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From 19<sup>th</sup> June 2005, applications for all categories of Thai visas should be submitted to the new Thai Visa Application Centre in Dhaka.  
The Thai Visa Application Centre will be run by VFS Bangladesh Pvt Ltd. A service charge of Taka 490.00 will be levied per application.  
The Thai Visa Application Centre will be located at:  
**Dhaka**  
Plot # 2 (A), Star Centre, Road # 138  
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Enquiry Help line: 8829585  
Timings: 0800-1300 hours and 1400-1600 hours Sunday-Thursday  
There is no change in Thai Immigration rules and the decision making process for the issuance of Thai visas will remain solely with the Royal Thai Embassy.  
The Thai Visa Application Centre will process all applications and subsequently arrange interview times at the Royal Thai Embassy for the applicants who would need one. Applicants who would not need an interview will normally be given a decision within 3 working days in Dhaka.  
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You must have:  
• Masters in Law from a reputed university or Bar-at-Law.  
• At least 4-5 years experience in handling compliance & legal affairs preferably in corporate environment.  
• Good knowledge of local, international laws and ethical practices and able to work independently, demonstrating high ethical standards.  
• Excellent communication skills in Bengali & English coupled with problem solving abilities.  
• Effective interpersonal skills with visible positive attitude and quick adaptability.  
• Age below 35 years.  
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Topic : The University of Our Desires in light of the constitution.  
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Length : Not more than 4000 words.  
Language : Bangla or English.  
Entries should be sent to : Syed Ishtiaq Ahmed and Associates Concord Ovalash, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Apt No. 1/C, House No. 62, Road No. 11A, Dhanmondi, Dhaka.  
Entries should be accompanied by : A certification of the institution the participant belongs to, to the effect that he/she is an eligible participant.  
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