

# 2020-2021



## Multi-Disciplinary International Webinar

on

### *Social Formation and Cultural Developments of Northeast India and the Neighbouring Regions*

Date: 24<sup>th</sup>- 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2020

Organized by

**DON BOSCO COLLEGE KOHIMA**

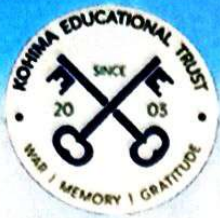
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**Date: 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2020 | Time : 10:00 AM | Venue: Google Meet**

**INAUGURAL PROGRAMME**

*Special Invitee*

**Prof. M. Aleinla Ao**

*Pro-Vice Chancellor*

**Nagaland University, Kohima Campus**

*Chairperson*

**Dr. Imtinaro Longkumer**

*Convenor, Webinar 2020*

Invocation	: Fr. Innocent P Vice Principal DBHSS
Welcome Note	: Fr. Dr. P. Suresh Principal, DBCK Dr. P. Ngully Chairman, KES
Keynote Address	: Dr. Visier Sanyü President Overseas Naga Association
Speech by Special Invitee	: Prof. M. Aleinla Ao Pro-Vice Chancellor Nagaland University, Kohima Campus
Vote of Thanks	: Dr. Lanukumla Ao Coordinator, Research Cell DBCK

## CONCEPT NOTE

Modern historiography of the tribes of northeast India and neighbouring areas started with the writings of the colonial ethnographers, and civil and military officers. The various writings describe the people of this region as primitive, barbarous, criminal, and naked. The British rule, Christian missionaries and other developments of the colonial period were presented as catalyst to change and development. This approach of reconstruction of the past of the hill and valley people of northeast India continued till the late 20th century and influenced much of the research on the tribes of northeast India. However, recent studies have contradicted this notion about the people of the region.

The tribes of northeast India have rich cultural traditions and research have shown that some of these traditions have withstood, and did not succumbed to, the negative impact of development policies adopted by the colonial government. The tribes faced the challenges of modernization and took adequate steps to preserve their cultural identity and cultural heritage. The strong inter-tribal framework existing among the tribes of the region provides economic and cultural linkages. In this context, it is significant to explore the social formation of different societies of northeast India and the neighboring region based on new insights, new data, new interpretations and new answers too.

This seminar will discuss major issues which are fundamental for the progress and common identities of northeast India and neighboring region. The seminar will bring together specialists, including practitioners and academic experts of different disciplines. The discussions emerging from the seminar will be organized and made

available for research and development in northeast India and the neighboring region. The aim of the seminar is to throw new light on the inter-tribal, regional, economic and cultural linkages in northeast India and the neighboring areas. Also a wide discussion through this seminar is proposed to counter the myth created by the colonial and early writings of post independent writers.

### Sub-themes

- ✓ Trade and Polity
- ✓ Socio-Political Development
- ✓ Community Practices – Festival, Religion, Myth and Taboo
- ✓ Food, Dress, Musical instruments, Hair, Tattoo
- ✓ Theoretical Approach and Historiographical Narratives
- ✓ New Studies: socio-cultural changes in the field related to concept of beauty
- ✓ Culture and Change
- ✓ Development of Education
- ✓ Multi-Cultural Identity



# DON BOSCO COLLEGE, KOHIMA

Affiliated to Nagaland University

DBCK/RC/IS/2020-1

08-07-2020

To,

The Director  
National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology  
Meriema, New High Court Road,  
Kohima - 797001

Sub: Request for technical support and conference hall for the International seminar

Sir,

Warm Greetings from Don Bosco College, Kohima!

Don Bosco College, Kohima is organizing two days International Seminar on 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2020 based on the theme *Social Formation and Cultural Developments of Northeast India and the Neighbouring Regions*. The seminar will be conducted virtually.

We request your esteemed institute for the technical support and also the use of conference hall for the conduct of the international seminar. We will promote your institution on every publication announced in our seminar. We are ready to abide by the rules and regulations of your Institute.

We look forward working with you on this project.

Thanking You,

Yours Truly,  
*fr. P. Suresh*

(Fr. Dr. P. Suresh)  
Principal  
Don Bosco College  
PB. - 430  
Kohima-797001 Nagaland





# DON BOSCO COLLEGE, KOHIMA

Affiliated to Nagaland University

06-07-2020

To,

Director,  
North Eastern Council Secretariat,  
Nongrim Hills,  
Shillong-793003.

Sub: Submission of acceptance letter for the Grant-in-Aid Bill (No. NEC/IPR/691/2019)

Sir,

We hereby submit to your esteem office the acceptance letter for the Grand-in-Aid Bill of ₹ 4, 00,000/- (Rupees four Lakhs) sanctioned for the National Seminar entitled "***Culture Paradigm-The pluralistic North East India: Appreciating the Diverse Culture of North-East India***" (Ref. No. NEC/IPR/691/2019) held on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2019.

I acknowledge with gratitude the financial contribution made by the North Eastern Council Secretariat, Shillong for organizing the National Seminar.

Thanking you in anticipation.

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(Fr. Dr. P. Suresh)

Principal  
Don Bosco College  
PB. - 430  
Kohima-797001 Nagaland



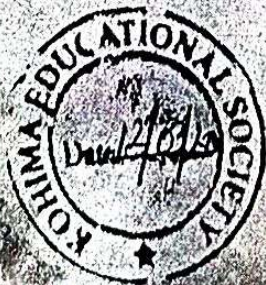
# KOHIMA EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY (KES)


Centre Point (Above Orchid Store), Kohima-797001, Nagaland  
Regn No H/RS-4704, email : [kesnagaland@yahoo.com](mailto:kesnagaland@yahoo.com)

Ref. No. .... International Seminar  
✓ DBC Kohima.

Date: 12.03.2020

In continuation to our earlier discussions and upon concurrence from Kohima Educational Society (U.K.) the Kohima Educational Society (KES) Nagaland is happy to make available a sum of Rupees Three lakhs (Rs 3,00,000/-) for the International Seminar to be held on 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> March 2020 at the Don Bosco College, Kohima.



  
12.03.2020  
Chairman  
Kohima Educational Society  
Kohima : Nagaland



# DON BOSCO COLLEGE, KOHIMA

Affiliated to Nagaland University

Ref.no. DBCK/SEM/1/20

Date 16-09-20

To,

The Chairman,  
Kohima Educational Society

*(Forwarded through proper channel)*

**Subject: Report and Summary of Expenditure statement**

Respected Sir,

I am writing this to inform that the two days International Webinar on 'Social Formations and Cultural Developments of Northeast India and the Neighboring regions', organized by Research Cell, Don Bosco College Kohima in association with the Kohima Education Society have successfully ended with 37 paper Presentations.

Attached herewith is a brief report of the workshop along with expenditure statements. It may be also informed that the technical support for the entire conduct of webinar was made by National Institute of Electronics & Information Technology, Kohima.

Thanking you in anticipation.

Sincerely,

  
Webinar Convener



*Forwarded by*  
*f. p. Sweet*  
Principal  
Don Bosco College  
PB. - 430  
Kohima-797001 Nagaland

## EXPENDITURE

SL. No	HEADS	AMOUNT (in Rs.)
1.	Honorarium to chairpersons: (5 person X 3000)	15,000/-
2.	Food Expenses: NIELIT & College i) Lunch (2 days) ii) Refreshment (2 days) iii) Water	9,200/- 1,080/- 170/-
3.	Organizational Expenses: a) Printing Press b) Seminar bag c) gift for Special invitees d) Certificates	6,200/- 11,600/- 1,700/- 5,900/-
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>50,850/-</b>

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**Total Amount Received: ₹ 3, 00, 000/-**

**Total Expenditure : ₹ 50, 850/-**

**Remaining Amount : ₹ 2, 49, 150/-**

The total remaining amount of rupees **two lakhs forty nine thousand one hundred and fifty** is returned back to the funding society (KES).

*S. P. Suresh*  
Principal

Principal  
Don Bosco College  
PB - 430  
Kohima-797001 Nagaland



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Convener

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## Receipt Voucher

Voucher No	230	Date	11/03/2020
Particulars		Amount (\$)	
Income from National Seminar		300,000.00	
Total		<b>300,000.00</b>	
Received from			
The Sum of Rupees	Three Lakh Only		
Through	Cash		
Being	Received from educational society three lakhs for international seminar		



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**DON BOSCO COLLEGE SOCIETY  
ZIEKEZOU, KOHIMA, NAGALAND  
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH, 2021**

EXPENDITURE	AMOUNT (Rs.)	I N C O M E	AMOUNT (Rs.)
To Salary and Honorarium	60,80,435.00	By Fees Collection	1,18,95,629.88
* Books & Study Materials	75,366.00	* Government Grant Received	1,00,000.00
* Courses & Seminars	2,87,050.00	* Seminar & Training Receipts	7,45,201.00
* Fee paid to University/ Councils	84,502.00	* Sale of Canteen items	1,11,530.00
* Examination Expenses	2,12,260.80	* Other Receipts	2,74,990.00
* Cocurricular Activities & Programmes	1,57,650.00		
* Travelling & Conveyance	3,900.00		
* Functions and Celebrations	1,55,434.00	* <u>Interest Received</u>	
* Duty, Taxes and Professional Fee	36,292.00	Bank Interest	74,018.00
* Vehicle Running & Maintenance	5,250.00	FD Interest	1,97,879.00
* Sports & Entertainment	1,280.00		2,71,897.00
* Green Campus Expenses	2,22,030.00		
* Printing & Stationery	2,40,874.00		
* Medical Expenses	7,725.00		
* IQAC Expenses	4,55,852.40		
* NCC, NSS, Scouts & Guides	16,546.00		
* Charity And Donation	68,500.00		
* Infrastructure Augmentation	2,54,103.00		
* Canteen Expenses	87,933.00		
* Advertisement and Publicity	8,191.00		
* Electricity & Water	11,147.64		
* Telephone, Postage & Internet	44,629.73		
* Tally Training Programme	1,89,248.00		
* Printing of College Magazine	1,54,300.00		
* Fee Concession to Poor Students	60,000.00		
* Maintenance of Physical and Academic Facilities	21,52,821.00		
* General Expenses	16,852.00		
* Depreciation	9,44,613.00		
* Excess of Income Over Expenditure Transferred to General Fund Account	13,64,442.31		
<b>TOTAL (Rs.)</b>	<u><b>1,33,99,247.88</b></u>	<b>TOTAL (Rs.)</b>	<u><b>1,33,99,247.88</b></u>

FOR AND ON BEHALF OF  
DON BOSCO COLLEGE SOCIETY  
KOHIMA, NAGALAND

AS PER OUR REPORT OF EVEN DATE  
FOR: H.K.AGRAWALA & ASSOCIATES  
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS  
FRN: 319293E

PLACE : GUWAHATI  
DATE : 17.06.2021

  
CA. SUDIPA ACHARJEE  
PARTNER  
MEMBERSHIP No: 305209



**REPORT ON INTERNATIONAL WEBINAR SOCIAL FORMATION AND  
CULTURAL DEVELOPMENTS OF NORTHEAST INDIA AND THE  
NEIGHBORING REGIONS WAS ORGANIZED BY RESEARCH CELL, DON  
BOSCO COLLEGE KOHIMA IN ASSOCIATION WITH KOHIMA EDUCATIONAL  
SOCIETY**

**DATE: 24<sup>th</sup> -25<sup>th</sup> JULY 2020**

Two day multi-disciplinary international webinar on *Social Formation and Cultural Developments of Northeast India and the Neighboring Regions* was organized by Research Cell, Don Bosco College Kohima in association with Kohima Educational Society, on 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> July 2020. The programme was conducted through Google meet and the technical support was provided by National Institute of Electronics & Information Technology, Kohima.

The inaugural session was chaired by Dr. Imtinaro, Convenor of the webinar. The programme started with a prayer invoked by Fr. Innocent, Vice Principal, DBHSS and welcome note was delivered by Fr. Dr. P. Suresh, Principal DBCK and Dr. P. Ngully, Chairman, KES. Prof. M. Aleminla Ao, Pro-Vice Chancellor Nagaland University, Kohima Campus, graced the inaugural programme as the special invitee Prof. M. Aleminla in her inaugural speech underlined that North East India and its neighboring regions have its own unique and diverse history of social systems, tradition and rich culture. She further expressed hope that ideas, experiences and knowledge shared in the webinar would be able to bring out a complete strategy to carry out detailed research and study in future and streamline the socio-historical confusion of the region.

Dr. Visier Sanyü, President, Overseas Naga Association gave the keynote address. In his key note address, he highlighted on Retrieval and Evolution of the cultures of Northeast India and the Neighbouring Region. Speaking on the webinar theme, he expressed that “in pursuing oral tradition while reconstructing history and birthing the language of a new emerging culture, we must employ methodologies that are ethical, preserve human dignity, and are in search of the truth.

Dr. Lanukumla Ao, Co-coordinator, Research Cell Don Bosco College Kohima, delivered the vote of thanks.

The two day long webinar witnessed 37 papers presentations and extensive deliberations in five technical sessions presented by scholars, academicians from Northeast India including Dhaka and UK. Prof. Rajib Handique, Gauhati University, Gauwahati, Prof. Amrendra Kumar Thakur, NEHU, Shillong, Meghalaya, Prof. N. Venuh, Nagaland University, Kohima, Prof. Jano L. Sekhose, Nagaland University, Kohima and Dr. Krishna Kalita, KBV Sanskrit & Ancient Studies University, Nalbari, Assam were the moderators for the sessions.

