



PRESIDENT
PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH
DHAKA

I am pleased to learn that Southeast University (SEU) is going to celebrate its 1st Convocation on May 10, 2006. On this august moment, I congratulate the founders of the university, all the graduates, faculty, parents and other members of the university community on their achievements.

To face the challenges of 21st century we need skilled and competent human resources. Universities are the vital sources of creating human resources and they can play an important role in this regard. I trust that the first batch of graduating students of SEU will be able to live up to nation's hopes and aspirations.

I wish the Convocation all success.

Allah Hafez, Bangladesh Zindabad.

Professor Dr Iajuddin Ahmed

Dr. M. Osman Farruk, MP
Minister
Ministry of Education
Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

I am glad to know that Southeast University (SEU) is holding its First Convocation on May 10, 2006.

Technological advancement and globalization are making education more and more competitive throughout the world in this 21st century. Only the fittest will survive. The present government is committed to ensuring an enabling environment for private sector participation in the provision of university level education. How best a private university performs will be validated by the quality of its graduating students.

I hope that the first batch of graduating students of SEU will build up a reputation for their Alma Mater, which the successive batches will endeavour uphold.

My heartfelt congratulations to all graduates, their parents and to SEU family.

I wish the Convocation Ceremony a great success.

(M. Osman Farruk, MP)

Professor Dr. M. Asaduzzaman
Chairman
Bangladesh University Grants Commission

Convocation is an auspicious occasion in the life of a student. It is when he/she receives the crown of a lifetime in a daze of splendour. He/She deserves it eminently. This priceless pride and glory is also shared by the guardians and parents of the graduates. I join this batch of ecstatic graduates of Southeast University (SEU) and congratulate them from the core of my heart.

While a lot depends on the quality and dedication of the students, qualitative infrastructural, administrative, faculty and policy support are vital for the all-round development of a student, especially in the highest seats of learning. Once a university takes it upon itself to educate young learners, it assumes the responsibility to equip them with the ability to assume the necessary leadership in enterprises, in public services and in all other fields in the new context of the demand of the time.

We are all for quality education. We will do all we can to ensure high quality in higher education, including formation of the proposed Accreditation Council for private universities. I hope the graduating students of the First Convocation Ceremony are adequately equipped with knowledge and technology to face the challenges of the digital age. I urge them to move ahead with devotion, sincerity and dynamism.

I wish them success in life.

Professor Dr. M. Asaduzzaman

Professor Dr. M. Shamsheer Ali
Vice-Chancellor
Southeast University

It is my proud privilege to be at the helm of Southeast University when it is in a frenzy of activities with its first Convocation Ceremony. I fondly recollect my perception of the vision of the founders of the University when they first solicited my services to materialize their dream of establishing a University that would provide world-class education at affordable costs, prepare tomorrow's leaders in all walks of life in the country and help arrest the exodus of our meritorious students to foreign countries for higher education.

Southeast University is by now well-poised to establish itself as a centre of excellence. We have a supportive Board of Governors, dedicated and qualified teachers, administrative and office staff to achieve our goal. The first Convocation Ceremony is a testimony to that.

On behalf of the Deans of Schools, the faculty and the staff of Southeast University, I convey the warmest felicitations to the six hundred and fifty graduating students who pursued their education in Campus and Distance Modes under two Schools- the School of Arts and Social Sciences and the School of Business Studies. I also congratulate their parents on the success of their wards. I thank everyone who has worked hard to make this Convocation Ceremony a success.

I wish the graduating students success in every field of life.

Professor Dr. M. Shamsheer Ali

Prof. Dr. Tareq M.R. Chowdhury
Dean
School of Arts & Social Sciences
Southeast University

The first Convocation Ceremony of the University is a momentous occasion. Much pride and sentiment goes with this eventful day. On behalf of my colleagues, students and staff in the School of Arts and Social Sciences I convey the heartfelt felicitations to the graduating students of Southeast University on this happy colorful day.

I hope you make the best use of the knowledge you have acquired and show the world that your dear Alma Mater has inculcated in you qualities of both head and heart.

I share the joy and fulfillment of the families of all our graduating students and wish the Convocation Ceremony a success.

Prof. Dr. Tareq M.R. Chowdhury

SOUTHEAST UNIVERSITY : A PROFILE

The core philosophy of Southeast University is to help students help themselves discover and develop their full potentials. That is why we have engaged our entire academic resources and extracurricular opportunities in a meticulously measured environment so that learners find all the support they need to explore and cultivate their interests.

Aiming to earn a reputation for academic excellence, Southeast University offers as Faculty a body of scholarly, creative and research oriented personnel. The Board of Governors of Southeast University will be happy to see their noble dream come true if the institution turns to be a true center of learning, a forum of ideas and a workshop of knowledge and character.

With this great expectation a group of academics, successful businessmen, professionals and education enthusiasts responded to a clarion call by Mr. Md. Rezaul Karim, a young entrepreneur, and decided to lay the foundation of yet another private University in Bangladesh which would not only excel in education, but also combine world-class education with the strength of morality. To achieve their goals, this group of education-loving entrepreneurs formed a non-profit, non-partisan, charitable organization called "South Asia Foundation (SAF)" in 2002.

Approved by the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh under the Private University Act (Act 34) of 1992, Southeast University was established in July 2002. Classes started in the temporary campus at A.R. Tower, Kamal Ataturk Avenue, Banani, Dhaka, in March, 2002 having 107 students to begin with. A six-storied building complex at Plot No. 64/B, Road 18, Banani was later commissioned. Today a humming crowd of 7500 students are studying at Southeast University in various programs under three Schools, viz. i) School of Business Studies; ii) School of Arts & Social Sciences and iii) School of Science.

ACCREDITATION & COLLABORATION

Southeast University is accredited by the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh, and its curricula as well as programs have been approved by Bangladesh University Grants Commission.

The Honorable President of Bangladesh is the Chancellor of Southeast University. The Vice-Chancellor and the Pro-Vice-Chancellor are appointees of the President of the country.

Southeast University also has an exchange program with Pennsylvania University, USA.

SOUTHEAST UNIVERSITY CONCEPT STATEMENT

To excel in education and to propagate knowledge, Southeast University stands by its avowed principle of attaining world-class education at affordable cost, and prepares tomorrow's leaders in all walks of life so that they can serve the country and humanity with an enlightened mind and conscience. Southeast University is an ardent proponent of the unification of



civilization and, as such, promotes Eastern values and welcomes Western thoughts, literature, philosophy, science and technology.

Southeast University is committed to educate young learners as complete persons of scholastic and moral standing. SEU pursues an all-out academic policy of inculcating ethical standards, norms and values and concerns of the country and nation with a view to broadening the young learners' outlook from national perspective to the global context. SEU prohibits smoking and partisan polarization in the campus.

SEU engages teaching staff with high academic background and formulates curricula of international standard spanning a wide range of subjects that are particularly relevant to the current and future needs of the society.



The University is committed to providing students with opportunities, resources and expertise to achieve academic and career goals through exploring and developing their interests in a friendly, homely, supportive and sustainable academic environment. The philosophy of SEU could be summed up in two words: **EDUCATION FIRST**

Southeast University holds the authority in its charter to provide instruction to confer Undergraduate and Postgraduate degrees. It has plans to offer M. Phil and Ph D. Programs in all branches of higher studies including Engineering, Agriculture, Law and Medical Sciences. SEU also holds the authority to grant Diplomas, Certificates and other academic distinctions.



Convocation Speaker Dr. Javid Iqbal

Dr. Javid Iqbal (b. 1924) is an eminent jurist of international repute and former Chief Justice of Lahore High Court. He retired as a Justice of the Supreme Court of Pakistan. He later on was elected Senator, in the Senate of Pakistan. It may be mentioned here that he is a worthy son of world famous poet Sir Allama Iqbal who named one of his books "Javid Nama" upon his son Javid Iqbal.

Dr. Javid Iqbal is a true friend of Bangladesh and actively supported the Liberation Movement of our country. He has been very vocal against the oppression of freedom-loving people all over the world.

SEU currently has three Schools:

- School of Business Studies.
- School of Arts & Social Sciences.
- School of Science.

SEU SCHOOL OF BUSINESS STUDIES

Under the School of Business Studies there is one Department at present,

- i) Department of Business Administration

SEU SCHOOL OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES

Under the School of Arts and Social Sciences, there are six Departments:

- i) Department of Law & Justice
- ii) Department of English
- iii) Department of Economics
- iv) Department of Islamic Studies
- v) Department of Education
- vi) Department of Development Studies

SEU SCHOOL OF SCIENCE

Under the School of Science there are five Departments:

- i) Department of Computer Science & Engineering
- ii) Department of Information & Communication Engineering
- iii) Department of Medical & Radiation Physics
- iv) Department of Textile Engineering
- v) Department of Pharmacy



BOARD OF GOVERNORS

South Asia Foundation has established the Southeast University. The Foundation is governed by a competent Board of Governors. The Board takes decisions in tune with the fundamental principles and policies the university is guided by. True to its foundation spirit, SEU is a non-profit institution. The Board of Governors makes sure that students of Southeast University get world-class education at an affordable cost. The Board consists of 26 members, with Mr. Md. Rezaul Karim as the Chairman.

FACULTIES AT SOUTHEAST UNIVERSITY

Southeast University has been developed with an emphasis on harnessing the best tools of knowledge and acquiring human precision through learning in a supportive and participatory environment. Though rapidly increasing in number members of the Faculty are engaged and developed in a manner that would support the University in accomplishing its academic, research and intellectual undertakings by providing responsive, competitive and value-added services.



LIBRARY

The SEU Library has a rich collection of books and journals on the subjects offered, and on extracurricular topics. It has a humming cyber corner that helps SEU students find access to internet reference pool. As of now the SEU Library has a collection of as many as 7000 volumes of different types of books.

PROGRAMS OFFERED AT SEU

School of Business Studies :
(a) B.B.A
(b) M.B.A

School of Arts and Social Sciences :
(a) L.L.B (Hons)
(b) L.L.M
(c) M.A in Islamic Studies
(d) B.A in Economics
(e) M.D.S
(f) B.A (Hons) in Islamic Studies

School of Science :
(a) B.Sc in CSE
(b) B.Sc in ICE
(c) M.Sc in R/P
(d) B.Pharm (Hons)
(e) B.Sc in Textile Engineering.



SPECIAL FEATURES

SEU is committed to provide quality education following the American credit system. It is based on the spirit of our national identity, culture and heritage, values and principles. Proficient and experienced academicians carefully design and develop academic course curricula. Access to PC helps all students acquire basic computer literacy. SEU strictly follows academic calendars to avoid session jams and provides special academic counselling to students in academic requirements and other complexities. The medium of instruction is English. Students are offered remedial courses on English language, if so required. Another speciality of SEU is its virtual campus, which often convenes classes without classroom, exams without textbook like a Distance Learning process involving CD, lecture sheet and audio-visual system.

A. Chancellor's Gold Medal for obtaining CGPA 4.00		
Sl. No.	Name	Program
1	Mohammad Ali	MA-IS
B. Vice-Chancellor's Gold Medal for obtaining minimum CGPA 3.85		
Sl. No.	Name	Program
1	Aba Khaled Md. Faysal Habib	BBA (MKT)
2	Farzana Alamgir	BBA (MKT)
3	Abul Kashem Md. Mohiuddin	MBA (Dist)
4	Abul Kasem Md. Abdul Hakim	MA-IS
5	Sayed Md. Mazahidul Islam	MA-IS
6	Ahmed Hossain Mamun	MA-IS
7	Md. Ismail Hossain	MA-IS
8	Md. Saidur Rahman	MA-IS
C. Dean's Gold Medal for obtaining minimum CGPA 3.75		
Sl. No.	Name	Program
1	Tasnuva Nusrat Mahezabin	BBA (FIN)
2	Syda Rezwana Aziz	BBA (MKT)
3	Md. Hazrat Ali	MBA (Reg) MKT
4	Syeha Ekramun Nahar	MBA (Reg) FIN
5	Md. Saiful Islam Khan	MBA (EXE) FIN
6	Md. Zahurul Haq	MBA (Dist) FIN
7	Md. Habibur Rahman	MA (IS)
8	Md. Moraduzzaman	MA (IS)
9	Md. Mahbub Hossain	MA (IS)
10	Selina Afroze	MA (IS)



Southeast University provides tuition in MBA and BA (Hons) and MA in Islamic Studies in the Distance Mode in Dhaka Campus and has already opened Regional Resource Centres (RRCs) at Khulna, Jessore, Chittagong, Mymensing, Rangpur, Kushtia, Pabna, Rajshahi, Barisal, Cox's Bazar & Sylhet.



ACCOMMODATION FACILITY & HEALTH-CARE

SEU offers hostel facilities for female students of the university at a reasonably affordable cost. SEU also engages experienced physicians for students' health-care.

SEU STUDENTS' ACTIVITIES

Southeast University encourages students to participate in co-curricular activities to promote their inner spirit and enterprise. The University arranges for Regional Warm-up contest, National Mathematics Olympiad, National Computer Programming Contest and such other events of academic and social interests. SEU students voluntarily come out for blood donation programs. SEU cricket team participate in Inter-Private University Cricket Championship. SEU also organizes rallies to draw attention to different social issues.



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- Mr. Kazi Shahbuddin Shahjahan
- Mr. Azharul Islam

PRIME MINISTER
GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH

I am pleased to know that the First Convocation Ceremony of Southeast University (SEU) will be held in Dhaka on 10 May 2006. I extend my greetings, felicitations and best wishes to the graduating students, teachers and management of SEU on this auspicious occasion.

The pursuit of education develops human resources and broadens the intellectual capacity of humans. Our highest seats of learning such as the universities should promote enduring knowledge and assist in the inculcation of ethical and moral values among students so that they can be turned into productive, responsible and pro-active citizens.

I extend my heartfelt congratulations to the graduating students who will receive certificates at the SEU Convocation Ceremony and wish them all success in their professional careers.

Allah Hafez, Bangladesh Zindabad.
Khaleida Zia

A. N. M. Ehsanul Hoque (Milan)
State Minister
Ministry of Education
Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

I congratulate Southeast University on its First Convocation Ceremony. It is inspiring to learn that Southeast University is trying to extend education to distant corners of the country through establishing Regional Resource Centres and by providing quality education to the people through its dual modes of education: on-Campus education and Distance education. I am happy to learn that the University has achieved great success in achieving its mission. SEU emphasizes ethical and moral values in education and hence its academic curricula include subjects and contents that uplift the moral standard of the students.

The first batch of graduates having received updated education and having been inculcated with moral values stand a good chance to vindicate their worth in a world of temptation and competition. I wish the graduating students all success in life.

I also wish the Convocation Ceremony a great success.
A.N.M. Ehsanul Hoque Milan

Md. Rezaul Karim
Chairman, Board of Governors
South Asia Foundation & Southeast University

My joy knows no bounds as I visualize the glorious procession of the class of 2005 receiving the reward of their long endeavours at the First Convocation Ceremony of the University. On behalf of South Asia Foundation (SAF) and the Board of Governors, Southeast University, I congratulate the first batch of our graduating students from the core of my heart.

It is a great moment for the founders of the University who established the University with the mission to provide world-class education at affordable costs and prepare tomorrow's leaders in all walks of life in the country with the help of a distinguished teaching staff and curriculum of international standard of education. The University is committed to providing quality education having regard for the identity of our nation, heritage, values and principles. We see to it that education here brings about an all-round development in the students.

We believe you have acquired the latest professional skills and have also imbibed the essence of morality which is built into the academic and co-curricular activities of the University. May Allah bestow His blessings on your every endeavour. On this auspicious occasion I congratulate the Vice-Chancellor and his colleagues in the administration, the Deans and other academics at SEU who worked hard with the students for this achievement. I share the joy and jubilation of the day with the parents and families of the graduating students and wish the First Convocation Ceremony a great success. May Allah grant me the luck to witness many a happy return of the day.

Md. Rezaul Karim

Professor M. Muinuddin Khan
Pro-Vice-Chancellor & Dean
School of Business Studies
Southeast University

It is my proud privilege to be the Pro-Vice-Chancellor of Southeast University. The University is progressing fast under the dynamic leadership of Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. M. Shamsheer Ali and the inspiring guidance of the founders. I am proud to be part of the first Convocation Ceremony of the University and welcome you all.

The founders, the Vice-Chancellor, the faculty and the administrative staff are determined to make concerted efforts to make SEU a center of academic excellence. I was proud to climb aboard this band wagon of eminent academics and enthusiasts. The number of students in the Business School has doubled over the last couple of years and the performance of our persevering students has brought us laurels. SEU has been adjudged the Best Business School in Bangladesh by Financial News Services (FNS) and given FNS Business Award-2005.

I have the pleasure to let you know that we have already set up a Centre of Business Research to support the research activities and to organize seminars and symposia conducted by the teachers and students of the University. This centre is responsible to publish research work of the teachers through Southeast University Journal of Business Studies, which has already published two of its issues. I am convinced that SEU is destined to make an impact in the arena of higher education in the country by producing generations of graduates who will combine moral uprightness with academic excellence.

I convey my heartfelt felicitations to the first batch of our graduating students and their proud parents on this happy occasion. I wish the Convocation Ceremony a success.
Professor M. Muinuddin Khan

Prof. Dr. Rafiqul Islam Sharif
Dean
School of Science
Southeast University

It is a great pleasure for me to welcome you all to the 1st Convocation Ceremony of Southeast University. It is a remarkable day in the history of Southeast University as well as for all the members of the Board of Governors, administrative staff, faculty and students.

I recall with pride the achievement of a 3-member team from CSE who have secured 7th place in Dhaka Regional Contest 2006 of ACM International Collegiate Programming Contest and the achievement of a faculty of CSE who secured 2nd position for his presentation of a quality research paper in ICIT-2005 conference held in IUT. The Convocation Ceremony not only recognizes the academic attainments of the graduating students but also provides a grand occasion for the elite personalities, intellectuals and academicians to exchange greetings and views on the challenges facing education.

The Southeast University is playing a very important role in the promotion of higher education in Bangladesh. I congratulate all the graduates participating in this Convocation Ceremony and wish them success and prosperity. I hope that SEU graduates will play a remarkable role for the development of Bangladesh and will contribute to the enhancement of the image of Bangladesh at home and abroad by their education, wisdom and honesty. I extend my heartfelt thanks and greetings to you all.

Prof. Dr. Rafiqul Islam Sharif