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## Forensic medicine and toxicology

### FACULTY

Dr. Indrani Das, MBBS, DMCW, DIH, MD	Associate Professor & HOD
Prof. Dr. Biswanath Kahali, MBBS, DFM, MD	Professor
Dr. Biswanath Saren, MBBS, MD	Assistant Professor

### Senior Residents

DR. Abhishek Chakraborty, MBBS. MD-FORENSIC MEDICINE
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### Research scholars and non-teaching staff

Sri. Kamla Kant Roy	UDC
Sri. Sanjay Mallick	DOME
Sri. Anand Mallick	DOME
Sri. Vicky Mallick	DOME

### Transfers, postings and superannuations

1. Prof. Dr. Biswanath Kahali retired on 31/12/2020 and re employed as Professor on 18/02/2021.
2. Dr. Biswanath Saren was promoted to Assistant Professor and joined on 27/11/2021

### ACADEMIC ACTIVITY

- Online and off line theory classes and practical classes for the under graduate students.
- Conducted 2<sup>nd</sup> Professional MBBS examination.
- Dr. Indrani Das was a co guide for Thesis of Dr. Soumava Gupta, PGT in the Dept. of Anatomy

### PUBLICATION BY FACULTY, STUDENTS AND RESEARCH SCHOLARS

- Dr. Indrani Das (First author) Title: Circumstances affecting women's vulnerability to sexual offence as reported in a tertiary level health care institute of a metro city in India. Published in the International Journal of Health and Clinical Research, e- ISSN:2590-3241, p-ISSN 2590-325X.

### RESEARCH PROJECTS AND ACTIVITY

1. "Trend of unnatural deaths reported for autopsy at the Police Morgue of a tertiary care hospital in Kolkata during the first and second waves of Covid pandemic", study is presently being conducted by Dr. Indrani Das, after obtaining clearance from the ethical committee.
2. "Evaluation of microscopical changes of skin and its adnexae to determine the postmortem interval in the eastern tropical climate of India" study proposed to be done jointly by the Dept. of Anatomy and FMT, by Dr. Soumava Gupta and others.

### SERVICE INFORMATION

1. Conducted over 2500 postmortem examination.
2. Conducted examination of 190 victims of sexual offence and 230 accused of sexual offence.
3. All the faculty members have attended courts and other judicial enquiries to render their services as expert witness for dispensation of justice.
4. Faculty members have acted as members of Medical Board and medicolegal expert in different committees.

5. The faculty members conduct teaching and training of under graduate medical students.
6. The faculty members conduct training of DOMES.
7. The faculty members give expert opinion in matters of medicolegal importance.

**Special contributions to fight against COVID-19 and other special achievements**

1. Pathological autopsies of two patients who died due to COVID-19 infection done at the Dept. of FMT, jointly with the Dept. of Pathology, Microbiology and Surgery.
  2. Autopsy surgeons of this department perform postmortem examination of deceased organ donors at the site of organ retrieval, just after organ retrieval, to ensure minimum distress to the next of kin and relatives of the deceased organ donor.
  3. Autopsies of the victims of fire disaster at Hare Street, Kolkata on the night of 08/03/2021 and early hours of 09/03/2021 was done by Dr. Indrani Das and team.
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