



Felicitation of scientists involved in the discovery of gravitational wave on 19 June, Kolkata

Kolkata, 18 June, 2016: Breakthrough Science Society, West Bengal Chapter organized a program to felicitate Dr Rajesh Kumble Nayak and Ms Anuradha Samajder of Indian Institute of Science Education and Research, Kolkata (IISER) who were involved in the discovery of gravitational wave. The program was held on June 18 at Meghnad Saha Auditorium, Rajabazar Science College, Calcutta University. Prof. Dhrubajyoti Mukherjee, President of BSS presided. Prof. Soumitro Banerjee, General Secretary of BSS was also present. Prof. Amit Ghosh of Saha Institute of Nuclear Physics delivered a popular talk on General Theory of Relativity. Dr Rajesh Nayak explained about the discovery of gravitational wave by LIGO and their contribution in the project. After the talks, Dr Rajesh Nayak and Ms Anuradha Samajder were presented with felicitation certificates. The auditorium was full with students, teachers and professors.

