

# **A Cross-Sectional study of North-East Region of India: Strengthening National Integration through National Cadet Corps (NCC)**

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**Abstract:** The North-east Region of India (NER) with seven states known as ‘The Seven Sisters’ since 1972, is largely an unexplored region in the federal structure of India. NER is a multi-ethnic melting pot of various communities, languages and varied social and cultural traditions. This study aims to scrutinize the complexities of the NER, along with the role of National Cadet Corps (NCC) in essaying as a medium to bring about a significant change, to uplift and assimilate NER into mainstream India.

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