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# NEWSLETTER

Knowledge is Power

**DIU**

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## BRIEF HISTORY OF DHAKA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

Dhaka International University (DIU) is one of the leading private Universities of Bangladesh. The University was established on 7 April, 1995. It is now operated as a Govt. as well as UGC approved Private University under the Private University Act, 2010. The University has five faculties & ten departments with total students of about 8000. The Campus is situated at Satarkul, Badda, Dhaka.

- Satarkul, Badda, Dhaka-1212.



## Academic Council & Syndicate Meetings

Academic Council Meetings were held on 20.11.2022 and 04.12.2022, at Banani Campus of DIU. All members of Academic Council attended.

Syndicate Meetings were held on 04.12.2022 at Banani Campus of DIU. All members of Syndicate attended.

### Research & Publication

#### Policy and Program on Research and Development

Since the University is a place for teaching and learning through research activities, Dhaka International University (DIU) is providing opportunities for research works and has set up a Research and Publication Cell for enhancement, quality assurance and assembling of research works and other publications on different subjects. In view of this objective and to monitor research programs carried out by the faculty members of different departments of DIU the following policies have been taken: (Updated policies are in the process of approval by corresponding authority).

- \* A research group will consist of three faculty members for each department.
- \* One will be the head of the research group and other two will be assistant researchers. More than one research group may be formed in each department.
- \* Research groups will submit their research proposals to the Office of the Director, Research & Publication Cell.
- \* The Supervisory Committee will scrutinize the research proposals submitted by the research groups of different departments and the selected proposals will be submitted to the authority through Advisory Committee for approval.
- \* Progress reports of each research proposal have to be submitted to the Supervisory Committee on six (06) monthly basis.

The following Research Proposals have been approved and research works have been completed.

- a) A study on challenges and opportunities of Mobile Health in Bangladesh: Regional Exposure and Health

Department of Computer Science & Engineering

Research Group: Mst. Jahanara Akhter, Professor and Head of Research Group

Other members are Samrat Kumer Dey, Former Faculty and Md. Al Imran, Former Faculty, Dept. of CSE

- b) Biometric Voter Authentication, Vote casting and Counting(BVACC)

Department of Electrical & Electronic Engineering (Former EETE)

Research Group: Md. Abdul Based, Professor and Head of Research Group

Other Members are Tafsir Ahmed Khan, Assistant Professor and Sirajul Islam, Teaching Assistant, Department of Electrical & Electronic Engineering (EEE)

DIU Authority allocated Tk 1,00,000 for each research group from its own fund.

### Publication

Dhaka International University (DIU) gives due importance for research and development (R&D) works of high standards and has been publishing regularly a peer reviewed and index Journal (ISSN:2077-0111) twice in a year with research and scholarly articles received from the faculties of this university as well as from other universities and organizations at home and abroad on varieties of subjects such as Business Studies, Computer Science & Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electrical, Electronics & Telecommunication Engineering, English Language and Literature, Law, Pharmacy, Sociology, Economics & Political Science.

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### Annual Cricket Tournament-2023 organized by Department of EEE



An inter-departmental cricket tournament was organized on the ground adjacent to the permanent campus under the initiative of the Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering (EEE) of Dhaka International University on **Friday, March 17, 10** teams from different batches of the department participated in this knockout based tournament. In the finals of the competitive tournament, the winner was 'EEE Thunder' and the runner-up was 'EEE Confused'. Chairman and Associate Professor Mohammad Tarek, Professor Md. Abdul Based (Additional Director, Research and Publication), Coordinator and Assistant Professor Tafsir Ahmed Khan and other teachers were present in the field. The overall responsibility of the cricket tournament was the departmental teachers Syed Hasan Murad, Mehdi Hasan Masud and Shakib Ahmed.

### The opening ceremony of the Syed Badruddin Hossain Memorial Theater Festival and Commemoration attended by EEE Department



On Friday, May 12, 2023, the opening ceremony of the Syed Badruddin Hossain Memorial Theater Festival and Commemoration 2022-23 was held at the Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy. The students of the 36th batch of the first shift of the Electrical and Electronic Engineering (EEE) department of Dhaka International University participated in this drama festival as part of the curriculum. They enjoyed the drama titled 'Nai: Shabde 71' and listened to the discussion of eminent persons in this regard. Honorable Speaker Dr. Shirin Sharmin Chowdhury was the chief guest at the opening ceremony. State Minister for Culture KM Khalid, actor Asaduzzaman Noor MP, M Hamid, Mamunur Rashid, Aroma Dutta MP and other eminent persons were also present. Navneetha Chakraborty, a teacher in the Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering (EEE) conducted the course.

### National Memorial Visit by Department of EEE



First year students of Electrical and Electronic Engineering (EEE) Department of Dhaka International University visited the National Memorial at Savar. The history and significance of the memorial was highlighted by the present departmental teachers Imran Hasan Shimul and Navnita Chakraborty. Assistant Professor Rafsan Tahmeed supervised the whole arrangement. After visiting the memorial, students toured Jahangirnagar University. Associate Professor Mohammad Tarek was also present there.

## Amar Ekushey Book Fair 2023 visited by Department of EEE



A special session was held on the premises of Amar Ekushey Book Fair 2023 with eminent educationist Muhammad Zafar Iqbal and renowned writer Tushar Abdullah along with students of Dhaka International University. In the course titled "Bangladesh History", this lively discussion, which is a curricular supporter, highlights the Bengali language, culture, country and country's history. Students of 55, 56 and 37 batches of Electrical and Electronic Engineering Department participated in this event on **Friday, February 10**. The program was conducted under the guidance and supervision of Head of Department Mohammad Tarek Sir, the coordination and management of course teacher Navnita Chakraborty and the supervision of course teacher Rukaiya Akhtar.

## International film festival attended at Bangladesh ShilpoKala Academy



Students of 36th, 53rd and 54th batch participated in organizing the film exhibition of the ongoing 21st International Film Festival at Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy as part of direct cultural education under the GED 103, 113, 123 course of Dhaka International University's Electrical and Electronic Engineering

(EEE) Department. They watched the film "Abhiyaan" directed by Parambrata Chattopadhyay last Friday, January 20. They also participated in the ongoing pitha festival at the Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy with Departmental Chairman and Associate Professor Mohammad Tarek, in coordination with Course Teacher Navneetha Chakraborty and under the supervision of Course Teacher Taru Shahriar Swarg. Gratitude and many thanks to the Honorable Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the University Mr. Barrister Shamim Haider Patwari, Honorable Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Saiful Islam, Pro Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha, Registrar Prof. Md. Rafiqul Islam and all the teachers of the Department.

## Faculty members went abroad for higher studies.



Three faculty members- Sakib Mahmud, MD. Sameen Uddin Mashuk and Samit Hasan went abroad for pursuing their PhD. A token of appreciation was given by the Department of EEE. Chairman of the department Associate Professor Mohammad Tareq and Co-Ordinator of the department Tafsir Ahmed Khan and other faculty members were present there.

### 6th January, 2023. Fresher Reception Ceremony of 19th Batch(1st Shift) and 51st Batch(2nd Shift)

An orientation ceremony for the newly admitted students of the Department of Civil Engineering 51th Batch (2nd Shift) and 19th Batch (1st Shift) was held on 6th January 2023 at the auditorium of the permanent campus, Dhaka International University, Satarkul, Badda. Honourable Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha Sir has graced the occasion as Chief Guest. Honorable Vice-Chairman of BOT Dr. S Quadir Patwari sir, honorable Registrar Professor Md. Rofiqul Islam sir, Professor Mohammad Shah Alam Chowdhury sir and Associate Professor and Joint Director of DIU Permanent Campus Md. Sawkat Ali sir were present as Special Guest. The programme was started with the recitation from the holy Quran and Gita. Then the freshers were welcomed by providing flowers. S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Chairman, Dept. of CE and Md. Monzur Morshed sir, Coordinator, Dept. of CE delivered their valuable speeches at the orientation ceremony. All the teachers of the department of Civil Engineering were present at the orientation.



### 5th January, 2023. A seminar on "Higher Studies Abroad"

A seminar on "Higher Studies Abroad" was held on 5th January 2023 at Satarkul Permanent Campus organized by the Department of Civil Engineering. Honorable faculty member of the Department of CE Pranta Roy sir shared all of his gathered experiences on higher studies at USA. It is hereby mentioned that Pranta Roy sir will fly for completing his Ph.D. at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, USA. All the respected faculty members along with 60 students were present in this seminar.



### 13th January, 2023 Fresher Reception Ceremony of 50th Batch (2nd Shift)

An orientation ceremony for the newly admitted students of the Department of Civil Engineering 50th Batch (2nd Shift) was held in 13th January, 2023 at the auditorium of the permanent campus, Dhaka International University, Satarkul, Badda.

Honourable Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha Sir has graced the occasion as Chief Guest.

Professor Mohammad Shah Alam Chowdhury sir and Associate Professor and Joint Director of DIU Permanent Campus Md. Sawkat Ali sir were present as Special Guest.

The programme started with the recitation from the holy Quran and Gita. Then the freshers were welcomed by providing flowers.

S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Chairman, Dept. of CE and Md. Monzur Morshed sir, Coordinator, Dept. of CE delivered their valuable speeches at the orientation ceremony. All the teachers of the department of Civil Engineering were present at the orientation.





### 10th January, 2023. Prize Giving Ceremony of "Intra Department Badminton Tournament 2023".

On the day of 10th January, 2023, the final event of "Intra Department Badminton Tournament 2023" organized by the Department of Civil Engineering was held at DIU permanent campus, Satarkul.

Students from 42nd batch (2nd Shift) and 10th batch (1st Shift) smiled the last smile of victory and secured the cup for Doubles and Single match competition respectively.

Honourable Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha Sir has graced the prize giving ceremony as Chief Guest.

Honorable Registrar Professor Md. Rofiqul Islam sir, S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Chairman, Dept. of CE and Md. Monzur Morshed sir, Coordinator, Dept. of CE and respected Chairman from several departments were present as Special Guest.



### January 24th, 2023 Departmental Meeting with students from first shift

A departmental meeting with the students of 1st Shift from 10th-19th batch (1st shift) was held today at the Department of Civil Engineering. Honorable Chairman of Dept. of CE S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir discussed several issues with the students. Coordinator Sir and other senior faculties were also present in this lively discussion.



### 27th January, 2023. Workshop on "Structural Analysis & Design (RCC Structure) with ETABS" organized by 37th batch

A workshop on "Structural Analysis & Design (RCC Structure) with ETABS" organized by the 37th batch (2nd Shift) of Dept. of CE was held today in the DIU permanent campus, Satarkul.

Honorable Pro VC Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir, Chairman of Dept. of CE S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Coordinator of Dept. of CE Monzur Morshed sir and all the respected faculty members were present in this workshop.

Almost 180 students attended the workshop and they expressed their gratitude towards authority for arranging such a beautiful workshop on Building Design.



### 28th January, 2023. Final Defense Presentation for Batch 25th and Batch 9th.

'Final Defense Presentation' for 25th batch (2nd shift) and 9th batch (1st shift) of Department of Civil Engineering was held today at the permanent campus of Dhaka International University.

Honorable Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir, Dr. Md. Shibly Anwar sir, Associate Professor, DUET, S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Chairman, Dept. of CE and all the respected faculty members were present on the occasion.



### **29th January, 2023. Orientation Ceremony of 52th Batch**

An orientation ceremony for the newly admitted students of the Department of Civil Engineering 52th Batch (2nd Shift) was held on 27th January, 2023 at the auditorium of the permanent campus, Dhaka International University, Satarkul, Badda.

Honourable Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha Sir has graced the occasion as Chief Guest.

The programme started with the recitation from the holy Quran and Gita. Then the freshers were welcomed by providing flowers.

S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Chairman, Dept. of CE and Md. Monzur Morshed sir, Coordinator, Dept. of CE delivered their valuable speeches at the orientation ceremony. All the teachers of the department of Civil Engineering were present at the orientation.



### **January 27th, 2023 Class Party Organized by Batch 37**

The 37th batch (2nd Shift) of the Department of Civil Engineering had organized a class party on 27th January full of enthusiasm and enjoyment. They served a grand lunch having almost a dozen items to the honorable teachers.

Moreover they not only organized this class party but also they successfully organized a workshop on "Structural Analysis and Design (RCC building) with ETABS" in the morning.

Everyone was amused to witness the extraordinary and all out efforts from the students of 37th batch (2nd Shift) behind these two successful events.



### **February 2nd - 4th, 2023 Cox's Bazar trip, Department of Civil Engineering**

A departmental trip was undertaken by the department of civil engineering comprising a total of 120 peoples including staffs, teachers and mostly students. The destination of the trip was Cox's Bazar. The trip took place from 2nd february, 2023 to 4th february, 2023.



### **February 5th, 2023 Workshop on Teaching Learning Methods**

On 5th February, 2023, A training event was held in the permanent campus of DIU regarding the training of the newly appointed teachers of DIU about different rules, regulations, and about the various teaching learning methods and how to employ those methods for maximum success. It was a very fruitful event for the associated peoples.

The teachers got to learn about OBE-based curriculum, Rubrics, and Documentation rules. Moreover, as a special attraction of the day, the Vice Chancellor of Green University, Prof. Md Golam Samdani Fakir Sir came to talk about the motivation, importance of the teaching job and also helped the new teachers learn about their duties. Additionally, The teachers played a Kahoot game with Prof. Md Golam Samdani Fakir Sir.



### 3rd March, 2023. Class Party by Batch 47 (2nd shift)

Students of 47th batch (2nd Shift) of the Department of Civil Engineering, organized a delightful class party on 3rd March, 2023

at the permanent campus of DIU, with the guidance of their Guide Teacher Md. Humayun Mahmood Sir. In the event, the students of the 47th batch got an opportunity to meet all the faculty members of the Civil Engineering Department at a time on a single roof. The event was graced due to the presence of Chairman of Dept. of Civil Engineering, S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir who talked about the importance of leadership skills and managerial decision-making ability in the long run of life.

The ceremony ended up with a raffle draw amongst the students and cutting a cake in the prayer of betterment of all the students and our beloved institute Dhaka International University.



### 10th March, 2023, Orientation Program for the 53rd Batch

An orientation ceremony for the newly admitted students of the Department of Civil Engineering 53rd Batch (2nd Shift) was held on 10.03.2023 at the auditorium of the permanent campus, Dhaka International University, Satarkul, Badda.

Honourable Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha Sir graced the occasion as Chief Guest and Professor Mohammad Shah Alam Chowdhury sir was present as Special Guest.

The program started with a recitation from the holy Quran and Gita. Then the freshers were welcomed by providing flowers.

S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Chairman, Dept. of CE and Md. Monzur Morshed sir, Coordinator, Dept. of CE delivered their valuable speeches at the orientation ceremony. All the teachers of the Department of Civil Engineering were present at the orientation.



### 10th March, 2023, Farewell Program for batch 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30

A farewell program for the outgoing batch students of batches 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30, of second shift of Department of Civil Engineering was held on 10.03.2023 at the permanent campus, Dhaka International University, Satarkul, Badda.

Honourable Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha Sir has graced the occasion as Chief Guest and Honorable Vice Chancellor Professor Dr. Saiful Islam as main guest. Professor Mohammad Shah Alam Chowdhury sir was present as Special Guest.

The program started with a recitation from the holy Quran and Gita. Then the freshers were welcomed by providing flowers.

S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Chairman, Dept. of CE and Md. Monzur Morshed sir, Coordinator, Dept. of CE delivered their valuable speeches at the farewell ceremony. All the teachers of the Department of Civil Engineering were present at the farewell ceremony.





## 19th March, 2023, BAC-oriented meeting, Workshop on “Mapping BAC Criteria Based Documents at Civil Engineering Department”

A workshop on "Mapping BAC Criteria Based Documents at Civil Engineering Department" was held on 19th March, 2023 at the Department of Civil Engineering, Dhaka International University at 12:00 pm and it continued till 4:30 pm.

Prof. Dr. Saiful Islam sir, Vice Chancellor, DIU has graced the workshop as the Chief Guest. Besides, Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir, Pro Vice Chancellor, DIU was presented as a special guest while Dr. Serajul Islam Prodhan, Director, IQAC conducted the session as Resource Person.

All the faculty members of the Department of Civil Engineering participated in the workshop & shared their intellectual ideas on the preparation of the BAC Criteria Based Documents.



## 20th March, 2023, Reception program of Newly Appointed Teachers of Department of Civil Engineering

A delightful reception program of newly appointed teachers of the Department of Civil Engineering was held on 20th March, 2023 at The Buffet Stories, Gulshan.

The program became vibrant with the presence of honorable VC of DIU Professor Dr. Saiful Islam sir, Pro VC Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir, honorable Registrar of DIU Prof. Md. Rofiqul Islam sir, Chairman of Dept. of CE S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Coordinator of Dept. of CE Md. Monzur Morshed sir and all the respected senior faculty members of the Department of Civil Engineering.

Newly appointed teachers were welcomed with exquisite gifts.

All the prestigious guests gave a short speech at the end of session. Their presence and motivational speech were a blessing for the newly appointed teachers of the Department of Civil Engineering.



## March 29th, 2023. Workshop on Outcome Based Education System and Preparing Questions Following OBE

A workshop on "Outcome Based Education System (OBE) and Preparing Questions Following OBE" was held on 29th March, 2023 at the department of Civil Engineering.

Respected faculty member Mr. Shuvashish Sen Shuva was the keynote speaker in this workshop. The Honourable speaker described every segment of OBE and norms of OBE based question papers evidently and sequentially. Honorable Chairman S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Coordinator Monzur Morshed sir and all the faculty members of the dept. of CE were present in the workshop.



## April 2nd, 2023. First of the Series of Workshops on Research, Thesis Writing and Publication by Professor VC Pro. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha

The first session of a series of workshops on "Research, Thesis Writing and Publication" was held on April 2nd, 2023 in the Department of Civil Engineering. Honorable Pro VC Professor Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir took the attention of the audiences by sharing his innovative ideas and experiences on publication, research and thesis writing. All the faculty members of the Department of CE were present in the workshop.

This workshop was exclusively held for the faculty members from different departments of the Dhaka International University. The Department of Civil Engineering encourages the participation of all the esteemed faculty members of different departments to join the next session and widen their vision regarding research and publication.



### May 7th, 2023. Second of the Series of Workshops on Research, Thesis Writing and Publication by Professor VC Pro. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha

The second session of the series of workshops on "Research, Thesis Writing and Publication" was held at the permanent campus of Dhaka International University on Sunday morning at 10:00 AM at 7th May.

Honorable Pro VC Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir was the keynote speaker in the workshop and he shared his innovative ideas and experiences on publication. The Department of Civil Engineering was the host for the series of workshops.

All the esteemed faculty members were cordially invited to attend the workshop for acquiring the solution of unknown for publication from the eminent speaker of the workshop. The faculties from the department of civil engineering were all present in the workshop. Moreover, Prof. Shah Alam Chowdhury sir and Associate Professor Mili Rahman maam, from the Department of English, glorified the occasion with their presence and they also shared their previous experience and provided valuable suggestion on several topics of the research works

This workshop was exclusively for the faculty members from different departments of the Dhaka International University. The Department of Civil Engineering encourages the participation of all the esteemed faculty members of different department to join the next session and widen their vision for publication.



On September 25, 2022, Department of Pharmacy celebrated "World Pharmacists Day" with the rally. The themes of the occasion this year was: "Pharmacy united in action for a healthier world". Professor Farida Begum, Chairman, Department of Pharmacy,

with all faculty members and students, attended in that program. Teachers give their valuable speech to students about World Pharmacists Day, Role & Responsibilities of a pharmacist. They also discuss about how to develop lab facilities and thesis that students can applied their knowledge in their profession.

### May 13th, 2023. Orientation ceremony for 54th batch (2nd shift) and 20th batch students (1st shift).

An orientation ceremony for the newly admitted students of the Department of Civil Engineering 54th Batch (2nd Shift) and 20th Batch (1st Shift) was held on 13th may, 2023 at 3 p.m. at the auditorium of the permanent campus, Dhaka International University, Satarkul, Badda.

Honourable Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Saiful Islam sir was the Chief Guest of the ceremony and Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha Sir has graced the occasion as Special Guest. Besides, Honorable Registrar Professor Md. Rofiqul Islam sir, Additional Registrar Professor Mohammad Shah Alam Chowdhury sir, honorable Proctor Prof. Dr. Sazzad Hossain sir and Md. Monzur Morshed sir, Coordinator, Dept. of CE were present as distinguished guests.

The programme started with the recitation from the holy Quran and Gita. Then, the freshers were welcomed by providing flowers. Honorable guests gave valuable speech towards the newly admitted students. All the teachers of the department of Civil Engineering were present at the orientation.



### May 14th, 2023. third of the Series of Workshops on Research, Thesis Writing and Publication by Professor VC Pro. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha

The third session of the series of workshops on "Research, Thesis Writing and Publication" was held at the permanent campus of Dhaka International University on Sunday morning at 09:30 AM on 14th May.

Honorable Pro VC Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir was the keynote speaker in the workshop and he shared his innovative ideas and experiences on publication. The Department of Civil Engineering was the host for the series of workshops.

This workshop was exclusively for the faculty members from different departments of the Dhaka International University. The Department of Civil Engineering encourages the participation of all the esteemed faculty members of different department to join the next session and widen their vision for publication.

### **May 21th, 2023. Fourth of the Series of Workshops on Research, Thesis Writing and Publication by Professor VC Pro. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha**

The fourth session of series of workshops on "Research, Thesis Writing and Publication" was held yesterday in the Department of Civil Engineering.

Honorable Pro VC Pro. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir took the attention of the audiences by sharing his innovative ideas and experiences on publication. Honorable Additional Registrar of DIU Prof. Shah Alam Chowdhury sir and Associate Professor of Dept. of English Mili Rahman mam joined this workshop and gave away their previous experience and valuable suggestion on several topics of the research works. Besides, Honorable Chairman of Dept. of CE S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir along with all the faculty members of the Department of CE were present in the workshop.

This workshop was exclusively for the faculty members from different departments of the Dhaka International University. The Department of Civil Engineering encourages the participation of all the esteemed faculty members of different department to join the next session and widen their vision for publication.



### **May 26th, 2023. Organization of Blood Campaign with "Elite Blood Donation Foundation Bangladesh" by batch 38th.**

On May 26, 2023, the 38th batch (2nd shift) of the department of civil engineering organized a blood campaign in association with "Elite Blood Donation Foundation Bangladesh" in the permanent campus of Dhaka International University.

The campaign was inaugurated early in the morning with the testing of the blood of the students and teachers in the canteen premises. The Honorable Chairman of the department of Civil Engineering S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir was present at the opening session of the blood campaign.

Later on, a formal discussion program was held on the discussion of the several benefits of blood donation in the auditorium of the permanent campus. Honorable Pro VC Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir was present as the chief guest of the ceremony. Distinguished guests pointed out and discussed the significance of blood donation for the welfare of humans. The honorable guest praised the activity of the foundation and the tremendous effort from the students of the 38th batch (2nd Shift) for arranging the campaign successfully to grow the awareness of the students of Dhaka International University regarding the importance and benefits of blood donation.



### **May 28th, 2023. Fifth of the Series of Workshops on Research, Thesis Writing and Publication by Professor VC Pro. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha**

The fifth session of series of workshops on "Research, Thesis Writing, and Publication" was held on Sunday morning, May 28, 2023 in the Department of Civil Engineering.

Honorable Pro VC Pro. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir captured the attention of the audience by sharing his innovative ideas and experiences regarding publication. Besides, the Honorable Chairman of the Department of CE, S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon, sir, along with all the faculty members of the Department of CE, were present in the workshop.

This workshop was exclusively for faculty members from different departments of the Dhaka International University. The Department of Civil Engineering encourages the participation of all the esteemed faculty members of different departments to join the next session and widen their vision for publication.



### **June 9th, 2023. Orientation program for the newly appointed students of Batch 55th of Department of Civil Engineering**

The orientation ceremony for the newly admitted students of 55th Batch (2nd Shift) of the Department of Civil Engineering was held at the auditorium of the permanent campus, Dhaka International University, Satarkul, Badda in 9th June, 2023.

The event was graced by the presence of the Honorable Pro Vice Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha, as the Chief Guest. Additionally, the honorable chairman of the department of Civil Engineering, S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon, and Md. Monzur Morshed, Coordinator of the Dept. of CE, were present as distinguished guests.

The program began with the recitation from the holy Quran and Gita, symbolizing the diverse cultural and religious backgrounds of the students. The new students were warmly welcomed with flowers. The distinguished guests, including the Chief Guest and the department's Chairman and Coordinator, delivered valuable speeches to inspire and guide the newly admitted students. During their speeches, the esteemed faculty members of the Department of CE, Mr. Shuvashish Sen Shuva, Omar Faruk, and Md. Saniul Haque Mahi, focused on highlighting the activities and facilities available within the department.

Besides, the honorable guests provided insights into the scope of education in civil engineering, emphasized the importance of adopting proper etiquette as students, and shared valuable suggestions to help the students achieve their desired goals. The presence of all the teachers from the Department of Civil Engineering showcased their support and dedication towards the students' academic journey. The orientation ceremony aimed to provide a solid foundation for the students, acquainting them with the department's resources, goals, and expectations, while inspiring them to excel in their chosen field of study.



### **17th June, 2023. Orientation program of 56th batch (2nd shift), Dept. of Civil Engineering**

The orientation ceremony for the newly admitted students of the 56th Batch (2nd Shift) of the Department of Civil Engineering was held in the auditorium of Dhaka International University's permanent campus in Satarkul, Badda. Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha, honorable Pro Vice Chancellor, presided over the event as the Chief Guest. As a distinguished guest, Prof. Dr. Sazzad Hossain, Proctor of DIU, was present as special guest. In addition, the Honorable Chairman of the Civil Engineering Department, S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon, and the Coordinator of the Civil Engineering Department, Md. Monzur Morshed, were present as distinguished guests.

The program began with the recitation of the holy Quran and Gita, a representation of the students' diverse cultural and religious influences. The newcomers were presented with flowers to express their cordial welcome. The distinguished guests, including the Chief Guest, Chairman, and Coordinator of the department, delivered inspiring and instructive speeches to the newly admitted students.

The distinguished faculty members of the Department of CE, Mr. Shuvashish Sen Shuva, Omar Faruk, and Md. Saniul Haque Mahi, highlighted the available activities and facilities during their speeches. In addition to providing insights into the scope of education in civil engineering, the distinguished guests emphasized the significance of adopting appropriate etiquette as students and offered helpful advice to assist the students in achieving their objectives.

The attendance of the Department of Civil Engineering faculty demonstrated their support and devotion to the students' academic path. The purpose of the orientation ceremony was to provide the students with a solid foundation, acquainting them with the department's resources, objectives, and expectations, and motivating them to excel in their chosen field of study.



## **Event 27: July 13th, 2023. Construction site visit by 16th batch.**

On 13th July, 2023, the students of 16th batch (1st Shift) visited a construction site under the supervision of honorable faculty member Md. Saniul Haque Mahi sir. The students gained knowledge on construction of beam and column. It is mentioned that site visit is one of the regular basis activity of the department of Civil Engineering which helps the students to connect practical works of construction with their text book knowledge.



## **Event 28: August 4th, 2023. Three days workshop on "Soil Investigation, Geotechnical Report and Foundation Design"**

The three days long workshop on "Soil Investigation, Geotechnical Report and Foundation Design" had ended up with a quiz competition at the Department of Civil Engineering yesterday. Honorable Chairman S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon gave away the priceless prizes to the winners of the competition. The students were delighted to have beautiful participant certificate of the workshop from honorable teachers.

Honorable Chairman emphasized the importance of attending several workshops to have proper knowledge on practical application of Civil Engineering ideas. He declared few of most popular workshops to be done in near future for the betterment of the student by the department.

Through this workshop, the students have acquired knowledge on the procedures of soil testing, assessment and preparation of geotechnical report and selection and design of proper foundation for any structure. It is noted that almost 100 students from different batches participated in this three day long workshop with full of enthusiasm.



## **8th august, 2023. Factory visit at INSEE cement Ltd by Batch 13th and 14th (1st shift, Dept. of Civil Engineering).**

Department of Civil Engineering organized a factory visit for the students of 13th and 14th batch (1st Shift) yesterday at INSEE Cement Ltd. The higher officials of the INSEE Cement described all the procedures of the production of cement and gave a visit at their factory with the students. The students got a proper knowledge in manufacturing cement and various functions of components of cement through this factory visit. Honorable Faculty member of the Department of Civil Engineering Mr. Mridul Mondol, Mr. Shahin Sheikh, Mr. Abdul Awol Rabby and Me. Jaber Hossain accompanied the students in this factory visit.



## **August 10th, 2023. Poster presentation Competition by Batch 16th (1st shift), Dept. of Civil Engineering**

A "Poster Presentation Competition" was held on 10th August, 2023 at the Department of Civil Engineering on the several topics of the course titled Details of Construction. The students of 16th batch (1st Shift) participated the competition where they presented their knowledge on construction procedures of different members of a structure after gaining proper knowledge from course and construction site visit. Students visited several sites and presented the overview of the works in those sites through poster.

Later on, Fatema Tuz Zohora, student of 16th batch was awarded for being the best presenter whereas the members of poster "Pile Foundation" were awarded for preparing outstanding poster in this competition. Course teacher Md. Saniul Haque Mahi and honorable Chairman S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon handed over the certificate of appreciation to the students.



### **11th August, 2023. Alumni Reunion by Dept. Of CE.**

The first 'Alumni Reunion' organized by the Dept. of CE was held in the permanent campus of DIU on 11th August 2023.

Honorable Chairman of BOT Barrister Shameem Haider Patwary sir was present in this biggest event as a chief guest whereas honorable Pro VC Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir, Additional Registrar Prof. Shah Alam Chowdhury sir, Chairman of Dept. of CE S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Coordinator of Dept. of CE Monzur Morshed sir were present as special guest.

The program started with the recitation from the holy Quran and Gita. Honorable guests pointed out the necessity of Alumni Association and functions of Alumni Association for the betterment of the Department and education quality. In the speeches of alumni, they praised the authority for upgraded laboratory and classroom facilities.

In a portion of this event distressed people were provided with clothes and foods by the alumni as remarks on social work.



### **11th August, 2023. Farewell program of 10th batch and 31st batch, Dept. Of CE**

A colorful farewell program of 10th batch (1st shift) and 31st batch (2nd shift) organized by the Department of Civil Engineering was held on 11th August, 2023 in the auditorium of the permanent campus, DIU.

Honorable Pro VC of DIU Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir was present as chief guest in this colorful event. Honorable Dean of Faculty of Science and Engineering and Chairman of Dept. of CSE Dr. A T M Mahbubur Rahman sir, Registrar Prof. Md. Rofiqul Islam sir, Additional Registrar Prof. Shah Alam Chowdhury sir, Proctor Prof. Dr. Sazzad Hossain, Chairman of Dept. of CE S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Coordinator of Dept. of CE Monzur Morshed sir had graced the ceremony as special guest.

The program started with the recitation from the holy Quran and Gita. The honorable guests congratulated and gave away few suggestions for the upcoming days to the outgoing students. Students were provided with commemoration crest by the honorable guests. In the speeches of the students of the outgoing batches, they showed their gratitude to the teachers of the department.

The Department of CE has an increasing rate of students and the department is promised to ensure quality education with well equipped laboratory and skilled teachers from reputed university of Bangladesh to produce quality engineers for the betterment of the nation.



### **13th August, 2023. Naming ceremony of Batch 18 (1st shift), Dept. Of civil engineering.**

The 18th batch (1st Shift) of the Department of Civil Engineering organized their "Naming Ceremony" with full of enthusiasm on 13th August 2023.

The honorable Registrar of DIU Prof. Md. Rofiqul Islam sir graced the formal program as chief guest. Honorable Chairman of Dept. of CE S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Guide teacher of 18th batch Md. Saniul Haque Mahi sir and Engineer Lokman Hossain, Managing Director of Al Wakia Design and Construction were present as special guests in the formal ceremony.

Later on, in the cultural segment of this biggest event the presence of honorable Pro VC Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir and Additional Registrar Prof. Shah Alam Chowdhury sir elevated the warmth of the event.

The program was started with the recitation from the holy Quran and Gita by the students of 18th batch. They inaugurated with a new name "Durbar 18". The guests were received with commemoration crests and souvenirs. Honorable guests praised the students of the 18th batch for such an organized and beautiful event. They thanked Al Wakia Design and Construction for sponsoring the event. The program was concluded with a colorful cultural program participated by the students of the 18th batch. A special performance was staged by the students of Dhumketu 17 (17th batch 1st Shift) and Mr. Omar Faruk sir. Through this 'Naming Ceremony' the students learned to organize a program under supervision of the guide teacher. In this program all the students of the Department of CE gathered together and got the opportunity to introduce among themselves. The Dept. of CE always emphasized the co-curricular activities of the students for gaining the skill of organizing a program.



### **August 18th, 2023. Farewell Program of few faculties from the Dept. of Civil Engineering.**

A farewell program of few respected faculty members of the Department of Civil Engineering was held today. Honorable Pro VC Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha sir was present in the program as chief guest. Honorable Chairman of the Dept. of CE S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir presided over the program.

Farewell was given to honorable Coordinator of the Dept. of CE Monzur Morshed sir, Shuvashish Sen Shuva sir, Ezaz Ahmed sir, Rubel Rana sir, Jahangir Alam sir, Tonmoy Paul sir and Jihan Ahmed sir.

Few of them are going abroad for their higher studies and the rest of them are going to join in the government service.

In their farewell speeches they recalled the sweet memories in DIU. Honorable Pro VC sir and Chairman sir praised their dedication throughout their service time in DIU and wished a better life ahead.



### **2nd september, 2023. Orientation program for Batch 58, Dept. Of Civil Engg.**

An orientation ceremony for the newly admitted students of the Department of Civil Engineering 58th Batch (2nd Shift) was held today at the auditorium of the permanent campus, Dhaka International University, Satarkul, Badda.

Honourable Vice Chairman of BOT, DIU Dr. S. Quadir Patwari sir was the Chief Guest of the ceremony and Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha Sir has graced the occasion as Special Guest. Besides, honorable Proctor Prof. Dr. Sazzad Hossain sir, Additional Registrar Prof. Shah Alam Chowdhury sir, Chairman of the department of Civil Engineering S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir and Omar Faruk sir, faculty member, Dept. of CE were present as distinguished guests.

The programme started with the recitation from the holy Quran and Gita. Then the freshers were welcomed by providing flowers. Honorable guests gave valuable speech towards the newly admitted students. All the teachers of the department of Civil Engineering were present at the orientation.



### **15th september, 2023. Inauguration session of ETABS Professional Workshop in Collaboration with IDEA**

The Department of Civil Engineering orchestrated the inaugural session of the "ETABS Professional Workshop" within the auditorium of the DIU permanent campus. This workshop is in collaboration with Infrastructure Development and Engineering Associates (IDEA). Serving as the resource persons for this comprehensive eight-day professional workshop are Md. Nazmul Alam, a respected senior lecturer in the Department of Civil Engineering at the University of Asia Pacific, and a senior structural engineer at IDEA, as well as Md. Zahidul Islam, who holds the position of Structural Engineer at AUSPICIOUS. The commencement of the first session featured a formal inaugural ceremony, with the esteemed presence of Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha, the honorable Pro VC

of DIU, who attended as the chief guest. Joining him were distinguished individuals, including S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon, the honorable Chairman of the Department of CE, and Coordinator Omar Faruk, who graced the event as special guests. The honorable guests emphasized the significance of grounding professional courses in textbook theoretical knowledge. Pro VC Dr. Saha also outlined several key points to guide participants in acquiring comprehensive knowledge of ETABS design during this workshop. The ceremony was skillfully hosted by Md. Saniul Haque Mahi, a highly regarded faculty member of the Department of CE. Over 100 students enthusiastically registered for this workshop, expressing their gratitude to the organizers and teachers for arranging this valuable professional event. Md. Saniul Haque Mahi, along with Abdul Awol Rabby, were entrusted with the role of conveners for this extensive eight-day professional workshop. This Professional workshop will enlarge the knowledge of students in designing multi storied reinforced concrete buildings maintaining Bangladesh National Building Code (BNBC).



### **17th september, 2023. Workshop on OBE for the newly appointed teachers of CE Dept**

The Department of Civil Engineering hosted a workshop focused on the "Outcome Based Education (OBE) system" and the creation of questions in alignment with OBE principles. This event provided newly recruited faculty members with a comprehensive understanding of the OBE system. Shuvashis Sen Shuva, a respected faculty member of the Department of Civil Engineering, eloquently discussed the importance of OBE, action verbs according to Bloom's Taxonomy, and guidelines for crafting Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs). The workshop had full attendance from all faculty members of the Department of Civil Engineering. The event concluded with an insightful speech by S.M. Sazzad Ahmed Shovon, the esteemed Chairman of the Department of Civil Engineering.



### **22nd september, 2023. Class party by 44th batch, Dept. of CE**

Today (22/09/2023, Friday), the 44th Batch (2nd shift) of the Department of Civil Engineering at Dhaka International University organized a colorful Class Party. They provided crests and flowers to the Chairman of the Department of CE, S M Sazzad Ahmed Shovon sir, Coordinator Omar Faruk sir, and their Guide Teacher Abdul Awoal sir. They also bid farewell to Shuvashis Sen Shuva sir. During their class party, all the faculty members were present and enjoyed the outstanding arrangements. All the faculty members were welcomed with flower sticks and special gift items. Coordinator Omar Faruk sir and Guide Teacher Abdul Awoal sir delivered inspirational and motivational speeches to the batch, encouraging their further involvement in departmental co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. They also listened to some of their concerns regarding classroom facilities, and Coordinator sir assured them that all issues would be resolved as early as possible. The 44th batch (2nd Shift) made the day memorable by sharing delicious cakes and a very special lunch item with the teachers and staff of the Civil Engineering Department. This batch truly demonstrated their unity, integrity, and intellectuality by organizing such a magnificent program within a very limited timeframe. We hope that the 44th batch will enhance the reputation and spread the fame of our DIU, as well as the Department of Civil Engineering, by achieving success both in their educational and professional sectors.





## Department of Computer Science Engineering (CSE)

Dhaka International University has become Mile2 Academy Partner today. From DIU, Prof. Dr. A. T. M Mahbubur Rahman, Dean-Faculty of Science & Engineering were signed the documents with Alamgir Hossain, Founder-Blue Team Bangladesh Ltd. Also attended, Prof. Md. Abdul Based (Additional Director, Research & Publication Cell) & Tareq Aziz, COO-bTb.



**orientation ceremony**

An orientation ceremony for the newly admitted 83, 84, 85 batches (1st Shift) and 103, 104, 105, and 106 batches (2nd shift) of the Computer Science and Engineering Department was held today on the 9th floor of new building permanent campus, satarkul, Badda. The program started with a recitation from the Holy Quran. Then the freshers were welcomed by flowers. Honorable Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Saiful Islam, DIU was the chief guest of this program. Honorable Vice Chairman of BOT Dr. S. Quadir Patwari and Honorable Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha, DIU were present as special guests and delivered their valuable speech at this program. Prof. Md. Abdul Based, Additional Director, Research and Publications Cell; Asst. Prof. Md. Habibullah Belali and Asst. Prof. and Coordinator Md. Mahbubur Rahman, Dept. of CSE, DIU delivered their valuable speech at the program. All the faculties of the Department of Computer Science and Engineering were present at the orientation ceremony. Asst. Prof. Md. Zahidul Islam was the convenor of this program and the entire program was presided over by the Honorable Dean (Faculty of Science and Engineering) and Chairman of the CSE Department, Professor Dr. A.T.M. Mahbubur Rahman Sarker.



### **National Freelancer's Carnival 2023**

DIU Presents National Freelancer's Carnival 2023  
Organized By One Way School & CSE DIU Alumni  
Ass. Date: 28.05.24



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### **Iftar Mahfil**

Today Department of Computer Science and Engineering, DIU arranged an Iftar Mahfil Program. Honorable Professor Dr. Saiful Islam, Vice-Chancellor, DIU; Honorable Dr. Muhammad Shahidul Quadir Patwari, Vice Chairman, BOT; Honorable Professor Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha, Pro Vice Chancellor, DIU; Honorable Prof. Dr. Md. Serajul Islam Pradhan, Director, IQAC, DIU; Honorable Prof. Md. Abdul Based, Additional Director, Research & Publications Cell, DIU; Honorable Md. Sawkat Ali sir, Joint Director, DIU; Honorable Prof. Mst. Jahanara Akhter, CSE, DIU and all faculty members and Students of the CSE Department were present in the Iftar Mahfil program. The program was properly guided by the Honorable Dean (Faculty of Science and Engineering) and Chairman Department of CSE Professor Dr. A.T.M. Mahbubur Rahman Sarker along with all other Respected Faculty Members. Date: 11.04.23



## Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) Signing Ceremony

The “Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) Signing Ceremony” between Dhaka International University (DIU) and NexKraft Ltd. held today. This memorandum was signed by Prof. Mohammad Shah Alam Chowdhury, Additional Registrar of Dhaka International University (DIU) and Mohammad Shahrir Khan, CEO, NexKraft Ltd. Date: 16.03.23



## Asia Dhaka Regional onsite contest

Our team "spybits" participated in the 2022 ICPC Asia Dhaka Regional onsite contest. Among 10 of the teams of the department of Computer Science and Engineering, Dhaka International University "spybits" got the opportunity to attend the contest. Congratulations to the team "spybits". We are thankful to Prof. Atm Mahbubur Rahman Sir, Dean, Faculty of Science and Engineering, DIU and DIU's authority for supporting us. Coach: Jilani Khandaker, Assistant Professor, CSE DIU Team Members: Abid Bin Ahasan Mursalatul Pallob Elias Ur Rahman Team Standings: <https://algo.codemarshal.org/contests/dhaka-22/standings> #ICPC2022 #DIU #DIU\_CSE Date: 12.03.23



(২৪-০২-২০২৩) ইং তারিখে ঢাকা ইন্টারন্যাশনাল ইউনিভার্সিটির স্থায়ী ক্যাম্পাসের নতুন ভবনে আনন্দ মুখর পরিবেশে CSE এবং EEE বিভাগের কার্যক্রমের শুভ উদ্বোধন অনুষ্ঠিত হয়েছে।



## Department of Pharmacy

### Fresher Reception & Pitha Utshab-2023



On 13rd January 2023, Fresher Reception Ceremony and Pitha Utshab was arranged by the Department of Pharmacy, Dhaka International University at permanent campus, Satarkul, Badda, Dhaka. In that program Barrister Shameem Haider Patwary, MP, Chairman, BOT, DIU; Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha, Honorable Pro Vice Chancellor, DIU; Prof. Md. Rofiqul Islam, Registrar, DIU; Prof. Salim Bhuiya, Honorable Adviser, Department of Business Administration, DIU and Honorable Chairmans along with respected faculty members of various departments were present and made the program worthwhile. Honorable guests visited all the stalls given by the students of different batches of the Department of Pharmacy. Professor Farida Begum, Chairman, Department of Pharmacy, DIU presided over the program. The ceremony was terminated for that season by a wonderful cultural program.

### Study Tour -2023



The Department of Pharmacy of Dhaka International University (DIU) arranged Annual Study Tour from 23rd January to 26th January 2023 with the theme "High Tides Good Vibes". They visited Cox's Bazar, Inani Sea Beach, Marine Drive Road & Saint-martin Island. Prof. Md. Rofiqul Islam, Honorable Registrar, Dhaka International University was visited the places along with the students. Among faculty members of Department of Pharmacy, Amir Hossain, Assistant Professor; Nowrin Ferdiousi, Assistant professor; Shahenul Islam, Lecturer; Mahadi Hasan, Lecturer;

As-Sazzad Mahmud, Lecturer were present to guide the students. All the students along with the faculty members enjoyed a friendly football match on the Saintmartin sea beach. The last day was terminated by a wonderful cultural program organized by the students at the hotel lobby.

### Intra Department Sports Competition-2023



Department of Pharmacy arranged Intra Departmental Sports Competition-2023 from 14th March to 18th March 2023. Professor Farida Begum, Chairman, Department of Pharmacy inaugurated the opening ceremony. There were many events like marble race, musical chair race, ball through competitions for girls and cricket tournament, cock fight, sack race for the boys. Professor Dr. Saiful Islam, Vice-Chancellor, Professor Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha, Pro-Vice Chancellor & all the faculty members of Department of Pharmacy, Dhaka International University were attended the awarding ceremony on 19th March 2023 and made the program worthwhile. The program was chaired by Professor Farida Begum, Chairman, Department of Pharmacy. Mr. Shahenul Islam, Lecturer, Department of Pharmacy was the convener of the entire Sports competition.

### Iftar Mahfil-2023



An Iftar Mahfil was held on 8th April 2023 Sunday. This Mahfil was organized by Department of Pharmacy in the auditorium of permanent campus,

Dhaka International University, Satarkul, Badda. In that program, Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha, Pro Vice Chancellor, DIU; Prof. Md. Rofiqul Islam, Registrar, Professor Farida Begum, Chairman, Department of Pharmacy, DIU and Chairmans of various departments along with the faculty members were present in that Iftar Mahfil.

### **International Seminar on Chemoprevention of Head and Neck Cancers: Perspectives with Natural Compounds**



A seminar on “Chemoprevention of Head and Neck Cancers: Perspectives with Natural Compounds” was held on 13rd May 2023. The seminar was organized by department of Pharmacy in the auditorium of permanent campus, Dhaka International University, Satarkul, Badda. The session’s keynote speaker was Dr. ARM Ruhul Amin, Associate Professor, Marshall University School of Pharmacy WV, USA. Professor Dr. Saiful Islam, Vice-Chancellor, DIU; Professor Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha, Pro-Vice Chancellor, DIU; Prof. Md. Rofiqul Islam, Registrar, DIU; Dr. A.T.M. Mahbubur Rahman, Dean, Faculty of Science & Engineering, DIU; Prof. Mohammad Shah Alam Chowdhury, Additional Registrar, DIU; Prof. Sazzad Hossain, Proctor & Provost, DIU; Prof. Dr. Md. Shah Amran, Department of Pharmacy, Dhaka University and respected all faculty members of Department of Pharmacy of Dhaka International University were present in this program. Professor Farida Begum, Chairman, Department of Pharmacy, DIU presided over the seminar.

## **Department of Economics**

### **Pitha Festival**



On January 1st, 2023 the Department of Economics at Dhaka International University celebrated the vibrant Pitha Festival. Students showcased an array of traditional pitha items, displaying their culinary skills and cultural heritage. The event featured a delightful assortment of these sweet and savory treats, adding a flavorful touch to the festive atmosphere. Additionally, the festivities extended beyond the culinary realm, with a captivating cultural program that highlighted the rich diversity of talents among the students. The Pitha Festival not only indulged taste buds but also fostered a sense of community and appreciation for the cultural richness embedded within the university's academic tapestry.

### **Saint Martin Tour**



From January 30th to February 3rd, 2023 the Department of Economics at Dhaka International University orchestrated an exhilarating Saint Martin Island tour. A harmonious blend of teachers and students embarked on this educational and recreational journey. Amidst the azure waters and pristine beaches, the group explored the island's ecological wonders and engaged in insightful discussions. The tour not only fostered academic camaraderie but also provided a unique opportunity for experiential learning in a picturesque setting. The participants returned with enriched perspectives, making the Saint Martin Island tour a memorable and insightful chapter in the university's academic calendar.

## Master Class



The Department of Economics at Dhaka International University recently hosted Master Class Series 01, a transformative initiative themed "Understanding Economics from Theory to Practice." Led by the esteemed Dr. Md. Shahadat Hossain Siddiquee, this intellectual exploration unfolded within the university's permanent campus. The series provided students with a rare opportunity to delve into the intricacies of economic theory and its real-world applications. Dr. Siddiquee, with his wealth of knowledge, bridged the gap between classroom concepts and practical insights, creating a dynamic learning environment. The Master Class Series not only enhanced academic understanding but also empowered students to navigate the complexities of the economic landscape. It stands as a testament to the department's commitment to holistic education and bridging theory with hands-on experience.

## Inter-semester Cricket Tournament 2023



The Department of Economics at DIU hosted a thrilling Inter-semester Cricket Tournament inaugurated by Fazlul Haque, Coordinator department of Economics from March 19th to March 24th that, showcasing the athletic prowess of its students. The cricket grounds echoed with cheers as teams battled fiercely for the coveted title. From powerful sixes to strategic bowling, the tournament was a testament to the students' cricketing skills and teamwork. Spectators witnessed intense matches that added a competitive spirit to the academic environment. The event not only fostered a sense of camaraderie among participants but also provided a platform for showcasing their sportsmanship. As the final match concluded on March 24th, the echoes of cheers lingered, marking the success of yet another exciting sporting event at DIU's Department of Economics.

## Fellowship Dinner and Meeting with the Authority



The evening of May 3rd marked a delightful occasion as Garlic and Ginger restaurants hosted a Fellowship Dinner and Meeting with the Dhaka International University Authority where honorable Chairman of BOT. Barrister Shameem Haider Patwary, Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Saiful Islam, Provice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha, Registrar Prof. Md. Rofiqul Islam, and Coordinator of Department of Economics Fazlul Haque along with faculty members of the department chaired the program. The event, adorned with a delicious buffet, provided a gastronomic treat for attendees. Amidst the flavorful spread, meaningful discussions unfolded between the participants and the DIU Authority, fostering a sense of unity and collaboration. The combination of delectable cuisine and engaging conversations made the evening not only palatable but also productive, enhancing the bonds within the DIU community.

## Orientation Program



The Department of Economics at DIU welcomed its 15th batch with an engaging Orientation Program, setting the stage for a promising academic journey. Held with enthusiasm and precision, the program introduced incoming students to the department's faculty, facilities, and academic culture. Informative sessions provided insights into the curriculum, extracurricular activities, and support services available. Through interactive activities, the 15th batch connected with their peers, fostering a sense of community. The orientation emphasized not only academic excellence but also personal and professional growth, ensuring a holistic and enriching experience for the newest members of the Department of Economics at DIU.

## Department of English

### The 'Khabare Bangaliana' Festival



The 'Khabare Bangaliana' Festival of the English Department of Dhaka International University took place on January 18, 2023, in front of the university's academic building. The event was graced by the presence of Barrister Shamim Haider Patwary, Chairman of the Board of Trustees. Special guests included Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Saiful Islam, Pro Vice-Chancellor Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha, faculty members, and students of the English Department.

### Bandarban-cox's Bazar Study Tour



The study tour to Cox's Bazar and Bandarban at the end of January 2023, organized by the English Department of Dhaka International University, is an awe-inspiring expedition that combines learning, exploration, and cultural immersion. As students venture into the scenic beauty of these enchanting destinations, they go on board a journey that expands their understanding of literature, language, and the diverse cultural tapestry of Bangladesh. With pristine beaches, majestic hills, and captivating natural landscapes as their backdrop, creates lasting memories, fosters friendships, and strengthens the bonds within the English Department at Dhaka International University.

### Professor Dr. Md. Sazzad Hossain's Phd Celebration



On February 16, 2023, the department's faculty members organized a special ceremony to honor Professor Dr. Sazzad Hossain, celebrating his recent achievement of a PhD degree from Jahangirnagar University. The celebration took place at Thikana, a delightful venue surrounded by blooming flowers, where the faculty gathered for a joyful afternoon. The event was graced by the honored presence of the university's Pro Vice-Chancellor, Professor Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha.

### A Midsummer Night's Dream At 3rd National Campus Theatre



On March 12, 2023, the drama performance by the students of Dhaka International University at the prestigious Shilpakala venue was a remarkable display of talent, creativity, and the power of storytelling. As the lights dim and the curtain rises, the audience is captivated by the students' exceptional theatrical skills and their dedication to their craft.

### **A Midsummer Night's Dream At 2nd Inter-University Drama Festival**



On March 21, 2023, the Midsummer Night's Dream team went to Comilla University to participate in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Inter-University Drama Festival.

### **DIU English Premier League-2023**



Department of English organized 'DIU English Premier League' with ten teams from different batches starting on June 2, 2023. Finally, the 52<sup>nd</sup> Batch won the trophy while the 46<sup>th</sup>/A Batch placed as runner-up on June 10, 2023. Professor Dr. Saiful Islam, Vice Chancellor, DIU adorned the program as the Chief Guest, Professor Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha, Pro-vice Chancellor, DIU rejoiced it as Special Guest, Professor Dr. Sazzad Hossain, Proctor, DIU and all English faculties and students made it successful.

### **Making of a Green Library**



On June 24, 2023, the Green Stars from 8 batches of the Department of English of Dhaka International University had initiated the first ever Green Library of Bangladesh that once again proves how small efforts and contributions of 142 individuals with the leadership of Asma Binti Hafiz, Lecturer of English could come together to create such an amazing positive change. We are infinitely grateful to the DIU Authority, honourable Pro Vice Chancellor Sir of DIU for constantly encouraging the initiative and for facilitating us with everything for the first ever Tree Fair Tour from DIU. We are blessed with the honourable teachers from and beyond the Department of English and the officers and staffs of the library for heartily inspiring and constantly supporting the Green Stars to move forward with the future phases of the project. We are evermore indebted to Sumon Chandra Shell Sir and G4Green for envisioning the Initiative, designing the Green Library, guiding the Tree Fair Tour and kindly offering a knowledge session for the post care management of the plants and meeting the inquiries of our students about their assignments on this project. We look forward to seeing a green space where green minds will sustain.

## Department of Political Science

### Pitha Uthsab-2023



On 1st day of January 2023, the Department of Political Science, Dhaka International University organized an event to celebrate the New Year with Pitha Uthsab and a vibrant cultural evening at old campus. The Students of the department were displayed the several stores of various items of traditional pitha. The authority of the university, the faculty members and students of other departments were visited this event and enjoyed of this traditional vibe of the program.

### Annual Study Tour-2023



On January 30th, 2023 the Department of Political Science arranged an annual study tour at Saint Martin Island. All teachers and students participated on this educational and recreational tour. It was about 3 days tour and on the very first day the teachers and students compete an interesting football match and enjoyed the Island scenario. On the second day the team political science visited Chera Dip by boat and it was an outstanding experience of the students with their teachers.

### Master Lecture Series-1



The Department of Political Science hosted a Master Class Series 01, titled 'Bortoman Ocholabosthar Gorar Kotha: 18 theke 21 shotok' Led by the renowned Professor Dr. Salim Ullah Khan, this intellectual exploration unfolded within the university's permanent campus. Salimullah Khan, with his wealth of knowledge, bridged the gap between classroom concepts and practical insights, creating a dynamic learning environment. The Master Class Series not only enhanced academic understanding but also empowered students to navigate the complexities of the beginning concept of Political Theory.

### Celebration of Pahela Falgun



On February 14th, 2023 the teachers and the students of the Department of Political Science celebrated the 1st day of Falgun. Most of the teachers and students participated on this festive program. Basically it was the program for the students of their non-academic and cultural enjoyment. and The teachers and the students of the department were enjoyed this day with Falgun songs and flowers. It was a very exceptional initiative of the department.

### Cricket Tournament



The Department of Political Science arranged an Inter-batch Cricket Tournament inaugurated by Fazlul Haque, Chair of the department from March 23th to March 29th. The cricket grounds echoed with cheers as teams battled fiercely for the coveted title. From powerful sixes to strategic bowling, the tournament was a testament to the students' cricketing skills and teamwork. Spectators witnessed intense matches that added a competitive spirit to the academic environment. The event not only fostered a sense of camaraderie among participants but also provided a platform for the inter-batches of the departments.



## Departmental Meeting with the University Authority



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## Lantern Festival

On May 31th, 2023 the teachers and the students of the Department of Political Science celebrated a Lantern Festival. Basically it was a joyous celebration of all the batches of the Department together including the teachers. Where teachers and the students of the department celebrated by lighting lanterns and organized a cultural evening. It was a very exceptional initiative of the Department.



## A Day long Workshop



The Department of Political Science collaboratively organized a day long Workshop with EMK centre, USA, titled 'University Students Attitude on Whistleblowing: Awareness, Progress and challenges of Implementation at the Public Sectors in Bangladesh' presided by the chairman of this department Associate Professor Md. Fazlul Haque. Two prominent teachers of the department of Government and Politics of Jahangirnagar University, Professor Nurul Huda Sakib, PhD and Associate Professor Mohammad Sajedur Rahman were present as speakers in the programme. They provided a structured and interactive environment where the students exchanged ideas and solved problems.

## Department of Sociology

### Badminton Tournament, Mejbani Voj and Cultural Evening-2023



On 6th January 2023, the Department of Sociology at Dhaka International University hosted a remarkable event at their Permanent Campus in Satarkul, Badda, Dhaka. This unique program seamlessly intertwined the traditional Mejbani Voj ceremony, deeply rooted in Bengali culture, with an exhilarating Badminton Tournament. Ex-students and current students of the department, along with the esteemed presence of the Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Saiful Islam; Pro-Vice Chancellor Professor Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha; Syed Anwar Hussain, Bangabandhu Professor, Bangladesh University of Professionals; Vice-Chairman of the Board of Trustees S. Quadir Patwari; Dean, Arts and Social Science Professor Dr. Shawkat Ara Husain; Registrar Professor Md. Rofiqul Islam; Professor of Sociology Department, Dr. Zahidul Islam made the occasion truly special. It celebrated cultural heritage through the Mejbani Voj ritual and promoted sportsmanship via competitive badminton matches. The event also featured cultural performances, traditional cuisine, and opportunities for alumni to reconnect, fostering a sense of unity and pride within the Sociology department's vibrant community, embodying the university's commitment to holistic education and community engagement. The program was hosted by Jamsedur Rahman, Assistant Professor & Chairman of the department with the assistance of all the faculty members of Sociology Department, DIU.

### Sociological Perspectives: Part-2, Language and Language Movement: History and Significance



On February 8, 2023, the Department of Sociology at Dhaka International University organized a program on “Sociological Perspectives: Part-2, Language and Language Movement: History and Significance” was held at the Central Auditorium of Dhaka International University. The program featured a keynote address by Anawarul Islam, a distinguished figure serving as both a Bangabandhu Professor (Former Professor at History Department of Dhaka University). The event was graced by the presence of students from various batches, as well as esteemed guests including the Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Dr. Ganesh Chandra Saha; Dean, Arts and Social Science Professor Dr. Shawkat Ara Husain; Proctor and Hall Provost Professor Dr. Sazzad Hussain; Professor of Sociology Department, Dr. Zahidul Islam; Students Welfare Advisor Professor Dr. Shah Alam Chowdhury and Chairpersons of other departments. This event served as a meaningful platform for intellectual discourse, cultural exchange, and interdepartmental collaboration, enriching the academic environment and fostering connections between students and eminent scholars from different academic backgrounds. The program was presided over by Jamsedur Rahman, Assistant Professor & Chairman of the department with the assistance of all the faculty members of Sociology Department, DIU.

### Intra-Semester Cricket Tournament-2023



On June 3, 2023, the Department of Sociology at Dhaka International University hosted an exhilarating cricket tournament at the DIU Permanent Campus in Satarkul, Badda, Dhaka-1212, featuring active participation from all current batches of the department.

The Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Saiful Islam, gracing the occasion as the Chief Guest during the prize-giving ceremony. Professor Tahmina Khan along with all the faculty members of the department conducted the tournament guided by the Chairman and with cordial assistance of voluntary team. The event symbolized DIU's commitment to fostering sportsmanship, camaraderie, and holistic education. It provided a vibrant platform for students to showcase their athletic talents, build lasting bonds, and celebrate unity within the department, making it a memorable and successful event.

### **Dua & Iftar Mahfil-2023**



On April 7, 2023, the Department of Sociology at Dhaka International University hosted a heartwarming Dua & Iftar Mahfil at the Permanent Campus, bringing together the students from all the ongoing batches. The presence of distinguished chief guest Barrister Shamim Haider Patwari, MP made the Dua Mahfil successful. The event symbolized unity and community during the holy month of Ramadan, fostering camaraderie among the students while celebrating shared values and cultural inclusivity. It exemplified the university's commitment to providing a platform for students to bond, reflect on their academic journey, and create lasting memories of solidarity within the diverse Department of Sociology. All faculty of Sociology Department was present in the program.

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