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COVER STORY

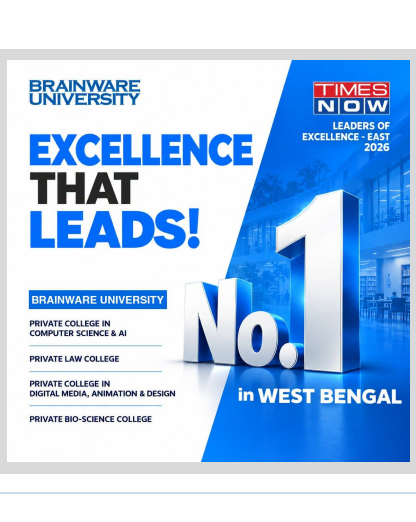
MISSION AI BENGAL | Building an AI-ready Bengal, one skill at a time. AI FOR SMART GOVERNANCE | Empowering Public Service Through Technology

BRAINWARE UNIVERSITY
IN COLLABORATION WITH NIT DURGAPUR
MISSION AI BENGAL
AI & SMART GOVERNANCE
2-Day Orientation Programme | 85+ Government Officials

Brainware University, in collaboration with NIT Durgapur, organised a two-day orientation programme on 'Artificial Intelligence and Smart Governance' under MISSION AI BENGAL, training 85+ government officials through its Artificial Intelligence Research and Development Cell (AIRDC). The programme combined AI awareness with hands-on applications, highlighting how emerging technologies can simplify administrative tasks, enhance efficiency and support smarter decision- making.

Brainware University – Ranked No. 1 in West Bengal | Times Now Leaders of Excellence East 2026

Brainware University has been recognised as No. 1 in West Bengal at the Times Now Leaders of Excellence – East 2026 for excellence across four disciplines: Computer Science & AI, Law, Digital Media, Animation & Design, and Biosciences. This recognition celebrates the university's commitment to academic excellence, innovation, industry-oriented education and nurturing future-ready professionals across diverse fields.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TIMES NOW
LEADERS OF EXCELLENCE - EAST 2026
EXCELLENCE THAT LEADS!
PRIVATE COLLEGE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE & AI
PRIVATE LAW COLLEGE
PRIVATE COLLEGE IN DIGITAL MEDIA, ANIMATION & DESIGN
PRIVATE BIO-SCIENCE COLLEGE
No.1
in WEST BENGAL

4-STAR RATING FOR BRAINWARE UNIVERSITY'S INSTITUTION'S INNOVATION COUNCIL (IIC)!

4-STAR RATING
INNOVATION GETS RECOGNISED!
For IIC Calendar Year 2024-25!
Another milestone.
Another reason to innovate.

Awarded by the Innovation Cell, Ministry of Education, Government of India, for the IIC Calendar Year 2024-25, this achievement celebrates our commitment to nurturing ideas, encouraging innovation, and inspiring the next generation of problem-solvers.Because at Brainware, we don't just encourage students to think differently. We empower them to turn their ideas into possibilities .

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE MONTH

Launch of AI MASTERCORE under Mission AI Bengal

Brainware University announced the launch of AI MASTERCORE – Certificate & Diploma Courses in Artificial Intelligence, under Mission AI Bengal, with NIT Durgapur as the mentor institute. The launch featured Dr. Animesh Dutta, Professor, Department of CSE, NIT Durgapur. With its core module syllabus ratified by NIT Durgapur, the initiative aims to strengthen AI education through a robust academic foundation and equip learners with future-ready skills.

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THE AI MASTERCORE
COURSE LAUNCH
WELCOMES
DR. ANIMESH DUTTA
Mission AI Bengal
SKILLING | UPSKILLING | FUTURE READINESS

GAN, GOLPO AAR AI Where Tradition Meets Technology

Brainware University, in collaboration with the Eastern Zonal Cultural Centre (EZCC), hosted Gan, Golpo Aar AI—a unique celebration blending Bengali folk culture, music, storytelling and Artificial Intelligence. Welcoming EZCC Director Ashish Kumar Giri, Chancellor Phalguni Mookhopadhyay joined students in an evening filled with folk music, dance, conversations and explorations of AI's creative possibilities. A celebration where Bengal's cultural roots met the possibilities of tomorrow!

Nurturing Young Entrepreneurs Through the DICE Initiative: Brainware University Mentors PM SHRI Kendriya Vidyalaya Students

Brainware University, as a Higher Education Institute Mentor under the Ministry of Education's DICE Initiative, conducted entrepreneurship development sessions for students of PM SHRI Kendriya Vidyalayas at Barrackpore, Bamangachi and Barrackpore (PM SHRI KV). Through expert-led sessions, real-life examples, design thinking activities and interactive discussions, students explored innovation- driven entrepreneurship, problem-solving and idea development. The visits also introduced students to the Future AI Skills Hub, student innovations and hands-on projects, with selected students set to experience the University's Innovation Hub.

DUGGA ELO! Celebrating the Arrival of Maa Durga at Brainware University

Brainware University welcomed the festive spirit of Durga Puja with DUGGA ELO, a vibrant celebration organised by BRAINZ, the university's student clubs. From the beats of the dhaak and traditional dhunuchi naach to energetic cultural performances and a festive ramp walk, students brought the campus alive with colour, music and enthusiasm. Celebrating the coming together of Navratri and Durga Puja, the event beautifully reflected Bengal's cultural heritage, student talent and the spirit of togetherness. At Brainware, Pujo begins when the campus comes alive!

Poshan Utsav 2026: Illuminating the Path to Better Nutrition

The Department of Food and Nutrition celebrated Poshan Utsav 2026 as part of Rashtriya Poshan Maah through a healthy recipe competition, debate, extempore and nutrition exhibition conducted over three days. The programme witnessed participation from 186 students and 19 faculty members, with 205 participant-attendances recorded. The activities encouraged culinary creativity, nutritional awareness, healthy food choices and effective communication, promoting the importance of balanced nutrition and overall well-being.

CAMPUS NEWS

Photosiast 2026

Photosiast 2026, organised by the Department of Media Science and Journalism, celebrated the creativity and visual storytelling of students through a photography exhibition and competition. The event was inaugurated by Chancellor Phalguni Mookhopadhayay, who felicitated Debosmita Bhattacharya, Senior Photojournalist, Anandabazar Patrika. She also shared valuable insights into photojournalism, inspiring students to explore storytelling through photography and capture extraordinary perspectives in everyday moments.

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PHOTOSAST 2026: FRAMES THAT SPEAK
DEBOSMITA BHATTACHARYA — SHARING HER EXPERIENCE AND REAL-WORLD INSIGHTS ON PHOTOJOURNALISM WITH STUDENTS

Two-Day Pre-Conference Workshop on Orofacial Healthcare

The Department of Allied Health Sciences, Brainware University, organised a two-day pre-conference workshop at Susrut Medilife, Salt Lake, focusing on early detection, orofacial assessment and perioperative care.

The workshop featured expert sessions and hands-on clinical training in oral cancer screening, suturing, surgical assistance and postoperative care. Distinguished resource persons included Dr. Rakshith Shetty, Dr. Surajit Bose, Dr. Sohini Roy Chowdhury, Dr. Medha Mukherjee, Dr. Alangkar Saha, Dr. Annu Singh, Dr. Rajarshi Sen, Dr. Susmita Biswas and Dr. Prerana Basu, who enriched the learning experience through their academic and clinical expertise.

Pre-Conference Workshop on Code Stroke

The Department of Allied Health Sciences organised a pre-conference workshop titled "Code Stroke: Mastering NIHSS for Acute Stroke Response" for BOTT students. Conducted by Mr. Abhiyad Ahmed (M.Sc. Critical Care Science), ICU In-charge and Founder of Crisis Clinic, the session focused on early stroke recognition, NIHSS-based neurological assessment and timely emergency intervention, providing students with valuable insights into acute stroke management and clinical response.

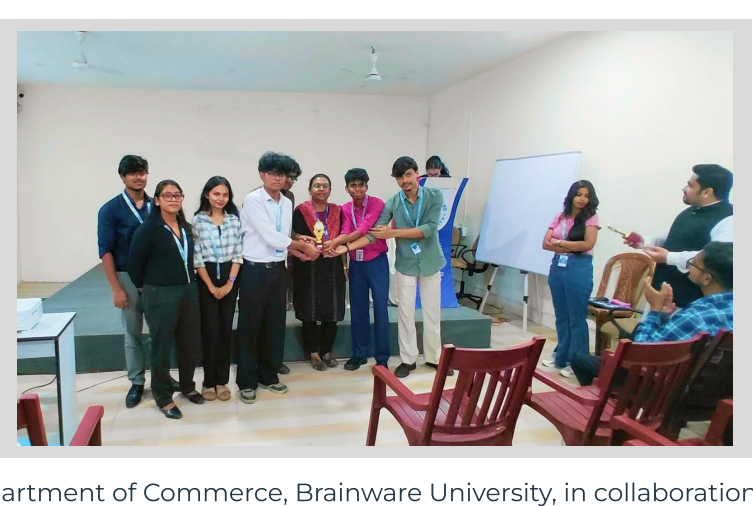
Pre-Conference Hands-On Workshop on Radiation Dose Optimisation

The Department of Allied Health Sciences, under the BMRIT programme, organised a hands-on workshop on "Radiation Dose Optimisation and Image Quality in Diagnostic Imaging". Conducted by Mr. Sourav Sarkar, Application Specialist, Radiological Precision Labs (India) Pvt. Ltd., the workshop focused on radiation safety, dose management, exposure optimisation and diagnostic image quality, providing students with valuable practical insights into modern imaging practices.

Pre-Conference Workshop at Brainhealthcon 2026

The Department of Allied Health Sciences, under the BPT programme, organised a pre-conference workshop as part of Brainhealthcon 2026. The session was conducted by Dr. Prabhat Ranjan (PT), Physiotherapist, Department of Neurology, AIIMS, New Delhi, who shared expert insights into neurological physiotherapy, specialised rehabilitation practices and evidence-based patient care. The workshop offered students valuable academic interaction and clinical perspectives on improving functional recovery and quality of life among patients with neurological disorders.

Venture Vision 2026 – Startup and Business Idea Competition



The Department of Commerce, Brainware University, in collaboration with IQAC and IIC, organised Venture Vision 2026 – Startup and Business Idea Competition on 30 October 2026 . The event encouraged students to showcase innovative business ideas, develop startup models, and enhance their entrepreneurial and presentation skills. Participants received expert feedback, and outstanding ideas were recognised for their creativity, feasibility, and business potential.

Industrial Exposure Visit to Sundarban Chemicals Pvt. Ltd.

One-Day Industrial Exposure Programme
Sundarban Chemicals Private Limited

The Department of Electrical Engineering, Brainware University, organised a one-day industrial exposure visit to Sundarban Chemicals Private Limited, Nimpith, Joynagar-II, for B.Tech Electrical Engineering students. The visit focused on industrial power distribution, electrical machines, automation, instrumentation, maintenance and workplace safety. The programme aimed to bridge the gap between classroom learning and industrial applications while familiarising students with industry practices, technical competencies and career opportunities in the chemical manufacturing sector.

Food & BioVenture: Entrepreneurship in Food Science & Nutrition

The Department of Food & Nutrition organised an entrepreneurship seminar featuring Dr. Debanjan Dutta, Divisional Head, Agrivet Life Sciences and Founder & CEO, Labcritters Research and Consultancy. Coordinated by Dr. Sreerupa Sarkar, the session explored startup development, product innovation, funding and commercialisation, encouraging 150 students to explore entrepreneurial opportunities in food science, nutrition and biotechnology.

Empowering Women Through Awareness: Understanding Rights, Equality and Dignity

The programme featured an awareness session on women's rights, constitutional safeguards, legal protection, personal safety, consent and gender equality. The session commenced with a welcome address by Dr. Anindita Mitra and featured Adv. Moumita Kundu as the resource person. The felicitation was conducted by Dr. Debanjana Sen, Assistant Professor and IIC Coordinator, Department of Food and Nutrition.

Industrial Exposure Visits to Leading Hospitals

The Department of Hospital Management organised a series of industrial visits for first-year BBAHM students to ILS Hospitals, Salt Lake; Manipal Hospital, Salt Lake; Health Pillar Hospital; and JIMS Hospital, Sodepur, between 3 and 15 October 2026. The visits provided students with practical exposure to hospital infrastructure, patient-care services, administrative functions and operational procedures. These industry interactions aimed to bridge the gap between theoretical learning and real-world hospital management practices, strengthening students' professional understanding through experiential learning.

Vigilance Awareness Week 2026: Probity for Prosperity | 26–31 October 2026

The School of Law, Brainware University, observed Vigilance Awareness Week 2026 under the theme "Probity for Prosperity", promoting integrity, transparency and accountability. The week featured an Integrity Pledge, quiz competition, a seminar by Dr. Tamal Gupta, Associate Professor, School of Law, poster presentations, debate, extempore and a campus walkathon. The activities encouraged ethical conduct, responsible citizenship and awareness against corruption, reinforcing the importance of integrity in institutional and social life.

Industry Visit to The Times of India 6 October, 2026

The Department of Media Science and Journalism organised an industry visit to The Times of India to familiarise students with professional newspaper operations. Students gained practical insights into newsroom functioning, news gathering, editing, page designing, printing and the evolving dynamics of the print media industry, bridging the gap between classroom learning and real-world journalistic practices.

Three-Day Workshop on Computational Biology and In Silico Drug Design

The three-day workshop provided theoretical and hands-on training in bioinformatics, molecular docking, protein–ligand interaction analysis and molecular dynamics simulations. Participants explored tools such as NCBI BLAST and phylogenetic analysis, strengthening their computational research skills and understanding of drug discovery. The programme witnessed participation from 102 students (59 internal and 43 external) and 5 faculty members, promoting practical learning and research-oriented innovation in pharmaceutical sciences.

cGMP Day Celebration 2026

The Department of Pharmaceutical Technology, in association with the Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), organised a seminar titled "Innovating Quality: Advancing cGMP Practices through Innovation and Technology in Pharmaceutical Manufacturing." The session featured Mr. Indranil Bhattacharya, QC Head, ASG Biochem, who shared industry insights on cGMP principles, quality assurance, regulatory compliance and technological advancements. The programme witnessed participation from 101 students and 24 faculty members, strengthening awareness of quality-driven pharmaceutical manufacturing practices.

Pre-RD Parade Selection Camp at Brainware University

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Pre-RD Parade Selection Camp
at Brainware University

The NSS Unit of Brainware University organised a Pre-Republic Day Parade Selection Camp for NSS volunteers, providing an opportunity to participate in the selection process for the Republic Day Parade. The camp focused on discipline, drill, coordination, teamwork and confidence, encouraging students to demonstrate commitment, leadership and the spirit of service while preparing to represent their university on a national platform.

BRAINWARE ADVANTAGE

AI-POWERED RESEARCH FOR BETTER LUNG CANCER DIAGNOSIS

Faculty members Chitrak Dey, Jayanta Aich, Subrata Sinha and Saurav Mali of Brainware University have published their research on AI-driven lung cancer histopathology using Vision-Language Models in Biomedical Signal Processing and Control, an SCIE-indexed Elsevier journal with an Impact Factor of 5.7.

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WE LEARN FROM THE BEST
AI FOR A HEALTHIER TOMORROW
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Global Research Recognition | Dr. Sanjukta Dasgupta Among the World's Top 2% Scientists

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RECOGNISED AMONG TOP 2% SCIENTISTS IN THE WORLD
Congratulations to our faculty member
Dr. Sanjukta Dasgupta!

Brainware University proudly celebrates Dr. Sanjukta Dasgupta, distinguished faculty member, for being recognised among the Top 2% of Scientists in the World, based on the list sourced from Elsevier and Stanford University. This prestigious recognition highlights her research contributions, academic excellence and commitment to advancing scientific knowledge, reflecting Brainware University's growing contribution to global research and innovation.

CASECRAFT 2026 Case Study Teaching Workshop

The Department of Management organised CASECRAFT 2026, a workshop aimed at strengthening case study teaching methodologies and promoting application-oriented management education. The session focused on connecting theoretical concepts with real-world business situations while enhancing critical thinking, analytical reasoning, problem-solving and managerial decision-making skills.

Best Paper Presentation Award at the 4th National Conference on Legal Education

B.A. LL.B. students Anubhab Sen and Soumadeep Biswas received the Best Paper Presentation recognition in Panel 9 on "Technology-Enabled Legal Aid, E-Clinics, and Online Dispute Resolution" at the 4th National Conference on Legal Education, Profession and Integrating Pro Bono Culture for Better Access to Justice, organised by Rajiv Gandhi School of Intellectual Property Law, IIT Kharagpur. The achievement highlights their research excellence and contribution to technology-driven legal education and access to justice.

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BRAINWARE BRIGHT MINDS
Anubhab Sen & Soumadeep Biswas
Best Paper Presentation
Heartiest Congratulations!

AI-POWERED RESEARCH FOR EARLY HEALTH RISK PREDICTION

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WE LEARN FROM THE BEST
What if healthcare could see the warning signs before they become alarms?
Heartiest Congratulations!

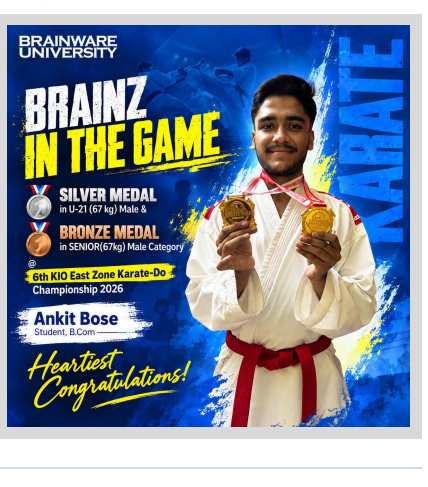
Saptaparni Roy Chowdhury, Faculty Member at Brainware University, presented her research at ICAECT 2026, exploring an AI-driven healthcare model combining Digital Twin Modelling and Graph Neural Networks for early health risk prediction. Achieving approximately 93% prediction accuracy, the research highlights the potential of AI in supporting timely healthcare interventions.

Two Medals. One Champion! | Ankit Bose

Ankit Bose, B.Com student at Brainware University, brought home two medals at the 6th KIO East Zone Karate-Do Championship 2026.

- Silver Medal U-21, 67 kg Male Category
- Bronze Medal Senior, 67 kg Male Category

With two podium finishes, Ankit showcased exceptional discipline, determination and fighting spirit. His achievement reflects the spirit of excellence beyond academics and makes Brainware University proud. Congratulations, Ankit!



Research Achievement | ChemistrySelect

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WE LEARN FROM THE BEST
What if metal waste isn't waste at all... but a resource waiting for a second life?
Heartiest Congratulations!

Faculty members Sayon Dey and Sayan Samanta from the Department of Mechanical Engineering have published their research on Friction Stir Consolidation in ChemistrySelect. The study explores an energy-conscious and sustainable approach to converting metallic machining chips into consolidated bulk materials without high-temperature remelting, promoting waste utilisation and circular manufacturing.

COMMUNITY CONNECT

Free Health Check-up Camp at Durganagar 4 October 2026

The Department of Allied Health Sciences organised a Free Health Check-up Camp at Vidyasagar Pally Community Hall, Durganagar, in collaboration with Lions Club of Calcutta Circular and IRCS. Students of Optometry and Bachelor of Physician Assistant (BPA) actively participated in eye screening, ECG and blood pressure monitoring under professional supervision. The initiative promoted preventive healthcare, early detection of health concerns and community awareness, while providing students with valuable hands-on clinical experience and fostering social responsibility.

STUDENTS' CORNER

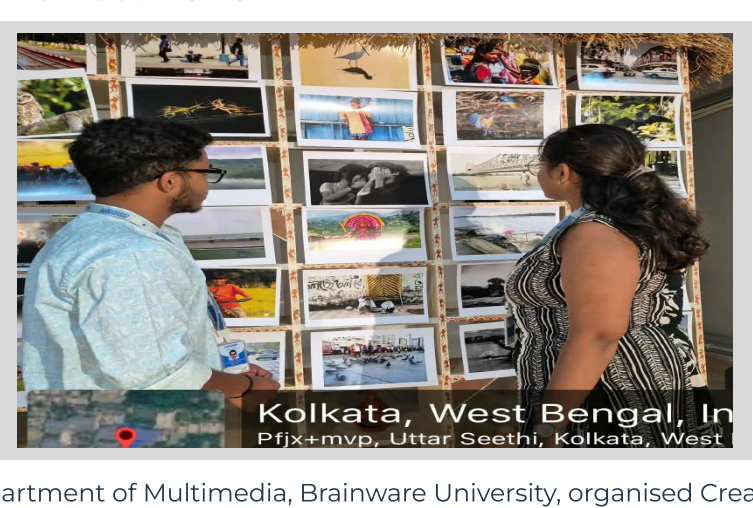
Gemini Product Trial & Creative AI Workshop

The Department of Computer Science & Engineering (AI), Brainware University, in association with the Google Student Ambassador Program and Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), organised an interactive workshop on "Gemini Product Trial & Creative AI Workshop" under the theme "Explore AI. Create Beyond Limits." The session featured demonstrations of Google Gemini, Nano Banana and generative AI applications, followed by hands-on exploration and creative activities. With 230+ student participants, exceeding the expected target of 200, the workshop encouraged AI-driven creativity, experimentation, innovation and practical problem- solving.

2nd Intra Moot Court Competition, 2026

The Department of Law, Brainware University, organised the 2nd Intra Moot Court Competition, 2026, to strengthen students' legal research, analytical reasoning, advocacy and courtroom presentation skills. Through simulated judicial proceedings, memorial preparation and oral arguments, students gained practical exposure to courtroom practices and legal procedures. The competition witnessed participation from 308 students and 25 faculty members over two days, promoting experiential legal education, critical thinking and professional confidence.

Creative Fest 2026



The Department of Multimedia, Brainware University, organised Creative Fest 2026, a three-day cultural festival celebrating creativity, innovation and artistic expression. The festival featured competitions and activities across multimedia, filmmaking, photography, visual arts and digital content creation. Graced by the presence of Hon'ble Chancellor Mr. Falguni Mukhopadhyay, the event provided students with a platform to showcase their talents, technical skills and creative ideas while encouraging teamwork and healthy competition.

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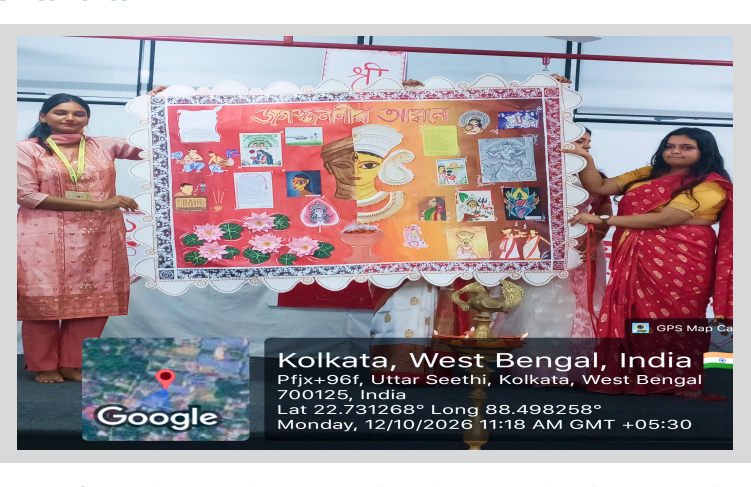

The Institute of Nursing, Brainware University, organised a pre-Puja cultural celebration titled "পূজোর পাঁচালী", welcoming the festive spirit of Durga Puja. The programme featured vibrant group dance performances, solo singing, poetry recitation, faculty performances and the publication of the institutional magazine. Welcomed by Prof. Papri Das, Principal, Institute of Nursing, the celebration brought students and faculty members together, promoting Bengali cultural heritage, creativity and a spirit of togetherness.

FLOWTASK | FROM STUDENT IDEA TO AI-POWERED INNOVATION

Four Brainware University students—Bibhash Dutta, Vishal Naskar, Manjeet Kumar and Sagar Bhadra—have developed FlowTask, an AI-native execution tool that transforms scattered company knowledge from emails, Slack conversations and documents into structured memory that AI agents can understand and act upon.

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BRAINWARE BRIGHT MINDS
YOUR COMPANY ALREADY HAS THE KNOWLEDGE.
FLOWTASK GIVES IT TO YOUR AI.
MEET FLOWTASK
FOUNDING CREW
Turning the way your company works into the way your AI works.

DAAN UTSAV AT SUNDARBAN | GIVING BACK TO PEOPLE, GROWING FOR TOMORROW

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DAAN UTSAV & MANGROVE PLANTATION AT SUNDARBANS
Giving Today, Growing Tomorrow

The NSS Unit of Brainware University, in collaboration with the Full Moon Foundation, organised Daan Utsav and a Mangrove Plantation Drive at Gosaba, Sundarban. The initiative brought students and faculty together to distribute clothes among local communities and plant mangrove saplings, promoting social welfare and environmental conservation.