

## Significant Events for the month of April,2025

### A. Activities :

- Research Personnel of Cultural Anthropology Division of this Survey have conducted fieldwork at Telangana under the National Project **“Transformative Changes in Rural India through Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM): A Social Impact Evaluation through Anthropological Lens”**.
- Research Personnel of Cultural Anthropology Division of this Survey have conducted fieldwork at the following States under the below mentioned two National Projects:
  - **“Himalayan Border Villages: Impact Assessment of Vibrant Village Programme with Special Reference to Tourism Development”**.
  - **Harnessing the Roots of Indian Civilisation: An Anthropological Study on Himalayan Border Areas**

Sl. No.	State / UTs	District	Block	Village
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	Upper Subansiri	Limeking	Taksing

- Research Personnel of Andaman & Nicobar Regional Centre, Sri Vijay Puram of this Survey have conducted fieldwork under the Regional Project **“Environmental Changes as recorded and experienced by the Onge Dugong Creek”**.
- Research Personnel of Physical Anthropology Division of this Survey have conducted fieldwork to collect faecal samples and other requisite data among the **Onge of Little Andaman and Great Andamanese of Straight Island** in Andaman and Nicobar Islands under the National Project **“Gut-Microbial Genomic Study among the PVTGs of India”**.
- Research Personnel of Cultural Anthropology and Physical Anthropology Division of this Survey have conducted fieldwork in the following Nine (09) smart cities of India under the National Project **“EHSAS: Exploring Healthy and Successful Ageing in Smart India: Integrating epigenetics, digital divide, and energy expenditure with reference to IoT, AI and ML”**:
  - ❖ Dehradun
  - ❖ Nagpur
  - ❖ Udaipur
  - ❖ Kolkata
  - ❖ Shillong
  - ❖ Bhubaneswar
  - ❖ Port Blair
  - ❖ Kochi
  - ❖ Mysore
- Research Personnel of Cultural & Physical Anthropology Division of this Survey were engaged in data analysis and Report Writing under the following National Projects:
  - **Gut Microbial Genomic Study among the PVTGs of India**
  - **Rural Cattle Markets in India: An Anthropological Exploration of Economic, Social and Cultural Facts**

- **Ethnic Groups in Inter-State Borders of Chhattisgarh, India: identities, Intra & Intra Ethnic Relationships & Developmental Concerns”**
- **Assessment of Health, Hygiene & Sanitation status of the Khasi in North-East India, with Special reference to Women & Children**
- **1) Himalayan Border Villages: Impact Assessment of Vibrant Village Programme with Special Reference to Tourism Development”.**  
**2)Harnessing the Roots of Indian Civilization: An Anthropological Study on Himalayan Border Areas**
- **“Impact of Changing Agricultural Practices on Rural Health: A Study among the Tribal Farmers of Vidarbh Region of Maharashtra”**
- **“Transformative Changes in Rural India through Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM): A Social Impact Evaluation through Anthropological Lens”.**

**B. ZAM related activities:**

- Documentation and Digitization of Museum specimens of the Zonal Anthropological Museum, Nagpur is in progress. 128 (One Hundred Twenty - Eight) visitors including school children visited the Zonal Anthropological Museum, Nagpur during this month of April, 2025.
- 5,233 visitors visited the Zonal Anthropological Museum at Port Blair during the month of April, 2025.