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**My sincere gratitude from Bankura University, India**

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30 August 2022 at 23:27

Dear Professor Chomsky,

This mail is intended to express my gratitude to you for delivering your erudite lecture at Bankura University. Words really fail to express my gratitude. I have tried to express my feelings in the letter attached herewith.

Best wishes,

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Professor Deb Narayan Bandyopadhyay

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576K**Noam Chomsky** <chomsky@mit.edu>

To: Deb Narayan Bandyopadhyay &lt;vc@bankurauniv.ac.in&gt;

31 August 2022 at 02:08

Many thanks for the very kind words, and for the lovely image of the merging of the river and waters.

It was a wonderful experience for me, and your letter will be a treasured memento.

Noam Chomsky

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To: KAUSHIK GHOSH &lt;kghosh101@gmail.com&gt;

31 August 2022 at 11:14

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To  
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Dear Professor Chomsky,

Here is a humble note from one of your X-thousand admirers. During our student days of the early 70s of the last century, some of our teachers began to bring in new flashes of knowledge centred on a new name: Noam Chomsky. I could never imagine at that time in the wildest of my dreams that I shall once enjoy the rare opportunity of introducing that great scholar in my inaugural note – after 50 years.

I extend my sincerest gratitude to you for kindly agreeing to our request. I deeply appreciate your great erudition and your intensely analytical mind. The central concern of your lecture on “Populism and Deterred Democracy” was the interpretation of the shifting social reality in a world beruffled with international socio-political anxieties. Your lecture gave us inklings into new truths. It is true that the triumph of democracy has been largely impeded worldwide by several negative factors and you have so wonderfully underlined the changing shapes and designs of populism endangering democracy.

Please accept my offering of gratitude from a distant shore. Our transnational gratefulness will help merge the river Ganges with the waters of Brazil.

Namaskar

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