

**VISVA-BHARATI
SANTINIKETAN**



Members of Academic Council (As on 04th September, 2025)

Members	Name	Tenure
Upacharya (Vice-Chancellor) - (Chairman)	Dr. Probir Kumar Ghosh	ex-officio
Saha-Upacharya (Pro-Vice-Chancellor)	Vacant	ex-officio
Director of Studies, Educational Innovations and Rural Re-construction	Vacant	ex-officio
Director of Culture and Cultural Relations	Prof. Amit Hazra (Acting)	ex-officio
Director of Physical Education, Sports, National Service and Students' Welfare	Prof. Amit Hazra (Acting)	ex-officio
Adhyaksha, Bhasha-Bhavana	Prof. Mrinal Kanti Mandal	ex-officio
Adhyaksha, Vidya-Bhavana	Prof. Sirajul Islam	ex-officio
Adhyaksha, Siksha-Bhavana	Prof. Narayan Chandra Mandal	ex-officio
Adhyaksha, Kala-Bhavana	Prof. Sisir Kumar Sahana	ex-officio
Adhyaksha, Sangit-Bhavana	Prof. Sruti Bandopadhyay	ex-officio
Adhyaksha, Palli Siksha-Bhavana	Prof. Binoy Kumar Saren	ex-officio
Adhyaksha, Palli Samgathana Vibhaga	Prof. Santanu Rakshit	ex-officio
Adhyaksha, Vinaya-Bhavana	Prof. Samiran Mondal	ex-officio
Adhyaksha, Patha-Bhavana (School Section))	Smt. Bodhirupa Sinha	ex-officio
Adhyaksha, Siksha-Satra (School Section)	Smt. Tamali Majumber	ex-officio
Adhyaksha, Rabindra-Bhavana	Prof. Amit Hazra (Acting)	ex-officio

Members	Name	Tenure
HOD, English	Prof. Debarati Bandyopadhyay	ex-officio
HOD, Bengali	Prof. Manabendranath Mukhopadhyay	ex-officio
HOD, Hindi	Dr. Subhas Chandra Roy	ex-officio
HOD, Odia	Dr. Pramila Patulia (Teacher-In-Charge)	ex-officio
HOD, Chinese Language & Culture	Prof. Avijit Banerjee	ex-officio
HOD, Japanese	Prof. Mrinal Kanti Mondal Principal, Bhasha-Bhavana	ex-officio
HOD, Indo-Tibetan Studies	Principal, Bhasha-Bhavana	ex-officio
HOD, Arabic, Persian, Urdu & Islamic Studies	Prof. Wasif Ahmad	ex-officio
HOD, Sanskrit, Pali & Prakrit	Prof. Narottam Senapati	ex-officio
HOD, Santali	Dr. Dukhia Murmu, Teacher In-Charge	ex-officio
HOD, Phil. & Religion	Dr. Manjari Chakrabarty	ex-officio
HOD, History	Prof. Syed Ejaz Hussain	ex-officio
HOD, Geography	Prof. Manjari Bhattacharji	ex-officio
HOD, A.I.H.C. & A.	Prof. Anil Kumar	ex-officio
HOD, Economics & Politics	Prof. Saumya Chakrabarti	ex-officio

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HOD, Anthropology	Principal, Vidya-Bhavana	ex-officio
HOD, Mathematics	Prof. Tapas Roy Mahapatra	ex-officio
HOD, Chemistry	Prof. Gourab Kanti Das	ex-officio
HOD, Physics	Prof. Ashis Bhattacharyya	ex-officio
HOD, Botany	Prof. Subrata Mondal	ex-officio
HOD, Zoology	Prof. Samar Kr. Saha	ex-officio
HOD, Statistics	Prof. Sudhansu Sekhar Maiti	ex-officio
HOD, Computer & System Sciences	Prof. Utpal Roy	ex-officio
HOD, Environmental Studies	Prof. Pratap Kumar Padhy	ex-officio
HOD, Biotechnology	Dr. Nilanjana Das	ex-officio
HOD, Integrated Science Education & Research Centre	Prof. Subrata Sinha	ex-officio
HOD, Painting	Dr. Prashanta Kumar Sahoo	ex-officio
HOD, Graphic Art	Shri Arpan Mukherjee	ex-officio
HOD, Sculpture	Mr. Mati Lal Kalai	ex-officio
HOD, History of Art	Dr. Anshuman Dasgupta	ex-officio
HOD, Textile Design	Dr. Banatanwi Das Mahapatra	ex-officio
HOD, Ceramics & Glass Design	Prof. Sisir Kr. Sahana	ex-officio

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HOD, Education	Dr. Partha Pratim Sikdar	ex-officio
HOD, Physical Education & Sport Science	Prof. Gopal Chandra Saha	ex-officio
HOD, Yogic Art & Science	Prof. Samiran Mondal	ex-officio
HOD, Hindusthani Classical Music (Vocal & Instrumental)	Prof. Sabyasachi Sarkhel	ex-officio
HOD, Rabindra Sangit, Dance & Drama	Prof. Sruti Bandopadhyay	ex-officio
HOD, Agronomy	Prof. Ganesh Ch. Malik	ex-officio
HOD, Soil Science	Dr. Pabitra Kr. Biswas	ex-officio
HOD, Agricultural Engineering	Principal, Palli Siksha Bhavana	ex-officio
HOD, Animal Science	Principal, Palli Siksha Bhavana	ex-officio
HOD, Genetics & Plant Breeding and Crop Physiology	Prof. Amitava Paul	ex-officio
HOD, Horticulture & Post Harvest Technology	Dr. Joydeep Mandal	ex-officio
HOD, Agricultural Extension	Dr. Anindita Saha	ex-officio
HOD, Agricultural Economics	Prof. Bidhan Ch. Roy	ex-officio
HOD, Agricultural Statistics	Prof. Debasis Bhattacharya	ex-officio
HOD, Plant Entomology	Prof. Hirak Chatterjee	ex-officio
HOD, Plant Pathology	Dr. Ranjan Nath	ex-officio
HOD, Social Work	Dr. Paramita Roy	ex-officio
HOD, Palli Charcha Kendra (PCK)	Dr. M. Alankara Masillamani	ex-officio
HOD, Silpa Sadana	Dr. Prabir Kumar Choudhuri	ex-officio
HOD, Lifelong Learning & Extension	Prof. Amit Kr. Hazra	ex-officio
Librarian, Central Library	Dr. Nimai Chand Saha	ex-officio
Proctor, Visva-Bharati	Prof. Ganesh Ch. Malik	ex-officio

Members	Name	Term	Up to	Tenure
Three Students nominated by the Upacharya on the basis of merit. Two students co-opted by the Siksha-Samiti who are proficient in studies and all-round development.	Mr. Chandan Goswami	23 rd July, 2025	22 nd July, 2027	2 yrs
	Mr. Ankan Das	23 rd July, 2025	22 nd July, 2027	2 yrs
	Mr. Sourik Saha	23 rd July, 2025	22 nd July, 2027	2 yrs
	Ms. Sabarana Niyogi	23 rd July, 2025	22 nd July, 2027	2 yrs
	Mr. Sagnik Mukherjee	23 rd July, 2025	22 nd July, 2027	2 yrs
Five External Co-Opted Members of Siksha-Samiti (Academic Council)	Prof. Swapan Kumar Datta	02 nd May, 2025	01 st May, 2028	3 yrs
	Prof. Pritam Deb	02 nd May, 2025	01 st May, 2028	3 yrs
	Prof. Urmimala Sarkar Munsu	02 nd May, 2025	01 st May, 2028	3 yrs
	Dr. Mohan Sharma	02 nd May, 2025	01 st May, 2028	3 yrs
	Prof. Gobardhan Das	02 nd May, 2025	01 st May, 2028	3 yrs
Three VISITOR'S (PARIDARSHAKA'S) NOMINEES	Vacant	Up to		3 yrs
	Vacant			3 yrs
	Vacant			3 yrs
Seven Adhyapakas of the University other than Professors and HODs, by rotation according to seniority	Smt. Tandrima Pattrea	23 rd July, 2025	22 nd July, 2028	3 yrs
	Shri Soumik Nandi Majumder	23 rd July, 2025	22 nd July, 2028	3 yrs
	Dr. Aparna Saha	23 rd July, 2025	22 nd July, 2028	3 yrs
	Shri Arghya Priya Majumdar	23 rd July, 2025	22 nd July, 2028	3 yrs
	Smt. Chandrani Mukhopadhyay	23 rd July, 2025	22 nd July, 2028	3 yrs
	Dr. Kakali Datta	23 rd July, 2025	22 nd July, 2028	3 yrs
	Dr. Shreekantha Sil	23 rd July, 2025	22 nd July, 2028	3 yrs

Members	Department	Name	Term	Tenure
All Professors	Bengali	Prof. Mrinal Kanti Mondal		ex-officio
	Bengali	Prof. Sudip Basu		ex-officio
	Bengali	Prof. Aparna Roy (Bhattacharya)		ex-officio
	Bengali	Prof. Abhra Bose		ex-officio
	Bengali	Prof. Sumita Bhattacharya		ex-officio
	Bengali	Prof. Manabendranath Saha		ex-officio
	Bengali	Prof. Manabendra Mukhopadhyay		ex-officio
	French	Prof. Nilajan Chakraborty		ex-officio
	Italy	Prof. Indrani Das		ex-officio
	English	Prof. Swati Ganguly		ex-officio
	English	Prof. Debarati Bandyopadhyay		ex-officio
	English	Prof. Amrit Sen		ex-officio
	English	Prof. Sudev Pratim Basu		ex-officio
	Hindi	Prof. Mukteswar Nath Tiwary		ex-officio
	Hindi	Prof. Sakuntala Misra		ex-officio
	Buddhist Studies	Prof. Aruna Ranjan Mishra		ex-officio
	Sanskrit	Prof. Lalita Chakraborty		ex-officio
	Sanskrit	Prof. Nirranjan Jena		ex-officio
	Sanskrit	Prof. Narattam Senapati		ex-officio
	Odia	-		ex-officio

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All Professors	Arabic Persian	Prof. Wasif Ahmad		ex-officio
	Chinese	Prof. Avijit Banerjee		ex-officio
	Japanese	--		ex-officio
	Indo Tibetan Studies	Prof. Sanjib Kr. Das		ex-officio
	Geography	Prof. Manjari Bhattacharji		ex-officio
	Geography	Prof. Premangshu Chakrabarty		ex-officio
	Com. Religion	Prof. Sirajul Islam		ex-officio
	AIHC&A	Prof. Anil Kumar		ex-officio
	CJMC	Prof. Biplab Loha Choudhury		ex-officio
	History	Prof. Bipasha Raha		ex-officio
	History	Prof. Syed Ejaz Hussain		ex-officio
	Economics	Prof. Saumya Chakrabarti		ex-officio
	Economics	Prof. Sudipta Bhattacharya		ex-officio
	Economics	Prof. Apurba Chattopadhyay		ex-officio
	Mathematics	Prof. Prasanta Chatterjee		ex-officio
	Mathematics	Prof. Prashanta Kr. Mandal		ex-officio
	Mathematics	Prof. Tapas Roy Mohapatra		ex-officio
	Mathematics	Prof. Dibyendu Banerjee		ex-officio
	Mathematics	Prof. Subhasis Ray		ex-officio
	Mathematics	Prof. Tarapada Bag		ex-officio
	Mathematics	Prof. Madan Mohan Panja		ex-officio
	Physics	Prof. Manas Maity		ex-officio
	Physics	Prof. Tapas Kundu		ex-officio

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All Professors	Physics	Prof. Bikash Chandra Gupta		ex-officio
	Physics	Prof. Swapan Mondal		ex-officio
	Physics	Prof. Ashis Bhattacharyya		ex-officio
	Physics	Prof. Pijush Kanti Ghosh		ex-officio
	Chemistry	Prof. Pranesh Chaudhury		ex-officio
	Chemistry	Prof. Pranab Sarkar		ex-officio
	Chemistry	Prof. Goutam Brahmachari		ex-officio
	Chemistry	Prof. Swapan Kumar Chandra		ex-officio
	Chemistry	Prof. Bhabatosh Mondal		ex-officio
	Chemistry	Prof. Gourab Kanti Das		ex-officio
	Chemistry	Prof. Adinath Majee		ex-officio
	Chemistry	Prof. Bijoy Krishna Dolui		ex-officio
	Botany	Prof. Narayan Ch. Mondal		ex-officio
	Botany	Prof. Subrata Mondal		ex-officio
	Botany	Prof. Chowdhury Habibur Rahaman		ex-officio
	Zoology	Prof. Ansuman Chattopadhyay		ex-officio
	Zoology	Prof. Dipak Kr. Mondal		ex-officio

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All Professors	Zoology	Prof. Samar Kr. Saha		ex-officio
	Zoology	Prof. Larisha M Lyndem		ex-officio
	Zoology	Prof. Sudipta Maitra		ex-officio
	Comp. Sc.	Prof. Alok Kr. Dutta		ex-officio
	Comp. Sc.	Prof. Paramartha Dutta		ex-officio
	Comp. Sc.	Prof. Utpal Roy		ex-officio
	Statistics	Prof. Sudhansu Sekhar Maiti		ex-officio
	Enviro. Sc.	Prof. Pratap Kumar Padhy		ex-officio
	ISREC	Prof. Subrata Sinha		ex-officio
	Biotechnology	Prof. Tathagata Choudhuri		ex-officio
	Painting	Prof. Dilip Kumar Mitra		ex-officio
	History of Art	Prof. Sanjoy Kumar Mallik		ex-officio
	Sculpture	Prof. Pankaj Panwar		ex-officio
	Design	Prof. Goutam Kr. Das		ex-officio
	Design	Prof. Sisir Kumar Sahana		ex-officio
	Rabindra Music	Prof. Konjengbam Sunita Devi		ex-officio
	Classical Music	Prof. Sabyasachi Sarkhel		ex-officio
	Esraj	Prof. Buddhadeb Das		ex-officio
	Manipuri Dance	Prof. Sruti Bandyopadhyay		ex-officio

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All Professors	Education	Prof. Kanu Charan Sahu		ex-officio
	Education	Prof. Rajarshi Roy		ex-officio
	Physical Education & Sports Science	Prof. Sumantra Kumar Mondal		ex-officio
	Physical Education & Sports Science	Prof. Samiran Mondal		ex-officio
	Physical Education & Sports Science	Prof. Gopal Chandra Saha		ex-officio
	Yogic Art & Science	Prof. Samiran Mondal		ex-officio
	Gen-Plant Breeding	Prof. Paresh Ch. Kole		ex-officio
	Gen-Plant Breeding	Prof. Amitava Paul		ex-officio
	Plant Protection	Prof. Hirak Chatterjee		ex-officio
	Plant Pathology	Prof. Ranjan Nath		ex-officio
	Agril Exten	Prof. Sarthak Choudhury		ex-officio
	Agril Statistics	Prof. Debasis Bhattacharya		ex-officio
	Agril Economics	Prof. Bidhan Chandra Roy		ex-officio
	Agril.Extension	Prof. Souvik Ghosh		ex-officio
	Agril.Extension	Prof. Siddhartha Dev Mukhopadhyay		ex-officio
	Vet. Sc	-		ex-officio
	Soil Science	Prof. Goutam Ghosh		ex-officio
	Agronomy	Prof. Binay Kumar Soren		ex-officio
	Agronomy	Prof. Buddhadeb Duary		ex-officio

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All Professors	Agronomy	Prof. Ganesh Chandra Malik		ex-officio
	Silpa Sadana	Prof. Arabinda Mondal		ex-officio
	Social Work	Prof. Ashok Kr. Sarkar		ex-officio
	Social Work	Prof. Debotosh Sinha		ex-officio
	REC	Prof. Amit Kumar Hazra		ex-officio
	REC	Prof. Sujit Kr. Paul		ex-officio
	Crop Physiology	-		ex-officio
	Horticulture and Post Harvest Technology	Prof. Snehasish Chakravorty		ex-officio
	PCK, PSV	Prof. Santanu Rakshit		ex-officio
