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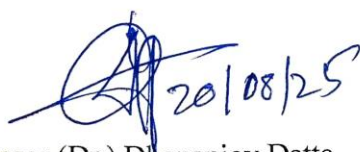
### Research and Development Department

#### NOTICE

This is to notify that the Research and Development Department of The ICFAI University, Tripura is going to organize an **Orientation Program** on **28<sup>th</sup> August, 2025** to welcome the new batch of Research Scholars at Academic Building, Ground floor.

All the interested Faculty members, research scholars & students of all the departments and programmes are invited in the program.

For R & D Department,

 20/08/25

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Research and Development  
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Kamalghat, Tripura (West).





**A REPORT ON**  
**ORIENTATION PROGRAM FOR RESEARCH SCHOLARS'**  
**On**  
**28.08.2025**

**Organized By**  
**Research and Development Department,**  
**The ICFAI University, Tripura**

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## **About the University**

The ICFAI University, Tripura has been established through an act of the state legislature (Tripura State Legislature Act 8 of 2004). The University is recognized by UGC under Section 2 (f) of 1956 and the university is empowered to award degrees under section 22 of UGC Act, 1956. The University is currently offering 52 (fifty-two) programs in Management, Commerce, Engineering, Law, Teacher education, Special Education, Physical Education, English, Yoga and Library Science etc. The University strives to provide quality education with an objective to provide the students with an appropriate combination of conceptual framework and practical insight into managerial, technological, legal challenges as well as business opportunities for grooming entrepreneurial initiatives. It also provides exposure to real business problems and situations through industrial visits to different business sectors, case-studies and industrial interactions.

## **Brief Report of the Sessions**

The orientation program for Ph.D. scholars at The ICFAI University Tripura aimed to welcome the new batch and provide them with essential knowledge and resources to begin their research journey. The event included a series of insightful talks, starting with a welcome address by Dr. A. Ranganath, Registrar, who emphasized the importance of research. Prof. (Dr.) Priyanshu Rana Borthakur, Dean of FST, provided an overview of the institution's legacy, while Prof. (Dr.) Dhananjay Datta, Dean of Research & Development, explained the Ph.D. program structure and the importance of research ethics. Additional sessions covered the objectives of research by Prof. (Dr.) Subhasish Chatterjee, motivation for research by Prof. (Dr.) Prasanta Kumar Sinha, and the significance of research in the context of the National Education Policy by Prof. (Dr.) Prem Shankar Srivastava. The program concluded with a vote of thanks by Mr. Pritam Roy, a research scholar, IUT. Overall, the orientation successfully equipped the scholars with a clear understanding of institutional policies, research processes, and available resources, while also inspiring them to pursue impactful research and become integral contributors to the academic community.



## **Detail Report of the Program**

- **Dr. A. Ranganath, Registrar**, began with a welcome address highlighting the institution's rich academic heritage and the importance of research, emphasizing the pivotal role of scholarly inquiry in academic growth, the address set the tone for an engaging and insightful interaction. His address inspired students and faculty alike, reinforcing the importance of critical thinking and continuous learning in the academic journey.
- **Dr. Aviral Kumar Tiwari, Associate Professor of Economics and the Chairperson of Research & Publications at the Indian Institute of Management Bodh Gaya (IIMBG)**. His academic journey is marked by excellence in economics, with research contributions spanning applied econometrics, energy economics, financial markets, and sustainable development. During the orientation, he delivered a session on *"Ph.D. & Research: Paradigm Shift & Road Ahead."* He highlighted how the landscape of doctoral research has been evolving due to globalization, technological integration, and interdisciplinary approaches. Dr. Tiwari emphasized the need for scholars to adopt innovative methodologies, engage with emerging research paradigms, and align their work with both academic rigor and societal needs. His talk encouraged students to approach research with critical thinking and a forward-looking mindset.
- **Dr. Raveesh Krishnankutty, Assistant Professor in Finance and Accounting at the Indian Institute of Management Ranchi (IIM Ranchi)**. His expertise lies in financial analytics, accounting research, and the integration of modern technological tools into business research. He spoke on *"Research in the Era of Artificial Intelligence (AI)."* Dr. Krishnankutty stressed how AI is revolutionizing the way research is conceptualized, executed, and applied. He elaborated on the role of AI in data mining, predictive analysis, and decision-making processes, while also cautioning about ethical concerns and the need for responsible use of technology. His session offered scholars a futuristic perspective, equipping them to incorporate advanced tools into their research work effectively.
- **Prof. (Dr.) Priyanshu Rana Borthakur, Dean of Faculty of Science and Technology**, delivered an insightful talk on research field. He highlighted the institution's legacy, core values, and commitment to academic excellence. He highlighted the group's contributions to education, particularly its innovative pedagogy, Key Achievements, and a strong focus on research and development. Special emphasis was placed on the Group's strong commitment to research and development, which continues to drive intellectual

inquiry and academic rigor across its campuses. His address not only provided a deep insight into the ethos and aspirations of IUT but also inspired the audience to actively participate in the university's mission of nurturing future-ready professionals and lifelong learners.

- **Prof (Dr.) Dhananjoy Datta, Dean of Research & Development**, emphasized the knowledge on program structure and operation. He emphasized the importance of maintaining integrity in research, avoiding plagiarism, and adhering to ethical guidelines. In his address, he placed strong emphasis on the importance of upholding the highest standards of academic integrity. He spoke passionately about the need for originality in research work, the dangers and consequences of plagiarism, and the ethical responsibilities that every scholar must adhere to in the pursuit of knowledge. He also highlighted the role of ethical research practices in ensuring credibility, societal impact, and long-term academic value. His insights served as a guiding light for emerging researchers, reinforcing the idea that true scholarship is rooted not only in discovery but also in discipline, responsibility, and respect for the academic community.
- **Prof. (Dr.) Subhasish Chatterjee, Dean of Academic Affairs**, delivered an enlightening talk on the "Objectives of Research." His session was part of the orientation program for Ph.D. scholars and provided valuable insights into the fundamental purposes and goals of conducting research. He elaborated on the various fundamental objectives of research, including the pursuit of new knowledge, solving existing problems, developing theories, validating existing findings, and contributing to policy and practice in relevant fields. He emphasized that research is not merely an academic exercise, but a meaningful endeavour that holds the potential to bring about real-world change and innovation. He further encouraged scholars to approach research with curiosity, critical thinking, and a sense of responsibility, stressing that meaningful research begins with asking the right questions and maintaining a spirit of inquiry. His session served to inspire and motivate the scholars, urging them to view their doctoral work as a significant contribution to their discipline and to society at large.
- **Prof. (Dr.) Prasanta Kumar Sinha, Principal of Faculty of Science and Technology**, Dr. Sinha's address centered on the theme of motivation in research, emphasizing the vital role research plays in advancing knowledge and solving real-world problems. He emphasized that a successful researcher is driven by passion and a deep-seated curiosity. These qualities ignite innovation and enable scholars to persist even when faced with challenges or failures. He also encouraged the Ph.D. scholars to cultivate a mindset of

resilience and openness, reminding them that every challenge in the research journey is an opportunity for growth and learning. His words served as a powerful reminder that the most impactful research often stems from a genuine desire to make a difference and contribute meaningfully to one's field and society at large.

- **Prof. (Dr.) Prem Shankar Srivastava, Principal, Faculty of Education,** The ICFAI University Tripura, delivered an inspiring talk on the *Importance of Research with reference to the NEP* during the Orientation Program for Ph.D. Scholars. Drawing from his vast experience, he emphasized the transformative power of research in shaping societies, advancing knowledge, and addressing pressing global issues. His words served as a guiding light for budding researchers, reaffirming their role as contributors to knowledge and societal advancement.
- The closing remarks of the event were delivered by **Ms. Baishali Deb Roy, Research Scholar** from **Faculty of Liberal Arts**. She began by expressing heartfelt thanks to the dignitaries, keynote speakers who shared their valuable insights and motivated the participants. Her articulate and heartfelt vote of thanks created a positive and appreciative atmosphere. Her words resonated with the audience, leaving a lasting impression of gratitude and enthusiasm for future endeavours.

## Program Schedule



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#### **Research and Development Department**

#### **Organizes**

#### **ORIENTATION PROGRAM FOR RESEARCH SCHOLARS'**

**Date: 28<sup>th</sup>August, 2025 | Time: 3 PM – 5 PM**

**Venue- Ground Floor Auditorium, ICFAI University Tripura**

| <b>SL. NO.</b> | <b>TIME</b>           | <b>PARTICULARS</b>   |
|----------------|-----------------------|--|
| <b>1</b>       | <b>3:00 – 3:05 PM</b> | Welcome Address by <b>Prof. (Dr.) Biplab Halder, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, IUT</b>  |
| <b>2</b>       | <b>3:05 – 3:15 PM</b> | Speech by <b>Dr. A. Ranganath, Registrar, IUT</b>  |
| <b>3</b>       | <b>3:15 – 3:25 PM</b> | Ph. D. & Research: Paradigm Shift & Road Ahead by <b>Dr. Aviral Kumar Tiwari, Associate Professor of Economics &amp; Chairperson - Research &amp; Publications, Indian Institute of Management Bodh Gaya (IIMBG)</b> |
| <b>4</b>       | <b>3:25 – 3:35 PM</b> | Research in the Era of Artificial Intelligence (AI) by <b>Dr. Raveesh Krishnankutty, Assistant Professor in the Finance and Accounting, Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Ranchi</b>                              |
| <b>5</b>       | <b>3:35– 3:45 PM</b>  | About ICFAI Group & IUT by <b>Prof (Dr.) Priyanshu Rana Borthakur, Dean of FST, The ICFAI University Tripura.</b>  |
| <b>6</b>       | <b>3:45– 4:15 PM</b>  | Ph.D. Program Structure and Operation by <b>Prof. (Dr.) Dhananjoy Datta, Dean - Research &amp; Development, The ICFAI University Tripura.</b>  |
| <b>7</b>       | <b>4:15– 4:25 PM</b>  | Objectives of Research by <b>Prof (Dr.) Subhasish Chatterjee, Dean of Academic Affairs, The ICFAI University Tripura.</b>  |
| <b>8</b>       | <b>4:25- 4:35 PM</b>  | Motivation on Research by <b>Prof (Dr.) Prasanta Kumar Sinha, Principal of ITS, The ICFAI University Tripura.</b>  |
| <b>9</b>       | <b>4:35- 4:45 PM</b>  | Importance of Research with reference to the NEP by <b>Prof (Dr.) Prem Shankar Srivastava, Principal, Faculty of Education, The ICFAI University Tripura.</b>  |
| <b>10</b>      | <b>4:45- 4:55 PM</b>  | Vote of Thanks   |
| <b>11</b>      | <b>5:00 PM</b>        | Campus Visit   |

## Program Participants Detail



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#### Attendance List

#### PhD. Orientation Program 2025-26

| Sl No | Name                  | Department        | Signature             |
|-------|-----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| 1     | Akash Chakkar         | FLA               | Akash Chakkar         |
| 2     | SHARGOB BHATTACHARJEE | FLO               | Shargob Bhattacharjee |
| 3     | Soumit Debbarma       | Faculty of Law    | Soumit Debbarma       |
| 4     | Namrata Gupta         | Faculty of Law    | Namrata Gupta         |
| 5     | Souradeep Paul        | Faculty of Law    | Souradeep Paul        |
| 6     | Dipanjana Acharyee    | Faculty of Law    | D. Acharyee           |
| 7     | Balaram Das           | Faculty of Law    | Balaram Das           |
| 8     | Bikram Sutradhar      | Mathematics       | BSD                   |
| 9     | Deep Khound           | FLA               | Deep Khound           |
| 10    | Roshan Halam          | FLA               | Roshan Halam          |
| 11    | Shelly Meska          | FLA               | Shelly Meska          |
| 12    | Dalia Debbarma        | EE                | Dalia Debbarma        |
| 13    | Gaurav Kar            | Management        | Gaurav Kar            |
| 14    | Biswajit Smit         | Chemistry         | Biswajit Smit         |
| 15    | Suranjit Debnath      | Chemistry         | Suranjit Debnath      |
| 16    | Sourav Ghosh          | Chemistry         | Sourav Ghosh          |
| 17    | Biswajit Smit         | Chemistry         | Biswajit Smit         |
| 18    | Souramita Acharyee    | Physics           | Souramita Acharyee    |
| 19    | Shyamashree Roy       | Physics           | Shyamashree Roy       |
| 20    | Jamal Sarkar          | Education         | Jamal Sarkar          |
| 21    | Priiti Tripura        | English FLA       | Priiti Tripura        |
| 22    | Sukanta Sinha         | English - FLA     | Sukanta Sinha         |
| 23    | Smriti Roy            | English - FLA     | Smriti Roy            |
| 24    | Khochang Rai Jamatia  | Political Science | Khochang Rai Jamatia  |
| 25    | Deepsikha Sengupta    | Faculty of Law    | Deepsikha Sengupta    |
| 26    | Roshni Laskar         | Faculty of Law    | Roshni Laskar         |
| 27    | Nabanita Ghosh        | Economics         | Nabanita Ghosh        |
| 28    | Bishal Datta          | FLA               | Bishal Datta          |



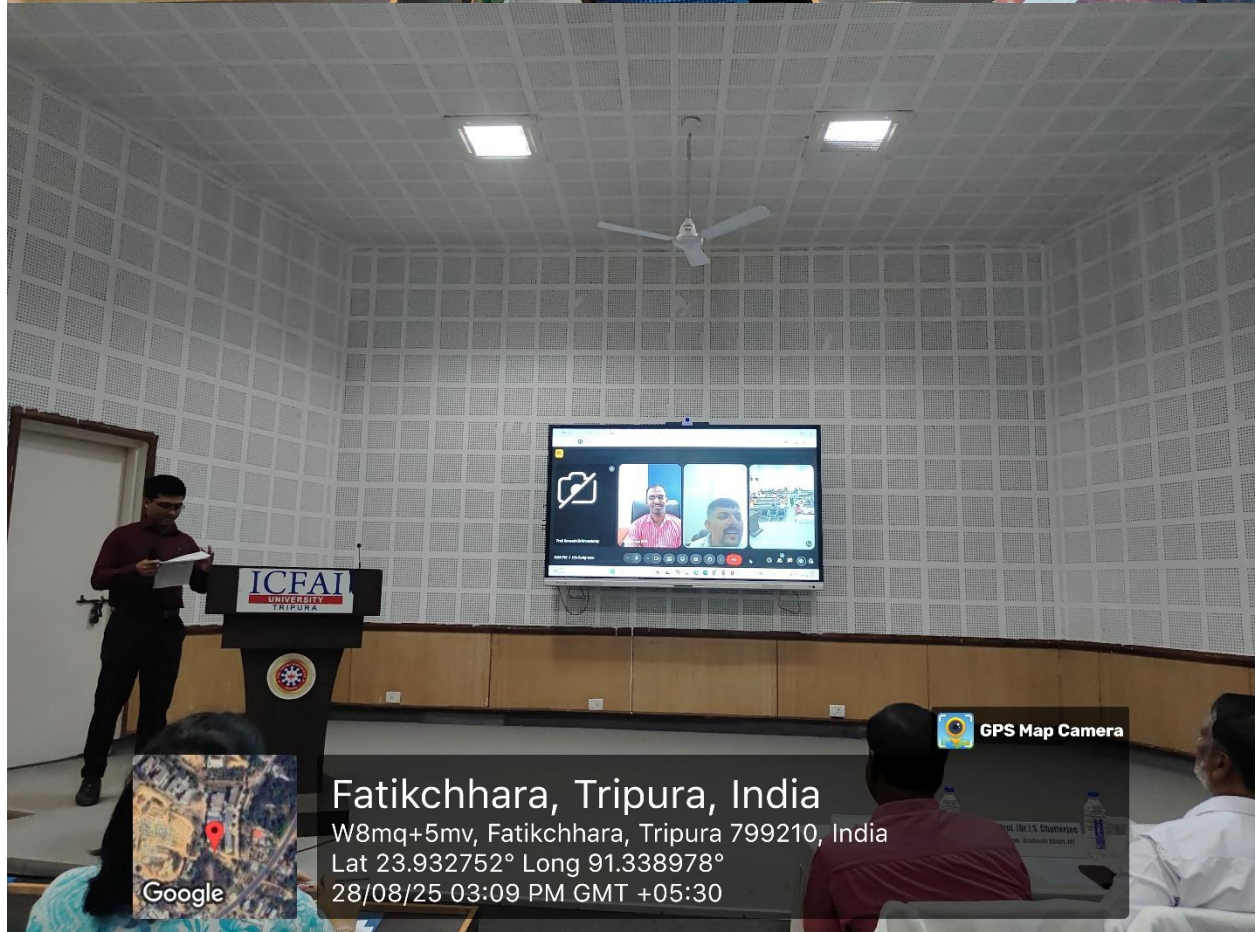




## Program Pictures











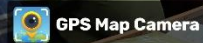
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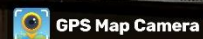
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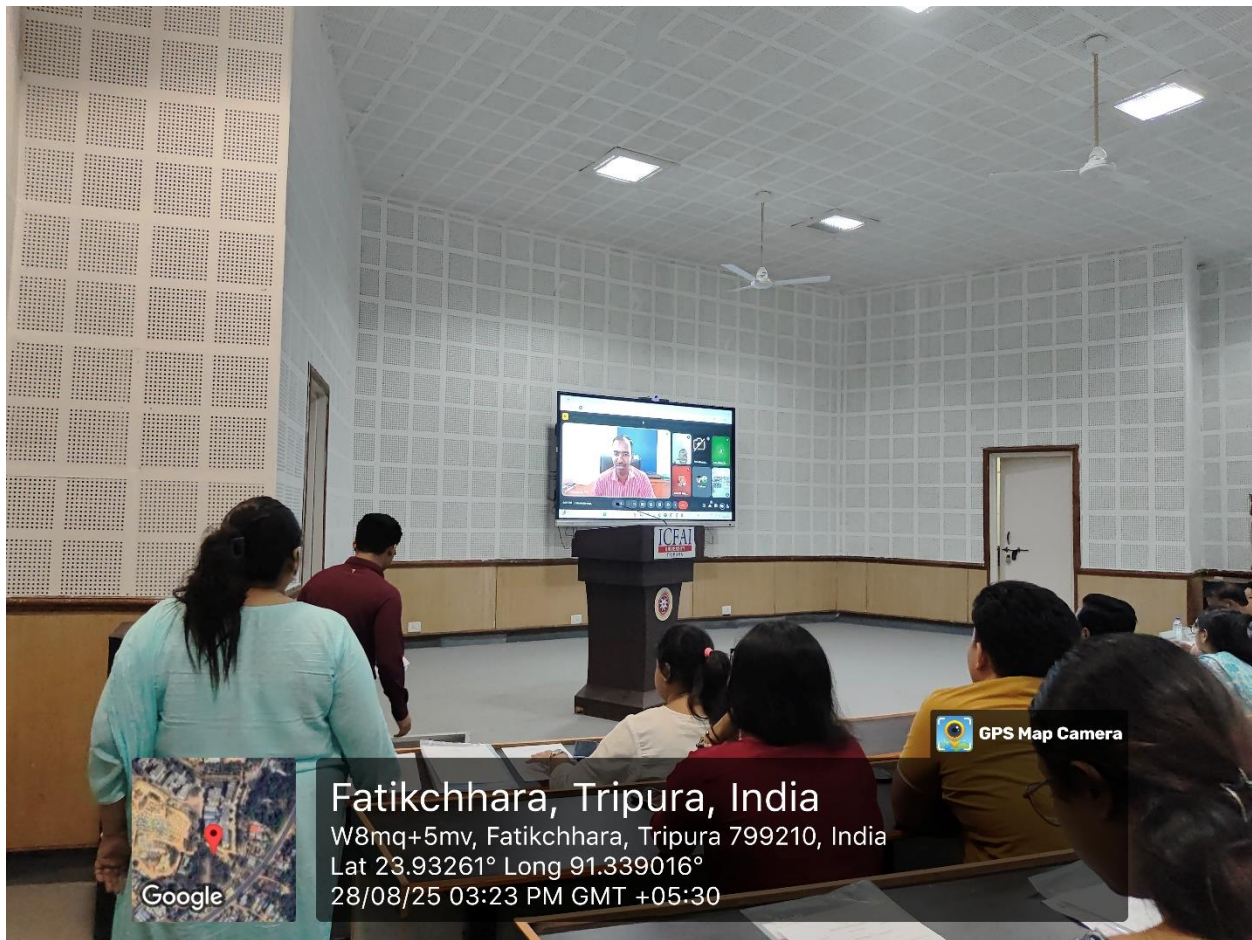
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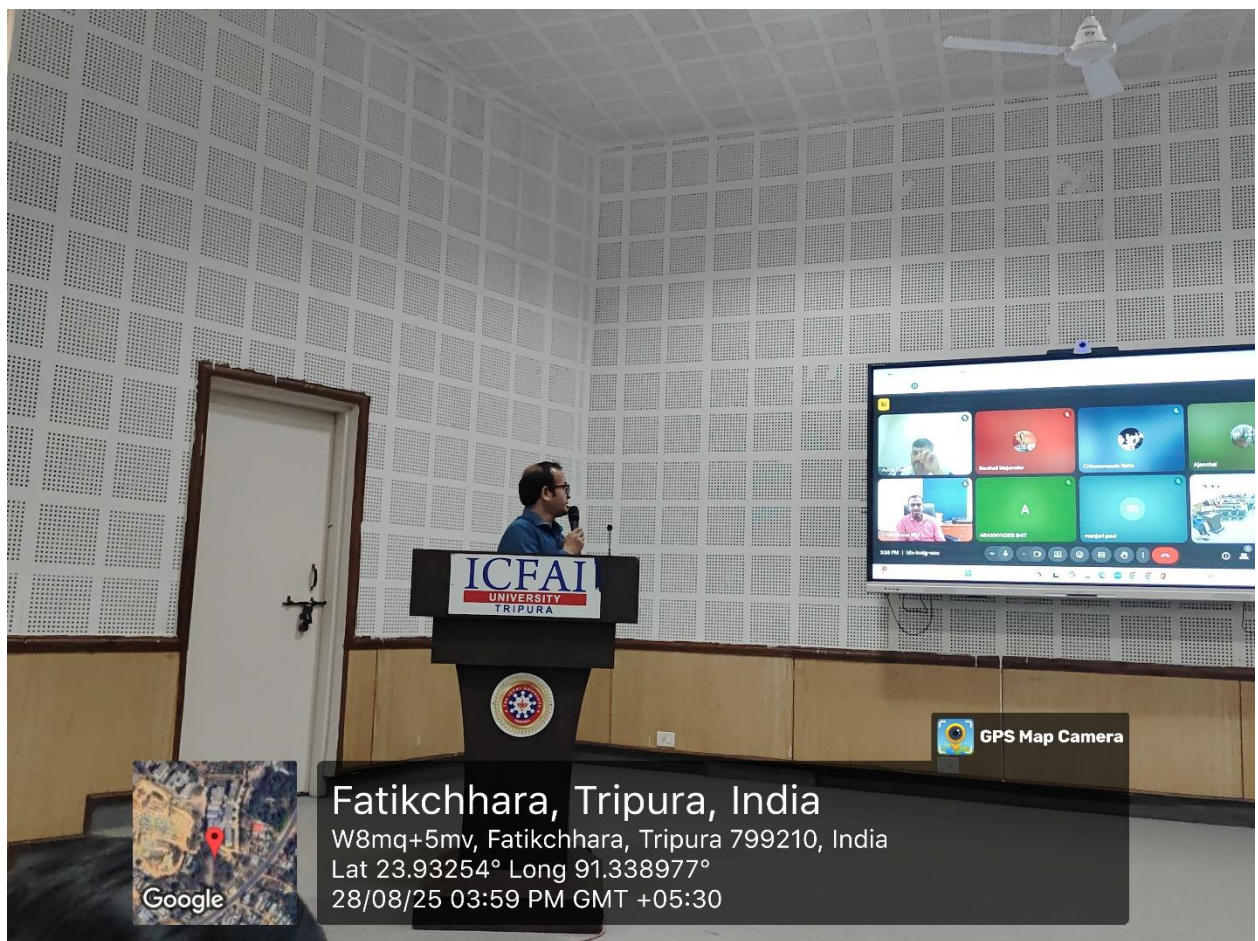




















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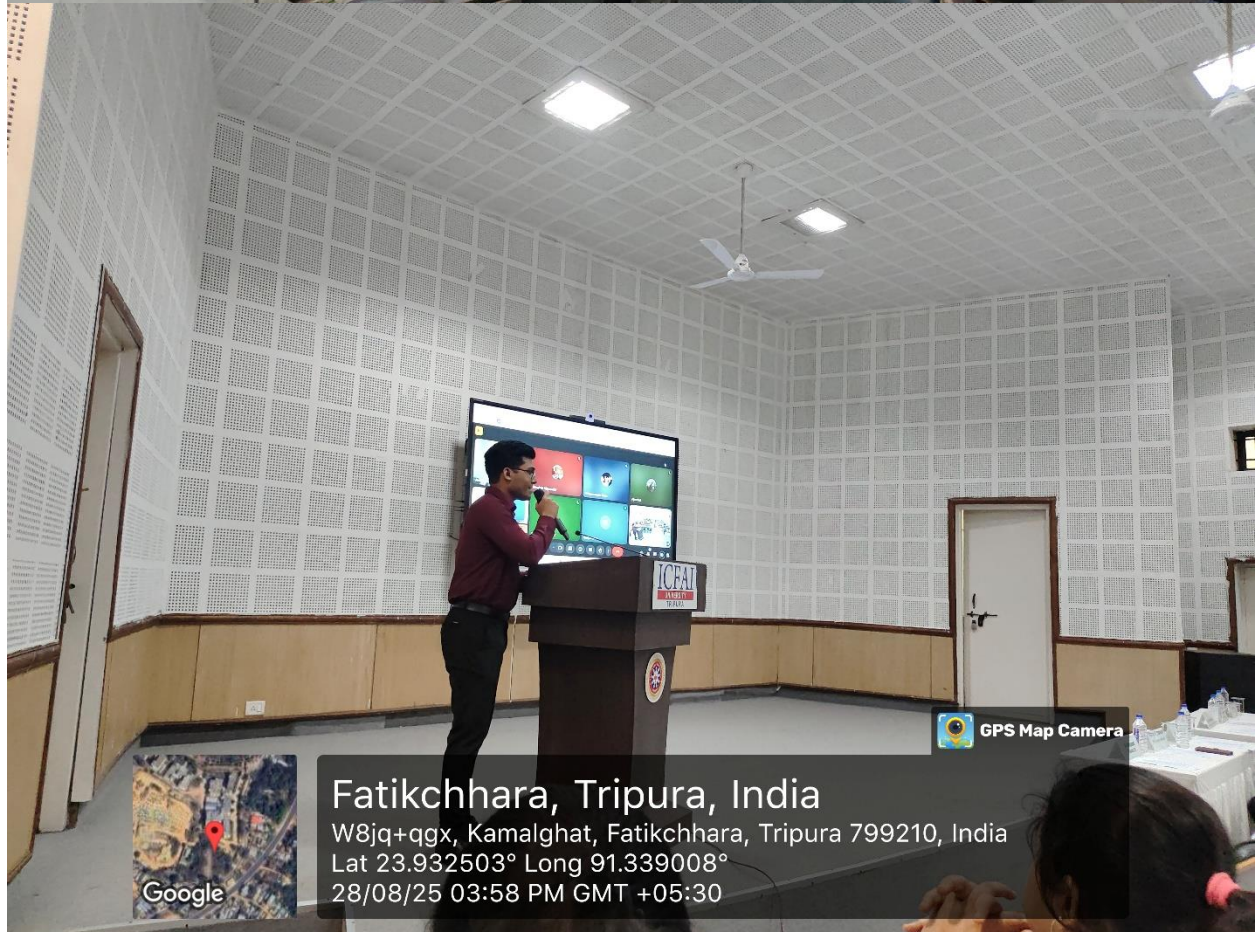
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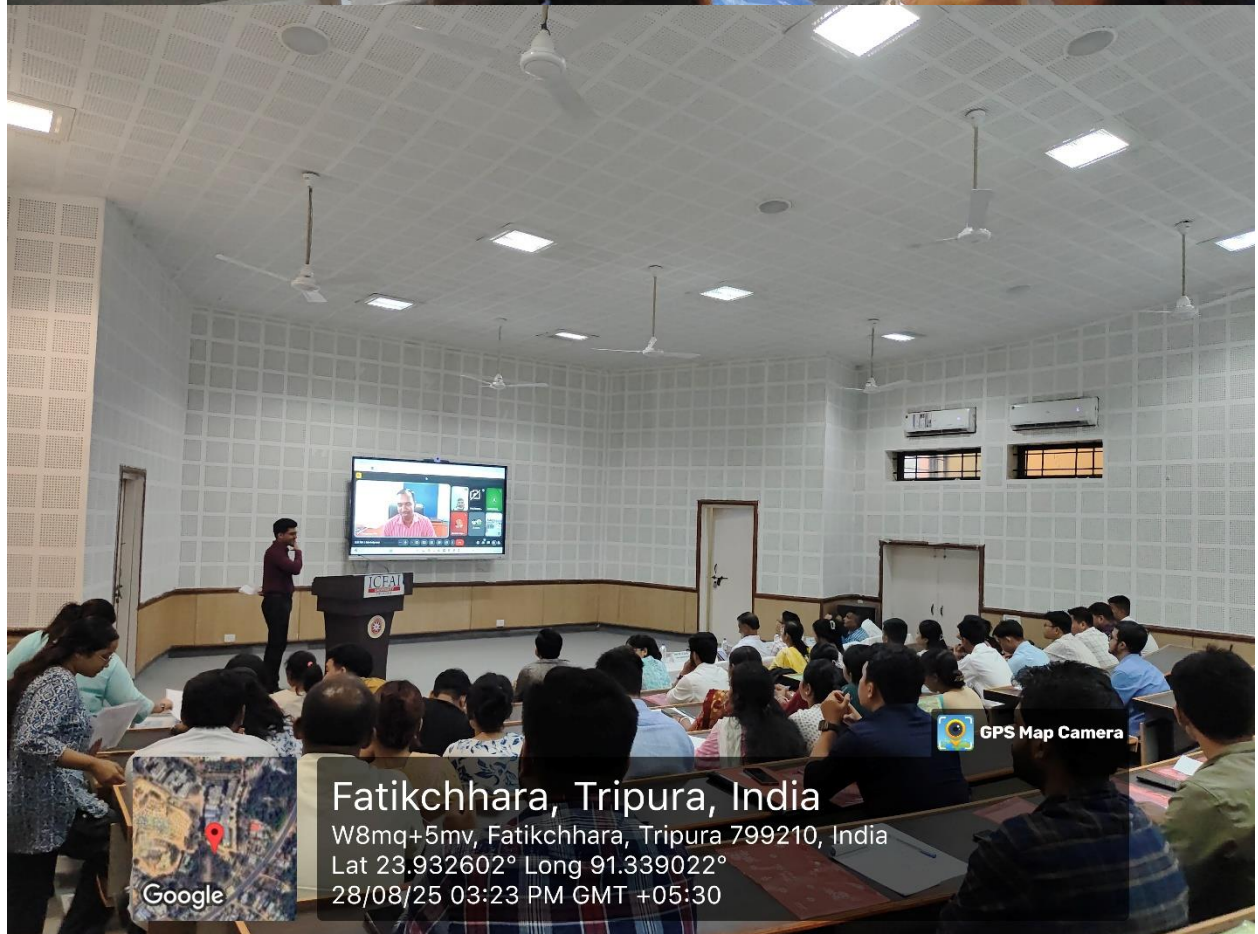
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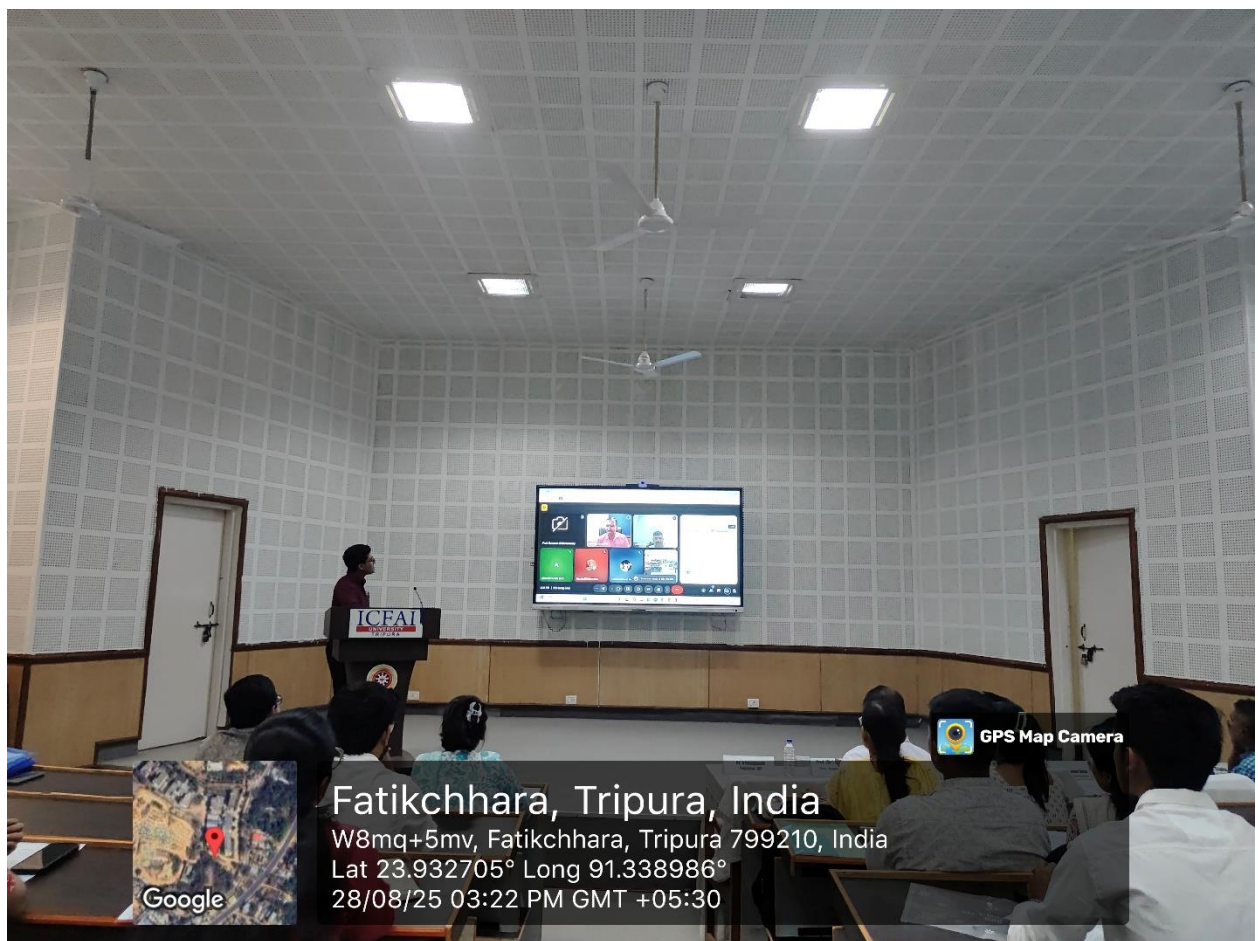




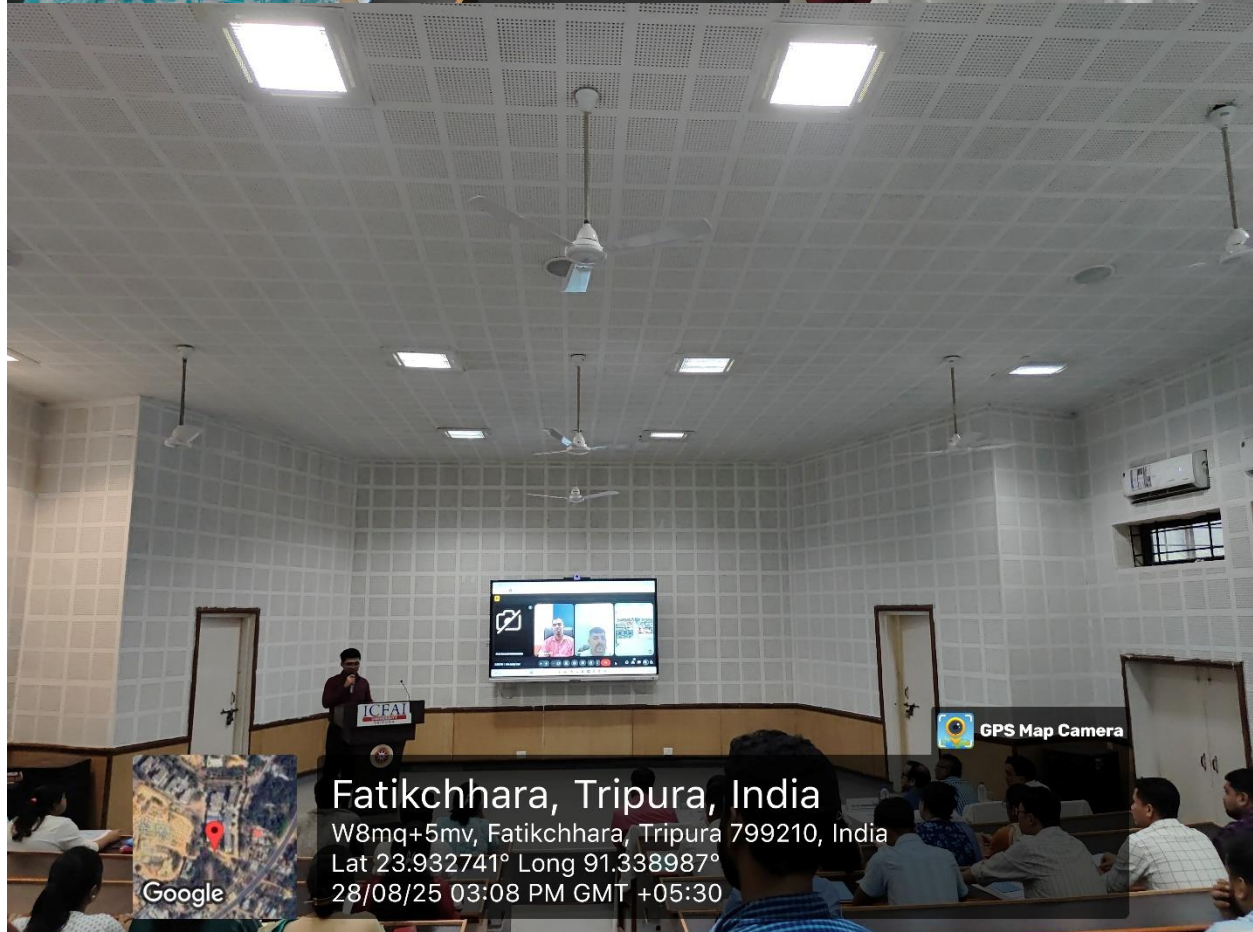
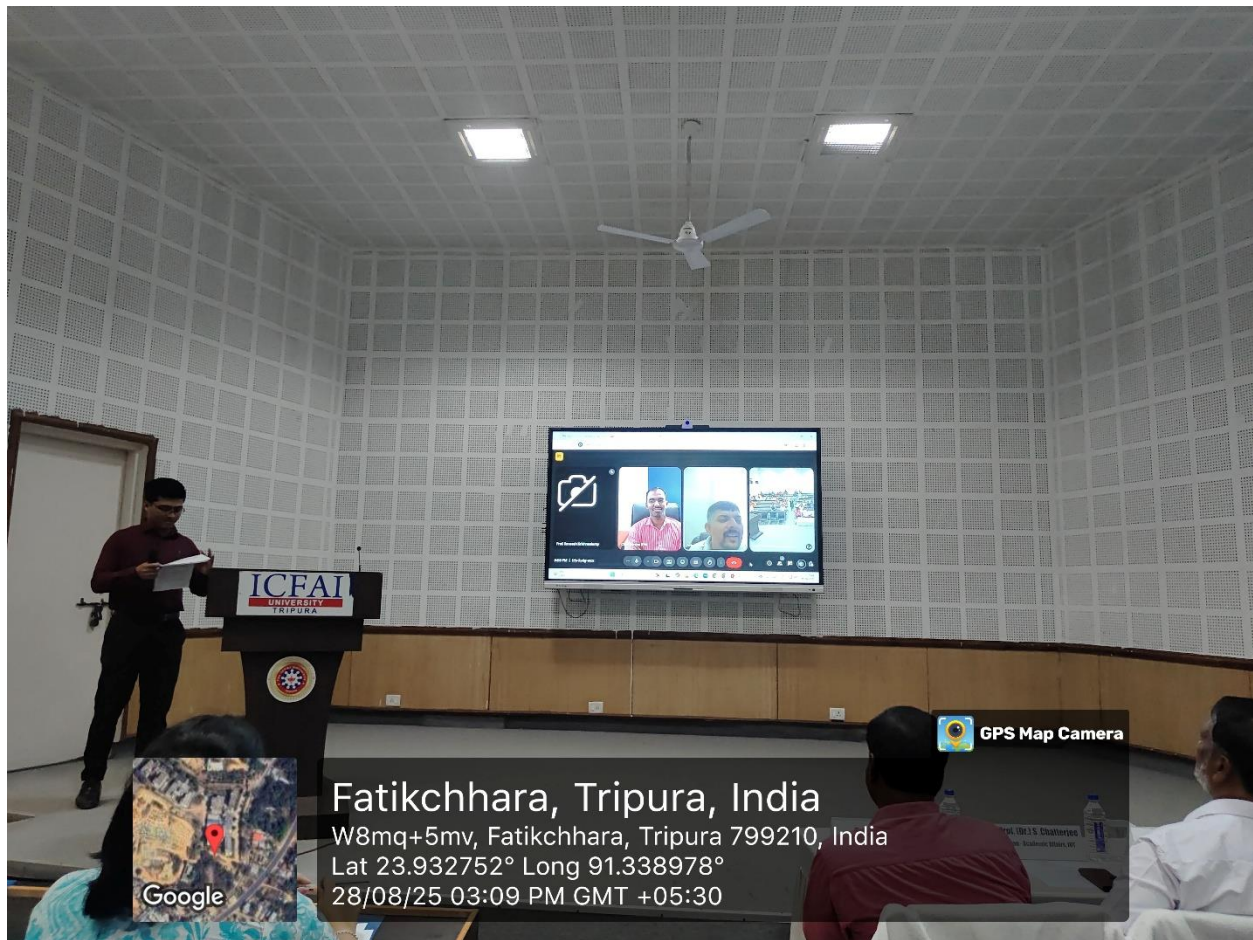




















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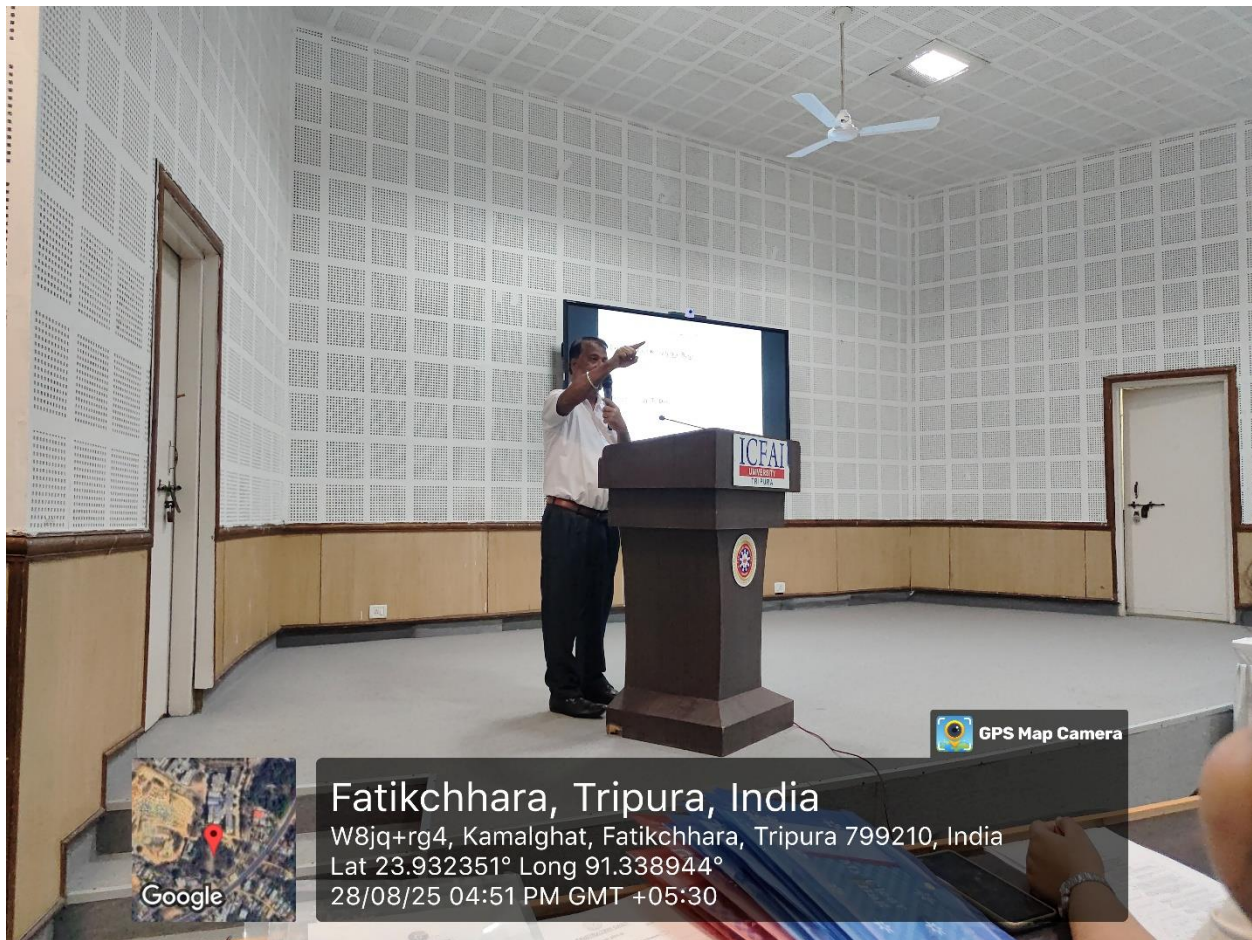
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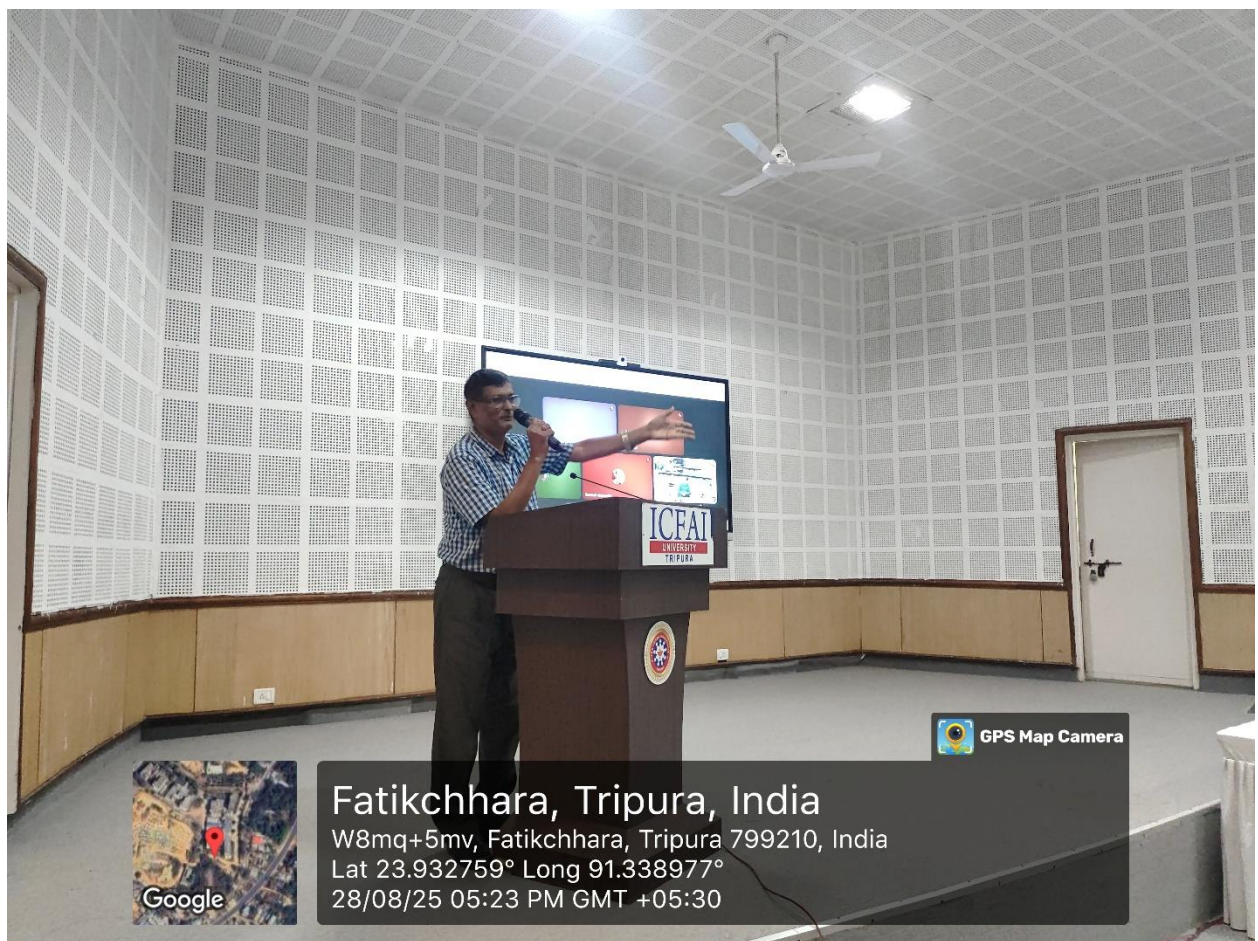
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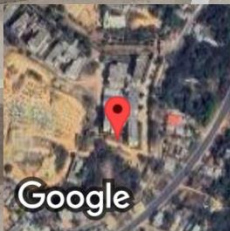








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