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Kamala Saikia memorial lecture on Aug 9



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Next journalist Kamala Saikia memorial lecture will be delivered by Itanagar (/taxonomy/term/2394) based acclaimed journalist Tongam Rina of Arunachal (/taxonomy/term/2194) Times on 9 August in Jorhat. The annual lecture, on the occasion of the 25th death anniversary (/taxonomy/term/2091) of Saikia—who was killed by Ulfa militants, has been organised by Journalist (/taxonomy/term/2160) Kamala Saikia Memorial Trust in association with Jorhat Press Club.

On the same event, Assam's unique innovator Udhab Bharali will be honoured with Kamala Saikia Memorial National [Award](#) [\(/taxonomy/term/1874\)](#) [Award](#) [\(/taxonomy/term/66\)](#). Instituted in the memory of teacher turned freedom fighter turned journalist Saikia, the award [\(/taxonomy/term/66\)](#) carries a citation and a cheque of rupees 1 lakh, informed the officer-bearers of the trust namely Deepjyoti Goswami, Sanjib Kumar Phukan, Bhupen Bhattacharya and Nava Thakuria.



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