. 1. Police Orientation Course at Jowai, 1994.

2. National Seminar on Students Movements in
North East India, Shillong, March, 1995.

3. Seminar organised by "Ka Lympung in
Khasi", St. Edmund's College, Shillong, Oct. 1995.

4. Living Composers symposium organised by
Centre for Creative Arts, NEHU, 1994.

Ms. Susmita Sen Gupta 1. Attended the National Seminar on Student
Movement and the IVth Annual conference of
NEIPSA held at NEHU Shillong, on 30th and
31st March, 1995.

2. Attended a NERC-NEHU lecture series on
"Sustainable-Human Development in the North
Eastern Region of India held on March 22, 23
and 24, 1995, at Seminar Hall, Mayurbhanj
Complex, NEHU.

Visiting Professors/Fellows: Dr. Pramod Kumar (12.4.94 to 26.4.94).

Publications :-

1. Baruah, A.K., "Middle Class Hegemony and the National Question
in Assam", in Milton Sangma (ed) Essays on North
East India (Indus - Publishing Company New Delhi,
1994) pp. 242-278.

(Edited) Proceedings of the North East India
Political Science Association 3rd Annual
Conference published by NEIPSA Shillong, 94.

2. Walli, R.L., "Post Cold War International Politics," NEHU
Journal of Social Sciences, 1994.

3. Gassah, L.S., 'Phawar Rwai and thep Mawshyieng of Lamin
Village in Jaintia Hills', in Festivals and
Ceremonies in Meghalaya, Historical & Antiquarian
Studies, Department of Arts and Culture, Govt. of
Meghalaya, January 1994.

'Traditional Khasi Polity', in Lest We
Forget, Khasi National Celebration committee,

Shillong 1994.

'State of Teaching and Research of Political Science in North-East India', Journal of NEICSSR (Bi-Decennial Celebration of NEICSSR), June, 1994.

'Revenue Administration in Jaintia Hills during the British Rule', Journal of NEICSSR, October 1994.

'Traditional and Emerging Leadership Pattern in Khasi-Jaintia Hills of Meghalaya' in Essays on North-East India M.S.Sangma, (ed) Indus publishing co., New Delhi, 1994.

'Trade Routes and Trade Relations between Jaintia Hills and Sylhet in the Pre-Independence period', in Studies in the Economic History of North East India, (Ed) J.B.Bhattacharjee, Har-Anand Publications, 1994.

'Youth problems in the Border Areas of Jaintia Hills', in Youth Movement in North East India, A.C.Sinha (ed), Har-Anand Publications, 1995.

4. Malngiang, P. Students and Politics in Meghalaya (Seven Huts Enterprise, Synod complex, Shillong.)

"Crime and Human Rights : the Perspective of Punishment" in Meghalaya Police Officers' orientation Course brochure, 1994.

"Media and the Police" in Meghalaya Police Officers' Orientation Course brochure, 1995 (April).

"Contemporary Khasi society : Problems and perspectives" in Lest We forget, brought out by Khasi National Indigenous People's Celebration, 1994.

Thrust Area of Research :-

1. M.Phil -Govt.& Politics of North-East India.
2. Ph.D. - Govt.& Politics of North-East India.

Research Programme/Research Projects :-

Apart from attending to the supervisory duty towards the M.Phil/ Ph.D students attached to them, the faculty members of this department have involved in their individual projects.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
AIZAWL**

The Department of Public Administration, NEHU, Mizoram Campus, Aizawl started functioning from June, 1985, but teaching in the two Post-Graduate Programmes in Public Administration began in 1987. The Department has been servicing the following Programmes:

The Developmental themes receive emphasis in the over-all structures of the three Programmes with exposure to theoretical concepts as well as practical problems. Facilities for Ph.D. supervision are also available in the Department.

Head of the Department : Dr. S. Jawaid, Reader.

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Specialisation
(1) Dr. R.N. Prasad	Professor	Indian Administrative System; Govt. & Politics in India; Govt. & Politics in North - East India / Regional Studies/Political Theory.
(2) Dr. Sohail Jawaid	Reader	Political Theory; Public Administration/Comparative Public Administration/ Administrative Theory.
(3) Dr. Capt.C. Lalkima	Lecturer (Senior)	Development Administration; Special Administration.
(4) Mr. Lalrintluanga	Lecturer	Government and Politics of the Hill Areas of North-East India; Indian Administrative System; Political Theory.
(5) Mrs. Kalpana Das	Lecturer	Indian Administrative System; Bureaucracy & Politics; Public Policy Analysis.
(6) Mrs. Lalneihzovi	Visiting Fellow	Social Administration; Comparative Business Organisation.

Student intake :

- (a) Enrolment capacity.
(b) Actual Admission under the heading.

M.A. = 52

	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
Scheduled Caste	-	-	-
Scheduled Tribe	35	14	49
General	3	-	3

M.Phil - Nil
Ph.D. - 1

Courses Conducted (Titles only) :

M.A.:

FIRST SEMESTER :

- Course - 1 : Fundamentals of Public Administration
Course - 2 : Indian Administration : Structure & Processor.
Course - 3 : Public Personnel Administration with reference to Britain,U.S.A. & France
Course - 4 : Economic & Financial Administration in India

SECOND SEMESTER :

- Course - 5 : Development Administration in India
Course - 6 : Office Management in Government
Course - 7 : Theories of Bureaucracy
Course - 8 : Government & Politics of the Hill Areas of North-East India

THIRD SEMESTER :

- Course - 9 : Administrative Thought
Course - 10 : Public Policy Analysis
Optional - One
Optional - Two

ANY TWO OF THE FOLLOWING OPTIONALS :

COURSES 11 TO 16

- Course - 11 : Political Theory
- Course - 12 : Indian Government & Politics : Social Structure & Process
- Course - 13 : Administration of Public Enterprises in India
- Course - 14 : Research Methodology
- Course - 15 : Rural Development Administration in India
- Course - 16 : Tribal Development Administration in India

FOURTH SEMESTER :

- Course - 17 : Comparative Public Administration
- Course - 18 : International Administration
- Optional - One
- Optional - Two

ANY TWO OF THE FOLLOWING OPTIONALS
COURSES 19 - 25

- Course - 19 : Theory and Practice of Local Government
- Course - 20 : Urban Development Administration In India
- Course - 21 : Administrative Law & Tribunals
- Course - 22 : Labour Administration in India
- Course - 23 : Cooperative Business Organisation
- Course - 24 : Social Administration in India
- Course - 25 : Dissertation (in lieu of one Course)
- Four-Week Practical Training (Non-Credit component)

M.A. Via Diploma

FIRST SEMESTER

- Course - 1 : Fundamentals of Public Administration
- Course - 2 : Indian Administration : Structure & Processes
- Course - 3 : Public Personnel Administration with Special Reference to Britain, U.S.A. & France
- Course - 4 : Economic & Financial Administration in India

SECOND SEMESTER

- Course - 5 : Development Administration in India
- Course - 6 : Office Management in Government
- Course - 7 : Theory of Bureaucracy
- Course - 8 : Government & Politics of the Hill Areas of North-East India

THIRD SEMESTER

- Course - 9 : Administrative thought
- Course - 10 : Public Policy Analysis

NOTE :

- (1) The Programme consists of a total of Sixteen Courses of 1600 marks out of which Twelve Courses are Compulsory and Thirteen are Optional Courses - Six in the III Semester and Seven in the IV Semester, out of which any two courses in the III Semester and any two in the IV Semester are to be offered.
- (2) At the beginning of each academic session, the Department shall notify the list of Optional Courses to be offered in both the III and IV Semesters.
- (3) A student concerned who wants to write a dissertation may do so in lieu of one Optional Course in the IV Semester.
- (4) Each Course Carries 100 marks. Duration of the Examination in each Course is three hours.
- (5) Eligible P.G. Diploma Students, who had studied the first eight Courses as a part of their curriculum and who had secured minimum aggregate of 50% in the P.G. Diploma Examination may directly get admitted in the III Semester of this Programme.

Post-Graduate Diploma (One year)

FIRST SEMESTER :

- Course 1 : Fundamentals of Public Administration
- Course 2 : Indian Administration : Structure and processes
- Course 3 : Public Personnel Administration with Special Reference to Britain,U.S.A. and France
- Course 4 : Economic and financial Administration in India

SECOND SEMESTER :

- COURSE 5 : Development Administration in India
- Course 6 : Office Management in Government
- Course 7 : Theories of Bureaucracy
- Course 8 : Government and politics of the Hill Areas of North East India.

NOTE : Each Course carries 100 marks.

Duration of the Examination in each Course is three hours.

Seminars/Conferences/Symposium etc :

Organised:

- (1) The Department jointly with the IIPA, Aizawl Local Branch organised the ICSSR N.E.Regional centre Shillong sponsored seminar on "Women's Development : Problems and Prospects" on April 19th 1994.

The Department jointly with the IIPA,Aizawl Local Branch, Shri.Virendra Rai, IPS, held a lecture on 9.9.95 in which Deputy Inspector General of Police (Training), Government of Mizoram,Aizawl gave a talk on IMPORTANCE OF LAW AND ORDER : ROLL OF PUBLIC IN THE CHANGING SITUATION.

Attended:

Prof. R.N. Prasad, Deptt. of Public Administration, NEHU, Mizoram Campus, Aizawl and Hony Secretary,IIPA,Aizawl Local Branch participated in the Rajiv Gandhi Foundation sponsored North Eastern Regional Workshop on TRADITIONAL SELF GOVERNING INSTITUTES organised by the Institute of Social change & Development, Guwahati on August 20-31,1994. He presented an working paper on TRADITIONAL SELF GOVERNING

INSTITUTES : A STUDY OF VILLAGE ADMINISTRATION IN MIZORAM.

Prof. R.N. Prasad, Hony. Secretary gave an introductory speech. Shri.P.Lalnithanga, IAS (Retd), Vice-Chairman of the Local Branch presided over the meeting.

PUBLICATION :

- (1) R.N.Prasad, "Inner Line Regulation and its Impact on Development of North-Eastern States" in R.K.Samants (Ed). INDIA'S NORTH-EAST = THE PROCESS OF CHANGE AND DEVELOPMENT, New Delhi, B.R.Publishing Corporation, 1994.
- (2) R.N.Prasad, (Ed), Autonomy Movements in Mizoram, New Delhi, Vikas Publishing House Pvt. Ltd, 1994
- (3) R.N.Prasad, "Tradational Village Administration in Mizoram" in THE ADMINISTRATOR, Quarterly Journal of the Lal Bahadur Shastri National Academy of Administration, Mussoorie, October - December - 1994, Vol. XXXIX, No.4.
- (4) R.N.Prasad, "Research in Public Administration in North-East India" in Journal of North-East India Council for Social Science Research, June, 1994, Shillong.
- (5) R.N.prasad, (Ed) ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW, Annual Journal of Aizawl Local Branch of IIPA, New Delhi, 1994, Vol. I.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

The Department began instructions at M.A, M.Phil and Ph.D level in 1976 on a modest scale. There were then only five faculty members and 25 M.A. and M.Phil students. Since then fifteen batches of M.A., about three and half dozen of M.Phil and half a dozen of Ph.D students have been awarded degrees in Sociology. Keeping in mind Article 4 of the NEHU Act (the Socio-cultural development of the North Eastern Region) the Department decided to emphasise on Social Change as its academic thrust, in which most of the researches are conducted, which includes:-

- (a)Emerging Social Inequality; (b) Political Movement;
- (c)Occupational Differentiation; (d) Social Movements
- (e)Ethnic Identity and Relations; (f) Demography, Ecology and Environment.

Head of the Department : Dr. C. Nunthara

Faculty :

<u>Name</u>	<u>Designation</u>	<u>Specialisation.</u>
Dr.. M.N.Karna	Professor	1.Agrarian Social Structure 2.Sociology of Movement 3.Economic Sociology 4.Development Problems in N.E.
Dr. A.C.Sinha	Professor	1.Political Sociology 2.Social Anthropology 3.Historical Sociology 4.Sociology of Frontier Communities
Dr. C.Nunthara	Reader	1.Political Sociology 2.Ethnic Relations and Emerging Enequality 3.Economic Sociology 4.Social Change

Dr. P.M.Chacko	Reader	1.Sociology of Movements 2.Sociology of Economic Development
Dr. Nikhlesh Kumar	Reader	1.Sociology of Occupation 2.Medical Sociology 3.Sociology of Organisations 4.Sociology of Development and Planning.
Dr. C.L.Imchen	Reader	1.Social Change 2.Social Anthropology
Dr. I.Lanu Aier	Lecturer	1.Political sociology 2.Sociology of Development 3.sociology of Stratification 4.Ethnic Studies
A.K.Nongkynrih	Lecturer	1.Sociology of Kinship

(a) Enrolment Capacity :

M.A.	30
M.Phil.	15
Ph.D.	5

(b) Actual Admission :

	SC/ST	General	Male	Female	Total
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M.A. II	22	7	6	23	29
M.A. IV	33	5	16	22	38
M.Phil.	11	5	5	11	16
Ph.D.	20	7.	16	11	27

Course Conducted :

First Semester:

- i.Sociology of Kinship
- ii.Sociological Theories I
- iii.social Stratification in India
- iv.Methodology of social Research I

Second Semester :

- i. Sociological Theory II
- ii. Methodology of social Research II
- iii. Sociology of Religion
- iv. Urban Sociology

third Semester :

- i. Polity and Society
- ii. Economy and Society
- iii. Tribal Movement
- iv. Industrial sociology.

Fourth Semester :

- i. Social change
- ii. Sociology of education
- iii. entrepreneurship and Management
- iv. Social Structure and Political Power.

Seminars/Conferences:-

(a) Organised:-

1. One day seminar on "Changing aspects of family in Meghalaya", sponsored by ICSSR-NERC, directed by Dr.P.M. Chako

(b) Attended:-

Prof. M.N.Karna (1.4.94 - 31.3.95)

1. "Perspectives in the study of Social Movements", Paper presented at the Seminar on social Movement in North Eastern India, organised by NEICSSR, Shillong, August 26, 1994.

2. "Ayodhya : A Case of Growing Assertion of Hindu Identity" paper presented at the International Seminar on Multi-ethnicity, Religion and Conflict organised by the Asiatic Society, Calcutta, March 10, 1995.

3. Attended the Regional Workshop on Traditional Self-Governing Institutions among the Hill Tribal Population Groups of North East- India, Guwahati, 29-31 August 1994 organised by the Institute of Social Change and Development, Guwahati.

4. Attended the All India Sociological Conference, Jawaharlal Nehru University, December 19-21, 1994.

5. Presided the Session on 'Ethnic Conflicts and Nationality Concept of the International Seminar on Multiethnicity, Religion and Conflict, the Asiatic Society, Calcutta, March 11, 1995.

6. Presided the Academic Session II of the Seminar on 'Population Growth Trend in North-East India and its Impact on Natural Resources and Social Services', organised by the NEICSSR, Shillong March 27, 1995.

7. Presided a Session at the National Seminar on Student Movements in North East India, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong, March 30, 1995.

Prof. A.C. Sinha

1. Participation in the Indo-Nepalese Colloquium sponsored by B.P. Koirala Indo - Nepalese Foundation at the School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi on September 28-30, 1994.

2. Presented a paper 'Pravasi-Sangam: A Centre for Cultural Communication Among the Immigrant Indians' at 'International Conference on the Indian Diaspora' sponsored by the UGC the Rajiv Gandhi Foundation at University of the Hyderabad, Hyderabad on November 12, 1994.

3. Attended the All India Sociological Congress at Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, December 19-21, 1994.

4. Contributed a paper "The Social World of the Senior citizens in Meghalaya" to the seminar on "Changing Family in Meghalaya" on March 21, 1995 in the Deptt. of Sociology NEHU, Shillong.

Dr. C. Nunthara,

1. Participated and presided at the Seminar on 'Changing Aspects of Family in Meghalaya' sponsored by ICSSR-NERC.

2. Contributed paper for "Mizoram" in Indian Institute of Social Sciences Publication Status of Panchayati Raj in the States of India 1994 Concept Publishing Company New Delhi 1995.

Dr.. P.M.Chacko.

1. Dr.P.M.Chacko has been selected by the U.G.C. as a visiting Associate under the Scheme he visited Deptt.of Sociology, Delhi University from 12th January 1995 to 19th February, 1995.

2. Delivered two lectures in State Training Institute on 'Urbanization and Urban Poor' and on 'Urban Poverty and the Women'.

3. Gave a talk on 'Matriliney Among the Khasis in Sociology Discussion Forum, Deptt. of Sociology, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 9th February, 1995.

Dr. Nikhlesh Kumar.

1. A Study of Youth Movement as Social Movement- An Approach paper, paper presented in the National Seminar on Student Movement, Organised by the Department of Political Science, NEHU., Shillong, March 30-31 1995.

Dr. I.L.Aier, Senior Lecturer

1. Presented paper titled "Christianity and Work Ethnic : an observation of Naga society" in Seminar titled "Urbanisation and Christianity in the Hill States of North-East India", organised by Sacred Heart Theological college, Shillong, and History Department, NEHU, 1994.

2. Attended as participant in seminar titled "Changing aspect of Family in Meghalaya" organised by Dr.P.M.Chacko, Department of Sociology, NEHU, 1995.

Publications :

Prof. A.C.Sinha

A. Books.

I. North Eastern Frontier of India : Structural Imperative and Aspects of Change, Indus Publishing Co. New Delhi, 1994.

II. Youth Movement in North East India (ed) Har-Anand Publications. New Delhi, 1994.

B. Articles

1. 'A Note on social formation in North Eastern Fronties Region' in Tribal Situation in North East India (ed) S. Sengupta, Inter-India Publications, New Delhi, 1994.
2. 'Bhutan : 1994 : Who will upset whose ethnic applectart?' Asian Survey University of California, Berkeley, February, 1995, Vol XXV.No.2.

3. 'Pravasi Sangam : A Centre for Cultural communication Among the Immigrant Indians' International Conference on the Indian Diaspora, sponsored by G.C.C. and Rajiv Gandhi foundation, at the University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad, Nov. 1-2, 1994.

4. 'Bhutan : Political culture and National Dilema' in Bhutan : Perspectives on conflict and Dissent (ed) Hutt, M. The Kiscadale Asia Research Series, Headington, Oxford, U.K. Autumn, 1994.

C. Research Report

Validation survey of Not Covered (NC) Habitations Identified during 1991-93 for safe Rural Drinking Water Sources in the States of Mizoram and Meghalaya, (in three Volumes each) sponsored by 'Rajiv Gandhi Drinking Water Mission' (R.G.D.W.M.) Ministry of Rural Development, Govt. Of India, New Delhi, December, 1994.

Dr. P.M.Chacko, Reader

1. "Matrilineal System : Its structural Implication"(Mimeo) : Paper presented in a seminar 'Changing Aspects of Family in Meghalaya', Department of Sociology, NEHU, 21st March, 1995.

2. "Urbanization and christianity in the Hill States of North-East India", paper presented in a seminar on Impact of Christianity in N.E. India, S.H.College, Shillong september, 1994.

3. Book review; 'Contributions to the Sociology of work and Organisations' edited by Jaspal Singh, In sociological Bulletin, Vol. 43, No. 2. September 1994, P. 248.

4. Book review : Indian Village from Entity to Non-entity' by M.F. patel, in contributions to Indian Sociology 28, 1(lakh) p. 199.

Dr. Niklesh Kumar :

1. Khasi Student Union - Preliminary Enquiry (Co-authored with A.K.Nongkynrih) in Sinha, A.C. (ed) : Youth Movement in North-East India, New Delhi : Har-Anand Publication, 1995.

Dr. C.L.Imchen, Reader

A. Book

I. A book entitled a NAGALAND, Co-authored with S.Singh and N.K.Das a Volume forming a part of the people of India project report, Anthropological survey of India,

1994.

B. Article

I. "Nagas of India", in STATE OF THE PEOPLE published by Cultural Survival Inc. Boston, Mars, USA (a comprehensive volume on Human rights to commemorate the UN decade of indigenous peoples) 1994.

Other Activities :

1. Visited Bhutan as a guest of the State for consultation on-going ethnic violence in Bhutan, on October 9.16, 1994.
2. Completed a three months long research project or 'Validation Survey of Not Covered (NC) Habitation Identified During 1991-93 for Safe Rural Drinking Water Sources in the States of Meghalaya and Mizoram as Chief Co-ordinator, a study sponsored by 'RGND Mission, Ministry of Rural Development, Govt. of India, New Delhi, December 1994.
3. Initiated the field work for the research project on "The Evolution of the Juvenile Justice Act, 1986 in Bihar and Orissa" sponsored by the Ministry of Welfare, govt. of India, New Delhi, February 1995.

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

Established in 1974 the Department of History has been organised, as its placement in the School of Social Sciences would suggest on the concept of history as a social science.

The Department emphasis on the study of peoples and regions in particular the social and cultural developments, with special reference to India and the North East. The Departments academics objectives are (1) to provide at the Master's level a broad knowledge of human history in areas and themes of special concern to the Department and of the modern approaches to its study through a suitably structured and balanced syllabus (ii) to promote historical research in hitherto unexplored areas, especially in the North Eastern Region through the M.Phil/Ph.D programmes and through the researches of the faculty.

Head of the Department : Prof. Milton S.Sangma.

Faculty :

Name	Designation	Specialization
1. Dr. J.B.Bhattacharjee	Professor on deputation as V.C.Assam University	Modern India
2. Dr. J.P.Singh	Professor	Ancient India
3. Dr. Imdad Hussain	Professor	Modern NE India/Military History/History of Frontier Area and Neighbouring Countries.
4. Dr.M.S.Sangma	Professor	Modern N.E.India
5. Dr. H.Giri	Reader, on leave as Professor, Centre for Creative Arts NEHU	Modern N.E.India
6. Dr.D.R.Syiemlieh	Reader	Modern India/NE India
7. Dr. M.Momin	Reader	Ancient India
8. Dr.M.Sharma	Reader	Modern India/NE India
9. Mr. V.R.Rengsi	Lecturer	N.E.India
10.Ms.C.Mawlong	"	Pre History
11.Dr. F.A.Qadri	"	Medieval India

Seminars and Conference (a) Organised : The History Department organised jointly with Sacred Heart Theological College, Shillong a three days seminar (28-30 September 1994) on "Impact of Christianity on North-East India" funded by the Indian Council of Historical Research, the seminar drew together a large number of scholars. It is intended to publish the proceeding of the seminar.

(b) Attended : Prof. M.S.Sangma J.P. Singh, I.Hussain and Dr. D.R.Syiemlieh M.Sharma and F.A.Qadri attended the 14th Session of the North East India History Association held at Arunachal University 6-8 December, 1994. Prof. Sangma delivered his Presidential Address. This and the papers read by the faculty members will be printed and reported in the next years' Annual Report. Professor M.S.Sangma and Dr.D.R.Syiemlieh participated and read a paper in the seminar reported in (a) above. Prof.I.Hussain and Dr.M.Sharma attended the seminar on "American Historio-graphy" organised by the USIS, Calcutta at Puri from 8-9 September 1994. Dr.M.Sharma also attended two other conferences (i)"Traditional Self Governing Institutions of North East India", organised by the Institute for Social Change and Development, Guwahati in August 1994 and (ii)the National Seminar on "Student Movements in North East India organised by the Political Science Department, NEHU at, 30-31 March, 1995. Dr.D.R.Syiemlieh read a paper "Notes from a Missionary's letters" at the North East Branch of the Chruch History Association in their Meeting held on 30 September 1994. Dr.F.A.Quadri also participated in three other conference (i) Read paper "Aspects of Muslim-Mystic Movement in Barak and Surma Valley during Medieval Period" on the National Seminar on History and Society of South Assam at the Assam University, Silchar between 22-24 January 1995. (ii) Read paper "Problem of Social Justice in Medieval India :Sultanate Perspective," at the National Seminar on "Social Justice: Problem and Perspectives", between 5-7, March, 1995 at Varanasi. (iii)Attended U.G.C. Workshop on "Converting Correspondence Course Material into Distance Education Course, Annamalai University, 25-30 November, 1994.

8. Publications :

1. Prof. J.P.Singh

- 1) "Phuleswari - Observations on her Kingship", JNEICSSR April 1994, Vol 18-1,
- 11) "King of Kamarupa : Friends and Guest of Indira", in M.S.Sangma, Essays on North East India, Indus Publishing, N.Delhi, 1994.

2. Prof. M.S.Sangma (ed) (i) Essays on North East India published in

- memory of Prof V V R Rao, Indus Publication Co.N.Delhi, 1994.
(ii) Edited, F.S.Downs, Essays on Christianity in North East India, Indus Publications, N.Delhi, 1994.

- (iii) "Jorhat : An Educational Centre of the American Baptist Mission", Proceeding of the NEIHA, 14 Session, Shillong 1994'.
- (iv) "Advent of the Pioneer Christian Mission in North East India", Indian Church History Review, June 1994.
3. Dr.D.R.Syiemlieh(Edited) (i) Proceedings of the NEIHA, 14 Session, Shillong, 1994.
 (ii) edited, F.S.Downs, Essays on Christianity in North East India, Indus Publication Co.N.Delhi,1994.
 (iii) "Mariamnager: An Ancient Christian Settlement in Tripura, Indian Church History Review, June 1994
 (iv) "Burma : Flirting with Reid's Plan" in M.S.Sangma(ed), Essays on North East India, Indus Publication Co., N.Delhi 1994.
4. Dr. M.Sharma (i) Trends of Historical Writing and Status of Historical Research in North East India",Proceeding of the NEIHA, XIVth Seession, Shillong,1994.
5. Dr. F.A.Qadri
 (i) Meghalaya Through a Mughal Eye", The Meghalaya Guardian,Vol.V, No.133,May 17,1994.
 (ii) " Shattari Riwayat Ke Jarne': Mir Imam ud-Din Rajgiri (Urdu)", Fikr-o-Nazar, Islamic Research Institute, Islamic University, Islamabad, Vol.31,No.4,April.June 1994.

Thrust Area of Research-Regional History/North East India

Research Programme/Research Projects. All the faculty members continue their own areas of research and have their findings read at seminars and conferences.

Any other remarks : The Department organised two H.K.Barpujari Endowment Lectures. Professor F.S.Downs of United Theological College, Bangalore delivered a series of 3 lectures between 24-26 October 1994 on the topic "The Impact of Christianity on the status of women among the hill tribes of North East India". The second series of Barpujari lectures was delivered by Mr.Nicholas Rhodes of Hythe, United Kingdom. His lectures were delivered on 27-28 October 1994 on the topic "Coinage of North East India". A Valuable collection of war memoirs and memorabilia was donated to the History Department by Mr John Mccann, formerly of the Lancashire Regiment when he visited the University on 17 December 1994. This joins the existing collection of private papers the Department is keeping in repository.

Two books were published by the Department. Essays on North East India, edited by Prof M.S.Sangma is a collection of 17 articles, in memory of Prof. V.V.Rao, who was Prof. Emeritus in NEHU. Prof.M.Sangma and Dr.D.R.Syiemlieh jointly edited Essays in Christianity in North East India, which is a collection of essays on the subject written by

Prof.F.S.Downs. The University Grants Commission has given the Department the status of Special Assistance Programme for five years with effect from the date of its implementation, the SAP is to stimulate research in the History of North East India.

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY
MIZORAM CAMPUS, AIZAWL

Psychology as a subject for M.A. Course was First introduced in 1983 in the North-Eastern Hill University, Mizoram Campus, Aizawl and the department started functioning with a faculty members (Professor:1, Reader:2) subsequently the teaching faculty was strengthened with the appointment of one Lecturer in 1989. The teaching faculty with the available facilities is thoroughly involved in teaching the four semester courses prescribed for P.G. degree in Psychology. Also as a part of the curriculum, the department initiated small pieces of research in the form of M.A. Dissertation, and Research work leading to Ph.D. Degree.

Head of Department : Amar N. Jaiswal, Professor.

Faculty:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Designation</u>	<u>Specialisation</u>
a) Amar N. Jaiswal	Professor	Clinical and Development Psychology.
b) L.N. Singh	Reader	Physiological and Experimental Psychology.
c) Zokaitluangi	Lecturer	Social Psychology.
d) Zoengpari	Visiting Fellow	Clinical Psychology.

Student intake :-

- a) Enrolment capacity : 10
b) Actual admission under the heading :-
(Sc / ST / Genl) (Male / Female)
M.A. 2/ 14 / 5 = 21 5 / 16 = 21

Courses conducted : M.A. Psychology four Semester courses.

Publication :

Zokaitluangi., M. Easwaramoorthy, and A.K. Sen. "Personality Sex attitude and Sex behaviour among three ethenic groups of College Students." "The Mind." Journal of the medico-Psychological Research society. Volume XX No. 1&2 1994.

Study tour/field Trips of students :-
Educational tour Programmes in 1995.

Thrust Area of Research : Educational and Clinical Psychology.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK : AIZAWL

Introduction : 16 July, 1990.

Name of the Head : (i) Dr. Bharti Sharma
(upto 2.1.1995).
(ii) Lalhangfala Sailo, (In-Charge)
Deputy Registrar.

Activities : Volunteers for Community Mental Health (VOLCOMH). This is a group of volunteers initiated by the Department, and is in operation in the field of community mental Health to take care of the following three areas viz, promotive and preventive, therapeutic and curative, and after-care and rehabilitation.

CENTRE FOR LITERARY AND CULTURAL STUDIES

The Centre for Literary and Cultural Studies (CLCS) has completed a decade of its existence. It was established in NEHU under the Sixth Plan programme to study the literary and Cultural heritage of the peoples of North East India and further enrich them through study and research. During this decade CLCS has made substantial progress and has fulfilled to a great extent the task assigned to it.

Head of Centre : Dr. Soumen Sen

Faculty :

<u>Name</u>	<u>Designation</u>	<u>Specialisation</u>
Dr. Soumen Sen	Reader	Folklore
Miss N. Ganguly	Sr. Lecturer	Literature (Modern Fiction)
Mr. P. Jhingan	Lecturer	Linguistics, use of performing Arts

Courses conducted :

- i) Certificate and Diploma Course in Folkloristics

Duration : One Year

Seminars/Symposia/Workshops/Conferences :

Attended:

Dr. Soumen Sen

Attended as a Resource Person a Workshop on Historical Method and Social Science Research at Assam University, Silchar (23-25 May, 1994) and gave two lectures on Historical and Folkloristic Methodologies on 23 May 1994.

Chaired a session of the Seminar on Environment organised by North-East India Council for Social Science Research in Shillong on 5 June, 1994.

Attended, Chaired a session and gave a talk in the Media and Writers Workshop organised by the State Resource Centre, Shillong. 6-8 June, 1994.

Attended as a Resource Person a Workshop on Interpreting Texts and Communication at the Central Institute of English and Foreign Languages, Regional Centre, Shillong. 28 July to 3 August, 1994.

Attended and chaired the Valedictory Session of the Seminar on Social Movements in North-East India with Special Reference to Youth, Women and Religion at the North-East India Council for Social Science Research. 26-27 August. 1994.

Presented a paper in the XIth Congress of the International Society for Folk Narrative Research. 6-12 January, 1995 at Mysore, India.

Presented a Paper and chaired a session in the XVth Conference of Indian Folklore Congress at Punjabi University, Patiala. 23-26 March, 1995.

Publications :

Dr. Soumen Sen

Papers :

1. 'Preservation of Culture with Special Reference to North-East India', Journal of the North Eastern Council, Vol.14. No.1.1994
2. 'Status of Women in Khasi-Jaintia Folklore' (in) Tribal Situation in North-East India. Ed. Sarthak Sengupta. New Delhi : Inter-India Publications. 1994.
3. 'Folklore Research in North-East India', Journal of North-East India Council for Social Science Research, Special Issue on the Occasion of Bi-Decennial Celebration, June, 1994.
4. 'Functions of Community Festivals and a Case Study of Behdienkhlam Festival of Jaintia Hills' (in) Festivals and Ceremonies in Meghalaya. Ed. K.R.Marak and R.Wankhar.Shillong : Department of Art and Culture, Government of Meghalaya. 1994.

Booklet:

Two Decades of Growth, 1974 - 1994, On the Occasion of Bi-Decennial Celebration of North-East India Council for Social Science Research.

Research Programmes :

During the period under review the Centre took up : A Pictorial Study of Khasi Jewellery with Mr. P.Jhingan, Lecturer as Project in-charge.

Awards and Honours :

Dr. Soumen Sen re-elected Vice-President of the Governing

Body of North-East India Council for Social Science Research in 5 November, 1994.

In March 1995 he was elected as Senior Vice-President of Indian Folklore Congress in its triennial general meeting held during the XVth Conference of India Folklore Congress at Punjabi University, Patiala.