

CU reopens today

CU CORRESPONDENT
The Chittagong University (CU) reopens today after a month-long vacation on the occasions of Ramadan, Shab-e-Qadar, Eid-ul-Fitr, Martyred Intellectuals Day and Victory Day.
All classes will start from today while the offices of the university reopened on December 15.
Resident students have started returning to their respective dormitories after the long recess.

Two Thai trade fairs next year

UNB, Chittagong
As part of the ongoing efforts to boost Bangladesh-Thailand economic ties, two Thai trade fairs will be held in Dhaka and Chittagong in March-April next year.
The fair in Dhaka will be held from March 30 to April 2 and in Chittagong from April 4 to 5. Chittagong Chamber president Amir Humayun Mahmud Chowdhury said yesterday while briefing newsmen on his visit to Thailand last week.
Chowdhury led a 30-member delegation of businessmen and professionals on a familiarisation trip to Chiang Mai from December 15 to 18 and held discussions with Thai business people, tour operators and professionals.
During the meetings, businessmen of the two countries discussed possibility of further cooperation in tourism, hotel business, horticulture, healthcare, and introduction of cargo flights between Chittagong and Chiang Mai.

Sandwip pouira polls Jan 7

BSS, Dhaka
The election to the Sandwip Pouroirava will be held on January 7 next year.
The polls will be held among the candidates, who had earlier submitted nomination papers, said an Election Commission (EC) press release here yesterday.

JP protests UNB report

UNB, Dhaka
Manju-led Jatiya Party protested a UNB news item that erroneously reported that the Election Commission (EC) had permitted the Ershad-led Jatiya Party to register with the EC as the "main" Jatiya Party.
In a statement on Friday, the party's additional secretary general Sadek Siddiqi said the EC on Thursday, in fact, permitted the party led by Anwar Hossain Manju as "Jatiya Party (JP)" while the Ershad-led party as "Jatiya Party" for registering with the EC.

'Resist unplanned urbanisation, save Dhaka'

STAFF CORRESPONDENT
Speakers at a discussion yesterday warned that Dhaka might face a disaster if unplanned urbanisation goes on unabated in the city.
They said the capital city has turned into a slum of high-rise buildings due to its unplanned growth.
The speakers were participating in a discussion titled "Dhaka: Our dream city" on the third day of 2nd International Conference on Bangladesh Environment-2002 (ICBEN) at the TSC auditorium of Dhaka University.
Noted intellectual and environmental activist Abdullah Abu Sayeed spoke at the discussion as keynote speaker while Minister for Housing and Public Works Mirza Abbas attended the discussion as special guest.
Abdullah Abu Sayeed said Buriganga, Turag, Balu and Shitalaxma rivers around Dhaka are being polluted alarmingly while only one canal out of 17 now exists in the capital.
He said some roads in the new city have been built so narrowly that ambulance and fire brigade vehicles cannot enter there.
Speaking on the occasion, Dr Toufiq M Seraj, president of Real Estates and Housing Association of Bangladesh (REHAB), suggested for formulation of a strategy to identify what would be the trend of urbanisation in the next 20 to 25 years.
Saif Ull Huq, an architect, held the ambiguous nature of town planning responsible for unplanned urbanisation and suggested for an area-based construction of building to avoid such problem.
Writer Imdadul Huq Milon suggested inclusion of environmental protection issues in the textbooks from primary to college level.
Mirza Abbas expressed his fear that 80 per cent people living in buildings will die if a tremor of medium intensity jolts the city due to defective construction.
He sought help from the environmental activists to resist unplanned urbanisation in future.
Sultana Alam, convener of Dhanmondi Bachao Andolon, and Aminul Huq, convener of Rupnagar Residential Area Welfare Committee also spoke on the occasion.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Marie Stopes Clinic Society (MSCS), an NGO working in the field of Reproductive Health has shifted their Head Office to the following new address with effect from 22.12.2002.

Old Address:	New Address:
House # 12, Road # 15 (New), 28 (Old), Dhanmondi, Dhaka-1209.	House # 6/2 Block -F, Lalmatia Housing Estate, Dhaka-1207.

All concerned are requested to communicate to the above-mentioned new address. Telephone, Fax & E-mail Numbers will remain unchanged.

IMMEDIATE APPOINTMENT

A leading business house engaged in the field of Lifts and Escalators inviting application for the following posts:
Sales Executives / Engineers (5 posts): Candidates should be B.Sc. Engineer / Diploma Engineer in Electrical & Electronics. Preference will be given to the experienced candidates in the field of Sales & Marketing of Elevator & Escalators.
Attractive salary / remuneration will be offered to the deserving candidates. Interested candidates are requested to contact with their C.V., detailing experience and other particulars along with a recent passport size photograph at the following address immediately :-

Maan Bangladesh Ltd.

Head Office: Chandrashila Suvastu Tower, (4th Floor - 4B),
69/1, Panthapath, Dhaka-1205. Tel: 8622807, 8613286, 8610868
Corporate Office & Show Room: Feroz Tower (3rd floor),
152/3-B, Panthapath, Dhaka-1205. Tel: 9143020, 9143021

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বাংলাদেশ বিজ্ঞান ও শিল্প গবেষণা পরিষদ
ডঃ কুদরাত-খুদা রোড
ধানমন্ডি, ঢাকা-১২০৫



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বিসিএসআইআর-এর গবেষণাগারসমূহের ভৌত সুবিধাদি উন্নয়ন প্রকল্প, বিসিএসআইআর, ঢাকা-এর জন্য নিম্নবর্ণিত বৈজ্ঞানিক যন্ত্রপাতি সরবরাহ করার জন্য প্রকৃত প্রস্তুতকারীদের নিকট সোল এজেন্সিপ্রাপ্ত সরবরাহকারী ও স্থাপনকারীদের নিকট হইতে সীলমোহরকৃত দুই খাম বিশিষ্ট দরপত্র আহবান করা যাইতেছেঃ

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অগ্রহী দরদাতাগণ বিস্তারিত বিবরণ ও নিয়মাবলী সম্বলিত দরপত্র দলিল পত্রিকায় বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রকাশের তারিখ হইতে ১৪/০১/২০০৩ তারিখ পর্যন্ত প্রতিদিন কার্যদিবসে অফিস চলাকালীন সময়ে প্রকল্প পরিচালকের কার্যালয় হইতে উপরোক্ত যন্ত্রপাতি দরপত্র মূল্য (অফেরতযোগ্য) প্রদানপূর্বক সংগ্রহ করিতে পরিবেন অথবা প্রকল্প পরিচালক বিসিএসআইআর-এর গবেষণাগারসমূহের ভৌত সুবিধাদি উন্নয়ন প্রকল্প, বিসিএসআইআর, ঢাকা-এর নামে পে-অর্ডারের মাধ্যমে দরপত্র মূল্য এবং কুরিয়ার সার্ভিস চার্জ (২০ টাকা) সহ অনুদানপত্র পাওয়া গেলে দরপত্র ডকুমেন্ট প্রেরণ করা যাইবে।
দরপত্র ১৫/০১/২০০৩ তারিখ সকাল ১২.০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত গ্রহণ করা হইবে। বিস্তারিত বিবরণ দরপত্র দলিলে পাওয়া যাইবে।
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CAREER OPPORTUNITY

A Multinational Lease Finance Company invites application from qualified candidates for the following positions:

- General Manager/Deputy General Manager (One Post):**
 - Candidates of 40 years old or below possessing degree in MBA or Master in Commerce or Social Science having 10 years of experience in leasing or banking will be eligible to apply.
- Asstt. General Manager (One Post):**
 - Candidates of 35 years old or below possessing degree in MBA or Master in Commerce or Social Science having 8 years of experience in leasing or banking will be eligible to apply.
- Manager Internal Control/Internal Audit (One Post):**
 - Candidates of 40 years old or below possessing degree in MBA or Master in Commerce or Social Science having 8/10 years working experience in similar position in Leasing/Banks will be eligible to apply.
- Manager Credit & Marketing (2 Posts):**
 - Candidates of 35 years old or below possessing degree in MBA or Master in Commerce or Social Science having 5/8 years experience in similar position in Leasing Company or in Banks will be eligible to apply.

All candidates must be fluent in spoken & written English and Computer literate.
In all the cases terms of package will be attractive.
The eligible candidates should apply by 15th January 2003 with CV & recent passport size photograph to Box No C-2692, C/o The Daily Star, 19, Kawran Bazar, Dhaka-1215.

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Used bag factory machinery, capacity 40,000 pcs/day, revenue 12cr/yr process auto, Taiwan origin (ISO 9001) & minimal labor. Price Tk 95 lac for shania@bol-online.com 0171810119, 8911596 Ext-13. C-2695

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Boshoti Legacy, House No. 29, Apt No. B4, Road No. 6, Dhanmondi R/A, 1500 sqft., 3-bed, 4-bath. Tel: 0171-542769. C-2697

House To-Let at Baridhara
A one-unit two-storied building having 4 bedrooms with attach bathroom, a big drawing-cum-dining room, a family living room, with AC. A separate servant quarter and a garage with a space for three cars. Preference will be given to the Foreign Mission/UNDP or any Multinational Company. House No. 23, Road No. 8. Please contact: Mr. Azeem/Mr. Awal, Phone: 9558061, 9552811.

CAREER OPPORTUNITY

An international airline requires one smart male/female Marketing Officer and one Reservation and Ticketing Officer. Candidates should be fluent in English and Bengali and below age 30.
Candidates with past experience shall be preferred, but not mandatory.
Apply with Bio-Data and recent passport size photograph by 30th December at G.P.O. Box No. 205, Dhaka.

FACULTY VACANCY

International Education Centre (Completely English Medium School) requires qualified and experienced teachers for the following fields due to its fast expansion programme.

For O' Level: Accounting, Biology, Chemistry, Computing Studies, Economics, Mathematics, Physics, English Language, Geography

For Kindergarten and Primary
Excellent English background with Montessori and foreign teaching experience will get priority. We provide international standard education for University of London and University of Cambridge examinations. Most of the foreign trained faculty members with GCE background conduct the classes.

Teachers with similar teaching experience from renowned English Medium Schools and Colleges at home and abroad can apply with re'sume and two passport size photographs by December 30, 2002. Only short listed candidates will be contacted for interview.

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION CENTRE
AN ENGLISH MEDIUM SCHOOL
Campus: 1: House # 2E, Road # 16, Sector # 4, Uttara, Dhaka
Campus: 2: House # 22, Road # 17, Sector # 7, Uttara, Dhaka
Tel: 8914557, E-mail: iec@btb.net.bd C-2696

JAHURUL ISLAM MEDICAL COLLEGE

Bhagalpur, Bajitpur, Kishoregonj
CAREER OPPORTUNITY

Applications are invited against the following vacant posts:

Sl. No.	Post	Department
01	Associate/Assistant Professor	ENT / Medicine / Pathology / Anatomy / Biochemistry.
02	Resident Surgeon (RS)	Gynae & Obs.
03	Registrar	Gynae & Obs./ ENT /Medicine.
04	Medical Officer	Gynae & Obs./ Surgery / Medicine / Anaesthesiology / Pathology.
05	Lecturer	Anatomy / Pathology.

N.B. For each post qualification is required as per BMDC rule. Jahurul Islam Medical College & Hospital is located in a rural area with a goal to produce quality doctors & serve rural people. Selected candidates will be provided with attractive salary, accommodation & other facilities.

Interested candidates are requested to come with necessary documents & P.P. Photograph for interview on 2nd January 2003 (Thursday) at 11.00 AM to be held at the office of the Superintendent, Jahurul Islam Medical College & Hospital, Bhagalpur, Bajitpur, Kishoregonj. No TA/DA will be given for interview.

Convener Recruitment Committee
Jahurul Islam Medical College & Hospital
Bhagalpur, Bajitpur, Kishoregonj

* From Dhaka "Eguro-Sindhur Train" or Bus from Gulistan may be availed for journey to Bajitpur.

JALALABAD RAGIB-RABEYA MEDICAL COLLEGE

SUNAMGONJ ROAD, SYLHET
Memo no. 719/Ad/JRRMC-1546 Dated: 15th December 2002

APPOINTMENT NOTICE

1. Applications are hereby invited for filling up the following posts for various departments of Jalalabad Ragib-Rabeya Medical College & Hospital, Sylhet:

SL. NO.	Name of Position	Departments	Qualifications
1	a. Professor b. Associate Professor c. Assistant Professor d. Deputy Director	Medicine, Surgery, Gynae, Community Medicine, Anatomy, Physiology, Biochemistry, Psychiatry, Cardiology & Anesthesiology Hospital	As per existing policy/rules of PSC and BMDC.

2. Pay Scale
a. As per existing pay scale of Jalalabad Ragib-Rabeya Medical College & Hospital, Sylhet.
b. Highly qualified persons may be offered attractive salary or contact basis appointment facilities.
3. Interested candidates are requested to apply to the undersigned with CV and 2 copies of passport size photograph along with attested copies of all certificates on or before 10th January 2003.
MAJ. GEN. (RETD) PROF. MD. NAZMUL ISLAM
Principal
Jalalabad Ragib-Rabeya Medical College, Sylhet. C-2694

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TENDER NOTICE FOR COMPUTER PAPER

Sealed Tenders are invited from bonafide manufacturers/dealers/suppliers to supply 6500 Boxes perforated fanfold continuous Computer paper as per tender schedule. Tender Schedule, specifications & samples will be available at Establishment Division, (12th Floor of the Bank Building) during office hours on payment of Tk. 500/- (in the form of payment order favouring Pubali Bank Ltd., Head Office, Dhaka) No tender schedule will be sold on the tender opening day.
Quotation will be received within 11-00 A.M. on 05/01/2003 and will be opened on the same day at 11-15 A.M. in presence of the tenderers, if any.
The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all quotations without assigning any reason whatsoever.
ENGR. N.N. HAIDER
General Manager

Social Investment Program Project

Social Development Foundation
Request for Expressions of Interest for Providing Project Appraisal and Supervision Services

- This request for Expressions of Interest (EOI) follows the General Procurement Notice (GPN) for the proposed Social Investment Program Project (SIPP) that appeared in Development Business issue No. 588 of August 16, 2002.
- The People's Republic of Bangladesh has applied for a credit from the International Development Association (IDA) towards the cost of the proposed Social Investment Program Project (SIPP) and intends to apply part of the proceeds of the credit towards eligible payments under the contract for providing services to appraise and supervise community driven small-scale infrastructure subprojects by experienced consulting firms hereby named as Project Appraisal and Supervision Team (PAST) in this project.
- The project would be implemented in two districts in Bangladesh, namely Gaibandha and Jamalpur. In each district, approximately 700 villages will be covered. One PAST will operate in one district. The expected duration of the services is four years subject to satisfactory performance, which would be reviewed annually. To provide results-oriented incentives, performance based contracts will be used.
- The PAST services would essentially include: a) appraisal of community infrastructure subprojects based on technical feasibility, participation of the poor and women, expected benefits, sustainability and on environmental impact; b) provision of technical assistance and training to the grass root level implementing agencies i.e. Project Management Committee (PMC) of Community Groups (CG) in sub-project implementation; c) supervision of the subprojects; d) certification of work completion; and e) reporting on field level activities.
- Social Development Foundation (SDF) now invites eligible Firms to indicate their interest in providing these activities. Interested Consulting Firms must have proven track record of at least five years in appraisal and supervision of small-scale infrastructure works and community driven development. Interested organizations should provide information (annual reports, recommendations from previous clients; description of similar assignments;) indicating that they are qualified to perform these services.
- Consulting Firms may associate to enhance their qualifications, but should mention whether the association is in the form of a "Joint-Venture" or "Sub-consulting." In the case of an association, all members of such "association" should have real and well-defined inputs to the assignments and it is preferable to limit the total number of firms including the associates to a maximum four.
- Firms will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the World Bank's Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers, January 1997 (revised September 1997, January 1999 & May 2002).
- Interested Consulting Firms may obtain further information regarding the assignment from the address stated below between 9.00 a.m. to 4.00. p.m (Saturday through Wednesday) and 9.00 a.m. to 2.00 p.m. (Thursday) on all working days.
- Expressions of Interest must be delivered to the address below by 4.00 p.m. on January 15, 2003.

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E-mail: msdf@bdcom.com