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Department of History

Workshop at Mythic Society

The department had organised a Workshop for the I BA and III BA students at Mythic Society on 28-03-2025. It was attended by 16 Students and the faculty of the department.

The Mythic Society was founded in 1909 by F R Richards and it functioned as a pioneering institution of Catholic Indic studies in the colonial period. At present Mythic Society is known for one of the best libraries in the world with over 40,000 books. These include some of the rarest books on Indology that are over 100 years old. The library also has reports on Indian life and culture, written by eminent British officers and scholars.

Mythic Society has embarked upon as ambitious project to the conservation of Palm Leaf Manuscripts in the repository of the Oriental Research Institute (ORI), established in the year 1885. Manuscripts are being scientifically conserved. The process of digitation of the manuscripts is also being done.

Our students were shown the entire process of digitization. They also learnt about the importance of inscriptions and their conservation. They were given. Our students were amazed to learn to about the heritage of Mythic Society and its current project of digitalization of inscriptions. They gained immense knowledge by learning about the inscription, their importance and received hands on training by the Mr.Uday Kumar P L on using the Akshara Bandhara software.





Interactive Session with Uday Kumar Sir



The heritage building of Mythic Society founded in 1909

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