



# IUBAT NEWSLETTER



## IUBAT Hosts 8<sup>th</sup> Convocation Ceremony with Grand Celebration

The International University of Business Agriculture and Technology (IUBAT) held its 8th Convocation on February 10, 2025, at the Bangabandhu International Convention Center in Dhaka. The ceremony marked a significant milestone for undergraduate and postgraduate students as they were conferred their degrees in a grand celebration of academic achievement.

Among the distinguished graduates, Ms. Riana Azad (BCSE) and Mr. Sangid Hasan Nayon (BATHM) received the prestigious Miyan Gold Medals for their outstanding academic performance. Ms. Riana Azad was further honored with the Alimullah Miyan Award for securing the highest academic distinction.

Degrees were awarded across a wide range of disciplines, including MBA, BBA, Agriculture, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Science, Mechanical Engineering, Economics, Tourism and Hospitality, Nursing, and English.

Her Excellency Syeda Rizwana Hasan, Honorable Adviser to the Ministry of Environment, Forest, and Climate Change, and the Ministry of Water Resources, presided over the convocation. In her address, she commended IUBAT for its contributions to research, global rankings, and sustainable education initiatives. She urged graduates to embrace sustainability and highlighted the ministry's environmental achievements.

The convocation speaker, Professor Tamsin Bradley from the University of Portsmouth, UK, emphasized the importance of academic collaboration between Bangladesh and the UK. She praised the ongoing partnership between IUBAT and the University of Portsmouth in fostering educational and research exchanges.

The ceremony commenced with a welcome speech by IUBAT Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Abdur Rab, while Treasurer Professor Selina Nargis delivered the closing remarks, expressing gratitude to all attendees.



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## IUBAT Celebrates 34<sup>th</sup> Founding Anniversary



The International University of Business Agriculture and Technology (IUBAT), the first non-government university in Bangladesh, celebrated its 34th Founding Anniversary with enthusiasm on January 16, 2025, at its Uttara campus in Dhaka.

The celebration commenced with the national anthem, followed by the hoisting of flags and a floral tribute at the grave of the university's Founder, Professor Dr. M Alimullah Miyan. The event was inaugurated by IUBAT Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Abdur Rab.

A ceremonial cake-cutting took place at the university's Open Auditorium, with participation from all departments. Distinguished attendees included Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab, Pro Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Mohammad Mahmudur Rahman, Treasurer Prof. Selina Nargis, Registrar

Prof. Dr. Md. Momtazur Rahman, Exam Controller Brig Gen Dr. Md. Zahid Hossain (Retd), Engineering Dean Prof. Dr. Md. Monirul Islam, Agriculture Dean Dr. Md. Shohidullah Miah, and Business Dean Prof. Mozzaffar Alam Chowdhury, along with faculty members, staff, and students.

A special discussion session was also organized, reflecting on IUBAT's journey and achievements over the past 34 years.

Established in 1991 under the vision of Prof. Dr. M Alimullah Miyan, IUBAT continues its mission of producing graduates from every village in Bangladesh. The university, home to over a hundred foreign students from 12 countries, offers education across 11 departments within its expansive 20-bigha green campus.

## Rabindra-Nazrul Jayanti 1431



IUBAT celebrated Rabindra-Nazrul Jayanti 1431 with great enthusiasm on Monday, June 10, in the university lobby. The event honored two legendary Bengali poets, Rabindranath Tagore and Kazi Nazrul Islam, through various performances.

The program began with a heartfelt tribute to Tagore, featuring beautiful poetry recitations and melodious songs. Later, the focus shifted to Nazrul, as performers recited his powerful poems that inspired patriotism and social awareness. The event highlighted Nazrul's significant role in Bengali literature.

Distinguished guests, including Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab, Prof. Dr. M. Mahmudur Rahman, and Treasurer & Director of Administration Prof. Selina Nargis, attended the program. They emphasized IUBAT's dedication to cultural enrichment.

## Employability Masterclass in Collaboration with UNDP



IUBAT in collaboration with the FUTURE NATION Project of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), organized an Employability Masterclass and Scholarship Awardee Session on November 30, 2024, at the university conference hall. The session was facilitated by the Placement and Alumni Office of IUBAT.

More than 200 students from various departments, including Economics, Agricultural Sciences, Business Administration, Electrical and Electronic Engineering,

Mechanical Engineering, and Computer Science and Engineering, participated in the session. The event aimed to enhance students' employability skills and provide insights into career readiness. Additionally, a Scholarship Awardee Session was held for students from the Department of English and Computer Science and Engineering.

The initiative reflects IUBAT's commitment to equipping students with essential career skills and fostering future employment opportunities.

## Seminar on *Prioritizing Mental Health at the Workplace*



The International University of Business Agriculture and Technology (IUBAT) organized an insightful seminar on “Prioritizing Mental Health at the Workplace”, emphasizing the significance of mental well-being in professional settings.

The session featured an inspiring keynote address by Professor Hew Gill, President and Provost of Universal College Bangladesh, and a distinguished Chartered Psychologist. His address focused on the importance of mental health awareness, stress



management, and fostering a supportive workplace environment.

The seminar was presided over by IUBAT's Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Professor Dr. Mahmudur Rahman, and attended by faculty members, students, and professionals from various fields. The event reinforced IUBAT's commitment to promoting mental health awareness and well-being in academic and professional spaces.



## World Environment Day 2024



IUBAT celebrated World Environment Day 2024 on June 5 with a vibrant seminar focused on this year's theme, "Land Restoration, Desertification, and Drought Resilience." The Department of Environmental Science organized the event, highlighting sustainability efforts in Bangladesh and IUBAT's role in environmental education.

Dr. Susan Vize, UNESCO Representative to Bangladesh, attended as the Chief Guest, while Mr. Md. Abudul Alim, General Manager of Windy Group, was the Special Guest. Prof. Dr. Jubayer-Al-Mahmud from Sher-e-Bangla Agricultural University served as

the Guest of Honor. IUBAT Treasurer and Director of Administration Prof. Selina Nargis also addressed the audience. The event was presided over by Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab, with a welcome speech by Prof. M. Ataur Rahman.

Research presentations were delivered by Associate Professors Dr. Shafiqul Islam and Dr. Ferdous Ahmed. Dr. Rimana Islam Papry concluded the seminar with a vote of thanks. Sponsored by Windy Group, the event welcomed over 100 students from Milestone College.

## IUBAT Signs MoU with Ajou University, South Korea

The College of Business Administration (CBA) of IUBAT and the Graduate School of International Studies (GSIS), School of Business, Ajou University, South Korea, signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on July 6, 2024, at the IUBAT conference room to establish academic collaboration.

The agreement was signed by Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mozaffar Alam Chowdhury, Dean of CBA, IUBAT, and Prof. Dr. Byeong-Yun Chang of Ajou University. Both emphasized their shared commitment to academic excellence through cooperation in student exchange, joint research, and international academic programs.

During the event, Prof. Selina Nargis highlighted IUBAT's history and achievements, while Vice-



Chancellor Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab discussed IUBAT's growing international collaborations. Other IUBAT officials, including Registrar Dr. M. Lutfar Rahman, Controller of Examinations Brig Gen Dr. Md Zahid Hossain (Retd), and faculty members, were present. Ms. Younghwa (Diane) Kang, Associate Director, and Md Torikul Islam, PhD student from GSIS, Ajou University, also attended.



## Pre-University English Course for Freshmen

IUBAT has introduced a Pre-University English Course for newly admitted students of the Fall 2024 semester. The inaugural class was held on July 6, attended by Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab and Treasurer & Director of Administration Prof. Selina Nargis.

This one-month intensive course is designed to bridge the gap between high school and university education by enhancing students' English proficiency in listening, speaking, and academic skills. The program also aims to develop critical thinking, independent learning, and study strategies to prepare students for university-level coursework.

Speaking at the event, Prof. Selina Nargis emphasized that the course will help students become confident learners and future assets to the country. Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab highlighted that many students enter university with limited English communication



skills, and this program will strengthen their foundation for academic success.

The inaugural class was conducted by Associate Professors Sadekul Islam and Md. Forhad Hossain from the Department of English and Modern Languages. The session was also attended by Prof. Dr. Momtazur Rahman, Chair of the Department, and Prof. Dr. Bijoy Lal Basu, Advisor of the Department.

## World Tourism Day 2024



The College of Tourism and Hospitality Management (CTHM) at IUBAT celebrated World Tourism Day 2024 with an academic discussion on "Tourism and Peace." The event brought together industry leaders, academicians, and alumni to explore the role of tourism in fostering global harmony.

Mr. Constantinos S. Gavriel, General Manager of Le Méridien Dhaka, attended as the Chief Guest, while Mr. Syed Mehran Hussain, Director of Marketing at Hotel Sarina Dhaka, and Mr. Mohammad Asadul Haque, Special Inspector (Cabin Safety) at the

Civil Aviation Authority of Bangladesh, were Special Guests. The discussion was presided over by IUBAT Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab, alongside Pro-Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Mohammad Mahmudur Rahman.

Notable CTHM alumni, including Mr. Tanvir Hassan Bin Khaleque (The Palace Luxury Resort), Mr. Saif Ul Alam Tanzu (Intercontinental Dhaka), Mr. Sadee Islam (Le Méridien Dhaka), and Mr. Md. Farhad Hossain Mazumder, shared insights on the future of tourism.

The discussion emphasized sustainable tourism, climate innovation strategies, and industry-education collaboration. Panelists highlighted the need for better public-private coordination, international travel frameworks, and enhanced tourism education and training.

The program concluded with a Vote of Thanks by Mst Sumyia Akter, Lecturer, CTHM, with participation from faculty members, students, and distinguished guests.

## Freshmen Initiation Program Fall 2024



IUBAT warmly welcomed the Fall 2024 freshmen through a special Initiation Program aimed at familiarizing new students with the university's academic and service systems.

During the event, faculty members introduced themselves and provided insights into IUBAT's vision, mission, code of conduct, library, career services, and

other facilities to ensure a smooth transition into university life. The program emphasized making the academic journey enjoyable, effective, and engaging for the students.

Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab presided over the virtual initiation program, addressing the new students and

encouraging them to embrace the opportunities at IUBAT. The event also featured speeches from the Pro-Vice Chancellor, deans, registrar, department chairs, coordinators, faculty members, and other university officials, all of whom shared valuable guidance and support for the incoming batch.

## World Food Day 2024

IUBAT celebrated World Food Day 2024 with a special program organized by the College of Agricultural Sciences on October 16 at the university campus. The event focused on the importance of food security, nutrition, and sustainable agriculture.

The program was graced by Professor Dr. Md. Abdul Latif, Vice-Chancellor of Sher-e-Bangla Agricultural University, as the Chief Guest. Kun Li, Head of Partnership at the Communication and Reports (PCR) Unit of the World Food Program, and Professor Selina Nargis, Treasurer of IUBAT, attended as Distinguished Guests. The event was presided over by IUBAT Vice-Chancellor, Professor Dr. Abdur Rab.

Special guests included Professor Rezaul Karim Siddique, General Secretary of the Bangladesh Safe Agriculture Food Initiative Foundation; Professor Dr. M. Salahuddin M. Chowdhury, Dean of Sher-e-Bangla Agricultural University; Md. Khorshed Alam



NDC, Executive Director of BIRTAN; and Professor Dr. Mohammad Shoaib, a member of Bangladesh Food Safety (Food Industry and Production).

The keynote speech was delivered by Professor Dr. Md. Shahidullah Mia, Dean of IUBAT's College of Agricultural Sciences. Faculty members, students, and staff actively participated in the discussions.

Alongside the seminar, students from the College of Agricultural Sciences organized a food fair, showcasing traditional Bangladeshi dishes.



## IUBAT Signs MoU with Best Tycoon (BD) Limited (Vivo)

IUBAT signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Best Tycoon (BD) Enterprise Limited (Vivo) on October 19, 2024, at the IUBAT Conference Room to strengthen academic-industry collaboration.

The agreement was signed by Brig Gen Dr. Md. Zahid Hossain (Retd), Registrar & Controller of Examinations of IUBAT, and Mr. Meng Kang, Head of HR & Admin, Best Tycoon (BD) Enterprise Limited (Vivo), on behalf of their respective organizations.

The MoU signing ceremony was attended by IUBAT Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Abdur Rab, along with directors, deans, department chairs, coordinators, faculty members, and officials.

This partnership aims to facilitate student employment opportunities, researcher exchanges,



joint research initiatives, faculty and staff development programs, study tours, internships, and participation in national and international conferences. Additional areas of cooperation will be explored and implemented through mutual agreement in the future.

## Breast Cancer Awareness Seminar



The College of Nursing at IUBAT, in collaboration with DMCANS Uttara, organized a Breast Cancer Awareness Seminar on October 21, 2024, at the IUBAT Conference Hall.

IUBAT Vice-Chancellor, Professor Dr. Abdur Rab, presided over the seminar, while Professor Dr. Quader, President of the Society of Surgeons of Bangladesh, attended as the Chief Guest.

The keynote speeches were delivered by Dr. Sadia

Sajmin Siddiqua and Dr. Shovon Sayeed, emphasizing early detection, prevention, and treatment of breast cancer.

The event was attended by deans, department chairs, faculty members, students, officers, and staff, highlighting the university's commitment to health awareness and community well-being.



## IUBAT and ICMAB Sign MoU to Strengthen Academic Collaboration

The International University of Business Agriculture and Technology (IUBAT) and the Institute of Cost and Management Accountants of Bangladesh (ICMAB) signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on October 24, 2024, at the IUBAT Conference Room to enhance academic collaboration and professional development opportunities for students.



The MoU was signed by Dr. Md. Mozaffar A. Chowdhury, Dean of the College of Business Administration (CBA), IUBAT, and Mr. Md. Akhtaruzzaman, Vice President of ICMAB, in the presence of distinguished faculty members and officials from both institutions.

Under this agreement, IUBAT students and graduates will benefit from course exemptions and admission scholarships for the CMA program. Additionally, IUBAT will offer credit waivers in its MBA program for ICMAB students and members.

A significant outcome of the agreement is the transfer of the ICMAB Uttara Study Center from Nawab Habibullah School and College to IUBAT, starting in January 2025.

During the ceremony, Dr. Mozaffar Alam Chowdhury expressed gratitude towards ICMAB, encouraging faculty members to strengthen the partnership through innovative initiatives. Mr. Md. Akhtaruzzaman FCMA, Vice President of ICMAB, highlighted the partnership's role in fostering excellence in the accounting profession.

## ACI Student Chapter-IUBAT Receives Prestigious Outstanding Award

The American Concrete Institute (ACI) has honored the ACI Student Chapter of IUBAT with the prestigious Outstanding Award in recognition of its remarkable contributions to the advancement of concrete technology and the promotion of concrete knowledge through academic, professional, and community engagement initiatives.



This award highlights the chapter's dedication to leadership, innovation, and excellence in concrete engineering. The recognition reflects the students' active participation in research, technical events, and outreach programs that have significantly contributed to the field.

The award plaque was received by IUBAT Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Abdur Rab, Professor Dr. Monirul Islam, Chief Patron of the ACI Student Chapter-IUBAT, Student Advisor Anisuzzaman Khan, along with executive members and mentors of the chapter.

## International Chefs Day 2024



Students from the College of Tourism and Hospitality Management (CTHM) at IUBAT participated in an exclusive event organized by Le Meridien Dhaka to celebrate International Chefs Day 2024 on October 22, 2024.

The event provided students with practical insights into the hospitality industry, including a hands-on session on the chocolate-making process, conducted by Executive Pastry Chef Shahid Shahin. The session concluded with inspiring speeches from

Mr. Constantinos S. Gavriel, General Manager of Le Meridien Dhaka, and Ms. Karin Jongman, Hotel Manager.

The students actively engaged with top management and HR representatives of Le Meridien, gaining valuable career counseling and exploring opportunities in the tourism and hospitality sectors. As a recognition of their participation, they received certificates from Le Meridien Dhaka.

## Seminar on Awareness Building Against Sexual Harassment



Chancellor, Professor Dr. Mohammad Mahmudur Rahman, and Treasurer, Professor Selina Nargis, were present as special guests. The seminar was presided over by Professor Abdur Rab, Vice-Chancellor of IUBAT.

Dr. Farzana Sultana, Associate Professor of the College of Agricultural Sciences and Chair of the Sexual Harassment Prevention Committee, delivered the welcome address. Dr. Ferdous Ahmed, Associate Professor

The International University of Business Agriculture and Technology (IUBAT) organized a seminar titled “Awareness Building Against Sexual Harassment” to promote a safe and respectful academic and professional environment. The event took place at the university’s conference room and brought together faculty, staff, and administrators.

Advocate Kamrun Nahar, a member of Naripokkho, attended as the chief guest, while IUBAT Pro Vice-

of the Department of Environmental Science and a committee member, gave the closing remarks.

The seminar was attended by department heads, directors, coordinators, and faculty members, reaffirming IUBAT’s commitment to fostering awareness and ensuring a safe and inclusive campus environment for all.



## Nobanno Utshob 1431



The College of Agricultural Sciences at IUBAT celebrated Nobanno Utshob 1431, a traditional Bengali harvest festival, on November 20, 2024, at the university premises.

The festival featured a variety of food stalls showcasing traditional Pitha items, creating a vibrant and festive atmosphere.

The event was graced by distinguished guests, including Prof. Dr. Md. Ruhul Amin from Bangladesh Agricultural University, Mr. Zahidul Islam, Managing Director of Bayer Crop Science Ltd., and Mr. Atatus Sopan Malik, Managing Director of A R

Malik Seeds Pvt Ltd., who attended as special guests. Professor Selina Nargis, Treasurer and Director of Administration at IUBAT, was the Guest of Honor, while Professor Dr. Abdur Rab, Vice-Chancellor of IUBAT, presided over the ceremony.

The celebration saw active participation from Prof. Dr. M. Shohidullah Miah, Dean, and Dr. Mohammad Rezaul Karim, Coordinator of the College of Agricultural Sciences, the Registrar and Controller of Examinations, along with faculty members, officers, and students.

## Freshmen Tour 2024



The International University of Business Agriculture and Technology (IUBAT) organized the Freshmen Tour 2024 on November 22, 2024, at Fantasy Kingdom, Ashulia, to welcome the newest batch of students.

The tour provided an exciting opportunity for freshmen to bond, engage in recreational activities, and celebrate the start of their academic journey at

IUBAT. The day was filled with laughter, adventure, and camaraderie, allowing students to create lasting memories as they embarked on this new chapter of their lives.

IUBAT continues to foster a vibrant and inclusive student experience, ensuring a smooth transition into university life through such engaging initiatives.



## DEML Faculty Members Represent Bangladesh at AsiaTEFL 2024



Two faculty members from the Department of English and Modern Languages (DEML) at IUBAT, Lulu-Al-Marzan and Nashin Sayara, successfully represented Bangladesh at the AsiaTEFL International Conference 2024, held from November 15 to 17 at Chiang Rai Rajabhat University, Thailand.

The prestigious conference brought together educators and researchers from across Asia to discuss advancements in English language teaching and research. Nashin Sayara, Lecturer, presented her study on “Implementation of Bionic Reading to Effectively Enhance Reading Skills of Tertiary Freshmen Students in

Bangladesh” on November 15, while Lulu-Al-Marzan, Assistant Professor and Coordinator, alongside her co-author, presented “Exploring Teachers’ Attitude towards ChatGPT as a Tool for Material Development: Tertiary Level EFL Field in Bangladesh” on November 16.

The event coincided with Thailand’s vibrant Loy Krathong festival, creating a festive ambiance on the Rajabhat campus. A delegation of thirteen Bangladeshi scholars actively participated, contributing to Bangladesh’s presence in the international academic community.



## IUBAT Student Shines at BUP LitFest 8.0 and Film Fest 2025

Tonima Zaman Zeba, a 9th-semester student from IUBAT’s Department of English and Modern Languages (DEML), showcased her exceptional talent by excelling in two prestigious events hosted by Bangladesh University of Professionals (BUP).

At BUP LitFest 8.0, held from December 26 to 29, 2024, Tonima secured first place in the Pop Quiz and became the runner-up in the Self-Composed Poetry segment. The event, organized by the BUP Literature and Drama Club, brought together students from over 30 universities nationwide, highlighting IUBAT’s strong cultural and literary presence.

Continuing her streak of excellence, Tonima also secured the runner-up position in the Cine Quiz at BUP



Film Fest 2025, held from February 1 to 2, 2025. The festival, celebrating the art of filmmaking, witnessed participation from 450 students representing 40 universities, with 18 individuals being recognized for their cinematic expertise.



## IFDC Vice President Dr. Upendra Singh Visits IUBAT



Dr. Upendra Singh, Vice President and Chief Scientist (Research) of the International Fertilizer Development Centre (IFDC), Alabama, USA, visited the International University of Business Agriculture and Technology (IUBAT) on October 20 to discuss research advancements and potential collaborations.

During his visit, Dr. Singh met with IUBAT's perennial rice research team to review their ongoing research efforts. He expressed keen interest in fostering collaborative initiatives in the field of sustainable agriculture.

Prof. Dr. Md. Shohidullah Miah, Dean of the



College of Agricultural Sciences (CAS), provided an overview of the department's activities, while Dr. Farjana Sultana, Principal Investigator of IUBAT's Perennial Rice Research Project, presented a detailed update on the progress of the study.

The meeting was attended by Dr. Md. Abdus Satter and Mainul Ahsan from IFDC's Dhaka office, alongside members of the perennial rice research team, including Prof. Dr. Khandakar Shariful Islam, Dr. Fahim Ahmed, and Dr. Abu Yusuf Hossin. The session was presided over by IUBAT Vice Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab.

## Dr. Jagadish Timsina Explores Perennial Rice Research Collaboration at IUBAT



Dr. Jagadish Timsina, Visiting Principal Scientist at the International Fertilizer Development Centre (IFDC), Alabama, USA, visited the International University of Business Agriculture and Technology (IUBAT) on November 24, to explore potential collaboration in perennial rice research and modeling in Bangladesh.

As part of his visit, Dr. Timsina, accompanied by Dr. Farjana Sultana, Principal Investigator of Perennial Rice Research at IUBAT, and other team members, toured the IUBAT Agricultural Research

Station (IARS) in Rajendrapur, Gazipur in the morning to assess ongoing research activities.

Dr. Timsina met with IUBAT Vice Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab, and Treasurer & Director of Administration, Prof. Selina Nargis, to discuss potential avenues for academic and research collaboration. Later, a meeting was held, where faculty members from the College of Agricultural Sciences (CAS) engaged in discussions with Dr. Timsina and university leadership on future research initiatives.



## IUBAT Faculty's Workshop on Article Writing at AIUB



H. M. Nazmul Alam, Lecturer at the Department of English and Modern Languages, IUBAT, conducted an engaging “Short Article Writing” workshop at the American International University-Bangladesh (AIUB) on October 30, 2024. Organized by the Department of Law, AIUB, the workshop took place in the Media Studio and attracted enthusiastic participants eager to enhance their writing skills.

During the session, H. M. Nazmul Alam shared valuable insights on effective writing techniques, helping participants develop concise and impactful articles. His expertise and interactive approach



encouraged creativity and critical thinking among attendees.

The event was met with great enthusiasm, with participants actively engaging in discussions and exercises. The Department of Law, AIUB, expressed gratitude to H. M. Nazmul Alam for his contributions and thanked all attendees for making the workshop a success.

This collaboration reflects IUBAT's commitment to academic exchange and skill development beyond its own campus, fostering a culture of learning and professional growth.

## Workshop on Mastering *Short Article Writing*

The Campus Radio and Debating Forum of IUBAT (DFI) successfully organized a workshop on December 4, titled “Mastering Short Article Writing: A Workshop for Aspiring Writers” at the IUBAT campus. The event provided students with valuable insights into article structure, writing techniques, and publication strategies through an engaging and interactive session.

The workshop featured H. M. Nazmul Alam, Lecturer, Department of English and Modern Languages, IUBAT, as the special guest and speaker. He shared his expertise on crafting compelling articles, captivating readers, and



navigating the publication process for newspapers and online platforms. Participants had the opportunity to apply their learning through hands-on writing exercises.

The event witnessed enthusiastic participation, reflecting the students' passion for writing and storytelling.



## National Innovation Competition 2024 – TechnoCrats V2



The IUBAT Innovation and Entrepreneurship Centre (IIEC) successfully organized the second edition of its national technological competition, TechnoCrats V2, on December 7, bringing together over 120 universities, polytechnics, and colleges across Bangladesh. Held at the IUBAT campus, the event served as a hub for innovation, creativity, and technical excellence, featuring eight diverse segments that challenged participants to push their limits.

The competition featured exciting segments, including the Drone Racing Challenge, Soccer Bot, Battle Bot Fight, Line Follow-Up, Project Showcasing, Business Case Study, Techathon, and Dhaka Divisional Hackathon. Participants showcased their skills in robotics, engineering, business strategy, and software development.

Chief Guest Md. Munim Hassan, Director General of the Department of Patent, Design, and Trademarks, emphasized the need to foster innovative ideas for a knowledge-driven society. Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab, Vice-

Chancellor of IUBAT, highlighted that “Innovation flourishes where creativity meets opportunity.” The event was further honored by Prof. Selina Nargis, Treasurer and Director of Administration, IUBAT, and other distinguished guests.

The competition awarded winners across categories, with Team Hypersonic from Shaikh Suhrawardy College winning the Drone Racing Challenge, Team 505 from the University of Dhaka securing the Business Case Study title, and Team XtraDrill from IUT winning the Dhaka Divisional Hackathon. A total prize pool of BDT 420,000 was distributed among top performers.

TechnoCrats V2 concluded with a grand prize-giving ceremony, celebrating the brilliance and innovation of young minds across Bangladesh, marking another milestone in IUBAT’s commitment to technological excellence and entrepreneurship.



## IUBAT Commemorates Victory Day 2024

IUBAT celebrated the 54th National Victory Day on December 16, honoring the bravery of freedom fighters and the sacrifices of millions who fought for Bangladesh’s sovereignty.

The celebration began with the hoisting of the National Flag at 7:00 AM, followed by a special Munajat seeking peace and prosperity for the nation. On December 17, a discussion meeting was held, attended by Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab, Pro-Vice-Chancellor Prof. Mahmudur Rahman, Registrar Dr. Momtazur Rahman, along with faculty members, students, and staff.

Speaking at the event, Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab highlighted the significance of Victory Day, emphasizing



the need to uphold the values of independence. Faculty members and students reflected on Bangladesh’s progress since 1971, stressing the role of youth in shaping a prosperous future.

## IUBAT Expands Transportation Facilities with Seven New Buses



IUBAT has inaugurated seven new buses to improve transportation services for its students. The official launch took place at the university's main gate on Thursday, December 12, where Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Abdur Rab and Treasurer Professor Selina Nargis jointly cut the ribbon to mark the occasion.

The ceremony was attended by Registrar Professor Dr. Md. Momtazur Rahman, Controller of Examinations Brigadier General Dr. Md. Zahid Hossain (Retd.), Dean of Engineering Professor Dr.

Md. Monirul Islam, Dean of the Faculty of Agriculture Professor Dr. Md. Shahidullah Mia, Chair of the Department of Computer Science and Engineering Professor Dr. Utpal Kanti Das, Director of Miyan Research Institute Dr. Sajal Saha, BBA Program Coordinator Dr. Hasanuzzaman Tushar, Mechanical Engineering Coordinator Dr. A. K. M. Parvez Iqbal, Deputy Director of Public Relations Md. Al Amin Sihab, and Deputy Registrar Rizna Nahar, along with students and staff members.

IUBAT has been providing free transportation services to students across Dhaka, Gazipur, Savar, and Narayanganj, with hourly shuttle services operating from the campus. With the addition of these seven new buses, the university is set to introduce new routes covering Dhaka, Narayanganj, and Narsingdi, further enhancing accessibility and ensuring safer, more convenient commutes for students.

## BD Clean and IUBAT Collaborate for Cleaning Drive in Uttara



BD Clean and IUBAT successfully conducted a weekly cleaning drive at Uttara Sector 10, bringing together 70 participants dedicated to promoting cleanliness. The event, held on Friday December 13, included first-semester students from IUBAT's Environmental Science and Sustainability course, students from Aga Khan Academy, and 40 members of BD Clean.

Abir Hossain, Zonal Coordinator of BD Clean Uttara Zone 1, highlighted the organization's motto, "Cleanliness begins with me," and urged citizens to use dustbins instead of littering. Dr. Md. Rehan

Dastagir, Associate Professor of Environmental Science at IUBAT, emphasized that cleanliness is essential for environmental conservation and sustainable development. He inaugurated the event by leading the BD Clean pledge.

Participants were divided into four groups, cleaning several roads in Uttara Sector 10 while raising awareness among shopkeepers and passersby. Students from Aga Khan Academy and their guardians actively joined the initiative. IUBAT students also expressed enthusiasm for future collaborations with BD Clean, reinforcing their commitment to a cleaner Bangladesh.



## CBA Career Summit 2024



The College of Business Administration (CBA) at IUBAT successfully organized the CBA Career Summit 2024, on December 28, aimed at guiding students on their academic and professional journeys. The event provided an opportunity for students to explore career paths, understand industry trends, and gain insights into personal branding.

Held at Room 227 from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, the summit revolved around the theme “Your Brand, Your Major: A Path to Success.” The program featured two key segments: Personal Branding and a Discussion on BBA Majors, where industry experts shared valuable perspectives on career development and specialization choices.

The summit brought together a distinguished panel

of speakers, including Faysal Alam, Head of Demand & Supply Planning at Nestlé; Laila Naznin, Head of HR/Admin at Star Cineplex; M Aminur Rahman, CEO of Checkmate Events; Fahim Hasan Nihan, Assistant Manager, Event & Activation at Akij Bakers Ltd.; and Benjir Abrar, Founder & CEO of Excellence Bangladesh. Each speaker provided valuable insights into their respective fields, offering students guidance on how to build a successful career.

The event was graced by the presence of Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab, Pro-Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Mahmudur Rahman, and Treasurer Prof. Selina Nargis. In their speeches, they emphasized the importance of industry engagement, skill development, and networking for professional success.

## Prize-Giving Ceremony of Intra IUBAT Public Speaking Competition 2024

The grand finale and prize-giving ceremony of the Intra IUBAT Public Speaking Competition 2024 took place with great enthusiasm, marking a key highlight of IUBAT’s 33rd Foundation Day celebrations. The event, organized by the Debating Forum of IUBAT (DFI), brought together talented speakers from various departments, who showcased their eloquence, confidence, and communication skills.

After multiple competitive rounds, finalists took the stage to deliver inspiring speeches, reflecting the university’s core values of leadership and excellence. The competition provided a platform for students to



hone their public speaking abilities while fostering intellectual and creative expression.

The event was graced by esteemed judges, mentors, and organizers, whose dedication contributed to the competition’s success. The DFI played a pivotal role in ensuring a well-organized and engaging contest.

## College of Nursing Hosts Intradepartmental Sports Prize Giving Ceremony and Cultural Gala



The College of Nursing at IUBAT successfully hosted its Intradepartmental Sports Prize Giving Ceremony and Cultural Gala on January 5, 2025, at the IUBAT Open Auditorium. The event celebrated the outstanding achievements of students in sports and showcased their cultural talents.

The ceremony was presided over by Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Abdur Rab, who honored students for their dedication, teamwork, and excellence in various sports competitions. The prize distribution recognized top performers and encouraged students to continue their active participation in athletics and extracurricular activities.

Following the prize-giving segment, the event transitioned into a Cultural Gala, featuring captivating performances, exhibitions, and interactive activities. The gala highlighted the artistic expressions and cultural diversity within the department, making it an exciting and memorable occasion.

## Prize Giving Ceremony for DEML Sports Carnival 2024



The Department of English and Modern Languages (DEML) at IUBAT successfully organized the Prize Giving Ceremony of the DEML Sports Carnival 2024 on Saturday, January 4, 2025, from 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM at the IUBAT Auditorium. The event celebrated the dedication, talent, and sportsmanship of students who participated in the sports carnival.

The ceremony was graced by the presence of Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Abdur Rab and Professor Selina Nargis, Treasurer and Director of Administration, who honored the winners and acknowledged the efforts of all participants and

organizers. The event marked the culmination of an exciting series of competitions that fostered teamwork and athletic excellence among students.

Following the formal prize distribution, a cultural performance added vibrancy to the occasion, reflecting the spirit of unity and celebration within the IUBAT community. The DEML Sports Carnival 2024 not only recognized outstanding achievements but also reinforced the values of collaboration, perseverance, and enthusiasm among students.



## Prize Giving Ceremony for ICEFT 2024 and Cultural Gala



The Department of Civil Engineering at IUBAT successfully organized the Prize Giving Ceremony for ICEFT 2024, followed by a Cultural Gala, on Wednesday, January 1, 2025, at 2:30 PM.

The event celebrated the achievements of participants in the ICEFT 2024 competition, recognizing their excellence in innovation and

engineering. Distinguished guests, faculty members, and students gathered to honor the winners and appreciate their dedication and hard work.

Following the prize distribution, a cultural gala brought energy and excitement to the event, featuring vibrant performances that showcased the artistic talents of IUBAT students.

## College of Agricultural Sciences Hosts Sports Tournament 2024 Prize-Giving Ceremony

The College of Agricultural Sciences (CAS) at IUBAT organized the Prize-Giving Ceremony of the Sports Tournament 2024 on Wednesday, October 30, at 3:00 PM at the IUBAT Playground.

The event was graced by Professor Dr. Abdur Rab, Vice Chancellor of IUBAT, who presided over the ceremony. Professor Selina Nargis, Treasurer and Director of Administration,



attended as a special guest, adding prestige to the occasion.

## Seminar on *Bangladesh-China Economic Relations*



The Department of Economics at IUBAT organized a seminar on “Bangladesh-China Economic Relations: Present and Future” on Wednesday, March 6, 2024, at 11:00 AM in the university’s Conference Room.

The seminar focused on the growing economic ties between Bangladesh and China, spanning various sectors such as trade, investment, infrastructure, energy, technology, and education. Distinguished speakers assessed the current state of bilateral relations and explored potential areas for future collaboration. The keynote speech was delivered by Mr. Mahbub Uz Zaman, Former Ambassador of Bangladesh to China and Retired Secretary, Government of Bangladesh. Mr. Munshi Faiz Ahmad, Former Ambassador to China and Former Chairman of BISS, addressed the audience as the special guest. The event was further honored by the presence of H.E. Mr. Yan Hualong,

Deputy Chief of Mission at the Chinese Embassy in Bangladesh.

Other esteemed speakers included Prof. Dr. Imtiaz Ahmed, Professor of International Relations and Director of the Centre for Genocide Studies at the University of Dhaka, Brig. Gen. Shah Md. Sultan Uddin Iqbal (Retd.), Senior Vice President of the Bangladesh-China Chamber of Commerce & Industry, and Lt. Col. Md Shahadat Hossain (Retd.), founder of We Speak Chinese Club Bangladesh Limited.

The seminar provided valuable insights into the economic cooperation between Bangladesh and China, fostering discussions on future opportunities. Participants engaged in thought-provoking discussions, highlighting the significance of strengthening bilateral relations for mutual growth and prosperity.

## Seminar on *Higher Education Opportunities in the USA*



The Department of Mechanical Engineering at IUBAT successfully organized a seminar on higher education opportunities in the USA. The event featured Professor Dr. Quamrul Mazumder from the University of Michigan-Flint, USA, as the keynote speaker.

The seminar provided students with valuable insights into academic pathways, scholarship

opportunities, and admission procedures for pursuing higher education in the United States. Dr. Mazumder shared crucial information on the application process, research prospects, and career opportunities for international students in American universities.

The event served as a significant platform for aspiring students to explore global educational prospects and gain expert guidance on advancing their academic careers.



## IGNITRON 25.1 to Showcase Technological Innovation



IUBAT successfully hosted IGNITRON 25.1 on January 7, 2025, an event celebrating student innovation and technological excellence. Organized by the Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering (EEE) in collaboration with the IUBAT Robotics Club, the event provided a platform for students to exhibit their technical skills and problem-solving abilities.

A total of 61 teams participated, presenting innovative projects in fields such as renewable energy,

IoT-based solutions, robotics, smart home automation, and advanced circuit design. These projects highlighted IUBAT's commitment to practical, industry-oriented education. One of the key attractions was the Line Follower Robot Contest, which saw eight teams compete after an intensive three-month robotics and automation workshop.

The event was graced by Professor Dr. Abdur Rab, Vice Chancellor of IUBAT, as the Chief Guest, reaffirming the university's dedication to fostering creativity and research. Dr. Raton Kumar Nondy, Chairman of DEEE, and Coordinator Mr. S. M. Rezaul Karim also attended, offering encouragement to participants. The event was supervised by Lecturer Md. Kamruzzaman and managed by DEEE lab officers Md. Rakibul Islam and Toufique Ahmed, ensuring a successful and inspiring experience for all involved.

## Mechanical Engineering Alumni Reunion

The Mechanical Engineering Alumni Association of the International University of Business Agriculture and Technology (IUBAT) held a grand reunion on campus on January 10, 2025, bringing together former students under the theme "We Are IUBATians." The event was inaugurated by Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Abdur Rab and featured discussions, cultural performances, and networking opportunities.

Alumni shared success stories, celebrated their professional milestones, and participated in an exhibition showcasing their achievements. The afternoon session included a special discussion chaired by Pro-Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Mahmudur Rahman, with Professor Dr. Mohammad Zainal Abedin, Vice-Chancellor of Dhaka University of Engineering & Technology (DUET), as the Chief Guest. Other distinguished guests included Treasurer Professor Selina Nargis, Dean of the Faculty of Engineering Professor Dr. Md. Monirul Islam, and



Director of Placement & Alumni Office AKM Sharfuddin.

A major highlight of the event was the announcement of a new 75-member executive committee for 2025-2026, led by Engineer Farhad Mahmud as President and Engineer Md. Zowarder Fahad Bin Shahid (Pallab) as General Secretary. Arif Md. Shahed Iqbal will serve as Chief Advisor, supported by Dr. AKM Parvez Iqbal and others.

The reunion concluded with a vibrant cultural performance, with Dr. AKM Parvez Iqbal, Coordinator of Mechanical Engineering, thanking participants for making the event a resounding success.

## IMFL 2024 Prize-Giving Ceremony and Cultural Gala



The Department of Mechanical Engineering at the International University of Business Agriculture and Technology (IUBAT) organized the Prize-Giving Ceremony of IMFL 2024, followed by a Cultural Gala on December 24, 2024.

The event celebrated the achievements of students who participated in the IMFL 2024 competition, recognizing their dedication and excellence. Distinguished guests, faculty members, and students

gathered to honor the winners and enjoy a vibrant cultural showcase.

The Cultural Gala featured energetic performances, exhibitions, and artistic displays, reflecting the creativity and talent within the department. The event aimed to foster a spirit of camaraderie among students while celebrating both academic and extracurricular excellence.

## DEEE Indoor Games and IEFL 2024



The Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering (DEEE) at IUBAT successfully hosted the Indoor Games and IUBAT Electrical Football League (IEFL) 2024, held from November 26 to December 5, 2024. Sponsored by AUS-BAN Global Education Pty and PRAN Confectionery Ltd, the event fostered sportsmanship and unity among students, faculty, and staff.

The inauguration ceremony on November 26 was

graced by Professor Dr. Abdur Rab, Vice-Chancellor of IUBAT, who officially opened the event. Other distinguished guests included Professor Dr. Mohammad Mahmudur Rahman, Pro-Vice-Chancellor; Professor Dr. Md. Momtazur Rahman, Registrar; and Brig Gen Dr. Md. Zahid Hossain (Retd), Controller of Examinations.

The tournament's highlight was the IEFL 2024 final match, held on December 5, where Electro Elite claimed the championship, defeating Team Tesla, who finished as runners-up. The prize distribution ceremony followed the match at the IUBAT Playground.

Adding to the excitement, a special friendly match between faculty and staff teams, Team Open Circuit and Team Short Circuit, provided a fun and engaging moment for attendees.



## IUBAT EEE Students Explore Industrial Training Opportunities at BRAC ISD

Students from the Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering (EEE) at the International University of Business Agriculture and Technology (IUBAT) recently visited the BRAC Institute of Skill Development (BRAC ISD) in Ashkona, Dhaka. The visit provided an opportunity to explore various industrial training programs aimed at enhancing practical skills for future professionals.

BRAC ISD offers specialized training courses for EEE students, including programs in Programmable Logic Controllers (PLC), Electrical Installation and Maintenance (EIM), and wiring estimation. The institute also provides skill development programs for students from other disciplines, including engineering, nursing, and tourism.



The visit was a valuable experience for the students, offering insights into industry-oriented training. Representatives from IUBAT expressed their gratitude for the invitation, emphasizing the significance of such collaborations in equipping students with practical knowledge and hands-on expertise.

## Discussion on *Tourism and Peace*



The College of Tourism and Hospitality Management (CTHM) at IUBAT celebrated World Tourism Day 2024 with an academic discussion on the theme “Tourism and Peace.” The event brought together industry leaders, academicians, and alumni to discuss the impact of tourism on global harmony and sustainability.

Mr. Constantinos S. Gavriel, General Manager of Le Meridien Dhaka, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest, while Special Guests included Mr. Syed Mehran Hussain, Director of Marketing at

Hotel Sarina Dhaka, and Mohammad Asadul Haque, Special Inspector (Cabin Safety) at the Civil Aviation Authority of Bangladesh. The session was presided over by IUBAT Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab, with Pro-Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Mohammad Mahmudur Rahman also in attendance.

Distinguished alumni from leading hospitality organizations, including The Palace Luxury Resort, Intercontinental Dhaka, and Le Meridien Dhaka, shared their insights and experiences. The discussion emphasized sustainable tourism, climate innovation, and public-private sector collaboration.

The program concluded with recommendations for improving tourism education and fostering safe and responsible travel. Mst Sumyia Akter, Lecturer at CTHM, delivered the Vote of Thanks, marking the successful completion of the event.

## Seminar on *BAC Accreditation and Student Involvement*



The Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering (EEE) at IUBAT organized a seminar titled “The Students’ Role in BAC Accreditation” on October 29, aiming to educate students on their crucial role in the accreditation process. Held in Conference Room #324, the session provided insights into how student participation enhances educational quality.

Dr. A.K.M. Alamgir, Associate Professor and Additional Director of the Institutional Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), was the keynote speaker. He

emphasized the significance of BAC accreditation and how student feedback plays a pivotal role in improving teaching and learning outcomes. Encouraging active involvement, he highlighted how students contribute to the Self-Assessment Report (SAR) for accreditation through surveys and feedback.

The seminar was well-received, with students gaining a clearer understanding of their role in maintaining academic excellence. The event reaffirmed the EEE Department’s commitment to quality assurance and continuous improvement in higher education.

## ***IQAC Organizes Seminars on Self-Assessment Report Preparation for PSAC Members***



The Institutional Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of IUBAT successfully conducted two consecutive seminars on November 25 and 26, 2024, focusing on the preparation of the Self-Assessment Report (SAR) for Program Self-Assessment Committee (PSAC) members from various departments.

The first seminar, titled “Analysis and Interpretation of Survey Data in the SAR,” featured Prof. Dr. Golem Rasul, Chair of the Department of Economics, as the keynote speaker. He discussed effective methods and tools for analyzing survey data collected from five key stakeholders. The second seminar, “Strategic Planning of the Program Offering Entity for SAR,” was led by Prof. Dr. Abdur Rab, Vice-Chancellor of

IUBAT, and emphasized the long-term vision and strategic planning for departmental programs.

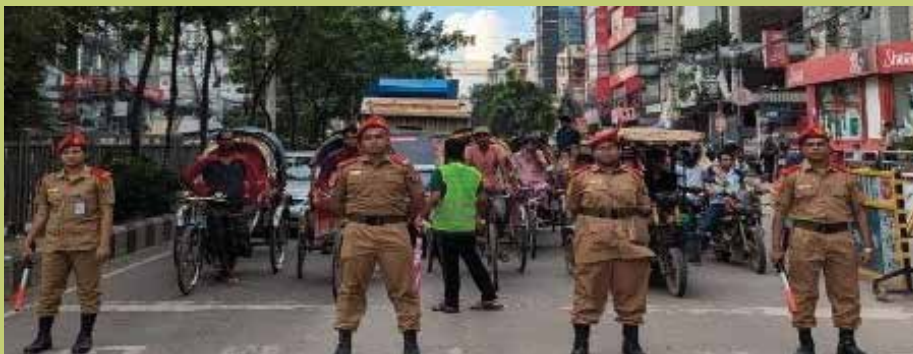
Prof. Dr. Khandoker Saif Uddin, Director of IQAC, welcomed participants on the first day, while Prof. Dr. Rajib Lochan Das, Additional Director of IQAC, moderated both sessions. The seminars concluded with interactive Q&A sessions, leaving attendees better equipped to prepare SARs effectively.

All IQAC officials were present, reinforcing the university’s commitment to academic excellence and continuous improvement through quality assurance initiatives.





## IUBAT BNCC Cadets Aid Traffic Flow



The IUBAT BNCC Platoon, under the guidance of the Ramna Regiment, has taken proactive steps to address traffic congestion in Uttara, demonstrating its commitment to community service. Recently, cadets were deployed to key locations, including ZamZam Tower, Abdullahpur, and BNS areas, to assist in managing severe traffic disruptions.

Over several days, 18 to 25 cadets worked alongside general students, effectively easing congestion in these high-traffic zones. Their efforts received widespread appreciation from local residents, who supported them by providing food and water as a token of gratitude.

This initiative highlights the discipline, teamwork, and civic responsibility of BNCC cadets, reinforcing IUBAT's reputation as an institution that fosters socially responsible individuals. IUBAT's logistical support and strong community cooperation played a crucial role in the success of the operation, leaving a positive and lasting impact on the area.

## IUBAT BNCC Platoon Supervises Flood Relief Efforts in Noakhali

The IUBAT BNCC Platoon, in collaboration with Khulna University and the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society, has stepped up to assist flood-affected families in Companigonj, Noakhali. Demonstrating their commitment to humanitarian service, the team successfully organized and transported food supplies for 300 families, ensuring safe and efficient distribution.

Working alongside the Border Guard Bangladesh (BGB) in Maijdee, skilled BNCC members actively participated in rescue and relief operations, helping distribute essential supplies to those in need. Their



strategic planning and disciplined approach ensured resources were allocated effectively, minimizing mismanagement and maximizing impact.

## IUBAT BNCC Platoon Leads Dengue Awareness Campaign in Uttara



The IUBAT BNCC Platoon has taken a proactive stance in combating the spread of dengue by organizing a Dengue Awareness Program on

September 26, 2024, at IUBAT and its surrounding areas. A team of 30 dedicated cadets led the initiative, focusing on raising awareness and implementing preventive measures.

As part of the campaign, the cadets distributed informational leaflets, sprayed anti-mosquito medicine, and inspected small water bodies for Aedes mosquito larvae. Their efforts extended beyond the campus, collaborating with city corporation personnel to conduct mosquito control activities in Uttara. The campaign is set to continue for seven consecutive days to maximize its impact.

## IUBAT EEE Alumni Association 2025-26 Committee Inaugurated



The IUBAT EEE Alumni Association 2025-26 committee was officially inaugurated in a vibrant ceremony held at IUBAT's Conference Hall on November 23, 2024. The event brought together current and former students, celebrating a strong sense of community and professional networking.

Professor Dr. Abdur Rab, Vice Chancellor of IUBAT, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest, commending the Alumni Association's contributions and outlining its potential to support student and departmental growth. Treasurer Professor Selina Nargis, the CEAT Dean, the Registrar, along with

faculty members and students, also attended the event.

The ceremony saw the official handover of leadership, with Engineer Nafis Rahman appointed as the new president. Senior alumni, including Engineer Md. Hanif, Engineer Nuruzzaman Faruqui, and Engineer Zeead Tanzim, witnessed the transition.

The IUBAT EEE Alumni Association aims to strengthen professional development and foster alumni engagement in social initiatives. The event concluded with a cultural performance, marking a memorable day for all attendees.

### New Faculty

#### ● College of Agricultural Sciences (CAS)

Dr. Md. Ashraful Hoque, Assistant Professor

#### ● College of Business Administration (CBA)

Dr. Md. Nur -E-Alam Siddique, Assistant Professor

Dr. Kazi Mahmudul Islam, Senior Lecturer

#### ● Department of Computer Science and Engineering

Dr. Sujan Chandra Roy, Assistant Professor

Mr. Masud Rana, Lecturer

Ms. Anamika Rani Nath, Lecturer

Mr. Rafiqul Islam Munna, Lecturer

Mr. Kazi Johir Raihan Suny, Lecturer

Mr. Md. Min Khayer, Lecturer

Mr. Sheekar Banerjee, Lecturer

#### ● Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering:

Dr. MD Shouquat Hossain, Associate Professor

#### ● Department of Mechanical Engineering:

Mr. Shamim Rayhan, Senior Lecturer

#### ● Department of Chemistry:

Mr. Rabiul Islam, Lecturer

Dr. Md. Abu Hanif, Assistant Professor

#### ● Department of English and Modern Languages

Ms. Hasiba Mahmud, Lecturer

#### ● Department of Mathematics:

Ms. Sadia Sultana Rukaiya, Lecturer

Mr. Md. Moniruzzaman Bhuyan, Lecturer

Mr. Sajeeb Hossain, Lecturer

Professor Dr. Mohammed Ashraful Islam, Professor

Mr. Abdullah Al Mamun, Lecturer

#### ● Department of Civil Engineering

Mr. Foysal Ahmed, Senior Lecturer

Mr. Farhan Fahad Tonmoy, Lecturer

#### ● College of Health Science and Medical Education:

Dr. Lucky Ghose, Assistant Professor

Department of Public Health

#### ● Department of Statistics:

Ms. Tahira Mahbu, Lecturer

Mr. Rafayet Rahman Ridoy, Lecturer



## IUBAT's Ranking Achievements



**QS World University Rankings 2024**, International University of Business Agriculture and Technology (IUBAT) has achieved an outstanding position of #1400+ in the prestigious QS World University Rankings 2024 and 701-750 QS Asia Ranking 2024.

This year, 1503 institutions are ranked worldwide from 105 countries, including 15 public and private institutions in Bangladesh are ranked by QS World Ranking 2024.

IUBAT secured 13<sup>th</sup> position among enlisted 15 Bangladeshi Public and Private Universities.

IUBAT obtained 4<sup>th</sup> position among Bangladeshi private universities.

**In the Times Higher Education Impact Rankings 2024**, IUBAT has achieved a commendable global ranking of #601-800 and secured the 4<sup>th</sup> position in Bangladesh, marking a significant advancement. This year, the **THE Impact Ranking 2024** evaluated **2152 institutions worldwide from 125 countries**, with **1963 universities** included in the rankings, including **19 public and private universities** in Bangladesh.

**In the World's Universities with Real Impact (WURI) Rankings 2024** IUBAT has achieved a significant milestone, securing the **109<sup>th</sup> position in the Global Top 300 Innovative Universities**. IUBAT ranked 18<sup>th</sup> among the top 100 universities globally under **Infrastructure/Technology (B3)**.

IUBAT also secured the 27<sup>th</sup> position out of the top 100 universities in **Industrial Application (A3)**.

In **Social Responsibility (A6)** IUBAT achieved the 39<sup>th</sup> position among the top 100 universities.

**In the SCImago Institutions Rankings 2022**, IUBAT ranked **735<sup>th</sup>** among 8,084 institutions worldwide in innovation, highlighting its research and development efforts. Additionally, IUBAT ranked third among the 13 ranked Bangladeshi private universities and 339<sup>th</sup> in the Asiatic region, which reflects its position as a prominent institution of higher education in the region.

**In the UI Green Metric Index**, IUBAT ranked 275<sup>th</sup> among 1183 universities from 85 countries worldwide, reflecting its commitment to sustainable practices and environmental conservation. The Green Metric Index evaluates universities based on their environmental and sustainability policies, infrastructure, and education programs.

Additionally, in **AppliedHE Private University Ranking 2023** (Product of QS-Asia), IUBAT has secured the 6<sup>th</sup> position in the ASEAN and Asia Pacific Region under 6 sub-categories, including teaching and learning quality, research, and community engagement. The university also ranked 1st among private universities in the region in the community engagement category. In the teaching and learning quality, IUBAT ranked 6<sup>th</sup> in the region.

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## IUBAT FOUNDER PROF DR M ALIMULLAH MIYAN



Prof Dr M Alimullah Miyan, the visionary and pioneer of non-government universities in Bangladesh was the Director of IBA, Dhaka University. He established IUBAT in 1991 as the first non-government university in the country. He was born on 15 February 1942 and breathed his last on 10th May 2017.

Born in Chandina, Comilla, Bangladesh, Dr M Alimullah Miyan (1942-2017) is the Founder and was Vice-Chancellor of IUBAT—International University of Business Agriculture and Technology in Dhaka. After completing his Honours and Masters degrees at Dhaka University, he received his MBA at Indiana University, USA and his Doctorate at Manchester Business School, UK. Dr Miyan's distinguished and varied academic career has included the positions of Director and Professor at Dhaka University's Institute of Business Administration, and Founder Chairman of the Centre for Population Management and Research (CPMR), also at Dhaka University. Dr Miyan served as President of IUBAT

upon its founding in 1991 before moving into his role of Vice-Chancellor in 1994. Dr Miyan is the author of 46 academic articles and is author/co-author of 15 books on a wide range of topics related to the promotion of business, education, development and disaster management in Bangladesh. Dr Miyan was also involved in numerous research and consultancy projects, and he has participated in many conferences, seminars and workshops around the world. Dr Miyan was a member of the Executive Committee of the International Society for Labor and Social Security Law in Geneva, Switzerland. He has studied in the United States, Great Britain, worked in Nigeria for a semester and has visited 40 countries as part of his academic activities and in pursuit of excellence for his beloved country.

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