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NOTIFICATION

All students, faculty members, research scholars and non-teaching staff are hereby informed that the **Department of Conservation Biology**, in collaboration with the **Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)**, Durgapur Government College, will organize an invited lecture as part of the **Wildlife Week Celebration 2026**.

Topic: *Echoes of Change: Pteridophytes as Microclimate Refuge Keepers*
Speaker: Dr. Anish Bhattacharya,
Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, Durgapur Government College

Date: 07 October 2026 (Wednesday)
Time: 11:00 A.M.
Venue: Nazrul Prekkhagriho, Durgapur Government College

The lecture will focus on the ecological significance of pteridophytes and their role in maintaining microclimatic stability, biodiversity conservation, habitat resilience, and climate adaptation. All interested participants are encouraged to attend and enrich themselves through this academic deliberation.

Attendance of students of the Department of Conservation Biology is highly encouraged.

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Invited Lecture

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Ancient Plants, Modern Refuge:
Understanding Nature's Green Climate Guardians

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Speaker

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Small plants, great impact: safeguarding nature's hidden shelters.

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About the Talk

As climate change reshapes ecosystems across the globe, pteridophytes (ferns and their allies) emerge as silent guardians of biodiversity. These ancient plants create and maintain cool, moist microhabitats that serve as refuges for numerous organisms. The lecture will highlight how pteridophytes contribute to ecological resilience, habitat conservation, and climate adaptation in a rapidly changing world.

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