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**Internship on Geospatial Technology for Resource Management, 2025 Brochure:** 



Syllabus of the Internship

# FOR STUDENTS

#### ARC GIS/O GIS

Introduction to GIS Software

Georeferencing (image to image, image to ground), projection

Shapefile Creation, editing, Advance editing, Automatic digitization

Creation of database, concept of attribute data & spatial data, external database attachment, quarry: spatial query, attribute query, model building

Geodatabase design, (generation/editing), Topology

Add XY data, external data attachment, create relationship query

Thematic map, Layout generation, Annotation

Geoprocessing: Buffer, Intersect, Union, Clip

Surface model and surface analysis, Virtual environment, raster algebra, zonal statistics, surface interpolation; TIN/DEM creation, slope/aspect, hill shade, view shed, 3D model,

Spatial analysis: Suitable site finding, shortest path analysis, animation in Arc Map, Import/Export

Concept & implementation of interpolation & creation of DEM: inverse distance weighted (IDW), spline, kriging, natural neighbor, Animation in ArcMap, Import/Export

Digital image processing and enhancement, Atmospheric Correction, Mosaic, Fusion, layer Stacking

Digital Image Processing (Classification): Information class, spectral class, supervised vs. unsupervised, decision rules for unsupervised classification

Hydrological analysis using Digital Elevation Model, from concept to implement: Correction & rectification of DEM, alculation of flow direction, flow accumulation, identification of stream with DEM interpretation, stream order, basin area identification

Introduction, concept of GNSS technology, three segments of GNSS, timing and ranging, calculating location, errors differential GNSS, applications

Field Study Hydro GIS Application Drone Mapping GPS Application

Field Study

Application of Active Remote Sensing With SONAR Sensor Under Water Mapping (Sound Navigation &Mapping)

River Bed Depth Measurement, River Bed Profile Mapping, Cross Profile & Long Profile, Soil Salinity Zonation Mapping, Water Salinity Zonation Mapping, Drone Survey & Mapping, Bathymetric Mapping

#### **GPS Survey**

Introduction, concept of GNSS technology, three segments of GNSS, timing and ranging, calculating location, errors, differential GNSS, applications Field Survey & Mapping With GPS

#### **Drone Mapping**

Mangrove Plantation and Drone Mapping for Orthorectified Image Creation & Understanding of Photogrammetry

## EXP

REMOTE SENSING **GIS & MAPPING** 0 SPATIAL ANALYSIS

#### **Brief Schedule**

Day-1: 08/06/2025-

Online Theoritical

Day-2-3: 10/06/25 to 11/06/25:

Laboratory Practical

Day-4: 12/06/2025:

Field based Practical

Day-5: 13/06/2025:

Processing of Field Data in Lab

Post Field Works and Report Preparation

Day-6-7: 14/06/25 to 16/06/25:

#### **Concept Note**

The Department of Geography, Gour Mahavidyalaya, Malda, is organising a one-week Internship Programme on "Geospatial Technologies for Resource Management". This programme aims to provide hands-on training in GIS, remote sensing, and GPS applications for sustainable resource planning and management. It will include practical sessions, field-based data collection, and geospatial analysis using open-source tools. Designed for students and early-career researchers, the internship will enhance technical skills and promote interdisciplinary learning. Experts from academia and industry will facilitate the sessions, offering valuable exposure to emerging trends in geospatial science and its real-world applications.

#### **Objectives of the Programme:**

- 1. To introduce participants to the fundamentals of geospatial technologies, including GIS, remote sensing, and GPS.
- 2. To develop practical skills in spatial data collection, processing, and analysis using open-source geospatial software.
- 3. To enhance understanding of the application of geospatial tools in natural resource management and planning.
- 4. To promote interdisciplinary approaches in addressing environmental and developmental challenges through geospatial techniques.
- 5. To provide hands-on experience through fieldwork and project-based learning.
- 6. To encourage academic-industry interaction by involving experts and professionals in geospatial science.
- 7. To build capacity among students for pursuing careers or research in geospatial and environmental domains.

#### **Outcome of the events**

The one-week Internship Programme on "Geospatial Technologies for Resource Management" received highly positive feedback from participants, affirming its success in achieving its academic and skill-building objectives. Participants found the programme particularly valuable for its strong emphasis on practical exposure. Hands-on sessions involving real-world geospatial data, field-based learning, drone handling, and GIS applications significantly deepened their technical understanding and application-oriented skills.

The immersive fieldwork component was especially impactful, helping students bridge the gap between theoretical knowledge and real-world environmental analysis. Collaborative projects and group discussions also enhanced critical thinking, communication, and teamwork skills.

Feedback further highlighted the dedicated efforts of faculty and the department's commitment to high-quality education. Participants appreciated the supportive learning environment and modern infrastructure provided during the programme.

Several constructive suggestions were also received:

- Expansion and Outreach: There was a demand to offer similar skill-based programmes regularly and extend participation to students from other institutions to foster greater academic exchange.
- **Industry Linkages:** Participants recommended integrating industry-oriented workshops, certifications, and expert lectures to enhance job readiness and practical exposure.

- **Practical Enrichment:** Suggestions included increasing computer-based GIS classes, more field visits, and real-time case study applications.
- **Soft Skills Training:** Many students requested the inclusion of sessions focused on soft skills like communication, teamwork, and time management.
- **Continuous Improvement:** The need for regular feedback mechanisms to refine content and delivery methods was emphasized.
- Future Programmes: Participants encouraged the department to conduct more workshops in GPS surveying, advanced GIS tools, remote sensing applications, and geospatial database management.

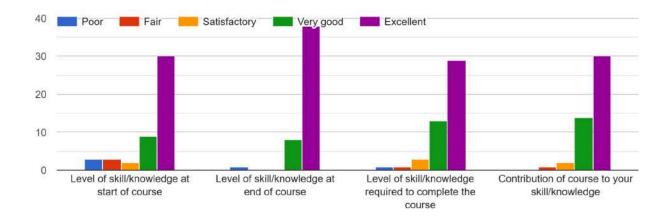
#### **Feedback from Participants:**

The recent Internship Programme on "Geospatial Technologies for Resource Management" has received overwhelming responses from the student community. Here is the brief feedback on the Programme.

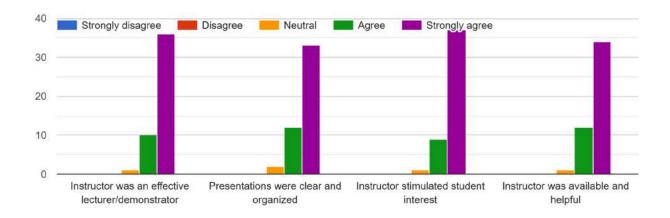
#### Level of effort of the Instructor



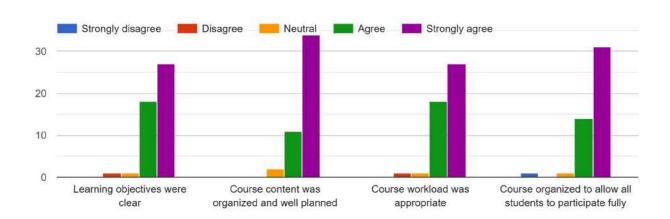
#### Contribution to learning



#### Skill and responsiveness of the instructor



#### Course content



#### What aspects of this course were most useful or valuable to you?

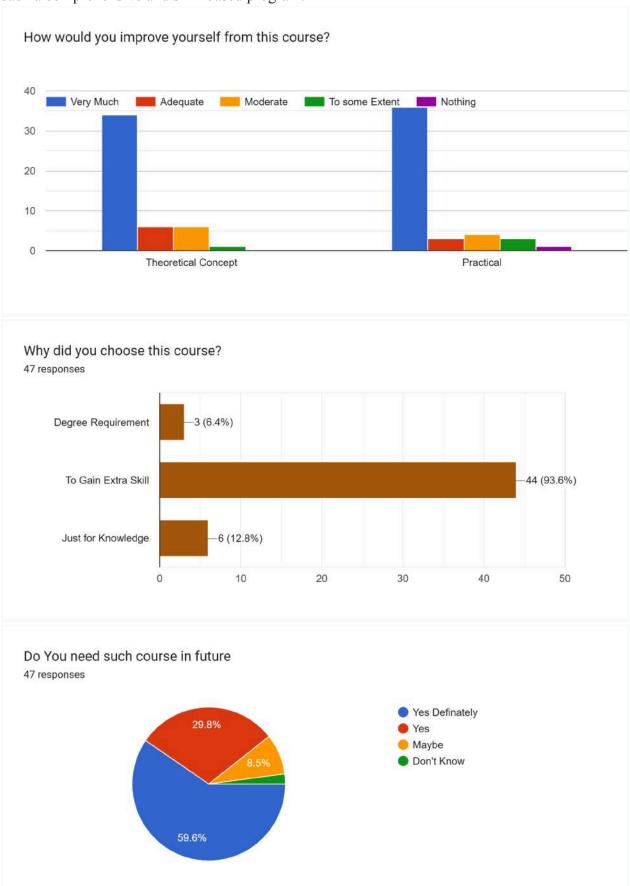
One of the most valuable aspects of this course was the **strong emphasis on practical exposure**. The opportunity to work with **real-world geospatial data** allowed me to apply theoretical concepts to actual challenges, significantly enhancing my understanding of the subject.

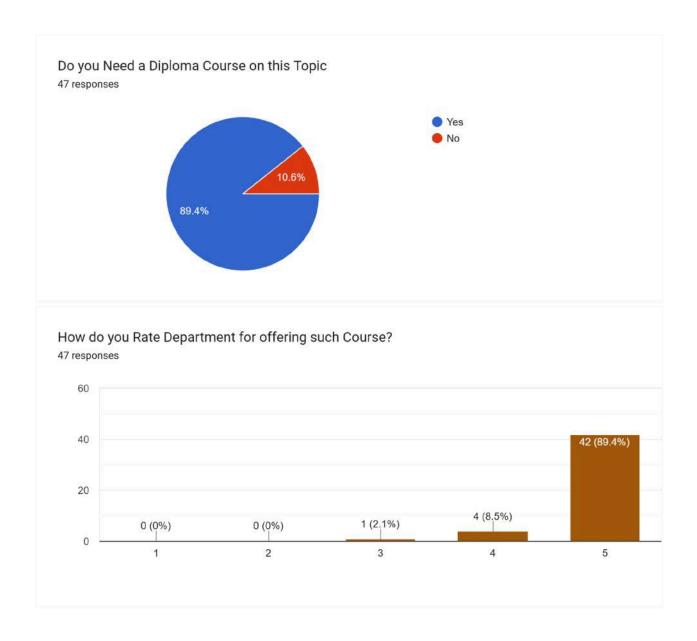
The hands-on sessions were particularly beneficial. Working with instruments, conducting field-based learning, and participating in activities such as flying drones and performing GIS-related tasks on the computer provided immersive, experience-driven learning that deepened my technical skills.

The **fieldwork component** was especially impactful. It helped me understand how data is collected in GIS and Remote Sensing and how it relates to our environment and surroundings. These experiences bridged the gap between classroom learning and real-world application.

Additionally, the **group discussions and collaborative projects** encouraged critical thinking and exposed me to diverse viewpoints. These interactions enriched my learning experience and built essential teamwork and communication skills.

Overall, this course has been incredibly valuable in expanding my knowledge of **Remote Sensing and GIS**, and I truly appreciate the Geography Department's effort in organizing such a comprehensive and skill-based program.





# Suggestions received from the Participants to Improve Departmental Activities and Provision of such skill-based programmes.

The recently conducted course on "Geospatial Technologies for Resource Management" received overwhelmingly positive feedback from participants, highlighting both the academic rigor and the practical relevance of the program. The initiative was praised for its skill-based orientation, which significantly enhanced participants' understanding of geospatial technologies and their applications in real-world scenarios.

Participants appreciated the dedicated efforts of faculty members and mentors who provided consistent support and guidance throughout the course. The department's well-equipped infrastructure and commitment to quality education were also acknowledged. However, several valuable suggestions were put forth for further enhancement of the program:

- Expansion of Access and Participation: Many participants expressed the hope that such job-oriented programs would be organized regularly and opened to students from other institutions as well, fostering broader academic engagement.
- Industry Collaboration and Certification: There was a strong recommendation to incorporate industry-oriented workshops, certifications, and guest lectures by

**professionals** to bridge the gap between academic learning and industry expectations. Students emphasized the need for **collaborative**, **hands-on training sessions** to develop practical competencies.

- Enhancement of Practical Learning: Suggestions included increasing the number of computer-based GIS classes, and providing more opportunities for real-time data collection, field visits, and case study-based learning to reinforce conceptual understanding through real-world applications.
- Focus on Soft Skills and Professional Development: Several students recommended the inclusion of sessions focusing on soft skills development, such as communication, teamwork, and time management, to better prepare for the professional world.
- Regular Feedback and Student Engagement: To continuously improve the effectiveness of such programs, it was proposed that regular feedback sessions be held with students to understand their challenges and tailor the curriculum to evolving needs.
- Future Skill-Based Offerings: Participants encouraged the department to organize additional skill-based workshops, especially in areas like Remote Sensing, GPS Surveys, GIS software training, and database management, to provide comprehensive exposure to modern geoinformatics tools and techniques.

#### Conclusion

In conclusion, the course was a valuable and enriching experience for all participants. The collective suggestions point towards a future where **more inclusive**, **field-oriented**, **and professionally integrated geospatial programs** will continue to benefit students, preparing them more effectively for academic and professional success.

#### **Attendance**

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