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Name of the Department/Society: North-East Cell

Name of the Event 3: Identity, Culture and Lore of North-East India

Date of the Event: 14th August, 2021

This webinar was hosted on the 14th of August, Saturday. The webinar began from 4 o'clock in the evening and was the second lecture of our lecture series on the Folk Cultures of North-East. The lecture was delivered by Prof. Prakash C. Pattanaik, Head of the Department of Modern Indian Languages and Literary Studies, University of Delhi.

Folklore constitutes a body of collective knowledge which is transmitted from one generation to another. Folklore becomes a tool of legitimacy, providing validation to ritualistic practices and traditional institutions. The diverse communities of North-East India have distinct folk traditions and Prof. P. C. Pattanaik discussed the linkages between identity, culture and lore.

