



PRESIDENCY UNIVERSITY

(GOVERNMENT APPROVAL NO. শিম/শাঃ ১৪/১৩ বেবিঃ-৪/৯৯/৩৪০)

Tomorrow's Education Today

Our Campus in the center of Gulshan in a new independent Tower Building

House No.11/A, Road No.92, Gulshan-2, Dhaka-1212 Phone: 9896292. Website: www.PresidencyUniversity.org

Our Mission : Excellence in Learning and Conduct

Presidency University remains committed to the principles of equal opportunity to all students with appropriate qualifications regardless of religion, age, sex, nationality, social belongings, etc.

Academic session starts from September 2003

- A Superior Alternative for Higher Education at very competitive fees
- Based on the US University Academic System
- Highly Qualified and Experienced Teachers from Home and Abroad
- Well-equipped Labs, air-conditioned Classrooms and well-resourced Library
- 24-hour On-line Internet access for Faculty and Students
- Arrangements for On-Line Lectures from some North America universities
- Credits transferable to universities in USA, Canada, Australia, India and other parts of the world

All Faculty Members hold at least one Degree from a reputed foreign university. Teaching Faculty include Members from USA, Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Kharagpur and The Indian Institute of Management (IIMC), West Bengal

VICE-CHANCELLOR (designate): MR. MUSLEHUDDIN AHMAD is the Principal sponsor and pioneer in initiating the proposal for setting up of a private university in Bangladesh in 1988. His considerable expertise and rich experience as **Founder Vice Chancellor** of the first Private University of Bangladesh will help establish **Presidency University as a superior Quality Institution**. Mr. Ahmad is also former Secretary and Ambassador to the Government and currently a Columnist.

CHAIRMAN OF THE GOVERNING BOARD: MRS. ROKIA AFZAL RAHMAN, Former Adviser, Caretaker Government of Bangladesh in 2001 and currently President, Women Entrepreneurs' Association (WEA), Bangladesh and Chairman, The Daily Star.

INTERNATIONAL ADVISORY BOARD

The following distinguished personalities form the International Advisory Board :

1. Dr. Ray Hoops, President, University of Southern Indiana (USI) - Chairman
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2. Prof. Munir Qudus, Prairie-View A&M University, Texas, U.S.A.
3. Dr. Khan Zahid, Vice-President and Chief Economist, Riyadh Bank, K.S.A.

ACADEMIC LINKS

Presidency University has Academic Links with:

1. University of Southern Indiana (USI), U.S.A.
2. Embry-Riddle Aviation University, Florida, U.S.A.
3. University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign (School of Architecture), U.S.A.
4. Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Kharagpur, India (Engineering School)
5. Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Kolkata, West Bengal (MBA Program)
6. Prairie-View A&M University, Texas (School of Economics and Business), USA

Contacts are currently underway with other universities in the U.S.A., Canada, Australia and South and South-East Asia for Collaboration on Courses.

SPONSORED DEPARTMENTS

- AZIMUR RAHMAN SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING**
Sponsored by Founder Chairman MRS ROKIA AFZAL RAHMAN in memory of her illustrious husband Late Engineer Azimur Rahman.
- MOAZZAM HOSSAIN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS**
Sponsored by MR. MOAZZAM HOSSAIN, Business leader and Chairman, Hosaf Group

ADMISSION CRITERIA

- Students with successful 12 years' of schooling can apply for admission. ['O' Level with at least 5 subjects with a minimum of 10 points and 'A' Level with at least 2 subjects with a minimum of 4 points (based on the calculation of A=4, B=3, C=2 and D=1); or North American High School Diploma, International Baccalaureate, or equivalent]
- Students who have taken HSC and A-level exams but results are yet to be published can apply provisionally and take the Admission Test.
- All applicants must pass the Admission Test to be eligible for admission
- No other considerations are acceptable for admission.
- B.A., B.Com., B.Sc. pass certificate holders and Diploma Engineers in Computer Science may appear in separate Admission Tests for determination of allowable credits in 4-year Degree Programs. There will be a separate evening classes for them.

ADMISSION PROCESS

Application Forms

Application Forms to be available from August 7, 2003 from Presidency University Campus (House # 11/A, Road # 92, Gulshan-2, Dhaka-1212).

A fee of Tk.200/- (non-refundable) only for processing the application is payable. For overseas applicants, the fee shall be US\$4/- only. In order to receive application forms by mail, please write to the Admission Office along with a bank draft or pay order for Tk.200/- in favor of Presidency University, along with a self-addressed stamped envelope.

Application Package

The completed application package must be submitted to the Admission Office by August 21, 2003. An application must include the following documents:

- i. application form duly filled-in
- ii. two passport-size photograph
- iii. legible copies of SSC/ 'O'-Level and HSC/ 'A'-Level or Equivalent Examination certificates and mark sheets/transcripts

Admission Test

Admission Test in Mathematics, English and Analytical Ability will be held on August 24, 2003. Applicants must be seated by 8:45 AM and the test will begin at 9:00 AM.

- Applicants seeking admission to major in English (Literature and Language) will have a separate question paper with more emphasis on English language skills.
- The decision for admission shall be taken by the Admission Committee based on the candidate's academic ability and result/score in the admission test.
- The Admission Committee's decision shall be final.
- Selected applicants must complete admission formalities by September 10, 2003.
- Admission test is waived for applicants with a minimum score of 1200 in SAT and 550 in TOEFL.
- Candidates studying at other recognized universities may seek admission, but the decision on their credit transfer will be taken by the Admission Committee.

Admission Tests for admission in Engineering Programs will be held in the first week of September 2003. Exact date to be announced.

Students and Parents are welcome to visit the Campus

MEMBERS OF THE GOVERNING BOARD

**Uniqueness of the Governing Board:
Women Members 53%, Male Members 47%**

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