

PCM Memorial Museum and Archives, Kolkata

The Museum and Archives carried out regular up keeping programme for 921 exhibits through 101 panels and a collection of artifacts related to P.C. Mahalanobis displayed in the ground floor, chatal and Professor's residence. Regular maintenance work completed at the museum like the previous year. During this period (2018-1019) 3397 sheets including books (2) and archival files (34) were treated. 602 nos. of files of untreated documents and 227 books have been listed.

P.C.Mahalanobis Memorial Museum & Archives curated an online exhibition on "Prasanta Chandra Mahalanobis's life and contribution" in collaboration with Google Art & Culture on the occasion of 125th Birth Anniversary of Prasanta Chandra Mahalanobis. Details can be found at <https://artsandculture.google.com/partner/indian-statistical-institute>.

P.C.Mahalanobis Memorial Museum and Archives participated in the International Science Literature & Film Festival, 2018 in collaboration with Library division, curated an exhibition on Prasanta Chandra Mahalanobis's Life and Work which took place in the book fair at Atal Bihari Vajpayee Scientific Convention Centre as part of India International Science Festival, 2018.

Museum organized a National seminar on 'Recent Advances in Museum Management' on 26th March, 2019 which dealt with current issues of Museum Management.

Original records, artifacts and books of P.C.M's study room have been accessioned and this is still continuing. However, the arrangement of administrative files has been completed. Some photographs were scanned and referential work that was needed for Publication of album on the occasion of Prasanta Chandra Mahalanobis's 125th Birth Anniversary was completed.

Besides general visitors, eminent persons, scientists (like Michael Benton, University of Bristol; Jeffroy Racine, McMaster U.Canada; Pravin Srivastava, Secretary & Chief Statistician, MoSPI; Carl Malamud of Public resource. Org; Dr. Peter Chesson, University of Arizona; David Mount, University of Maryland; Terence Paul Speed, Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research, University of California, Berkeley etc.) and students from schools, colleges, Universities visited the museum (total no. 650 approx.). Scholars and researchers (like Anton Harder from Nottingham University; Jahnvi Phalkey, Director, Science Gallery, Bengaluru etc.) from different field consulted the archival collection for reference purpose (15 nos.).

Projects

Projects, Internally funded: Ongoing

Sl. no.	Name of the project	Principal Investigator(s)
1.	PCM Museum and Archives curated a virtual exhibition on Prof Prasanta Chandra Mahalanobis with the storytelling tools of Google Arts & Culture showcasing the early life and contribution of Prasanta Chandra Mahalanobis to field of Statistics	Klshor Chandra Satpathy