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Primeasia University was founded on August 26, 2003 with an agenda of performing social responsibility to provide higher education to all. Since higher education is the most effective tool to meet today's diversified social challenges including population explosion, illiteracy, poverty, food insecurity, and depleting naturally endowed resources while, side-by-side, entrepreneurship, leadership, and good governance in the society. It is a key to intellectual growth that allows one to develop new models and standards and to be guided by strong moral reasoning, ethics, dignity, and enthusiasm.

Primeasia University's role in channelizing the human resources in education and services has become exemplary; since its inception in 2003, the University's growth has been phenomenal due to such continuous efforts of improving the teaching-learning environment by taking various measures.



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a mission with a vision
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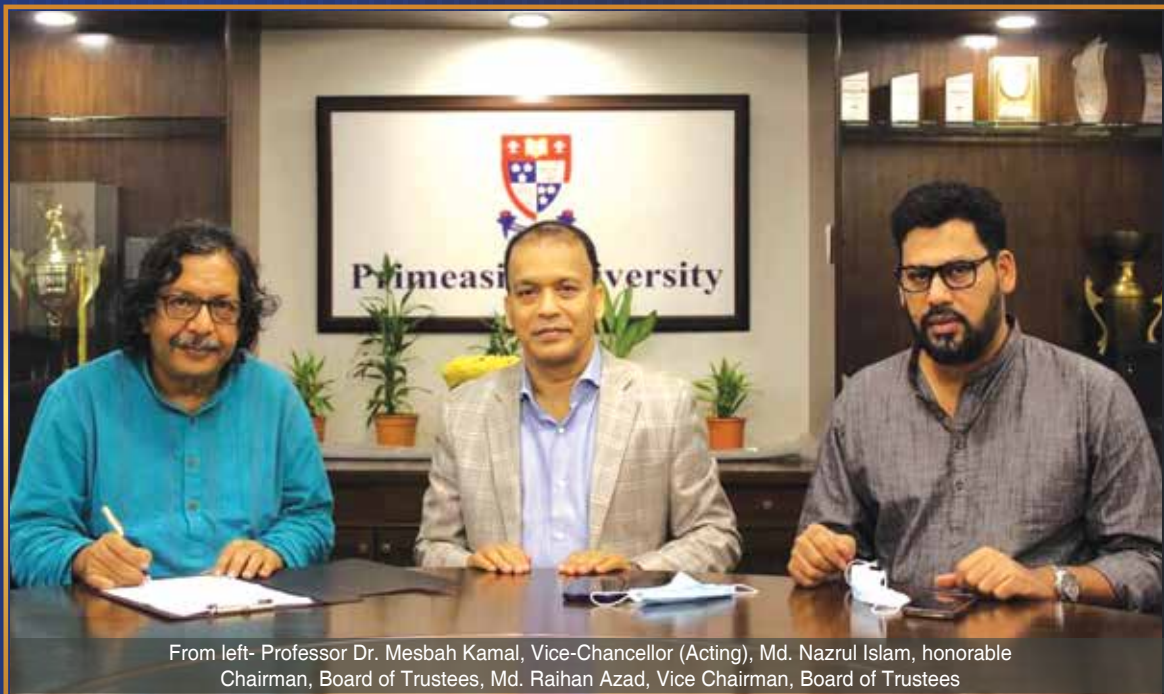
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From left- Professor Dr. Mesbah Kamal, Vice-Chancellor (Acting), Md. Nazrul Islam, honorable Chairman, Board of Trustees, Md. Raihan Azad, Vice Chairman, Board of Trustees

Professor Dr. Mesbah Kamal has joined as Vice-Chancellor (Acting)

Eminent historian, educationist, and media personality Prof. Dr. Mesbah Kamal has joined on the afternoon of May 31, 2021, as the Vice-Chancellor (Acting) of Primeasia University.

Prior to joining Primeasia University, he was a Professor in the Department of History at the University of Dhaka. He is also the President of the Peoples' History Research Institute and the Chairperson of Research and Development Collective (RDC). He has served Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi as a Visiting Professor and also served BBC World Service in his early life.

Prof. Dr. Mesbah Kamal has more than 40 years of experience in the fields of teaching, administration, government, and different industries both in Bangladesh and abroad. He has 29 books and more than a hundred articles and book chapters published in the National and International research journals and books.

In 2016, he was awarded Acharya Dinesh Chandra Sen Gold Medal for Research in People's History, India. He also serves as a Member of the Editorial Board for the Journal of Kolkata Society for Asian Studies and Dalit Voice published from New Delhi.

As a technical expert on policy and ethnicity issues, Dr. Mesbah Kamal has vast experience and has greatly contributed to the socio-economic development of the disadvantaged section of the society and the promotion of their fundamental rights through research, policy advocacy, and a large number of publications. He has designed and led a large number of significant research works on a wide range of issues such as governance and accountability mechanisms, access to services, livelihoods, land rights, education rights, human rights, cultural rights, etc. He has also advocated at the policy level for the prevention of all forms of discrimination and human rights

violation against women, children, Indigenous peoples, Dalits, agriculture labours, and other underprivileged communities as a key speaker in important policy dialogues, seminars, conferences, and TV talk shows both at national and international levels. He is also a Technocrat Member and the Coordinator of the Parliamentary Caucus on Indigenous Peoples and Minorities. He is a pioneer on indigenous and Dalit issues and has advocated for the constitutional rights of the indigenous peoples and Dalits in Bangladesh. Prof. Dr. Mesbah Kamal is the Life Member of Bangla Academy,

Bangladesh Asiatic Society, Paschimbanga Itihas Sangsad, India, Association for Historical Studies, India and North-East India History Association.

Professor Dr. Mesbah Kamal has been contributing to the field of Academia, History, Governance, Politics, Human Rights, Labour Rights, Micro Finance, Rural Development, and Environment throughout his colourful career. Prof. Mesbah Kamal has been a pioneer at promoting and projecting diversity and equal citizenship.



From left- Md. Nurul Islam Mollah, Member, Board of Trustees, Professor Dr. Mesbah Kamal, Vice-Chancellor (Acting), Md. Nazrul Islam, honorable Chairman, Board of Trustees, Md. Raihan Azad, Vice Chairman, Board of Trustees, Professor Dr. Iffat Jahan, Treasurer (Acting), Major AKM Anisud Dowla (Retd), Deputy Registrar and Head of HR

The Board of Trustees of Primeasia University appointed Dr. Mesbah Uddin Ahmed (Mesbah Kamal) as the Chief Advisor and Vice-Chancellor (Acting), and received him through a colorful program on May 31, 2021. Mr. Md. Nazrul Islam, honorable Chairman, Mr. Md. Raihan Azad, Vice Chairman and Mr. Md. Nurul Islam Mollah, Member of the Board of Trustees; Professor Dr. Iffat Jahan, Treasurer (Acting), and Major AKM Anisud Dowla (Retd), Deputy Registrar & Head of HR were present in this occasion.

Save the Planet



‘The building is being built unplanned, it is ruining the environment, but no one is caring.’

Renowned Motivation Speaker Solaiman Sukhon made the remarks at a function organized by the Faculty of School of Science, University of Primeasia, on the occasion of World Environment Day on Sunday June 6 following the hygiene rules. He said, "The situation we are in now is the result of 10,000 years. We think the world is just for the humankind. Eight billion tons of plastic have been used in the world since then, where as there is other option but we do not follow that. I want the younger generation to do something that will not harm the environment, and not harm future generations.’

Mr. Nazrul Islam, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the University as the chief guest,

expressed his determination to take the University forward in a short time under the leadership of the Vice-Chancellor.

The Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Mesbah Kamal said, ‘If the environment is good, we will be good, so it is the responsibility of all of us to protect it. We will definitely try to make Primeasia University environmentally friendly.’ He also announced to prepare it as one of the best universities in the country.

The vice-chairman of the Board of Trustees of the University Md. Raihan Azad said, “Each of us has to fix our environment first. If anyone from Primeasia University makes an exceptional contribution to environmental protection, they will be rewarded at the next Environment Day event. ”





Special online discussion program on the occasion of World Environment Day.

Time: 5th June 2021, 6:30 pm

Chief Guest:
Professor Dr. Mesbah Kamal, Vice Chancellor (Acting), Primeasia University

Special guest:
Architect Iqbal Habib, Managing Director, VittiSthapati Brindo Ltd.
Organized by: Department of Architecture - Primeasia University

World Environment Day is the United Nations day for encouraging worldwide awareness and action to protect our environment. The theme of this year's World Environment Day is Ecosystem Restoration. World Environment Day 2021 will see the launch of the UN Decade on Ecosystem Restoration. Every World Environment Day is hosted by a different country, in which official celebrations take place, and this year's host is Pakistan. The Government of Pakistan plans to expand and restore the country's forests through a '10 Billion Tree Tsunami' spread over five years.

Special Guest, Architect Iqbal Habib started the session with demonstration of his works and how he has been considering the issues of social and climatic contexts in his works. He then shared his thoughts on work ethics and our responsibility as Architects as nation builders.

Our Chief Guest, Professor Dr. Mesbah Kamal, honoured us with his presence and shared his conservation and heritage related work agendas and experiences.

It was a wonderful way of meeting and greeting virtually with Professor Dr. Mesbah Kamal for our students as well as for the faculty members

Poster Design Competition

In response to the celebration of World Environment Day on June 5th, 2021, the students of Department of Architecture were engaged in Poster Design Competition titled "Architecture and Environment". Students were given the freedom to use any mode of creative media to compose the poster designs, let it be software or using hand. Alumni and current students were equally encouraged to participate. Anonymously 29 poster submissions were made, among these best 3 were selected by the Faculty body and the winners were announced later on virtually.



1st Md. Anas Mullick (ID: 163005052)

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2nd Anika Anzum (ID: 172001052)



3rd Samiha Tabassum (ID: 203007052)

Historic Six Point Day Observed

The six point movement was spearheaded by Sheikh Mujibur Rahman for the greater autonomy of East Bengal. The movement's main agenda was to realize the six demands put forward by Bangladesh Awami League in 1966 to end the exploitation of East Bengal by the Pakistani rulers. It is considered a milestone on the road to Bangladesh's independence.

On June 8, Prime Asia University celebrated the historic six-point day of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman. The keynote speaker and the chief guest of the program was Prof. Dr. Syed Anwar Hossain. Syed Anwar Hossain is a Bangladeshi academic and historian. He is a former Director General of Bangla Academy. He is the President of Bangladesh Itihas Samity. He is the Bangabandhu Chair at the Bangladesh University of Professionals. Professor Dr. Mesbah Kamal, Vice-Chancellor (Acting), presided over the 6 points day program of Primeasia University.

Also present on the occasion were special guest Mr. Nazrul Islam, Chairman, Board of Trustees,



Prime Asia University. Ms. Iffat Jahan, Treasurer (Acting), Mr. Raihan Azad, Vice-Chairman, Board of Trustees, Mr. Nurul Islam Mollah, Member, Board of Trustees.

In his speech, Syed Anwar Hossain spoke about the background of the historic six-point day. He said the path to independence has been paved through the six-point movement. He recalled Bangabandhu's contribution with gratitude. He added that the younger generation does not know much about this day. Primeasia has set a precedent by celebrating this day.





Professor Dr. Mesbah Kamal spoke about the significance of the six points. He shed light on the politics of that time and the struggle of Bangabandhu.

Mr. Raihan Azad, Vice-Chairman, Board of Trustees said such an event is a remarkable event for PrimeAsia University. He said it was a world-class event.





35th Board of Trustees Meeting

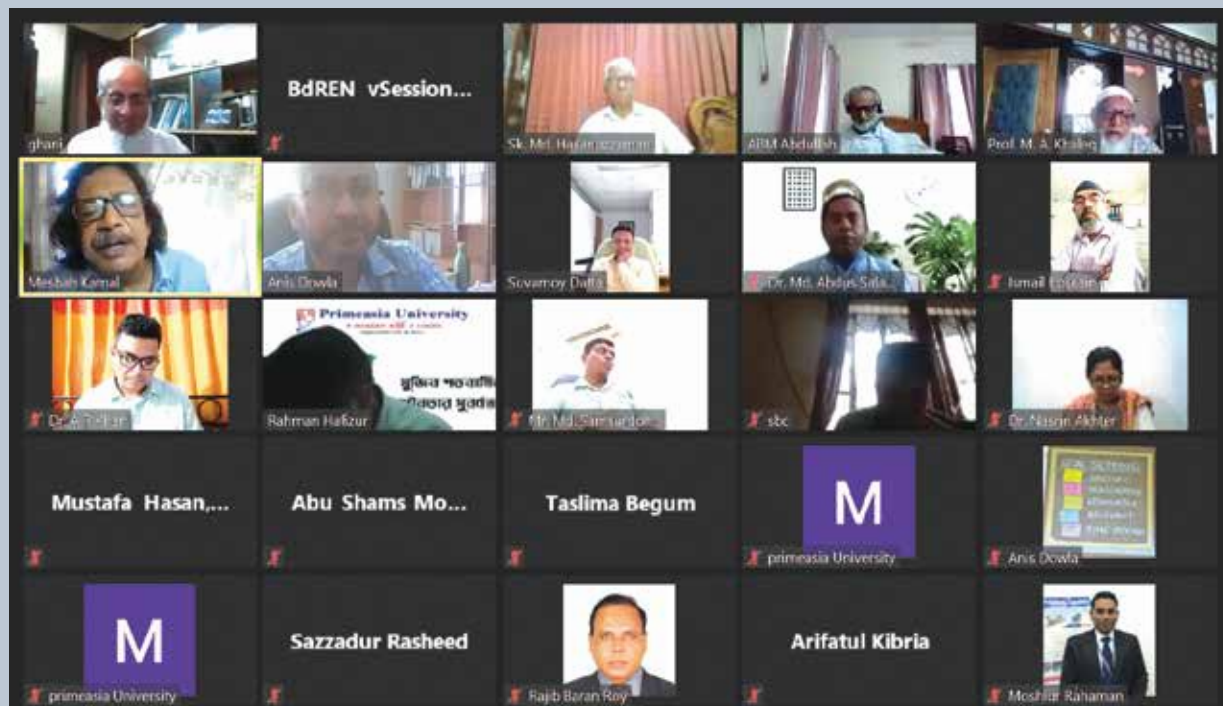
The 35th Board of Trustees Meeting of Primeasia University was held on June 9, 2021. Mr. Md. Nazrul Islam, honorable Chairman, Board of Trustees, Primeasia University presided over the meeting. Out of 14, 13 BOTs members were present there who extended welcome to the Chief Advisor and Vice-Chancellor (Acting) Dr. Mesbah Uddin Ahmed (Mesbah Kamal) and to new Board of Trustees member Mr. Md. Nurul Islam Mollah. Some important decisions were made in this meeting, e.g. to set up an Institute of Language and Culture in Primeasia University; accepted the resignation of pro-vice chancellor Prof. Dr. Engr. Md. Humaun Kabir, and approve the selection of a new Pro-Vice Chancellor (Designate) Dr. Md. Nurrunnabi Mollah from Khulna University of Engineering and Technology.

11th Academic Council Meeting of Primeasia University held virtually

The 11th Meeting of the Academic Council of Primeasia University was held on Thursday, June 17, 2021 at 3:00 pm through the virtual platform. Prof. Dr. Mesbah Kamal Vice-Chancellor (Acting) and Chairman, Academic Council of Primeasia University presided over the meeting.

Along with Professor Dr. Iffat Jahan, Treasurer (Acting), Prof. Sk. Md. Hasanuzzaman, Dean, School of Engineering, Prof. Dr. Suvamoy Datta, Dean School of Science other members of academic council joined virtually.

In the meeting, decisions were taken regarding the establishment of Institute of Language and Culture as well as decided to publish Faculty based Research Journals and Primeasia Monthly Newsletter. Beside it, it was decided to introduce the coursess of GED-202: Bangladesh Studies, GED-203: বাংলাভাষা ও সাহিত্য and GED-303: Emergence of Bangladesh. 16 agendas were discussed and decisions made including formation of the new School of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences incorporating department of Law into it.



Primeasia University is the unbeaten champion in ATN Bangla Debate Competition

Congratulations to Primeasia University Debating Club for achieving the glory of being the CHAMPION on 'ATN Bangla UCB Public Parliament Debate', organized by Debate For Democracy, dated on 26th June, 2021. The Chief Guest of this program was the honourable Agriculture Minister Dr. Abdur Razzaque.

Primeasia University has become the undefeated champion in the UCB Public Parliament Debate Competition organized by ATN Bangla and Debate for Democracy. Primeasia University Debate Club won against World University Bangladesh on Saturday, June 26, 2021 at FDC, taking part in the role of the opposition party in the shadow parliament on "The Proposed Budget for the Social Security of Marginalized People is Reasonable". The debate aired on ATN Bangla on July 2, and can now be viewed on Debate for Democracy's YouTube channel.

Mr. Hasan Ahmed Chowdhury, chairman of Debate for Democracy in the shadow parliament, was the speaker. Mr. Mohammad Abdur Razzaque, Hon'ble Minister of Agriculture, Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh was present as the Chief Guest.

Under the supervision of Dr. Nasreen Akhter, Convener, Debate Club, Associate Professor & Head, Humanities Department, Mr. Dewan Shahriar Shawon, Member Secretary, Debate Club, Senior Lecturer, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering and Mr. Moshir Rahman, Member, Debate Club, Assistant Professor & Head (Acting), Department of



English and the members of the winning team are Priya Dev (Team Leader), Department of Law, Khadija Akter Swapna and Md. Aminul Islam Sharif, Department of Pharmacy and Md. Ridwan Ibne Mahbub and Yaqub Hosen Sohel, Department of Textile Engineering.

Priya Dev said while expressing her feelings, "Honorable Vice-Chancellor Sir was an expert on the subject we had. So, We join a virtual session with Sir before we face off in the final round. The information through which we get extensive information about the Bihari, Harijan etc. marginalized population has been very useful to us. So we must give credit to VC Sir for being champion."

The Vice Chancellor (Acting) Prof. Dr. Mesbah Kamal congratulates the Debate Club of the university and the concerned for being the unbeaten champion of the competition. 'The students will always be encouraged in co-curricular activities' he said.

It is to be mentioned that in 2017, Primeasia University became the winner of the Parliamentary Debate Competition 'UCB Public Parliament' organized by ATN Bangla and Debate for Democracy.





Architecture Dept. News

ARCH PAU Lecture Series: INSIGHT | 3rd Session

On 17th June, 2021, the 3rd online lecture series session “INSIGHT” was hosted by Architecture Department, Primeasia University. Guest Speaker of the session was renowned Architect Mohammad FoyezUllah, Principal Architect and Managing Director of Volumezero Ltd. (est. 2008). Architect Adeeba Ahsan Amina, Lecturer, was the Moderator of the event.

Our Department Chairman, Architect Sazzadur Rasheed welcomed the guest speaker. Architect Mohammad FoyezUllah is one of the preeminent architects of Bangladesh. His ardent endeavor spreads from academics to the corporate realm establishing a niche for himself in the artistic realm of Architecture. His academic achievements include distinctions in his Bachelor in Architecture and the "Ahsanur Rahman Gold Medal" in Masters in 1997 from BUET. Apart from his national affiliations with IAB (Institute of Architects Bangladesh), he is also associated with American Institute of Architects (AIA) as

Associate Member and US Green Building Council as Organizational Member.

He presented his works and ideologies via an hour long presentation. His works includes GPHouse, the state of the art environmentally responsive Grameenphone corporate head office, 2010, which received country's first sustainable building design award “Holcim Green Built Award”. His Liberation War Museum Design received Critic Award in November 2009. After the inspiring presentation, an interactive discussion session took place among the speaker, faculty and students. The entire session lasted for two hours.

These online sessions are a very efficient way of bridging the gap between practicing architects and students. Formally informal discussions as such helps student be inspired and gain knowledge of real life challenges at the same time.

BBA & MBA Program News

MBA



Meeting with Class Representatives (CR)

A monthly meeting with all the CR from different batches of the BBA program has been conducted on the 1st week of June 2021 over the online platform. In the meeting particularly, students were asked to share their opinion regarding online classes, Zoom. The meeting was presided over by Dr. A. S. M. Mahmudul Hoque, Director, BBA Program, club activities, and any other relevant issues. Additionally, students were encouraged to complete online advising and payment of tuition fees according to the deadline in the academic calendar summer semester, 2021.

Internship Report Assessment

Internship report assessment of BBA students held on June 9, 2021, over online platform Zoom. Intern students, who gained three months industry experience from the respective organization and prepared a research report relevant to the industry, submitted the soft and hard copy of the report to their respective supervisor before attending the assessment. Individual boards have been formed comprising of three faculty members to complete the assessment of students from Finance, Accounting, Marketing & HRM backgrounds. Each board has a convenor and a member secretary. The convenor was responsible for the supervision of the assessment and viva-voce while the member secretary maintained the communication with the

concerned students and teachers regarding the successful completion of the assessment.

Meeting with Vice-Chancellor


An introductory meeting of the members of the Department of Business Administration with newly appointed Vice-Chancellor (Acting) Prof. Dr. Mesbah Kamal was held on 17 June 2021 in zoom platform. Dr. A. S. M. Mahmudul Hoque, Director, BBA Program, and Mr. Tofazzal Hossain, Director, MBA Program welcomed Vice-Chancellor (Acting) Prof. Dr. Mesbah Kamal and introduced him with the teachers of the department present in the meeting and called the meeting in order. Members of the faculty also introduced themselves to the Vice-Chancellor. The following agendas were taken for discussion and consideration:

Engaging in research activities

The Vice-Chancellor discussed the importance of research in increasing the ranking position of the University and encouraged the members of the faculty to get engaged in research activities. In this regard, the Vice-Chancellor also requested the department to get involved in publishing an in-house journal.

Increasing departmental activities

The Vice-Chancellor advised the members of the faculty to get involved in the departmental administrative and student-centric activities to make the department vibrant.



Biochemistry and Molecular Biology Dept. News

Work done

- On the first week of June, a virtual meeting was held with the heads of the organizations of numerous nursing institutes, medical assistant training schools (MATS), and health training centers of the Barishal division. The meeting was presided over by the dean of the school of sciences, Professor Dr. Suvamoy Datta. The primary agenda of the meeting was to devise strategies regarding the prospect of attracting potential students to the university. All the faculty members of the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology also attended the meeting and specifically highlighted the facilities and opportunities provided by this university to incoming students to ensure that they excel in their educational and future career endeavors.
- Similar meetings were also arranged by the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology with the principals of MATS in Dhaka city. These meetings were exceedingly fruitful to attain the pre-set objectives, evident by the overwhelming positive feedbacks and significantly greater number of admissions to the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology in the summer semester of 2021.
- The Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology has organized a virtual Freshers' Reception for the newly enrolled students in the Summer Semester of 2021. The program was held on June 14, 2021, at 9 pm. All the faculty members and the representatives of senior batches attended the program. The new students were warmly welcomed to the department and they got to learn about the department and campus life from the faculty and seniors. The highlight of the event was a lively cultural program marked by the spontaneous participation of the faculties, senior, and fresher students.
- On 24th June, the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology prepared 250 bottles of hand sanitizers and handed them over to the university administration in an effort to minimize the spread of SARS-CoV-2 within university premises. Sanitizers were produced as per the 'WHO recommended' formulation (isopropyl alcohol 75% v/v, glycerol 1.45% v/v, hydrogen peroxide 0.125% v/v) under the personal supervision of Professor Dr. Hafizur Rahman. The highest-grade reagents were procured from Merck, Germany to ensure the purity and efficacy of the prepared sanitizers.



Figure: Prepared hand sanitizer by the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology of Primeasia University.

- A virtual get-together with the alumni association of the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology of Primeasia University was organized on the last week of June. The alumni association expressed their willingness to support and carry out the welfare and development activities of Primeasia University. They also assured the student body that they will be actively trying to provide job opportunities to the fresh graduates of the department. Alumni who are currently working as faculty members in numerous health education and training institutes have been immensely helpful in persuading their students to join our university.

Work to be implemented

- As part of our mission to disseminate quality education and develop interest for research

among the students, the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology of Primeasia University emphasizes informing its students of the significant advances in the life sciences and how they can be translated into human welfare. Accordingly, a series of webinars will be arranged in the coming months where reputed researchers of the country will present their works. At least three such webinars will be conducted each semester. The first webinar of the series will take place on the 10th of July, Saturday, where Professor Dr. AHM Nurun Nabi from the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, University of Dhaka will deliver a talk on 'Recent advances in dengue treatment'. We believe such events will prove instrumental in motivating our students to choose research and service-oriented careers where they can be directly involved with the well-being of humankind.

Computer Science and Engineering (CSE) Dept. News

We have arranged some activities during this pandemic situation for introducing our department to others as well as encouraging our students for their future. We are trying to engage our students with different activities throughout the whole pandemic time.

Webinars	Discussant	Date
Prospects of MERN Stack Development	A.B.M Shawon Islam Trainer MERN Stack Development Creative IT Institute	2-06-2021
	Mustafa Hasan Head Department of CSE Primeasia University	

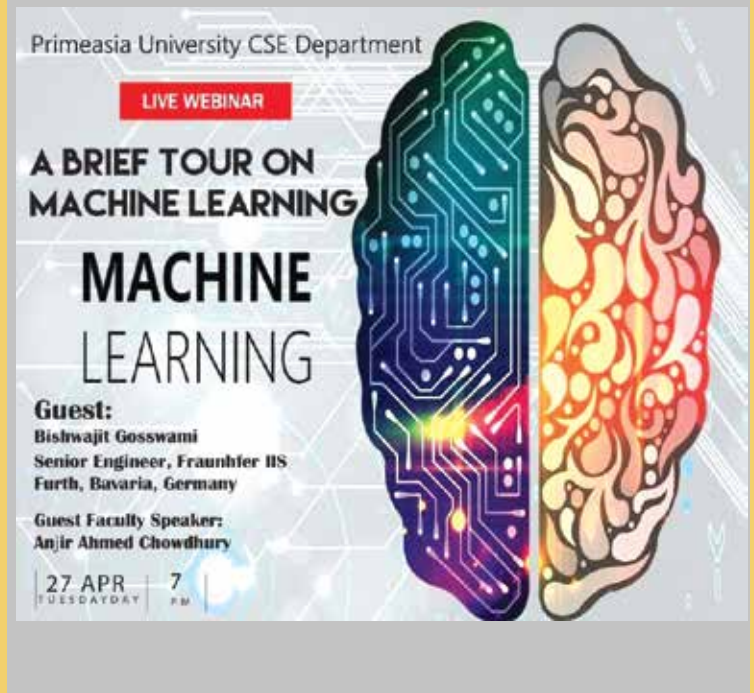
Other Activities:

Activity	Description	Date
PAU CSE art and Handicraft Contest 2021	Art competition on "Covid Situation" among the students of CSE department, Primeasia University	13- 06-2021

Meeting of Faculties and Head of CSE department in June 2021:

Meeting	Date
Zoom meeting	1-06-2021
Face to face meeting	23-06-2021
Zoom meeting	30-06-2021

Our webinar poster:



Our Art competition winner:

1st Naoshin Sharmily Riya (ID: 172-015-042) 2nd Jannatul Fatima Puspo (ID: 202-014-042) 3rd Israt JahanTulin (Id: 191-024-042)



Our gaming contest winner:



Primeasia University

a mission with a vision



1st



Ahanaf Mahir
UF | BujlāmNA
Birshreshtha Munshi
Abdur Rouf Public College
H.Sc Batch 2020

2nd



MD Ashikur Rahman
BTH • COCKTAIL
Adamjee Cantonment College
H.Sc Batch 2019

3rd



Nadia sultana
WDgBD71NihaN
Milestone College
H.Sc Batch 2019



Primeasia University launched its first Institute of Language and Culture (ILC)

It is our immense pleasure to declare that 12th Academic Council approved the PaU Institute of Language and Culture to leap forward with its mission with a vision. Professor Dr. Arifatul Kibria joined as Director of the Institute.

We believe that the university can leap forward to build a fruitful relationship with the reputed universities of the world by the ILC. The ILC will build up a strong communication with the world-ranked universities to develop the activities and management system of PAU. We also think that the ILC will make the best way to exchange different types of views, resources and knowledge for research that would be assisted to the students of research courses and developed the teachers' carrier of PAU. It also will play a vital role to meet the objectives of 21 century's skills, employment, communication, and education challenges.

The institute will draw its activities in three dimensions, i.e.



- i. **Language**
- ii. **Culture &**
- iii. **Special Short Courses**

At the very outset, it will start its language courses by offering a native and eight non-native languages namely Bangla, English, Chinese, French, Japanese, Korean, Russian, Arabic and Hindi Language.

Students of PaU, teachers, employee and anyone enthusiastic from outside PaU can enroll here.

Law Dept. News

Law



On June 12, 2021 at 8.00 PM, Department of Law, Primeasia University organized a successful webinar titled-

"Current Legal Framework for Prosecuting Cybercrimes in Bangladesh."

In the webinar Chief Guest was Prof. Dr. Mesbah Kamal Honorable Vice Chancellor (Acting) Primeasia University;

Keynote Speaker was Mr. Md. Tanzim Al Islam, Advocate, Supreme Court of Bangladesh;

Presided by Mr. Md. Samsurddha, Assistant Professor and Chairperson Department of Law, Primeasia University.



Department of Law,
Primeasia University

LIVE WEBINAR ON Current Legal Framework for Prosecuting Cybercrimes in Bangladesh.

Saturday 12th June

8.00 - 10.00 pm



Chief Guest
Prof. Dr. Mesbah Kamal
Hon. Vice Chancellor (Acting)
Primeasia University



Keynote Speaker
Tanzim Al Islam
Legal Practitioner,
Supreme Court of Bangladesh



Presided by
Samsurddha
Asst. Professor & Head
Department of Law, Primeasia University



On June 25, 2021 at 4.00pm. Department of Law, Primeasia University organized a successful Alumni get together program in the banner "Get Together-2021" organized by Primeasia University Law Alumni Association (PAULAA).

In the program the alumni students showed their interest to publish a diary detailing the present status and work place of themselves and also interested to help the new member students (PAU Law Graduate) for enrolling into the bar council as an advocate.

Microbiology Dept. News



Webinar on Career Development Opportunities for Microbiologists

On June 25, 2021, Department of Microbiology of Primeasia University (PAU) organized a webinar where Microbiologists from different fields discussed on the career development opportunities both in home and abroad and highlighted on the highly promising near future for microbiologists.

The theme of the webinar was “Career Development Opportunities in the field of Microbiology” Professor Dr. Suvamoy Datta, Dean, School of Science & Chairperson, Department of Microbiology, Primeasia University, chaired the session and Dr. Md. Asaduzzaman Shishir, Assistant Professor, Department of Microbiology was the Moderator of the program. In this webinar, four alumni of Department of Microbiology, Primeasia University were invited as the speakers on the topic who are currently being employed in different sectors viz. academia, pharmaceuticals, food industries and regulatory body in Bangladesh. The speakers included were Mr. Kbd. Golam Md. Sarwar, Deputy Director and Head, Agricultural and Food Division, BSTI, Ministry of Industries, GOB; Mr. Maruf Abony, Lecturer, Department of

Microbiology, Primeasia University; Ms. Tresna Chakrobotry, Microbiologist, Quality Control division, NIPRO JMI Pharma Ltd., Comilla and Ms. Momtahena, Microbiologist, Quality Control division, Akij Food and Beverage Ltd. Dhamari, Savar, Dhaka.

The webinar was attended by both the students, teachers, administrators etc from Primeasia University and different institutes of Health technology, Medical technology, MATS etc. More than 80 participants joined this virtual webinar from all over the country.

Chair of the session, Prof. Dr. Suvamoy Datta said that COVID-19 pandemic has taught the immense importance of microbiologists in our society. He mentioned that 60 students from Department of Microbiology of Primeasia University have already contributed during the pandemic as microbiologists under the DG health, Government of Bangladesh, in different hospitals and corona detection centers. He also highlighted the contribution of microbiologists in sample collection from suspected patients, handling RT-PCR machines for corona virus detection, and spreading awareness among mass population regarding different aspects of corona virus during the COVID-19 pandemic. He mentioned how the Department of Microbiology, Primeasia University is

facilitating the study and research opportunities to the students and relevant professionals. He also emphasized on the importance of study and research with Microbiology. He then offered everyone present in the webinar to participate in the concerted effort of microbiologists in solving different health issues and other socioeconomic problems too. Speaker Mr. Kbd. Golam Md. Sarwar discussed the different possible job opportunities for microbiologists in BSTI and Food industries in our country. He also emphasized the importance of microbiologists in our Agriculture sector. Ms. Tresna and Momtahena presented the role of microbiologists in quality control divisions of Food & Beverage and Pharmaceuticals industries. They both focused on work responsibility in their own sectors and explained possible expansion in these sectors in near future.

Mr. Abony focused on the opportunity of research and higher studies in Microbiology around the world. He also spoke up about how students should prepare themselves for their higher studies and different opportunities in the workplace as a microbiologist.

At the end of the webinar, Moderator Dr. Md. Asaduzzaman Shishir added that it was a delightful and knowledgeable webinar. He was thankful to every speaker who joined this webinar and shared their time, experience and knowledge with the audiences. He also remarked that this was the 1st webinar on career development in the microbiology sector; and Department of Microbiology, Primeasia University will continue to arrange such webinars in future.

Professor Dr. Suvamoy Datta, Dean, School of Sciences participated in a TV program on COVID-19

Professor Dr. Suvamoy Datta, Dean, School of Science & Chairman, Department of Microbiology was invited in a television talk show "Nitol TATA My Tv Shonglap" as a discussant on covid-19 crisis and awareness program. The objective of the show was to increase public awareness on the delta variant, the Indian variant of SARS-CoV-2, and to take appropriate measures to confront any odd situation.

Beside Professor Dr. Suvamoy Datta, other speakers were, Abu Kalam Siddik, Commissioner of Rajshahi Metropolitan Police, Dr. Be-Nazir Ahmed, Director, Disease Control at Directorate General of Health Services, and S. M. Mostafa Kamal, Deputy Commissioner, Satkhira who spoke at the talk-show.

Professor Datta discussed how the Indian delta variant might become a problem in the upcoming weeks since it has the potential to kill thousands of people in a short period of time. To lessen the impact, he advised securing the border area and nearby districts, constructing health facilities with ICUs, sophisticated ventilation systems, and adequate oxygen supplies in the worse affected areas. In response to a question on the vaccination campaign, he stated that vaccines alone are unable to address this crisis. He emphasized on the significance of wearing a mask, properly washing one's hands, and maintaining proper social distance.

Other speakers also expressed their thoughts on how we can deal with the situation. They also urged members of the community to practice good hygiene and stay at home.

HUMANITY

Humanities Dept. News

(Club events supported by the Department of Humanities)

- Meet the Vice Chancellor was organized by the Dept. of Humanities of the university on June 1, 2021.

- On June 25, 2021 at 4.00pm. Department of Law, Primeasia University organized a successful Alumni get together program in the banner “Get Together-2021” organized by Primeasia University Law Alumni Association (PAULAA).

In the program the alumni students showed their interest to publish a diary detailing the present status and work place of themselves and also interested to help the new member students (PAU Law Graduate) for enrolling into the bar council as an advocate.

- Primeasia University Debate Club (PAUDC) participated at the ATN Bangla Parliamentary Debate organised by ‘Debate for Democracy’. PAUDC team won the Championship trophy as the unbeaten team. This was the first round of the competition. PAUDC works as an active club with the guidance from the Department of Humanities of the university.

On June 26, 2021, Primeasia University won the title of champion by defeating World University of Bangladesh in the Public Parliament organized by Debate for Democracy. Honourable Minister of Agriculture Abdur Razzak was present on the competition. The two groups discussed the recent budget on the session. The debate group of Primeasia University highlighted the plight of the marginalized people and the budget allocation for them in their speech. The debate aired on ATN Bangla on July 2, and can now be viewed on Debate of Democracy’s YouTube channel. Primeasia University Debate Club has always tried to prove itself unique and worthy. Due to the will and effort of the club authorities, the club has been able to overcome many obstacles and come to this stage today. Earlier this year, Primeasia University won two more debates in the Debate of Democracy competition. The sincerity of the teachers, the cooperative attitude of the authorities has sustained this continuity of victory. We hope that the Primeasia University Debate Club will continue this winning streak in the future.



Public Health Nutrition Dept. News

Provide free food to distressed people & street children

All the universities, both public and private have the main motive to provide quality education and make future leader. But private universities do not get any financial assistance from government for social beneficiary activities. They have to operate using their own funds collected from the students. So sometimes it is difficult to do social activities because of some constraints. Nevertheless some private universities try their best to alleviate suffering and maintain human dignity during and in the aftermath of manmade and natural disasters. The

COVID-19 pandemic has brought about unimaginable sufferings for the poverty stricken people. To help them is also a duty of our young students. And the students of Public Health Nutrition, Primeasia University set a shining example during this pandemic situation by providing food assistance to many needy families and street children.

Through the guidance and assistance of their faculties, these benevolent souls have gathered under the banner of PAU to perform their duty to the society.

Webinar and other activities

If talk about various private universities activities during this pandemic situation, Primeasia is one of the most active University from the beginning. The Department of public health nutrition of Primeasia University is carrying out different activities virtually to motivate and encourage its student.

For academic benefits of students the department is arranging webinar on various topics. Recently three webinar have been arranged as follows:

1. Developing nutrition sensitive sustainable food system in Bangladesh
2. Resistance of Antibiotics in Bangladesh
3. Career opportunities in Public Health Nutrition

The response and feedback from students were very positive.

To motivate student and keep them goal driven the faculties are holding meetings regularly. And the department holds a meeting monthly with all faculties and student representative to understand and discuss their problems.

Public Health Department is not only academically active, but they are also carrying out different extracurricular activities. During this pandemic to raise awareness among

common people, the students are creating video clips and banners with slogans. They are also leading a significant role to make people aware of using hand sanitizer. Department of Public Health Nutrition is creating and distributing hand sanitizer from the beginning of pandemic since April 2020.

The students and faculties also jointly participated in helping the needy people of society by providing free food aid to 50 families/ street children and plan to carry out such activities in future.

Public Health Nutrition Department has a strong foothold in the Nutrition and Public Health community of Bangladesh. The department has formed Primeasia University Nutrition Club (PAUNC) to lead external activities organized by Government and private organization. This department is a proud member of Bangladesh Food and Nutrition Association (BAFNA) and Bangladesh Pustibid Foundation. The department recently elected the new committee of Primeasia for BAFNA.

The alumni of this department are also very successful in their respective fields. From recently graduated students two have been selected for scholarship in UK and USA. Many recent graduates got appointed in numerous reputed and international organizations like Save the children, Nestle, BRAC, SHED, Action Contre la Faim, WASH, DSK-UNICEF, Care Bangladesh etc.



Pharmacy Dept. News

Congratulations!!

The following 10 fresh Graduates of the Pharmacy Department of Primeasia University were appointed in different positions by some Pharmaceuticals manufacturing Industries of the Country during the month of June 2021:

- Tarekujjaman Nisat, Kanij Fatema Tonny and Tania Akter of 191 and 201 Batches of M. Pharm. Program have been recruited as Quality Assurance (QA) Officer in Renata Pharmaceuticals Limited.

Md. Eshak Enan and Abu Rayhan Rakib of 201

- Batch of M. Pharm. Program have been recruited as Quality Assurance (QA) Officer and Quality Assurance (QA) Executive in Drug International Limited and Desh Pharmaceuticals Limited respectively.
- Md. Omar Faruk Bhuiyan and Md. Firojur

Rahman of 151 and 201 Batches of M. Pharm. Program have been recruited as Production Officer in Drug International Limited.

- Md. Mominul Islam and Rakibul Hasan of 201 Batch of M. Pharm. Program have been recruited as Product Development (PD) Officer and Quality Control (QC) Officer in Cosmic Pharma Limited respectively.
- Md. Reazul Karim of 201 Batch of M. Pharm. Program has been recruited as Marketing Information Officer (MIO) in Radiant Pharmaceuticals Limited.

Research Works

- A research work conducted by Ms. Rubaba Karim, Assistant Professor, Department of Pharmacy, Priemasia University, titled "Effects of Alcoholic Extracts of Bangladeshi Mangrove *Acanthus ilicifolius* Linn. (Acanthaceae) Leaf and Stem on Atherogenic Model of Wistar Albino Rats" was published on June 2021 by the Journal of Evidence-Based Complementary and Alternative Medicine, Hindawi (<https://doi.org/10.1155/2021/7539037>).
- Ms. Fatema-Tuz-Zohora, Assistant Professor, Department of Pharmacy, Primeasia University, has submitted a manuscript entitled "Phytoconstituents and Biological Activities of Genus *Artemisia* (Asteraceae): A Review" for publishing in the Journal of Pharmaceutics and Drug Research this year which is in the final stage of processing for the publication (ISSN: 2640-6152) NLM ID: 101685300.
- The manuscript of a survey entitled "Therapeutic

Management of Mild Inflammatory Symptoms" was submitted in the Asia Pacific Journal of Public Health. This survey was conducted by the students of Pharmacy Department (Batch 171) under the combined supervision of Dr. HasanImam (Assistant Professor, Dept. of Pharmacy, PAU), Ms. Tahmina Haque (Lecturer, Dept. of Pharmacy, PAU) and Ms. Samsunnahar Shifa (Lecturer, Dept. of Pharmacy, PAU).

- A survey entitled "Secondary Fungal Infection Among COVID-19 Positive Subjects" is currently being conducted by the students of Pharmacy Department (Batch 181) under the combined supervision of Dr. Hasan Imam (Assistant Professor, Dept. of Pharmacy, PAU), Ms. Tahmina Haque (Lecturer, Dept. of Pharmacy, PAU) and Ms. Samsunnahar Shifa (Lecturer, Dept. of Pharmacy, PAU).



Textile Engineering Dept. News

E- Learning session on “All Over Printing & Design Development”

To bridge the academic gap of students with industry in corona situation Department of Textile Engineering, Primeasia University and All Over Printing Technologists of Bangladesh jointly organized an e-learning program on “All Over Printing & Design Development” which was 14 days long from June 1-14. The Opening ceremony is presided by Prof. M. A. Khaleq, Head of Textile Engineering Department. In that program Prof. SK. Md. Hasanuzzaman, Dean, School of Engineering, Primeasia University, Prof. Dr. ABM Abdullah, Dr. Helal Uddin, Associate Professor, Dr. Md. Abu Sayeed Miah, Associate Professor and other faculty members and the technical expertise Engr. S M Abdur Rahman, GM (Operation) Unifill Tex BD Group, President (AOPTB) as special guest, Md. Shawkat Hossain Sohel, Chief Designer, Unifill Composite Dyeing Mills Ltd., General Secretary (AOPTB) as keynote speaker and Engr. Md. Abu Sayed Kiron, Joint General Secretary (AOPTB) DGM (Lithe Group), Abul Bashar, Vice President (AOPTB), DGM Production & Marketing, All-Over Printing (Sawftex Ltd.), Md. Ibrahim Khalil, Senior Manager, Palmal Group, Organisational Secretary (AOPBT), Engr. Sujoy Acharya (Alumni), AGM

(Printing), Palmal Group of Industries, Md. Rifatur Rahman Miazee, Press & Publication Secretary (AOPTB) as guest. Md. Shawkat Hossain Sohel, Chief Designer, Unifill Composite Dyeing Mills Ltd., General Secretary (AOPTB), Md. Ibrahim Khalil, Senior Manager, Palmal Group, Organisational Secretary (AOPBT) and Md. Rifatur Rahman Miazee, Press & Publication Secretary (AOPTB) took the sessions on different topics on different days over the fourteen (14) days. And students from all semesters were also present there.

Firstly, Engr. S M Abdur Rahman, President (AOPTB) thanked the Department of Textile Engineering, Primeasia University for inviting them, then he delivered a brief discussion on the AOP sector. He also gave various directions to the students for the development of their careers.

Md. Shawkat Hossain Sohel took session on “Different Section of printing, Design of printing, Sample development, engraving of roller, machineries of printing, limitation of printing according to machines and their solution.”

Md. Rifatur Rahman Miazee said, “All Over Printing (AOP)’ is one of the sustainable

development of coloration of fabric and there is huge possibilities for the country's growing textile industry". Demands are increasing day by day in this sector as per expectation. Another speaker said, "Along with rotary, flatbed, screen printing nowadays the digital inject 'All Over Printing' has been added with them because of meeting tremendous sustainability".

Md. Ibrahim Khalil took session on "Different types of printing according to fabrication, chemicals used and their function".

Because of the change of era, fashion-conscious, choice and demand also changes all over printed apparel (Shirts, tall Gowns, tank tops, Punjabi, denim shirts and jeans, woven pants, home textiles, etc.) and other commodities are getting priority to the young and middle ages generation day by day.

Specifically, considering the timeline review of industrialization, the "All-Over Printing" sector brings a lot of creativity along with value addition in our garments. At present time, fresher graduate are also showing their interest in choosing "All-Over Printing" as their career. If we take a closer look at this pre-stage of fourth industrial revolution, we will easily cope up with the AOP sector which turns itself with huge up-gradation in machineries and printing designs & processes.

Before the closing ceremony, thirty nine (39) students participated a quiz contest. They were tremendously good result in the quiz. Badhon Saha from 181 batch achieved 1st position, Md. Abir Hassan form 211 batch positioned 2nd and 3rd position was achieved by three (3) students jointly named Md. Rony Mia, Md. Jalal Uddin Sakib& Md. Shadut Hossain Tohin from 183 batch, Department of Textile Engineering.

In the closing ceremony of the e-learning program, Dean & Head and all the faculty members and students of Department of Textile Engineering, Primeasia University and members of All Over Printing Technologists of Bangladesh were present. Prof. M.A. Khaleq, Head of Textile Engineering Department and Prof. SK. Md. Hasanuzzaman, Dean, School of Engineering,

Primeasia University handed the crest over the guest of the all members of All Over Printing Technologists of Bangladesh organization. And Emdadul Haq, Lecturer & Assistant Proctor handed the 1st, 2nd and 3rd positioned certificates over the students. In the ceremony. Prof. M.A. Khaleq, Head of Textile Engineering Department said "This tremendous e-learning session will help to make our students as leader for next 10 years goal in the AOP industry." And Prof. Sk. Md. Hasanuzzaman, Dean, School of Engineering added "University and industry collaboration will help to prepare our students for fourth industrial revolution and sustainability" and also thanked to Department of Textile Engineering, Primeasia University to arrange such a scintillating and contemporary e-learning program . They also thanked to All Over Printing Technologists of Bangladesh for accepting the invitation of such wonder e-learning session. Prof. M.A. Khaleq also said, "I hope, All Over Printing Technologists of Bangladesh will help regarding research, internship and job fair in every semester." Engr. S M Abdur Rahman, GM (Operation) Unifill Tex BD Group, President (AOPTB), Md. Shawkat Hossain Sohel, Chief Designer, Unifill Composite Dyeing Mills Ltd., General Secretary (AOPTB) Engr. Md. Abu Sayed Kiron, Joint General Secretary (AOPTB) DGM (Lithe Group), and Abul Bashar, Vice President (AOPTB), DGM Production & Marketing, All-Over Printing (Sawftex Ltd.) said in reply, "We are ensuring Department of Textile Engineering, Primeasia University to help regarding any kind of technical supports, research facilities, internship and job facilities".

Emdadul Haq, Lecturer & Assistant Proctor, Department of Textile Engineering, Primeasia University was in charge of conducting the whole program. In addition, Ahmed Saber Shravan, Lecturer, Md. Arafat Rahman, Lecturer, Md. Salman Farsee, Lecturer, AFM Fahad Halim, Lecturer, Md. Fahim Bin Alam, Lecturer kept their eyes on every day of this e-learning program so that the program runs smoothly.

Emdadul Haq, Lecturer & Assistant Proctor, Md. Sakib-Uz-Zaman, Lecturer, Badhon Shaha, running student, 181 batch were as technical host on the e-learning program.

International Tourism and Hospitality Management (ITHM) Dept. News

The following section contains many activities performed by the Department of International Tourism and Hospitality Management (ITHM).

Tree Plantation Campaign

The students of the Department of International Tourism and Hospitality Management of Primeasia University celebrated the department's twelve year anniversary and the golden jubilee of Bangladesh's independence with a tree planting program.

About 50 students studying the course Hospitality Facilities Management of the department carried out this tree plantation program in their respective homes / areas during the Coronavirus pandemic. This initiative was implemented by Ms. Kahkasha Wahab, Lecture, ITHM, Primeasia University.



Photography Contest

A photography competition among the students was initiated by Ms. Shelamony Hafsa. Through this competition, many students showed their inner potentiality to uphold the beauty of Bangladesh. Monthly general meetings with students were held and Dept. Head, faculties & students got an opportunity to exchange their views & ideas through this meeting.



Research work

On the 30th June a research conducted by Ms. Kahkasha Wahab, Lecturer, ITHM, Primeasia University on the “Impact of COVID–19 on the Hospitality Industry: Climbing Towards Recovery” has been published on the International European Extended Enablement in Science, Engineering & Management (IEEESEM) Journal, Volume 9(6), 59-71.

The cite factor of the paper can be tracked from the link: <https://www.citefactor.org/check>

The EOI for paper is # 10.11230/ieeesem.2021.06.23982

Full paper is accessible through:

https://www.ieeesem.com/researchpaper/Impact_of_COVID_19_on_the_hospitality_industry_Climbing_towards_recovery.pdf

Student Counselling Centre

Counseling on mental health and social well-being during Covid-19

Primeasia University teaches and trains students with the utmost aim to develop sound human resources both academically and professionally. Our “Student Counselling Centre” has been providing services to individuals’ personal and academic concerns under the guidance and supervision of the Planning and Development Office.

The goals of our Student Counselling Centre are:

- To help students achieve high-quality morally sound and socially relevant education.
- To facilitate overcoming the emotional well-being of our students and the PAU community.



MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS

COVID-19 has altered many facets of the life of Primeasians that resulting in stress, nervousness, fear, or anxiety. PAU Students Counselling Center playing a significant role in awakening our students, teachers, officers, and staff for taking care of their mental health and well-being throughout the COVID-19 pandemic. We are helping to solve problems and developing students’ potential through counseling services using digital technology and media. The student counselor, Mr. Saleh Siddique, has been providing online counseling

sessions for the Primeasia family (students, faculty, and staff) through messenger, WhatsApp, Facebook, or other platforms comfortable for the beneficiaries.

Primeasia University also focuses on social awareness and the mental wellbeing of the PaU community. Owing to this, our Student Counselor regularly uploads videos on our Facebook page related to psychosocial crises. He has uploaded 40+ short videos in the last one year to increase social awareness in the PaU community.

Club News

Our Clubs for a vibrant campus life

Clubs are one of the most important aspects of student life. It is not only a place of personal growth, friendship inclusiveness, but also the attic of career development. It makes the student understand personal independence, teamwork, and responsibility that helps them to transform in their student life.

Primeasia University established different academic and non-academic clubs to ensure

students' interest in learning about science and technology, development of students' communicative abilities, encourage their creativity in arts and culture, engagement in sports and community responsibilities through challenging and mind-stretching tasks. Club activities help them to increase their personal and professional skills and most importantly, it helps them to learn to say no, to any anti-social activities.



Primeasia University management has taken the initiative to reform all the clubs as it is found a lot of Club Members (Faculty teachers) are no longer available to support these clubs' activities, which is creating extra pressure on the limited number of responsible members and hence, the activities are also getting shrunk.

University will ensure to have a mandatory co-curricular clubs in every department. For example, Textile Club, Computer Club, EEE Club, Architecture Club, Pharmacy Club, Microbiology Club, Biochemistry Club, Nutrition Club, Law Club, Tourist Club, Business Club, Language Club, etc. Our extracurricular clubs

will also be restructured, i.e. Cultural Club, Debating Club, Photography & Creative Club, Sports Club, Student Welfare & Blood Donation Club, etc.

Every club will have an advisory body, student body, club constitution, and active social media page. The Planning and Development department will be following up on Campus Life activities and give support to Clubs when required. We believe this timely initiative will boost Campus Life activities which will help our students to meet the demands of future challenges, interpersonal skills, social and professional skills.

International Collaborations: Scholarships and our Success!!!

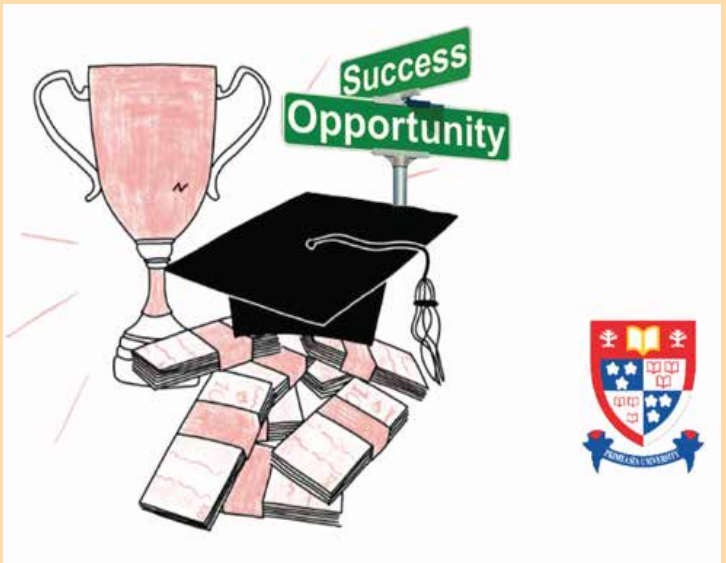
Primeasia University found that various funding sources and scholarships are linked to the ability to showcase our “Student success.” We are actively working to keep up our academic partnerships and collaboration with more than 50 International Institutes around the world to get prioritized in the admission process and as well as secure funding for our graduates.

Nowadays, a scholarship decision is not only based on academic excellence (high grades, language skills, good overall academic skills, and record) or on economic factors (work experience, low-income, family difficulties) but also requires attaching a scholarship application cover letter. This is one of the best tools to make a scholarship application successful, together with the correct submission of other required documents. Mr. Syed Abul Hasanat, Deputy Director, Planning & Development, has been helping our graduates in preparing to apply for scholarships.

In the last session 2020-21, Md. Mostafizur Rahman Palash, (batch 151), Md. Kamrul Islam, (Batch 131) and Md. Zawad Hossain Zaki, (Batch 131) were awarded the most prestigious “Chinese Government Scholarship (CSE)” for studying the M.Sc. program in Wuhan Textile University, Wuhan, China. Also, Md. Habib Dewan, (batch 152) got the admission in Hochschule Niederrhein, Düsseldorf, Germany.

In addition, three of our graduates were also awarded the “Study in India” Scholarships out of our 12 applications to study in the MS program at the Jain University, India and the Chandigarh University, India.

In the session 2019-20, Marzan Jami (batch 131) and Mehadi Hasan (batch 131) were awarded the most sophisticated “President Scholarship” for studying the M.Sc. program in Wuhan Textile University, Wuhan, China. Also, Rokebul Islam Shojib, (batch 131) was awarded the most prestigious “Chinese Government Scholarship (CSE)” for studying the M.Sc. program at Chongqing University, Shapingba, China.



In addition, Tasnuva Tasmin (batch 142) got admission in University of Wollongong, Australia.

For the upcoming 2021-22 session, out of our 14 applications to the Universities in China, five applications are in the process in Wuhan Textile University, Wuhan, China, and an application is in the process in Donghua University, Changning, China.

In addition, 17 applications are in the process of studying the MS program in our partnering universities in India under the “Study in India” Scholarships program.

Planning & Development Dept. News

STUDENT AMBASSADORS

The student ambassadors of Primeasia University are the bridges between the students and the University management. This team of natural leaders and effective communicators are organized, proactive, and intellectually curious. They are inclusive and open to engaging with a wide number of students at their own University. This is thought to be the best in their own department in both academic and extra curriculum activities.

We had a pilot project “Work-Study Program” in 2019 and where we offered 6 students to work for the university. However, in late 2020, Primeasia University introduced the most prestigious and sophisticated, and of course very competitive “Student Ambassador Program”. We hand-picked a team of 11 ambassadors to represent their departments out of hundreds of applicants.

These Student ambassadors were well-groomed by our Digital Marketing officer and that have already established them as the first point of information. They warmly meet and greet every visitor and ensure to satisfy all their queries. They dedicatedly support new students while



taking admission. Our Ambassadors are continuously replying to the queries that appear on Social media. Also, they answer numerous phone calls from the interested candidates. Watching their dedication, intelligence, and amazing behavior, some of the parents even bless them and advise their children to follow the ambassadors as an idol.

Under the guidance and supervision of Mr. Syed Abul Hasanat, Deputy Director, Planning & Development, these ambassadors are working with full dedication and upholding the pride of their own University. Even in this pandemic situation, the ambassadors provided excellent customer services ensuring the maximum number of admission. They replied to more than 10,000 responses from interested candidates on social media in just 2 months. Their outstanding performance in social media brought the official Facebook page of Primeasia University a verified Blue Badge. Digital marketing was boosted by the effort of this energetic team. Because of the outstanding performance of the ambassador team, the University management is taking the initiative to enlarge this team soon.



The Blue Badge

The official recognition from Facebook!!!

Primeasia University is now officially verified by Facebook and received its long waited Blue Badge. The verified badge means Facebook has confirmed that the Page represents the authentic presence of the brand.

The story of this Blue Badge was not that facile. It took us a long time and tons of work, patience, prompt services, and most importantly continuous authentic content making.

Under the guidance and supervision of Mr. Syed Abul Hasanat, Deputy Director, Planning and Development, Primeasia University Digital Marketing team has done this formidable task.

Our ambassadors showed outstanding performance and worked 24/7 to make our official Facebook page super active. They were continuously replying to the queries that appeared on Social media. More than 10,000 responses from interested candidates on social media were replied in just 2 months. It boosted our Facebook page engagement to 71.25% which was a remarkable achievement to be successful for receiving our long waited Blue Badge and all of our hard work paid off, the teamwork has made this dream work.

Congratulations to all Primeasians!!!



Examination Dept. News

The Examination department of Primeasia University has been playing a significant role in conducting examinations keeping the norms of confidentiality, accuracy, reliability and authenticity.

The exams are the way to test and evaluate one's knowledge. The Examination Department is mainly deal with the appointment of question paper setters, Examiners, Moderators, Invigilators, preparation and publication of schedule of examinations, conduct of examinations online and offline mode, and timely declaration of results and awarding degrees and certificates.

The Primeasia University examination system has been designed not only to motivate the students to acquire fair knowledge of their subject matter but also to show their intelligence and power of reasoning. Convocation is a blissful event for the graduating students and also for the University. The 3rd Convocation of Primeasia University was held on July, 30, 2018. A total of 5855 students were conferred Degree in the 3rd Convocation. The summary of the graduating students in the 3rd Convocation given below:

Department	Male	Female	Total
Department of Textile Engineering	2844	121	2965
Computer Science & Engineering (CSE)	48	26	
Computer Science & Information Tecnology (CSIT)	10	4	14
Electrical & Electronic Engineering (EEE)	185	28	213
Department of Architecture	17	20	37
Department of Microbiology	178	88	266
Department of Biochemistry	87	21	108
Public Health Nutrition	16	14	30
Bachelor of Pharmacy	235	172	407
Bachelor of Business Administration	260	137	397
International Tourism and Hospitality Management	120	7	127
Department of Law	91	54	145
Undergraduate Program	4091	692	4783
MBA	299	49	348
MS.Microbiology	282	103	385
Master of Pharmacy	178	161	339
Graduate Program	759	313	1072
Total	4850	1005	5855

The Primeasia University also awarded 15 Gold Medals to the graduating students on the basis of academic performance. List of the Gold Medalist is furnished below:

Valedictorian

Name	Identity No	Department
Ashfia Fatema Khan	081 371 032	Bachelor of Pharmacy

Chancellor's Gold Medal

Name	Identity No	Department
Sadia Afroj	122 029 067	MBA
Ashfia Fatema Khan	123 016 062	Master of Pharmacy
James Jacob Ribero	131 016 061	MS. Microbiology
Jannatul Ferdusi	152 012 061	MS. Microbiology
Rafia Haque Peeya	152 014 061	MS. Microbiology

Chairman's Gold Medal

Name	Identity No	Department
Md. Ziaul Haque	103 164 033	Bachelor of Biochemistry
Snygdha Rani Das	131 523 033	Bachelor of Biochemistry
Md. Jahangir Alam	141 035 033	Bachelor of Biochemistry
Md. Anawarul Islam	121 013 053	Bachelor of Laws

Vice-Chancellor's Gold Medal

Name	Identity No	Department
Gazi Md.Salauddin	142 018 045	BBA
Minhaz Uddin	111 104 041	Textile Engineering Dept
Sumsunnahar Shifa	132 005 032	Bachelor of Pharmacy
Nosrat Jahan Soma	131 384 033	Bachelor of Biochemistry
Sharmin Jahan Mousumi	142 011 033	Bachelor of Biochemistry

Message from Basic Sciences Department

Basic sciences department of Primeasia University consist of four basic subjects namely Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics & Statistics. This department provides quality education in associated with various departments for example Textile Engineering, EEE, CSE, Architecture, Bio-Chemistry and Business studies. The motto of this department is to educate students in the undergraduate level to make them able to serve the society at home and abroad. Faculty members are all cordial and friendly with the students and help them as their necessities. They also involve with proctorial body, admission work, sports & cultural club, printing and packaging work of examination etc. as assigned by the authority. Some research and publication works are being performed by the faculty members as involvement in MS, Ph.D. and other research activities.

UMS News

Online Admission System

We are here with online admission

Ums section of the primeasia university has done some successful projects. One of them is, Online Admission System

(<http://www.primeasiaonline.com/>).

In this pandemic any one can apply via online by fill up some information. During the

development of this project UMS section was getting continuous support & proper guidance from Major (retd) AKM Anisud Dowla (Deputy Registrar & Head of HR) & Mr. Syed Abul Hasanat (Deputy Director, Planning & Development).



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Fill up Form

Pay online

Confirm via
Mail

Now we are with bKash and Nagad

Any Student can pay us with bKash and Nagad

Payment is easier than before. Student can pay us with bKash/Nagad. Only following some few step, he/she can pay us anywhere from Bangladesh.

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Pay Fees of Primeasia University with bKash

Payment with bKash App

- Select "Make Payment" from the App home screen
- Enter merchant number (01958665508) or "Tap to Scan QR Code"
- Hold your camera for a while on the Merchant QR code
- Enter the payment amount
- Tap and hold for a while to Make Payment
- Once your payment is successful, you will get a confirmation.
- You can save the Payment information for future reference.

Payment by dialing *247#

- Dial *247#
- Press "4" to select Payment
- Enter Merchant bKash Account No: 01958665508
- Enter Amount: 1000
- Enter Reference: XXXXXXXXXX
- Enter Counter No: 1
- Payment To: 01958665508 Amount: Tk 1000.00 Reference: XXXXXXXXXX Counter: 1 Enter Menu PIN to confirm: XXXXX
- Once your payment is successful, you will get a confirmation SMS.

নগদ App দিয়ে Primeasia University পেমেন্ট পদ্ধতি

- মার্চেন্ট পে বাতিন ক্লিক করুন
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- টাকার পরিমাণ টাইপ করুন
- কনফার্ম ও পিন টাইপ করুন
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ERP Software is launching very soon

UMS section is launching ERP Software

Nowadays every organization has its own ERP system. Enterprise resource planning (ERP) refers to a type of software that organizations use to manage day-to-day business activities such as accounting, procurement, project management, risk management and compliance, and supply chain operations.



- Access Control
- Student Module
- Teacher's Module
- Academic Module
- Account's Module
- HR Module
- Others

News From Registrar Office

New Member in Board of Trustees-Md. Nurul Islam Mollah

Mr. Md. Nurul Islam Mollah joined as a Representative Member in the Board of Trustees of Primeasia University from Fareast Islami Life Insurance Company Ltd. in replace of Prof. Dr. Iffat Jahan. The Board of Trustees of Primeasia University welcomed to his new member Mr. Md. Nurul Islam Mollah in its meeting held on June 09, 2021. Mr. Mollah is an Independent Director of Fareast Islami Life Insurance Company Ltd. He served as a Member of Insurance Development & Regulatory Authority, Deputy Managing Director, Phoneix Insurance Company Ltd., Additional Managing Director, Premier Bank Ltd., Deputy Managing Director, Prime Insurance Company Ltd., General Manager, Karmoshanstan Bank and Chief Advisor, M/s American International BD Ltd. He has been working as a Part Time Faculty Member in Daffodil International University.



Professor Dr. Arifatul Kibria Joined as Director in the Institute of Language and Culture



The Board of Trustees of Primeasia University appointed to Dr. Arifatul Kibria as Professor and Director for the Institute of Language and Culture of Primeasia University. Dr. Kibria joined of this University as Professor and Director on June 13, 2021. Recently, she worked as Associate Professor & Head, Department of Social Work and Dean, School of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, University of Information Technology and Sciences (UITS). She earned her BSS (Hons) and MSS degree in Sociology from the University of Dhaka. She awarded PhD from Renmin University of China. Dr. Kibria was an Editor and Associate Editor in UITS JOURNAL of

Humanities and Social Sciences. She is a Research personnel and specialist in Chinese Language. She wrote 2 books and many articles in the national and international journals.

Resignation of Pro-Vice Chancellor

Prof. Dr. Engr. Md. Humaun Kabir, Former Pro-Vice Chancellor of Primeasia University resigned from his position on June 01, 2021 and his resignation from the position of Pro-Vice Chancellor (Designate) was accepted by the 35th Board of Trustees Meeting with effect from June 08, 2021. Dr. Kabir also acted as Vice-Chancellor (Acting) for an interim period of time.

PaU Vice-Chancellor formed New Committees

Admission Committee

The Vice-Chancellor (Acting) Professor Dr. Mesbah Kamal reconstituted the Admission Committee on June 23, 2021 headed by Professor Dr. Suvamoy Datta, Dean, School of Science. Professor Dr. Arifatul Kibria, Director, Institute of Language and Culture, and a few Senior Faculties and administrative officers have been included in the Committee. The Admissions Committee is responsible for the periodic review of admissions policies and practices and promulgating and adopting any necessary revisions to fulfil the requirement of the Admission Seeker Students.

Committee for Celebration of Somali Independence Day

The Vice-Chancellor (Acting) Prof. Dr. Mesbah Kamal has Constituted a Six-Members Committee to celebrate Somali Independence Day through virtual platform. Dr. Nasrin Akhter, Associate Professor & Chairperson of Humanities Department is the Convenor of the Committee. This Committee facilitates the program as well as prepare an effective implementation plan focusing on the objective. The Vice-Chancellor (Acting) said, respect will be shown to the Somali nation and many of foreign students have originated by the Program.

Waiver Policy Formation Committee

The Authority of Primeasia University continuously providing waiver to the deserving students in different categories. To make a suitable guideline of waiver, The Vice-Chancellor (Acting) Prof. Dr. Mesbah Kamal has made 7 members waiver policy development committee. Prof. Dr. Suvamoy Datta, Dean, School of Science is the Convenor and Mr. Md. Ismail Hossain, Deputy Controller of Examinations is the Member-Secretary of the Committee. The Committee was assigned to prepare an effective waiver policy for the Students of Primeasia University.

An ERP Committee











Prof. Dr. Mesbah Kamal, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) has formed an Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) Committee of Primeasia University on June 23, 2021. Mr. Mustafa Hasan, Assistant Professor & Chairperson of CSE Department is Convenor of the Committee. Director of BBA Program, Deputy Registrar & Head of HR, Deputy Director, F & A, Deputy Director (P & D), IT Officer are the member and Senior Executive Officer, UMS is the member secretary of the Committee. The Vice-Chancellor is very hopeful that ERP software can integrate all of the processes needed to run a Primeasia University smoothly.















Purchase Committee - Architecture Department

Book Purchase Committee - Architecture Department is formed with four-members on June 29, 2021. Mr. Sazzadur Rasheed, Chairperson of Architecture Dept. is the Convenor and Mr. Md. Nurul Islam Mollah, Member; Board of Trustees is the Senior Member of the Committee. The Vice-Chancellor (Acting) informed that the Book Purchase Committee will select and purchase Books as per the requirements of the Institute of Architectures of Bangladesh (IAB).

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