TRAVEL INFORMATION

Sankardeva Mahavidyalaya is located at Pathalipahar in the District of Lakhimpur, Assam. The College is connected via Roadways and Railways from all the parts of the State.

HOW TO REACH

Nearly Railway Stations : Tipling- 3Kms, Harmoti- 6 Kms
Bus Stoppage : Pathalipahar- 0Km, Banderdewa Check Post- 2Kms
Nearest Airport : Lilabari- 50 Kms, Hollongi - 59 Kms

IMPORTANT DATES

Last date of Abstract Submission : 10th December, 2026
Intimation of acceptance of Abstract : 12th December, 2026
Last date of full paper Submission : 15th December, 2026

REGISTRATION

(Participants could do their registration both through online and offline mode. For offline registration fees to be paid in form of cash at the time of registration)

REGISTRATION FEE

Participants Faculty	:	Rs. 500/-
Participants Research Scholar	:	Rs. 300/-
Student Participants (UG/PG)	:	Rs. 100/-

MODE OF PRESENTATION

The seminar will be conducted in blended mode, allowing both online and offline presentations. However, offline participation and presentation are highly encouraged.



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HYBRID MODE

Date : 22nd & 23rd December, 2026
Venue : Sankardeva Mahavidyalaya

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INVITATION

Respected Sir/ Madam,

It is our great pleasure to inform you that Department of Economics, in collaboration with Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) Sankardeva Mahavidyalaya, Pathalipahar is going to organize a National Seminar on 22nd and 23rd December, 2026 on the topic **"Religious Tourism Spots, Monumental Archives as Hub of Indian Knowledge System in North-East India : History and Heritage"**.

We cordially invite you for active participation to make the Seminar a grand success.

Thanking you,

With Regards

Dr. Sonaram Kalita
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ABOUT THE COLLEGE

Sankardeva Mahavidyalay is a premier institution impacting higher education at the border area of Assam and Arunachal Pradesh of Lakhimpur District. The College was established in the year 1982 at Pathalipahar and reaccredited by NAAC with B+ Grade in the year 2023.

OUTLINE OF THE THEME

North East India represents a distinctive cultural and intellectual landscape of the Indian Knowledge System (IKS), characterised by its rich religious traditions, historical monuments, sacred landscapes, indigenous knowledge, manuscripts, oral traditions, and diverse cultural practices. The region has historically served as a meeting point of various philosophical, spiritual, and cultural traditions, contributing significantly to the development and preservation of India's civilizational heritage. The North East, particularly Assam, Manipur, Tripura, Arunachal Pradesh, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, and Sikkim, possesses immense potential for promoting religious tourism and heritage-based knowledge dissemination. However, many of these sites remain insufficiently explored from the perspective of the Indian Knowledge System, academic research, sustainable tourism, and cultural preservation. Religious tourism spots, ancient temples, monasteries, satras, archaeological monuments, heritage sites, and monumental archives constitute important repositories of knowledge, memory, and cultural identity. These institutions and sites are not merely destinations for pilgrimage or tourism; they are living centres of intellectual engagement, spiritual learning, historical consciousness, and cultural transmission. Religious tourism spots and monumental archives of North East India represent significant yet comparatively underexplored dimensions of the Indian Knowledge System. Their historical, spiritual, philosophical, architectural, literary, and cultural contributions provide valuable opportunities for academic research and knowledge dissemination. The Satras of Assam, Buddhist monasteries of the Himalayan region, sacred temples, indigenous religious landscapes, historical monuments, and manuscript repositories collectively demonstrate the intellectual diversity and cultural richness of North East India. The proposed theme seeks to reposition these heritage spaces beyond their conventional understanding as religious or tourist destinations and recognise them as living and institutional hubs of the Indian Knowledge System. Through interdisciplinary research, digital preservation, sustainable tourism, and community engagement, these heritage resources can contribute significantly to the preservation of indigenous wisdom, cultural continuity, and the development of a knowledge-oriented society.

SUB-THEME

- Historical aspects from monuments and religious centres for Tourism
- Need of eco-park for preservation in the higher educational institution
- Problems and Prospects of Tourism Industry and social influence
- Eco-Tourism and its potentiality, possibility and prosperity in NE India
- Tourism and relation with Monuments and Religious centres
- Possibility of Tourism Industry and Its feature as a historical source
- Tourism industry as employment generated source in NE India
- Socio-economic activities and Government Policy as a prospective way
- Tourism management and development of monuments and religious centres
- Awesome Assam and socio-economic development for making history
- Any other related themes to the topic.

CALL FOR PAPER

- Paper may be contributed either single or jointly by intending scholars.
- Paper may be written on any of the sub theme coverage both in English and Assamese.
- An abstract of the paper within 200 words must be sent to the E-mail on or before 10th December, 2026.
- Participants have to submit one hard copy and one soft copy of the full paper within 2500 words on A4 size with single space type of **Times New Roman** 12 point or **Geetanjali** (for Assamese) 14 point to the E-mail : sdmtourismicssr@gmail.com on or before 15th December, 2026.

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