

**WORKSHOP ON ACOUSTIC PHONETICS AND TONE  
PROGRAMME OF LINGUISTICS  
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH AND FOREIGN LANGUAGES  
24<sup>TH</sup>-26<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2015**

The Department of EFL has been offering a 2-year MA Linguistics and Language Technology with specific courses in core areas of linguistics, cognitive science and field linguistics since Autumn 2012. The students are to write a dissertation on a lesser-described language spoken in and around Assam for the fulfilment of their master's degree. Most of the languages of Tibeto-Burman origin have distinctive tonal features as well as intonation and stress pattern which hugely affect the phonology of the language. To know about a language's structure and grammar, it is essential to analyse the phonology and morpho-phonology which, in turn, necessitates the analysis of acoustic phonetic features.

The workshop is being organised to equip the MA and PhD students of Linguistics for data analysis using software such as PRAAT etc.

**Resource Person**

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**Software Trainers**

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**Venue:**

Academic Building I, School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Tezpur University

**Time: 10.30 am to 5.30 pm**