

**T**ezpur University has been offering German since 2001, Chinese since 2003, and French since 2007 as foreign language courses under the Department of English and Foreign Languages. The Department of Foreign Languages, established in 2019, offers a full-time Certificate Course in Chinese, and Open Elective Choice Based Credit courses in German, French and Chinese languages. The new department has plans to extend the number of programmes at all levels and is committed to fostering professionals with competent skills in languages, intercultural communication, international affairs and cultural understanding from various nuanced perspectives.

### Programmes offered

1. One Year Certificate Course in Chinese
2. CBCS (Basic Chinese – I & II, Basic German – I & II, Basic French – I & II)

### Faculty and Areas of Interest

#### Professor

**Prasanta Kumar Das**, Ph.D. (GU) (HoD)

*Indian Writing in English, Mission History in Northeast India, Book History*

#### Assistant Professor

**Rathijit Chakraborty**, M.Phil. (Chinese Studies), (JNU)

*Chinese Language and literature*

**Daveirou Lanamai**, M.A. (Chinese Studies) (JNU)

*Chinese Language, Literature & Culture, Intercultural Studies*

**Pallavi**, Ph.D. (German Studies), (JNU)

*German Literature, Partition Literature, Literature, Gender and Emotions, Comparative Studies*

### ACRONYMS

**GU**-Gauhati University; **JNU**- Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi;

**HoD**- Head of the Department

### Facilities

The department is in the process of creating Information and Communication Technology facilities. It has a small language laboratory, audio-visual teaching aids, and a small library of foreign-language books.

### Research Activities

- No of papers published in the year 2022-23:
- No of ongoing research projects:
- No of current Ph.D. scholars:

### Selected Publications

- Pallavi: "Gaining Visibility Through Emotions in Partition-Narrative: Jealousy, Fear and Shock of Male Character in 'Lajwanti'", in: Arzuman Ara (ed.): *Revisiting Partition: Identity, History and Memory*. Pencraft International (Delhi 2022), pages 189-201.
- Pallavi, "The Role of Emotions in Identity Formations of Female Literary Characters in Partition-Narratives", *Shodh Sarita*, Vol. 7, issue 8, October-December
- Kedilezo Kikhi and Daveirou Lanamai. "Contested Borders and Borderlands in Northeast India: (IL) Legitimate Claims of Naga Identity Assertion". *Sociological Bulletin*, August 2020, 69 (2), 141-157
- Daveirou Lanamai, 2019. Parallels and Contrasts in the Popular Folklore of the Chinese and the Nagas. *Journal of Northeast Indian Cultures*, 4(2), 44 - 56, Assam Don Bosco University. ISSN 2322-0988
- Pallavi: "Fictional Representation of Rape and Sexual Violence in Battle of Berlin, 1945", in Rao, Vijaya et. al. (ed.): *Displacement and Citizenship. Histories and Memories of Exclusion*. Tulika Books (December 2019), page 241-260.

### Courses offered in One Year Certificate Course in Chinese

Course Code	Course Title	Cr.
First Semester		
CL110	Read and Write Chinese -I	3
CL112	Chinese Comprehension	3
CL114	Speaking Chinese- I	3
CL116	China in Brief-I	3

### Second Semester

CL111	Read and Write Chinese -II	3
CL113	Chinese Composition	3
CL115	Speaking Chinese- II	3
CL117	China in Brief-II	3

For more information one can visit the departmental website <http://www.tezu.ernet.in/dfl>

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