Report on Students' Participation in the Workshop organised by Hindustan Samachar at Calcutta Press Club

Title: "The Changing Face of Indian Media," workshop organised by Hindustan Samachar at Calcutta Press Club

Theme: Health Journalism

Date: 23.03.2025

Organiser: Hindustan Samachar, Multilingual News Agency of India

Participants: A total of 20 participants from the Department of Journalism and Mass Communication took part in this Workshop, along with faculty member Dr. Reema Roy.

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Richita Saha	SEM I	0723
Banani Mondal	SEM V	0340
Mousumi Dolai	SEM III	689
Rituja Chowdhury	SEMI	0281
Trisha Bhowmick	SEMI	0513
Soumya Mishra	SEM V	0568
Sanchari Bhattacharjee	SEMI	0018
Avinanda Das	SEMI	0199
Farzana Parvin	SEM III	0259
Ananya Saha	SEMI	191
Srijita Basak	SEMI	0947
Rwishav Sarkar	SEM V	O443
Sania Dalara	SEMI	0143
Saheli chakraborty	SEM V	0685
Mou Barman	SEMI	895
KRITIDIPA BARUI	SEMI	0925
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Objectives:

- **1.** To provide the students with proper knowledge about journalism's goals, limitations, importance, etc.
- 2. To encourage a positive approach in journalism.
- **3.** To train future journalists.
- 4. Donate and solve their questions about journalism.

Brief Report.

A one-day workshop titled "The Changing Face of Indian Media" was organized by the multilingual news agency Hindustan Samachar on Sunday, March 23. at the Kolkata Press Club. About 49 journalism students from 12 colleges and universities participated in the workshop. The workshop was attended by Arvind Bhalchandra Mardikar, Chairman of Hindustan Samachar, Arup Raha, former Justice Ranjit Kumar Bagh, senior journalists Rathindra Mohan Banerjee, Prosenjit Bakshi, Pulkesh Ghosh, Ashok Pandey, Jayaprakash Mishra, Devajyoti Chanda, Narayan Jain and other scholars.

After the opening ceremony of the program, Shri Arvind Bhalchandra Mardikar, Chairman of Hindustan Samachar, addressed the students. He, along with presenting news, highlighted the social responsibility of journalists to the students. The main objective of this workshop was to provide the students with a proper knowledge about the goals, limitations, importance, etc. of journalism. Donate and solve their questions about journalism. After this, Shri Prasenjit Bakshi highlighted the temptation of social media in the present world and various aspects of journalism in his speech. Shri Bakshi also laid special emphasis on mental preparation in the field of journalism in his speech. Along with this, he answered various questions of the students in the question-answer session. Journalist Pulkesh Ghosh's speech brought up the words of former eminent journalists who are pioneers for the new generation of journalists. On the other hand, Shri Jayaprakash Mishra, said "Journalism is a game of mind", and shed light on the main important issues in doing journalism. Along with this, Shri Ashok Pandey, Executive Editor of Bharatamitra Patrika, Former Justice Shri Ranjit Bagh, Professor Debajyoti Chanda and other eminent people gave important speeches on journalism.

The workshop has been organized for the last 15 years. The participating students and professors expressed hope that this one-day workshop was particularly useful for students and would be more fruitful for the future in terms of journalism.

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