

Visit to Ashutosh Museum, University of Calcutta
27/03/2024

Name of the Department: Department of History

Title of the activity: Educational Tour

Date: 27/03/2024

Participants: 22 participants

About the Museum:

Asutosh Museum of Indian Art is an art museum located in the main campus of [University of Calcutta](#) on [College Street, Kolkata](#) (previously Calcutta), [India](#) on the first and second floors of the Centenary Building. Established in 1937, it is the first public museum in any University in India. The university museum is named after Sir [Ashutosh Mukherjee](#) who was the Vice-Chancellor of the university for four consecutive two-year terms (1906–1914) and a fifth two-year term (1921–23). The objective of the museum was to collect and preserve specimens of various phases of [Indian art](#) with special emphasis on the art of [Bengal](#).

