

## World Water Day 2017 Odisha, Bhubaneswar – Daya River



Students, staff and faculty members from the Siksha O Anusandhan University (SOA) in Bhubaneswar, Odisha conducted a rally on the WWD 2017.

Students of management sciences of the Siksha and Anusandhan(SOA) University in Odisha Bhubaneswar organized this rally to create awareness about conservation of water on the WWD 2017. They pledged to make judicious use of this critical resource, water.

The students discussed about the importance of conserving and saving the water resources. "It is our planet, and only we can save it" said Ayesha Ray one of the student.

They carried different placards which read " Let us join hands to conserve water and "let us adopt rain water harvesting'

The rally began from the institute of Business and Computer Studies (IBCS) of the main university campus



and covered a long route before returning to its campus. The university faculties, Prof. Anup Samataray, Dean of IBCS, Dr. Jyoti Ranjan Das, Associate Dean (Students' Welfare), Dr. Ayaskanta Mohanty, Associate Professor, Dr. B.B. Mishra, Assistant Professor, and Ms. Sasmita Patnaik, Lecturer, participated in the march.

This was a part of ROW Foundation's WWD2017 activity as a continuation of the previous years by adept help of Mr. Prafulla Dhal. This year's March was well organized by the SOA

with the support of a number of local organizations, such as ‘Walk for Water’, ‘The Climate Reality Project’ and ‘The Analytics Odisha’. Prof. Anup Samantaray was instrumental in getting the March organized and in sending the event information.

A few pictures from the March are below.





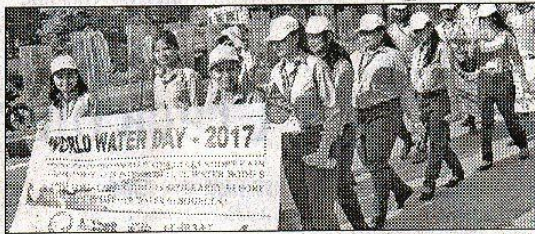
# SOA students takes out rally on World Water Day

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Students of management sciences of SOA University here took out a rally today, to create awareness about conserving water on World Water Day, while pledging to make judicious use of the critical resource.

"I have taken an oath to conserve water and to make use of it wisely. I pledge not to waste a drop of water as it is precious," said Ayesha Ray, a student of management. Rajat Kumar Mohapatra said, "It is our planet and only we can save it."

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water', and 'Let us adopt rain water harvesting.'

The rally, began from the Institute of Business and Computer Studies (IBCS), the university's faculty of management, covered a long route before returning to its campus. Prof. Anup Samantaray, Dean of IBCS, Dr. Jyoti Ranjan Das, Associate Dean (Students' Welfare), Dr. Ayaskanta Mohanty,

Associate Professor, Dr. B.B.Mishra, Assistant Professor and Ms. Sasmita Patnaik, Lecturer, participated in the march.

The programme was supported by several organisations working for water conservation including 'Walk for Water', 'Rivers of the World', 'The Climate Reality Project' and 'The Analytics Odisha.'

