

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY - EVENT REPORT

- **Name of the Activity :** Book Launch Programme & Celebration of World Ozone Day
- **Category :** Inter-Departmental Activity
- **Organising Unit :** Department of Geography, History and Human Rights, in collaboration with IQAC, RKSMVV.
- **Date :** 16.09.2025
- **Time :** 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm
- **Venue :** Room no 8
- **Name and Designation of the Resource Person :**
Dr. Sabyasachi Chattopadhyay, Professor, Dept of History, Kalyani University and Prof. Dulal Ch. Das, Former Associate Professor, Dept of Geography, Bidhannagar College, Kolkata.
- **Number of Participants :** 50
- **Brief Description of the Event :** On 16th September 2025, from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., the Departments of Geography, History, and Human Rights jointly organised a programme to celebrate World Ozone Day and to launch the book entitled “Climate Change: Impact, Resilience and Rights” as the seminar proceedings of the National Seminar held on 10th August 2024 on occasion of celebration of World Environment Day. The event was graced by two eminent resource persons – Dr. Sabyasachi Chattopadhyay, Professor, Department of History, Kalyani University, and Prof. Dulal Ch. Das, Former Associate Professor, Department of Geography, Bidhannagar College, Kolkata.

The programme comprised the formal launch of an academic publication by our Principal, followed by insightful discussions highlighting the significance of environmental protection in the context of World Ozone Day. The speakers shed light on historical, geographical, and human rights perspectives related to sustainable development and environmental conservation. Faculty members, students, and invited guests actively participated, making the event both intellectually enriching and meaningful in raising awareness about the importance of protecting the ozone layer.

- **Programme outcome :**

The Book Launch Programme of “Climate Change: Impact, Resilience and Rights” was a significant academic event that aimed to highlight the urgent challenges posed by climate change and the ways communities and nations can build resilience while safeguarding human rights.

- The programme sensitized participants about the multidimensional impacts of climate change on environment, society, economy, and vulnerable communities.
- The event provided an academic platform to understand climate change not only as an environmental issue but also as a developmental and rights-based concern.
- The book emphasized the interlinkages between ecological resilience, sustainable development, and social justice, encouraging students and faculty to think beyond disciplinary boundaries.
- The programme inspired students and faculty to engage in further studies and community outreach on climate change adaptation and mitigation.

- The launch reinforced the idea that addressing climate change requires collective action at local, national, and global levels, with equal focus on resilience-building and protecting rights of marginalized groups.

The celebration of World Ozone Day created a meaningful platform to spread awareness about the importance of the ozone layer and the need to protect it for environmental sustainability. The outcomes of the programme are as follows:

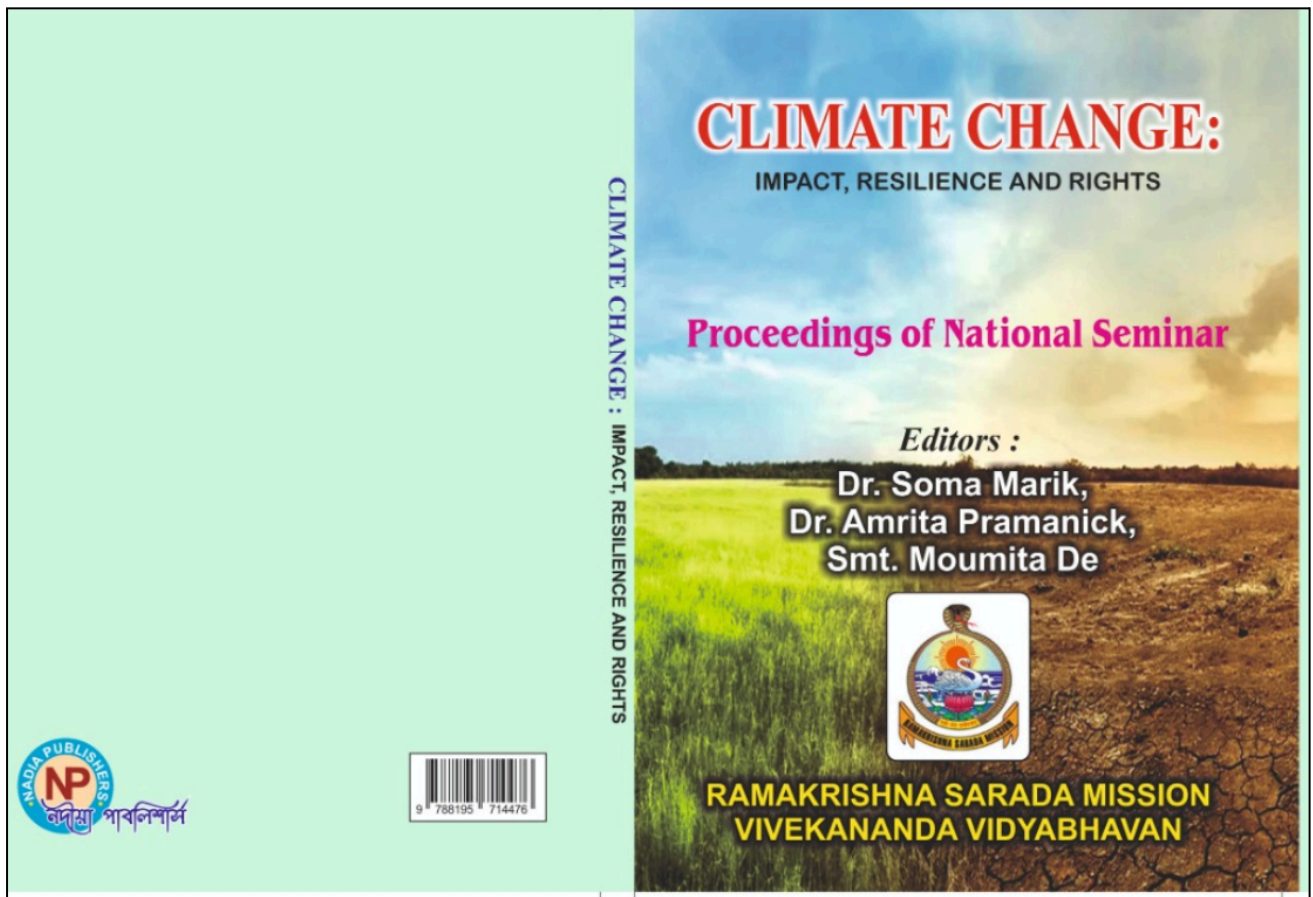
- Students and participants gained knowledge about the causes of ozone depletion, its harmful impacts on life and the environment, and the global initiatives taken under the Montreal Protocol.
- The programme instilled a sense of responsibility among students to adopt eco-friendly practices such as reducing the use of harmful chemicals, promoting afforestation, and minimizing pollution and also motivated them to spread awareness about ozone protection and promoting sustainable practices in daily life.



Flyer of the Program



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Programme Schedule for Book Release and Seminar to celebrate Ozone Day 16.09.2025	
1:30 pm	Inauguration-
-	Introductory words by
1:40 pm	IQAC COORDINATOR
-	followed by few words about
1:40 pm	Ozone Day and its significance
1:45 pm	Welcome address and Book Release
-	by
1:45 pm	Principal Pravrajika Vedarupaprana
1:45 pm	Speaker
-	Prof. Dulal Chandra Das
2:05 pm	Speaker
2:05 pm	Prof. Dr. Sabyasachi Chattopadhyay
2:25 pm	Question Answers
2:25 pm	-
2:35 pm	-
2:50 pm	Vote of Thanks



Some glimpses of the program