

House may disallow live coverage



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The House proceedings are unlikely to be seen on your television set in near future. The live coverage of an unruly scene on the floor might diminish the dignity of the House. This was said by none other than Assam Assembly Speaker Pranab Gogoi.

Gogoi is contemplating to disallow live coverage of the question hours inside the House. The Speaker said it when AIUDF created an unruly scene before they staged walk-out for not considering to bring an adjournment motion.

He said that a section of the members create such scene only for publicity though the [TV](#) channels. These behaviours inside the House on camera would further diminish the dignity of the House, Gogoi said.

AIUDF staged walk out when Speaker refuse to bring them an adjournment motion to raise the issue of ration in the tea gardens. Gogoi asked them to bring it in the zero hours.

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GUWAHATI, October 1, 2026 — The Department of Applied Biology, University of Science & Technology Meghalaya (USTM), in association with the Microbiologists Society, India (MBSI) and the Federation of European Microbiological Societies (FEMS), concluded International Microorganisms Day 2026 and a national workshop on “Academic Writing and Scholarly Publications” on Thursday.

The programme, held from September 17, focused on strengthening academic writing, research communication and scholarly publishing skills among Master’s students, research scholars and early-career researchers.

USTM Vice Chancellor Prof G D Sharma inaugurated the programme. Prof Kumananda Tayung, Dean, Faculty of Sciences, Gauhati University, and Dr Niraj Singh, State President, MBSI (Assam & Meghalaya), attended as Chief Guest-cum-Resource Person and Guest of Honour respectively.

Experts from India and Saudi Arabia conducted sessions on scientific writing, manuscript preparation, publication ethics, scholarly communication and journal selection. Participants from USTM, The Assam Royal Global University and Cotton University attended the programme.

A Poster and Model Competition was also organised, with prizes distributed to the winners.

The programme was organised under the chairpersonship of Dr Sony Kumari, Head, Department of Applied Biology, with Dr Yugal Kishore Mohanta as Convener and Dr Tamanna Bhuyan as coordinator.

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