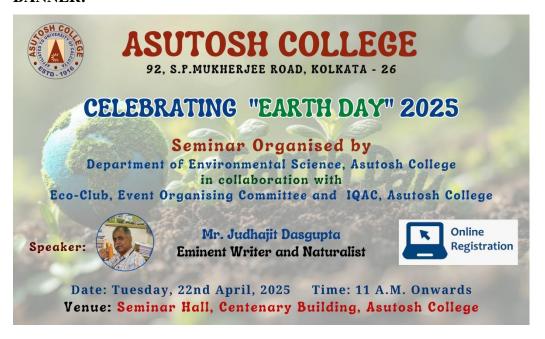
- > TITLE OF EVENT: One-day seminar on Earth Day, 2025
- > THEME OF THE EVENT/ PROGRAMME: Adrishya Uthoner Golpo
- ➤ Department/ Committee: Department of Environmental Science, Eco-Club and Event Organising Committee in Association with IQAC, Asutosh College
- > ACADEMIC SESSION: 2024-25
- $\rightarrow$  DATE 22/04/2025 11am onwards
- ➤ VENUE Seminar Hall, Centenary Building, Asutosh College
- ➤ **OBJECTIVE/ PURPOSE:** Celebrating the 55th Earth Day
- > SPEAKER/S / RESOURCE PERSON/S: Mr. Judhajit Dasgupta, Eminent writer and Naturalist
- > TARGET AUDIENCE/ PARTICIPANTS: Faculty, Non-teaching staff and Students
- ➤ BRIEF REPORT ABOUT THE EVENT/ PROGRAMME: The programme was hosted by Dr. Arijit Chatterjee, Faculty Member of the Department of Environmental Science and a member of the Ecoclub Committee. It commenced with a welcome address delivered by Dr. Shramana Roy Barman, Head of the Department of Environmental Science and Co-convenor of the Ecoclub at Asutosh College. The IQAC coordinator Dr. Sraboni Roy also spoke on the significance of celebrating the Earth Day. The speaker was felicitated by Dr. Sayanti Kar, Faculty Member of the Department of Environmental Science and a member of the Event Organizing Committee. All the students of Environmental Science department and other departments (PG and UG) and faculty members of Ecoclub Committee participated in the seminar to celebrate Earth Day. Judhajit Dasgupta beautifully narrates stories about the biodiversity surrounding us, emphasizing the unnoticed wonders of nature in our nearest places. He describes how organisms behave and play their part in maintaining ecological balance. Their behaviors, from symbiotic relationships to survival strategies, are both fascinating and instructive. Dasgupta also highlights surprising events, often overlooked. Through these tales, he inspires us to observe, appreciate, and protect the intricate web of life that sustains us all. The seminar was highly interactive, with active participation from both students and faculty members. The vote of thanks was given by Dr. Subhayan Dutta, Co-convenor of Ecoclub and Faculty Member of the Department of Environmental Science.

EXPECTED OUTCOME: Nature is filled with countless stories. The more scientists study them, the more astonished they become. Do plants have memory too? Can a group of animals kill an enemy solely with the heat of their bodies? Can age ever move backward? How have trees and the insects that bite into their bark become inseparably bound together after millions of years of rivalry? More than just telling stories about nature, the real purpose of most of the lecture is to offer a glimpse into the thrilling investigations that leave even the scientists amazed.

## **BANNER:**



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