

**DEPARTMENT OF BIOCHEMICAL ENGINEERING**  
conducts  
**NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY**  
28<sup>th</sup> February 2026

National Science Day was celebrated on 28 February 2026 at Biochemical Engineering Seminar Hall, Harcourt Butler Technical University (HBTU), Kanpur to commemorate the discovery of the Raman Effect by *Sir C. V. Raman* and to promote scientific awareness among students.

The event was organized under the guidance of *Prof. Ajay Kumar Singh, Head of the Department, Department of Biochemical Engineering*. The programme was coordinated by *Mr. Brajesh Singh*, with valuable support from the organising members *Dr. Shravan Kumar and Dr. Roma Agrahari*.

The event was graced by *Prof. Vandana Dixit Kaushik, Dean of Academic Affairs (DAA)*, HBTU Kanpur, as the Chief Guest. She addressed the students and emphasized the importance of scientific research, innovation, and curiosity in solving real-world problems.

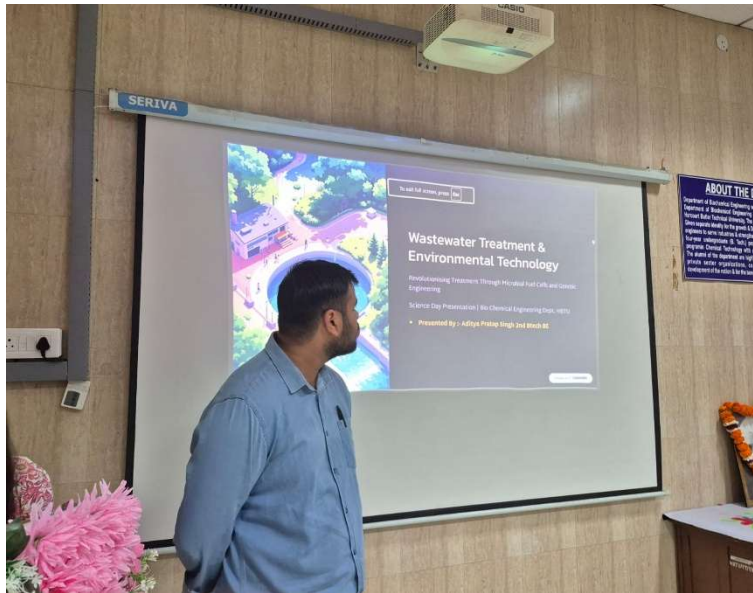
Another distinguished guest present during the event was *Dr. Sachin Kumar, Associate DSoCT*, HBTU Kanpur, who shared his insights about the importance of scientific thinking and interdisciplinary learning. To encourage creativity and scientific engagement among students, three competitions were organized during the event.



## Events Organized:

### TechArt (Digital Poster Competition)

TechArt was a digital poster-making competition in which participants created posters based on scientific themes and technological innovations. The event allowed students to visually express scientific ideas and concepts through creative digital designs.



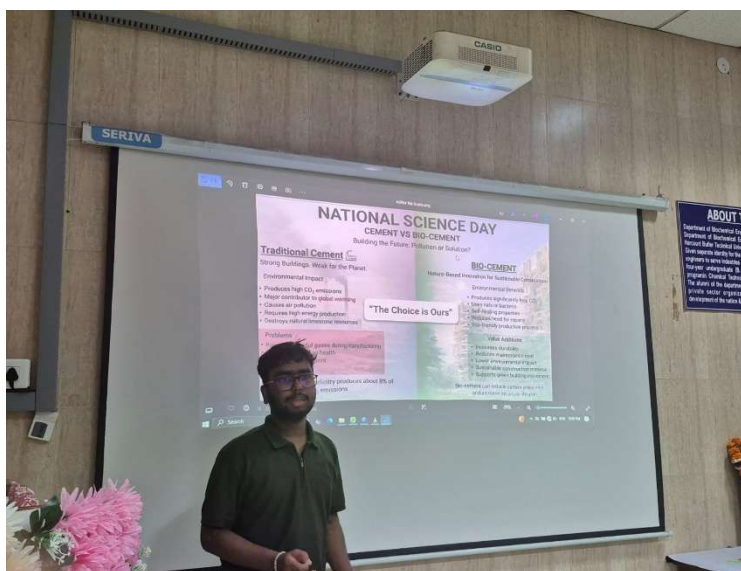
### SciShoot (Photography Competition):

SciShoot was a photography competition where participants captured photographs related to science, technology, nature, or scientific phenomena. The competition encouraged students to observe and document scientific aspects present in everyday life.



## BioInnovative (Presentation Competition):

BioInnovative was a presentation-based competition where students presented innovative ideas related to biotechnology, bioengineering, and scientific advancements. Participants showcased their research skills, creativity, and problem-solving abilities.



## Judges:

The competitions were evaluated by a distinguished panel of judges:

- Dr. Rajkamal Kuswaha – Department of Biochemical Engineering
- Dr. Soma Banerjee – Department of Plastic Technology
- Dr. Divya Somvanshi – Department of Physics
- Dr. Zeenat Arif – Department of Chemical Engineering

The judges appreciated the efforts and creativity of the participants and provided valuable feedback.



## **Conclusion:**

**The National Science Day celebration at HBTU Kanpur was a successful and engaging event. It provided students with an opportunity to showcase their scientific creativity, innovative ideas, and presentation skills. The event also inspired students to develop a deeper interest in science and research.**

