BIDHANNAGAR COLLEGE

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

NOTICE NO:

DATE: 15.06.2020

All concerned are hereby informed that the Department of Education and IQAC, Bidhannagar College jointly in collaboration with the Department of Education, West Bengal State University are going to organize a 3Day Webinar on and from 24th June to 26th June 2020, 3pm. onward.

All faculty members, non-teaching staff members and students are cordially invited to join the Webinar.

Respected Heads of all the Departments are requested to circulate the notice to all faculty, staff members and students of their respective departments.

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Principal Bidhannagar College Head, Department of Education

National Webinar of Education Department, 2020 – A Report

Department of Education and IQAC, Bidhannagar College jointly in collaboration with the Department of Education, West Bengal State University organized a 3Day Webinar on "*Impact of Covid-19 on Higher Education: Challenges and Possibilities*" from 24th June to 26th June 2020.

The Welcome address in the Webinar was delivered by Dr. Madhumita Manna, Principal, Bidhannagar College and the Keynote address was presented by Professor, Basab Chaudhuri, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, West Bengal State University

On Day 1, The Esteemed Speakers were:

- 1. Professor, Mita Banerjee, Pro Vice -Chancellor Adamas University, Kolkata, WB
- 2. Professor, Daisy Bora Talukdar, Dean, Faculty of Education, Dibrugarh University, Assam
- 3. Professor, Bishnu pada Nanda, Head, Department of Education, Jadavpur university, Kolkata, WB

On Day 2, the Revered speakers were

- 1. Dr. Sumanta Chattaraj, Professor, School of Education, Netaji Subhas Open University, WB
- 2. Dr. Dulal Mukhopadhyaya, Former Professor, School of Education, Netaji Subhas Open University, WB
- 3. Dr. Swapan Sarkar, Professor & Head, School of Education, Netaji Subhas Open University, WB
- 4. Dr. Amulya Kumar Acharya, Associate Professor & Head, PG Department of Education, Fakir Mohan University, Odisha

The Respected Speakers on Day 3 were

- 1. Dr. Papiya Upadhyay, Assistant Professor, School of Education, Netaji Subhas Open University
- 2. Dr Shnaoli Chakraborty Acharya, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, West Bengal State University
- 3. Dr. Ajit Mondal, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, West Bengal State University,
- 4. Dr Shoumyasree Sen, Associate professor & Head, Department of Education, Bidhannagar College, Kolkata

Nearly 100 students and faculties registered themselves for the said webinar and around 90 of them attended the webinar as participants.

The speakers participating in the Webinar highlighted the different aspects, particularly the psycho-social and administrative issues affecting the field of Higher Education due to Pandemic Covid-19. A few of them also depicted the economic crisis impacting adversely the Higher Education scenario not only in India but Worldwide. The lectures delivered in the Webinar in general emphasized the impending prospects and the strategies for efficient implementation of Blended Learning in near future. The lectures presented by the resource persons were highly appreciated by the academicians present as well as student participants in the Webinar.