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# NOTIFICATION

**Financial Assistance out of the Non-Salary (Revenue) Budget 2025-26 for (i) Travel Grant (ii) Conference/Seminar/Workshop/ Symposia etc. (iii) Publications (iv) Visiting Professors (v) Establishment of Career and Counselling Cell/Creche for the Financial Year 2025-26.**

The undersigned is directed to convey that the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, on the recommendation of the concerned Committee in its meeting held on 24.09.2025, has been pleased to approve financial assistance for (i) Travel Grant (ii) Conference/Seminar/Workshop/ Symposia etc. (iii) Publications (iv) Visiting Professors (v) Establishment of Career and Counselling Cell/Creche for the financial year 2025-26 in respect of the following:

## A Conference/Seminar/Workshop/Symposia etc:

### A(i) Conference/Seminar/Workshop/Symposia (International):

| Sl. No. | Name of Applicant | Department/Bhavana/Offices | Title of Conference/Seminar/Workshop/Symposia | Programme Date (Tentative) | Venue | Assistance required (Approx) | Sanctioned Amount |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Dr. Dheeman Bhattacharyya | Centre for Comparative Literature, Bhasha Bhavana | Of clay and Dust: International IKS Workshop on Body Movement involving Indian Art Practices like Odissi, Mayurbhanj Chhau, Navarasa, Kalaripayattu, Kutiyattam | 03.11.2025 to 08.11.2025 | Yoga Village, Vinaya Bhavana | 2,00,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 2. | Prof. Debarati Bandyopadhyay | English, Bhasha Bhavana | Jane Austen and the Women Writers of the long nineteenth century | 18.11.2025 to 19.11.2025 | English, Bhasha Bhavana | 1,00,000/- | 50,000/- |

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| 3. | Dr. Romit Roy | CMELLCS, Bhasha Bhavana | 1. Spiritual Diplomacy and the Philosopher's Journey: Hermann Keyserling and Rabindranath Tagore in Dialogue<br>2. Voice and Protest: German Songwriting from Biermann to Berlin Today | Before March 2026 | ICT Hal, Bhasha Bhavana | 25,000/- | 25,000/- |
| 4. | Dr. Sarat Kumar Jena | Odia, Bhasha Bhavana | Reflection of Indian Knowledge System in Indian Literature | 15.01.2026 to 16.01.2026 | Odia | 81,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 5. | Prof. Manabendra Mukhopadhyay, Head | Bengali, Bhasha Bhavana | একুশ শতকে বাংলা ভাষা-সাহিত্যের বিকিরণ: সমস্যা ও সম্ভাবনা | 25.11.2025 to 26.11.2025 | Bhasha-Vidya Building & Vidya-Bhavana Angana | 91,500/- | 50,000/- |
| 6. | Prof. sirajul Islam, Principal | Vidya Bhavana | Indian Knowledge System and Contributions of Vidya Bhavana | 03.11.2025 to 05.11.2025 | Vidya Bhavana | 70,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 7. | Dr. Manjari Chakrabarty, Head | Philosophy & Comparative Religion, Vidya Bhavana | Kalidas Bhattacharyya (ICKB-2026) | 25.02.2026 to 27.02.2026 | Philosophy & Comparative Religion | 1,50,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 8. | Prof. Soumya Chakrabarti, Head | Economics, Vidya Bhavana | Contemporary Issues of Economic Development | 16.12.2025 to 17.12.2025 | Dept. of Economics & Politics | 3,05,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 9. | Dr. Arpan Paul | CJMC, Vidya Bhavana | Media, Culture & Sustainability: Towards a Progressive India | 22.01.2026 to 23.01.2026 | Lipika Auditorium | 4,50,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 10. | Dr. Jyoti Ratan Ghosh, Head & Prof. Sirajul Islam, Principal | Anthropology, Vidya Bhavana | Praxis of Anthropology in Human Development | 15.10.2025 to 27.10.2025 | Anthropology Vidya Bhavana | 2,00,000/- | 50,000/- |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 11. | Prof. Samiran Mondal, Principal | Vinaya Bhavana | International Conference on Tradition in Motion: Integrating Yoga Vyayama and Krida with Indian Knowledge System | 15.11.2025 to 16.11.2025 | Dept. of Yogic Art & Science | 2,50,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 12. | Dr. Shyamsundar Bairagya, Head | Education, Vinaya Bhavana | Indian Knowledge System in the 21st Century: Epistemic Legacy, Contemporary Relevance, and Future Trajectories | 06.02.2026 to 07.02.2026 | Education, Vinaya Bhavana | 2,00,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 13. | Dr. Parichiti Saha & Mr. Abhimanyu Arya | Yogic Art & Science, Vinaya Bhavana | Stress Management through integrated therapy (Yoga & Naturopathy) | 29.10.2025 to 30.10.2025 | Yogic Art & Science | 1,00,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 14. | Dr. Banatanwi Dasmahapatra, Head | Textile Design, Kala Bhavana | Speaking through Textiles: Korean and Indian Traditions in contemporary textile art & Design practice | 12.01.2026 to 16.01.2026 | Textile Design | 97,500/- | 50,000/- |
| 15. | Dr. Sajad Hussain Hamdani | Sculpture, Kala Bhavana | Seven-day International sculpture workshop | 17.02.2026 to 23.02.2026 | Dept. of Sculpture | 2,50,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 16. | Dr. Kumar Jasakiya | Painting, Kala Bhavana | Rajasthani Miniature Painting and its contemporary contexts | 09.02.2026 to 13.02.2026 | Dept. of Painting | 1,23,400/- | 50,000/- |
| 17. | Prof. Sisir Sahana, Head | Ceramics & Glass Design, Kala Bhavana | International Workshop on Glass Art | 17.11.2025 to 26.11.2025 | Ceramics & Glass Design, Kala Bhavana | 2,07,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 18. | Dr. Arpan Mukherjee | Graphic Art (Printmaking), Kala Bhavana | International Workshop on Contemporary Printmaking | 14.09.2025 to 21.09.2025 | Graphic Art (Printmaking), Kala Bhavana | 2,00,000/- | 50,000/- |

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| 19. | Porf. Sruti Bandopadhay, Head | Rabindra Sangit, Dance & Drama, Sangit Bhavana | Embodied Aesthetics: The Practice of Performing Arts through the Lens of Tagore | 20.01.2026 to 22.01.2026 | Kanika Hall, Sangit Bhavana | 2,50,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 20. | Prof. Pratap Kumar Padhy, Head | Environmental Studies, Siksha Bhavana | Environment, sustainability and indigenous knowledge systems (ICESIKS) | 17.12.2025 to 19.12.2025 | Environmental Studies | 2,00,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 21. | Dr. Biplab Rajbanshi & Dr. Sourav Banerjee | Chemistry, Siksha Bhavana | Recent Advances for Chemical Sciences (RACS26) | 30.01.2026 to 30.01.2026 | Lipika Auditorium | 2,80,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 22. | Prof. Utpal Roy, Head | Computer & System Science, Siksha Bhavana | Innovative Machine Intelligence 2026 | 26.02.2026 to 27.02.2026 | Bangladesh Bhavana | 1,90,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 23. | Prof. Debasis Bhattacharya, Head | Agricultural Statistics, PSB | Modelling Dynamic Processes under the Confluence of Statistics, Data Science and Machine Learning | 06.02.2026 to 07.02.2026 | Agricultural Statistics | 1,80,000/- | 50,000/- |
| 24. | Dr. Subhrangsu Santra | Lifelong Learning & Extension, PSV | Society, Culture and Landscape Ecosystem | 19.11.2025 to 21.11.2025 | Dept. of Lifelong Learning & Extension (REC) | 2,00,000/- | 50,000/- |

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**A (ii) Conference/Seminar/Workshop/Symposia (National):**

| Sl. No. | Name of Applicant | Designation | Department/Bhavana/Offices | Title of Conference/Seminar /Workshop/Symposia | Programme Date (Tentative) | Venue | Assistance required (Approx) | Sanctioned Amount |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Dr. Sanchayan Ghosh | Associate Professor | Painting, Kala Bhavana | Patachitra of Birbhum | 27.10.2025 to 04.11.2025 | Dept. of Painting | 35,760/- | 30,000/- |
| 2. | Prof. Pankaj Panwar | Professor | Sculpture, Kala Bhavana | Indian Aesthetic and its potential in contemporary Indian Art | 08.12.2025 to 14.12.2025 | Dept. of Sculpture | 60,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 3. | Dr. Uttam Kumar Basak | Assistant Professor | Graphic Art (Printmakings), Kala Bhavana | Serigraphy workshop | 23.02.2026 to 28.02.2026 | Dept. of Graphic Art (Printmaking) | 1,00,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 4. | Dr. Amit Chatterjee | Associate Professor | Geography, Vidya Bhavana | Advanced geospatial technologies: Machine Learning, Unmanned Aerial Vehicles and Contemporary GIS Practices | 15.11.2025 to 16.11.2025 | Dept. of Geography | 75,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 5. | Prof. Saumya Chakrabarti | Professor | Economics & Politics, Vidya Bhavana | Young Scholars workshop on development economics | 21.01.2026 | Dept. of Economics & Politics | 1,30,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 6. | Dr. Tapu Biswas | Vice-Principal | Bhasha Bhavana | Indian Knowledge Systems and Indian Literature: New Perspectives | 10.02.2026 to 11.02.2026 | Bhasha Bhavana | 1,00,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 7. | Prof. Mrinal Kanti Mandal & Dr. Tapu Biswas | Professor & Vice-Principal | CFEL, Bhasha Bhavana | Lingustics Human Rights (LHRs) | 21.01.2026 to 22.01.2026 | Bhasha Bhavana | 1,00,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 8. | Dr. Sangita Saikia | Teacher-in-Charge | Assamese, Bhasha Bhavana | Bhakri, Gyan, Kala, Darshan and Beyond: Sankardeva's legacy in Indian Knowledge Systems | 25.02.2026 to 26.02.2026 | Lipika Auditorium | 3,50,000/- | 30,000/- |



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| 9. | Dr. Romit Roy | Associate Professor | CMELLCS, Bhasha Bhavana | 1. The Dramatic Poetry of Bertolt Brecht<br>2. Gunter Grass' Fervent relationship with Kolkata | April, 2025 | Bhasha Bhavana | 25,000/- | 25,000/- |
| 10. | Dr. Umakant Prasad | Vice-Principal | Vinaya Bhavana | Tagore's Visva Bharati: A model centre for fostering community cohesion and cultural pride | 09.02.2026 to 10.02.2026 | Dept. of Education, Vinaya Bhavana | 75,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 11. | Dr. Sarita Anand | Assistant Professor | Education, Vinaya Bhavana | Qualitative data analysis in social science & humanities | 24.11.2025 to 25.11.2025 | Dept. of Education | 1,03,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 12. | Prof. Gopal Chandra Saha | Professor | Physical Education & Sport Science | Workshop on Research Methodology & Statistics in Physical Education & Sport Science | 01.12.2025 to 03.12.2025 | Physical Education & Sport Science | 50,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 13. | Prof. Narayan Chandra Mondal | Principal | Siksha Bhavana | Bigyan Mela | 27.02.2026 to 28.02.2026 | Siksha Bhavana | 1,70,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 14. | Prof. Bikash Chandra Gupta & Dr. Jagadish Chandra Mahato | Professor & Assistant Professor | Physics, Siksha Bhavana | 33rd Edition of National Conference on Condensed Matter Days-2025 (CMDAYS-2025) | 29.10.2025 to 31.10.2025 | Lipika Auditorium | 1,00,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 15. | Dr. Soumalya Mukhopadhyay | Assistant Professor | Statistics, Siksha Bhavana | National seminar on statistics: Theory and applications | 16.01.2026 to 17.01.2026 | Dept. of Statistics | 1,00,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 16. | Dr. D.S. Dhakre | Assistant Professor | Agricultural Statistics, PSB | Recent advances in data analysis and applications using R | 12.02.2026 to 18.02.2026 | Dept. of Agricultural Statistics | 1,00,000/- | 30,000/- |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 17. | Dr. Rebeka Sinha | Assistant Professor | Animal Science, PSB | Application of Indian Knowledge Systems for Sustainable Livestock Farming | 02.12.2025 to 04.12.2025 | Dairy & Poultry Farm, PSB | 1,60,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 18. | Dr. Kishore Chandra Swain | Assistant Professor | Agricultural Engineering, PSB | One week workshop on Geoinformatics and IKS Techniques for Agriculture and Meteorological applications | 08.02.2026 to 12.02.2026 | Agricultural Engineering, PSB | 1,50,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 19. | Dr. Anindita Saha | HOD | Agricultural Extension, PSB | Celebration of Agricultural Education Day 2025 | 03.12.2025 | Agricultural Extension | 30,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 20. | Prof. Ranjan Nath | Professor | Plant Pathology, PSB | Transformative approaches and smart technology in plant & animal health for sustainable & climate-ready agriculture | 18th–19th September, 2025 | PSB, Sriniketan | 2,00,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 21. | Dr. Amit Kumar Verma | Associate Professor and Vice Principal | Hindustani Classical Music, Sangit Bhavana | Research Methodology in Performing Arts | Nov, 2025 to Dec, 2025 | Sangit Bhavana | 30,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 22. | Dr. Bodhirupa Sinha | Principal | Patha Bhavana | আশ্রম বিদ্যালয়ের ১২৫ বছর | 19.12.2025 to 20.12.2025 | Patha Bhavana | 6,00,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 23. | Dr. Sankar Roy Maulik | Associate Professor | Silpa Sadana, PSV | Natural dyeing, an humble approach to rejuvenating the traditional Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS) for the contemporary world | 21.11.2025 to 23.11.2025 | Silpa Sadana | 41,500/- | 30,000/- |



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| 24. | Mr. Tara Sankar Das | Assistant Lecturer | Music Unit, PSV | Rabindra Sangit Charcha o Prosar | 26.11.2025 to 27.11.2025 | Community Hall, PSB | 2,00,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 25. | Dr. Umakant Prasad | Nodal Officer | NEP Cell | National Education Policy 2020 and celebration of Bharatiya Bharsha Utsav | 10.02.2026 | Academic & Research | 50,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 26. | Dr. Viswanath Sundar | Assistant Professor | NEP Cell | National Workshop on Transforming Higher Education: Innovation and Entrepreneurship | 22.01.2026 to 23.01.2026 | Conference Hall, Central Library | 70,000/- | 70,000/- |
| 27. | Dr. Umakant Prasad | Nodal Officer | NEP SAARTHI | Indian knowledge system and NEP 2020: Building bridges between Tradition and Modernity | 18.11.2025 | Conference Hall, Academic & Research | 50,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 28. | Dr. Pranab Sarkar | Chairperson | Industry Relation Cell | Industry-Academy Meet 2025 | 06.11.2025 to 07.11.2025 | Lipika Auditorium | 5,00,000/- | 5,00,000 |
| 29. | Dr. Sanjoy Ghosh | In-Charge | Indira Gandhi Centre for National Integration | Exploring Human Rights and Indian Literatures and Culture: New Perspectives | 10.12.2025 | Indira Gandhi Centre | 1,00,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 30. | Prof. Sudip Basu | Director (Acting) | Publishing Department | গ্রন্থ অলঙ্করণ: ইতিহাস, বর্তমান ও ভবিষ্যৎ | 04.11.2025 | Maharshi Debendranath Sabhagriha | 30,000/- | 30,000/- |
| 31. | Prof. Amrit Sen & Dr. Nimai Chand Saha | Chairperson | IKS Steering Committee | Roadmap for Implementing IKS in Visva-Bharati | 19.02.2026 to 20.02.2026 | Central Library | 1,00,000/- | 1,00,000 |

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**B Travel Grant:**

**B(i) Travel Grant (within India) for the year 2025-26:**

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Dr. Jnanendra Rath | Associate Professor | Botany | Drug Discovery & Development | 28.08.2025 to 31.08.2025 | School of Life Sciences, University of Hyderabad | 20,000/- | 10,000/- |
| 2. | Dr. Sutapa Mukherjee | Assistant Professor | Zoology | Global Summit on Innovations in Reproductive Biology: Emerging Frontiers and Discoveries | 20.02.2026 to 22.02.2026 | Dept. of Zoology, Banaras Hindu University (BHU), Varanasi | 20,632/- | 10,000/- |
| 3. | Prof. Utpal Roy | Professor | Computer & System Sciences | 3rd International Conference on Advanced Computing , Machine Learning, Robotics and Internet Technologies (AMRIT-2025) | 22.12.2025 to 24.12.2025 | Dept. of Computer Science, Assam University, Silchar, Assam | 35,000/- | 10,000/- |
| 4. | Dr. Sourav Banerjee | Assistant Professor | Chemistry | National Workshop for Practical Training on Steady State and Time Resolved Absorption, Emission Spectroscopy and Imaging | 29.08.2025 to 31.08.2025 | School of Chemistry, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad | 25,000/- | 10,000/- |
| 5. | Dr. Vivek Kumar Khare | Assistant Professor | Plant Pathology | National Conference on Transformative Approaches and Smart Technology in Plant & Animal Health for Sustainable & Climate-Ready Agriculture | 18.09.2025 to 19.09.2025 | Dept. of Plant Pathology, PSB, Visva-Bharati | 3,000/- | 3,000/- |
| 6. | Prof. Sudipta Bhattacharyya | Professor | Economics & Politics | International Conference on Agrarian Change 2025 | 06.11.2025 to 09.11.2025 | Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala | 50,000/- | 10,000/- |

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| 7. | Dr. Rebeka Sinha | Assistant Professor | Animal Science | International Conference on Frontier approaches in ethno veterinary herbal research in the current scenario of drug resistance | 18.09.2025 to 19.09.2025 | Anduat, Ayodhya, UP | 14,900/- | 10,000/- |
| 8. | Dr. Shaona Barik | Assistant Professor | English | Transnational Encounters in/through South Asia: Victorian Routes of Influence & affect | 08.01.2026 to 09.01.2026 | Indian Institute of Technology, Hyderabad | 27,000/- | 10,000/- |
| 9. | Dr. Atiqur Rahaman | Assistant Professor | Arabic, Persian, Urdu & Islamic Studies | Literary History of Persian Language and Literature in Delhi | 22.02.2025 to 24.02.2025 | Jamia MilliaIslamia, New Delli | 14,000/- | 10,000/- |
| 10. | Shri Rupesh Kumar | Assistant Professor | Yogic Art & Science | International Conference on Indian Knowledge Systems-2025 | 12.09.2025 to 19.09.2025 | Megha Institute of Engineering and Technology for Women, Hyderabad | 25,000/- | 10,000/- |
| 11. | Dr. Sarita Anand | Assistant Professor | Education | International Conference on Sustainable Development Theory, Practice, Approach and Policy | 10.11.2025 to 11.11.2025 | NEHU, Shilong, Meghalaya | 10,000/- | 10,000/- |

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**B(ii) Travel Grant (abroad) for the year 2025-26:**

| Sl. No | Name of Applicant | Designation | Department/Bhavana/Offices | Title of Conference/Seminar/ Workshop/Symposia | Programme Date (Tentative) | To be visited | Expenditure (Approx) | Sanctioned Amount |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Dr. Kishore Chandra Swain | Assistant Professor | Agricultural Engineering, PSB | 11th Asian-Australasian Conference on Precesion Agriculture (ACPA11) | 14.10.2025 to 16.10.2025 | Chiayi, Taiwan | 1,60,000/- | 40,000/- |
| 2. | Prof. Sujit Kumar Paul | Professor | Lifelong Learning & Extension (REC), PSV | AWE International Council Meeting on SDGS | 14.07.2025 to 19.07.2025 & 21.07.2025 to 22.07.2025 | International People's College, Copenhagen, Denmark & Copenhagen University, Denmark | 1,50,000/- | 40,000/- |
| 3. | Dr. Alakananda Hajra | Associate Professor | Chemistry, Siksha Bhavana | 2025 Carbon Neutrality International Conference | 07.11.2025 to 09.11.2025 | Fuzhou University, China | 75,000/- | 40,000/- |
| 4. | Dr. Sudipta Das | Assistant Professor | Physics, Siksha Bhavana | Tensions in Cosmology | 02.09.2025 to 08.09.2025 | Corfu Summer Institute, Greece | 1,00,000/- | 40,000/- |
| 5. | Dr. Prithidipa Sahoo | Assistant Professor | Cemistry, Siksha Bhavana | Global Conference for Decarbonization of Energy and Materials | 16.10.2025 to 19.10.2025 | NTU at ONE NORTH, Singapore | 45,000/- | 40,000/- |
| 6. | Dr. Soma Mukherjee | Assistant Professor | Centre for Comparative Literature, Bhasha Bhavana | Comparative Literature and Technology | 28.07.2025 to 01.08.2025 | Dongguk University, Seoul, South Korea | 1,18,000/- | 40,000/- |
| 7. | Prof. Sisir Kr. Sahana | Professor | Ceramic & Glass Design, Kala Bhavana | Study cum Research Programme | 02.03.2026 to 13.03.2026 | Museum and Artists' Workshop, London | 2,50,000/- | 40,000/- |
| 8. | Prof. Goutam Kumar Das | Professor | Ceramic & Glass Design, Kala Bhavana | 3rd Burapha University International Art Creation Residency Project | 08.12.2025 to 12.12.2025 | Burapha University, Thailand | 30,000/- | 30,000/- |

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| 9. | Dr. Prashant Phirangi | Assistant Professor | Graphic Art (Printmaking), Kala Bhavana | Non-Toxic Printmaking Practice | 15.09.2025 to 19.09.2025 | Mahatma Gandhi Institute, Mauritius | 1,00,000/- | 40,000/- |
| 10. | Dr. Sabarni Pramanik Nayak | Assistant Professor | AIHC&A, Vidya Bhavana | 19th World Sanskrit Conference | 26.06.2025 to 30.06.2025 | Nepal Sanskrit University, Kathmandu, Nepal | 82,000/- | 40,000/- |
| 11. | Dr. Kallol Chatterjee | Assistant Professor | Physical Education and Sport Science, Vinaya Bhavana | International Conference on Sports for Peace | 15.11.2025 to 16.11.2025 | Yonsei University, Seoul, South Korea | 1,50,000/- | 40,000/- |
| 12. | Dr. Sudarsan Biswas | Associate Professor | Physical Education and Sport Science, Vinaya Bhavana | Optimizing Performance and wellness: Innovations in Health, Exercise and Sports | 18.09.2025 to 20.09.2025 | University Technology MARA, Shah Alam, Selangor, Malaysia | 60,000/- | 40,000/- |
| 13. | Prof. Gopal Chandra Saha | Head | Physical Education and Sport Science, Vinaya Bhavana | Optimizing performance and wellness: Innovation in Health, Exercise and Sports Science | 18.09.2025 to 20.09.2025 | University Teknologi MARA, Shah Alam, Selangor, Malaysia | 60,000/- | 40,000/- |
| 14. | Dr. Ranjani Ramachandran | Assistant Professor | Hindustani Classical Music, Sangit Bhavana | Music Education and Sustainability | 19.11.2025 to 21.11.2025 | Kathmandu, Nepal | 66,141/- | 40,000/- |

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**C. Financial assistance from Non-Salary (Revenue) Budget, 2025-26 for Publication Grant for the financial year 2025-26.**

a) Academic & Research will constitute a Screening Committee for scrutinizing the applications for publication
b) Screening Committee may co-opt member(s) from the specific field(s) for scrutinizing the proposals for publications
c) The Financial Assistance to be granted to all applicants, subject to submission of Bills/Copy of Cover Page as per Govt. rules
d) A copy of the publication need to be submitted to Central Library, Visva-Bharati.

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| 1. | Dr. Subrata Gorain | Assistant Professor | Agricultural Economics, PSB | Beyond Economics: A Social Cost-Benefit Assessment of Happy Seeder Adoption in the Rice-Wheat Systems of India's Trans-Gangetic Plain | NIL | 30 | 1,20,300/- (excluding taxes) | 25,000/- |
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| 4. | Dr. Tanima Bhattacharya | Assistant Professor | Silpa Sadana | Living Aesthetics: Craft, Culture and Design in and around Santiniketan | 50 | 200-220 | 40,000/- | 25,000/- |
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| 7. | Prof. Samiran Mondal | HOD | Yogic Art & Science | Indian Knowledge System: Ayurveda: Yoga-Vyayama and Krida | 500 | 200 | 2,50,000/- | 25,000/- |
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| 9. | Dr. Sudipta Bhattacharyya | Professor | Economics & Politics | From Land Reform to Market Reform: A Field-Based Panel Analysis of Agrarian West Bengal | 5000 | 250 | 1,00,000/- | 25,000/- |
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| 11. | Dr. Sanchayan Ghosh | Assistant Professor | Painting | Murals of Visva-Bharati Campus (Santiniketan and Sriniketan): Documentation and Method and Material | 1000 | 200 | 3,00,000/- | 25,000/- |

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**D. Visiting Professor/Visiting Fellow:**

As per XII Plan Guideline the following are the criteria for:

**(i) Visiting Professor:**

a) The maximum tenure of appointment of a Visiting Professor is two years and the minimum tenure is not less than three months.
b) The University may appoint a person up to the age of 70 years as a Visiting Professor.
c) If a superannuated person is appointed as a Visiting Professor, the honorarium payable should not exceed Rs. 15,000/- per month excluding any superannuation benefits.
d) A person appointed as Visiting Professor from outside the country may be paid an honorarium of up to Rs. 20,000/- per month.

**(ii) Visiting Fellow:**

a) The maximum tenure of appointment of a Visiting Fellow is three months and the minimum tenure is not less than a week.
b) Superannuated persons up to the age of 70 years may also be considered for appointment as Visiting Fellow.
c) The visiting fellow may be paid daily allowance not exceeding Rs. 600/- per day for visits up to one month. For visits beyond one month, the rate may be as in the case of Visiting Professor.

| Sl. No. | Proposing Department | Visiting Professor/Visiting Fellow | Name of visiting Professor/Fellow | Subject of Specialization | Proposed Duration | Financial Assistance required | Sanctioned Amount |
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| 1. | Physics, Siksha Bhavana | Visiting Professor | Prof. Monoranjan Guchait (Retired Professor of Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Homi Bhabha Road) | Particle Physics | November, 2025 to October, 2026 | As per XII$^{th}$ Plan Guideline, Rs. 15,000/- per month | Rs. 1,80,000/- |
| 2. | Graphic Art (Printmaking), Kala Bhavana | Visiting Fellow | Dr. Debnath Basu (In service in the University of Calcutta, Alipore) | Printmaking Art | 12.01.2026 to 30.01.2026 | As per XII$^{th}$ Plan Guideline, Rs. 600/- per day | Rs. 9,000/- |

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