2nd Convocation



SOUTHEAST UNIVERSITY



PRESIDENT PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH



I am very pleased to learn that Southeast University (SEU) is going to hold its 2nd Convocation on May 12, 2008. On this auspicious occasion, I heartily congratulate the graduates of the various departments and wish their successful career ahead.

Message

I have learnt that Southeast University has been doing very well in imparting higher education in different branches of knowledge, and is contributing towards development of human resources of the country. Keeping in view the present market needs and future demands, this university designs curricula and arranges for adequate facilities for the students pursuing various Degree programs. I am happy to note that the Southeast University is now adequately poised to cater for ICT based education which is so urgently needed for the developed of skilled human resources in the country.

In this age of Globalization and Consumerism, with the world burdened with increased population, pollution soaring high and natural disasters frequenting, the fresh graduates may have to face unforeseen challenges ahead. I therefore invite the graduates to take up arms against all odds and serve their motherland with utmost sincerity and veneration.

wish the Convocation all success.

Allah Hafez, Bangladesh Zindabad.

3005 Professor Dr. lajuddin Ahmed



CONVOCATION SPEAKER FORMER CHIEF JUSTICE OF BANGLADESH Message

I am immensely pleased and honored to be the Convocation Speaker at the Second Convocation Ceremony of Southeast University. I heartily congratulate the graduating students of various departments and wish them successful career and a happy life ahead.

Southeast University has proved itself to be one of the most prestigious seats of learning in the Private University community of Bangladesh. Over the past years, this university witnessed continuous inflow of aspiring students and has arranged for all infrastructural and peripheral facilities to give back to them only the best. As a result, the graduates' of Southeast University have earned a good name and fame for themselves in different spheres of the society, and in turn, have been able to uphold the image and reputation of their dear Ala Mater.

I hope the university will grow further to claim its position as an institution of note in the South East Asia, and do justice to its own name.

I also wish the Second Convocation of Southeast University a grand success.

May Allah bless us all and keep us in good spirit.

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CHAIRMAN BOARD OF GOVERNORS SOUTH ASIA FOUNDATION & SOUTHEAST UNIVERSITY

What function is to an orchard, convocation is to a university. It's a special event that brings students, faculties, administration, parents, awardees together in a festive atmosphere to celebrate the accomplishment of the University's finest students. It's an occasion to recognize those special students whose intelligence, dedication and hard work have contributed greatly to the academic life of this University. I on behalf of the South Asia Foundation (SAF) and the Board of Governors, Southeast University congratulate all those who have made this august 2nd convocation happen.

It seems that our dreams come true faculty by faculty, batch by batch, and I am really delighted to se the continuous success of this outstanding institution. Southeast University is outstanding in the sense that its aim has all along been to excel in higher education with a strong commitment for moral rearmament, while pragmatism has been the key component of Southeast University's efforts to turn to need based education. That is already manifest in our practical disciplines at par with other basic fountain-heads of knowledge.

Let me express how proud we are with finest student under the enlightened tutelage of the Vice-Chancellor, the Pro-Vice Chancellor, the Deans, academics, members of the administration and staff of Southeast University.

To me, it's indeed a lifetime's treasure to see the university surging ahead in its maiden academic journey in which the 2nd Convocation will remain as a glaring milestone.

May the Almighty be kind to bestow the gift of knowledge upon us. Allah Hafez.

DA HO Md. Rezaul Karim



PRO-VICE CHANCELLOR SOUTHEAST UNIVERSITY



Message

I was one person who was a strong advocate for private sector initiative in our education, especially at the higher level. That advocacy emanated from my belief that competition always produces better results and also Govt. alone cannot bear the expenses for the ever growing demand for higher education in our country. In the process, I lent a support to the Govt. initiative in making the Private University Act of 1992. We are concerned at quality of education in the country which seems to have deteriorated over time; this is yet to be over turned.

Some good souls came forward and founded the Southeast University in 2002 solely for the purpose of imparting good education to the students. By now the Southeast University has become one of the fastest growing private universities in Bangladesh. However, modernization and infrastructural development are still going on and will continue. One of the objectives of the Southeast University is to make education available at an affordable price to all classes of people of this country. The Southeast University hires academic faculties and administrative staff from a competitive environment. The University is expanding fast with the regular addition of new academic courses, installation of laboratories and acquisition of physical facilities. At present the Southeast has 150 faculty members and more than 12,000 students.

In our endeavor, we hope to have cooperation and support from the regulators like UGC and the Govt. of Bangladesh, and the public at large. I welcome the graduating students and wish them the best of luck for the coming years.

Professor Abu Ahmed



SCHOOL OF BUSINESS STUDIES



Message

I congratulate the students of BBA and MBA program who have received today formal recognition of their graduation. This is a very happy day for us. You and your parents should feel lucky that you succeeded in graduating from this reputed School of Southeast University. From its inception in July 2002, the School of Business Studies has turned out to be an institution of excellence in terms of quality business education in Bangladesh. The process of further development of this great institution is going on. On this day of 2nd Convocation, we acknowledge the contribution of Board of Governors of South Asia Foundation and Southeast University who created this great institution. Under the dynamic leadership of our Vice-Chancellor, Pro-Vice Chancellor and all key executives of Southeast University, it is my sincere belief that we shall soon be able to make this institution as number one in the country.

In this university we have taken care of you in terms of both best academic and administrative services. Teachers in the department were the best in their areas having long experience of teaching. All credit must go to them for their excellent role in reshaping your life. You entered the university as raw material and we have converted you into a finished product of very high quality. We were basically adding value in you for becoming an entrepreneur or an executive in the job market. We continually changed our course-curricula and teaching methodology to impart the best possible education to you.

Finally, I again congratulate you all for passing out and entering into a new professional life. You must use all your knowledge gained during your academic life and prove to everybody that Southeast University has made you a capable person. The certificate you are holding now will open up a new era in your life. May Almighty help you in all your future endeavors.

Prof. Dr. Syed Masud Husain

Southeast University: A Profile

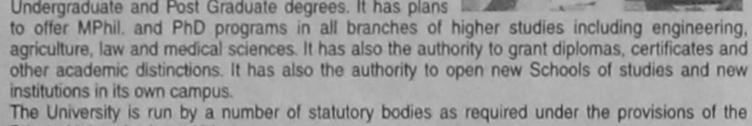
Southeast University is pledged to create a knowledge-based society. Understanding the need and value of higher education to build a happy and prosperous Bangladesh, a group of dedicated educationists and enthusiasts discussed the prospects of establishing a private university that would uphold the torch of knowledge and would pursue quality education in a quiet, trouble-free and congenial academic environment. Ultimately a university named "Southeast University (SEU)" started its journey in the month of June 2002 as a private university under the 'Private University Act 1992'. The Honorable President of the People's Republic of Bangladesh is the Chancellor of SEU. From the very beginning till now SEU has been following the policy of not treating education as a commercial product, and is firmly committed to serve the society without having any commercial motive, whatsoever. Creation of SEU was a visionary decision in the face of ever increasing demand for updated specialized education in Bangladesh. With the phenomenal rise in enrolment coupled with quality of education. SEU is now comparable with the best of universities in Bangladesh and abroad.

The vision of Southeast University (SEU) is to flourish as a prestigious seat of learning in the South Asian region. As a center of excellence, it aims at attracting students from all countries of the region.

The mission of (SEU) is to provide higher education to students of Bangladesh at an affordable cost, keeping in view the challenges of the twenty first century. And this mission will be achieved by imparting world class education and providing research facilities so that the students can attain their full intellectual, social, and personal potentials. SEU is committed to developing human capital by cultivating creative thinking in individuals. It offers education through both campus and ICT-based online modes of teaching.

Goal and Scope

The goal of the University is to provide excellent modern education for students with a view to equipping them with the skill and knowledge necessary to lead the country in its quest for development. Along with this, the University also aims at producing students of high moral standard in its students. Southeast University (SEU) has the authority, under its charter, to provide instruction to confer Undergraduate and Post Graduate degrees. It has plans



Private University Act, 1992.

Southeast University Authorities

The Board of Governors (BOG) of South Asia Foundation provides policy guidelines and approves the University Budget. The BOG is headed by the Chairman, Mr. Md. Rezaul Karim, an illustrious industrialist of the country and Managing Director of Kohinoor Chemical Co. (BD) Ltd. The Management Board is the second highest body. It consists of BOG members, Vice-Chancellor, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Deans and representatives of the Faculty and University administration.

The Vice-Chancellor, as the chief executive and academic head, runs the University with the help of the following bodies:

Academic Council Development Committee Equivalence Committee Library Committee

Finance Committee Curriculum Committee Selection Committee **Examination Committee** Faculty Academic Committee Degree Review Committee Disciplinary Committee Faculty Search Committee

All these bodies operate within the framework of the Private University Act 1992. The Registrar maintains all the records including admissions and examination results, and keeps liaison with Ministry, University Grants Commission (UGC) and other relevant authorities.



Prof. Dr. M. Shamsher Ali, a renowned scientist and educationist of international repute joined this university as founding Vice Chancellor on the first of July 2002. He set some goals which include (i) the offering of as many useful programs/subjects as possible to keep abreast of the most modern demand, (ii) the introduction of ICT-based or Online-based education using the most modern system of interactive electronic communication for the students of remote areas and service holders who are not able to attend the campus regularly, and (iii) the initiation of research activities. By the grace of the Almighty, we

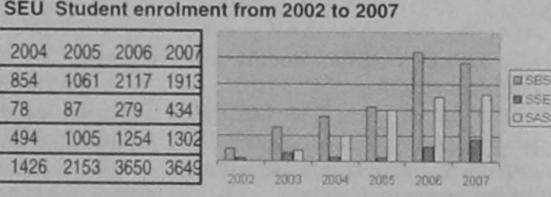
have, within this short span of time, achieved some of these goals. Pro-Vice Chancellor, Professor Abu Ahmed, renowned economist joined SEU on 1st January 2008 to strengthen the team of administration at SEU. By his induction into the SEU family, the University will be immensely benefited in the years to come. He has already started working on

Semester-wise Enrolment Position

The following Table shows the enrolment of students at SEU in three Schools (School of Business Studies, School of Science & Engineering, and School of Arts & Social Sciences) over the years:

2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 SBS 242 645 854 1061 2117 1913 SSE 66 155 78 87 279 434 SASS 0 211 494 1005 1254 1302 Total 308 1011 1426 2153 3650 3649

the expansion of physical facilities for SEU and on quality education.



The first Convocation of Southeast University was held on 10 May 2006. Prof. Dr. lajuddin Ahmed, Hon'ble President of the People's Republic of Bangladesh and Chancellor of Southeast University conferred degrees upon 441 graduates. Most of these graduates are now employed in national organizations, banks and multinational companies.

The 2nd Convocation of the Southeast University on 12 May, 2008 is another red letter day in the history of this University. All the developments we had in the past will be reinforced through this Convocation.

Schools, Departments and Programs The following Table describes the different programs offered by SEU under different departments of the three Schools:

School of Business Studies

4-year BBA 20-month MBA Regular 20-month MBA ICT-based

1-year MBA (only for 4-year BBA graduates) 16-month MBA Executive

School of Arts & Social Sciences

Law & Justice 4-year LLB (Hons); 2-year LLB (Pass) 2-year LLM (Part-1 / Preliminary and Part-2/Final)

Islamic Studies Economics 4-year BA (Hons)* 4-year BSS (Hons) 1-year MA; 2-year MA * [* Campus & ICT-based]

Education 1-year BEd; 1 year MEd

English

1-year MA

4-year BA (Hons)

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School of Science & Engineering

Computer Science & Engineering 4-year BSc in CSE Information & Communication Engineering 4-year BSc in ICE Pharmacy 4-year BPharm (Hons) Textile Engineering 4-year BSc in Textile Engineering Dept. of Medical & Radiation Physics 16-month M Sc in MRP



SCHOOL OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES

Message

I feel privileged to be a member of the family of Southeast University on the eve of its 2nd Convocation Ceremony. Please allow me to take this opportunity to congratulate all of those who will be receiving their graduation degrees during this Convocation.

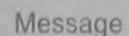
As an ardent advocate of market economy, I firmly believe that Government of the country alone cannot take the responsibility of imparting higher education to all the deserving young people of the country. Like that in the advanced countries, private sector must come forward to impart quality education to the young generation with particular emphasis on the need of the hour and need of the country. Southeast University has been making its remarkable and glorious strides in the realm of privately organized and personally financed higher education in this country. As a centre of excellence, the quality of our graduates speaks for the motto we pursue here in the Southeast University-Quality Education at Affordable Price. But this does not mean that the door of Southeast University is closed to those who cannot afford to pay for their higher education. In fact, the meritorious students enjoy tuition waiver and other scholarships here based on their respective performances and achievements. And, we hope, the day is not far off when brilliant students of the country will be attracted by the Southeast University as a Centre of Excellence in large number and their cost of education will be at least partially financed by the Government of the country.

I once again congratulate our graduating students and wish them not only success in personal life but also urge them to carry forward the undying hope of building a prosperous Bangladesh for the benefit of

Prof. Dr. Abul Kalam Azad



CHIEF ADVISER GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH



I am happy to learn that Southeast University is going to hold its second convocation ceremony in Dhaka on 12 May 2008. On this occasion, I extend my felicitations to the graduating students, their parents, the faculty members and management of the university.

hope that the graduating students will build up a successful professional career and contribute towards the socio-economic development of the country.

wish the 2nd convocation of Southeast University all success.

- polimed Fakhruddin Ahmed



Foreign Adviser Dr. Iftekhar Ahmed Chowdhury patronizing Textile students rally





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Chancellor's Merit Awardees

SI.	Name	Program	CGPA
1.	Salma Banu	MBA	3.99
21	Md. Anamul Haque	MA-IS	3.91
3.	Mohammad Shamim Waheed	CSE	3.86

Vice Chancellor's Merit Awardees School of Business Studies

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1	Tahniyat Ahmed Karim	MBA	3.97
2	Md. Manikur Rahman	MBA	3.95
3	Mahfuza Akther	MBA	3.94
4	Md. Khaled Morshed Sabuz	MBA	3.94
5	Rumana Hasan	BBA	3.93

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1	Md. Mahbubul Alam	MA-IS	3.87
2	Mohammad Abdul Awoul	MA-IS	3.85
3	Md. Nurul Islam	BA-IS	3.85
4	Md. Rostam Ali	MA-IS	3.83
5	Iqbal Ahammed Khan	LLM	3.82

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Mohammad Amzad Hossain

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School of Arts & Social Sciences

	SI.	Name	Program	CGPA
	1	Mohammad Jamal Uddin	MA-IS	3.81
	2	Shahadat Hossain	LLM	3.81
	3	Md. Munir Iqbal Hamid	MA-IS	3.77
1	4	Jhuma Halder	LLM	3.75
	5	Rubaiyet Aziz	BEd	3.75



MINISTRY OF EDUCATION MINISTRY OF COMMERCE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH



Message

I congratulate the students and the family of Southeast University (SEU) on the occasion of the Second Convocation on 12 May 2008.

The education students receive here is reflected in their academic excellence and behaviour they are supposed to prove their worth in real life. In this competitive age, only the competent students get their deserved places. Southeast University provides a better soil to cultivate the students' creativity and tap their latent talents.

The present government is determined to ensure the quality of education in the private sector specially for the University level education.

The second batch of graduating students will, I hope, contribute towards the common good of Bangladesh and its people like the first batch, and the successive batches will follow.

My heartiest congratulations to all graduates and the family of Southeast University.



Dr. Hossain Zillur Rahman

CHAIRMAN UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION OF BANGLADESH

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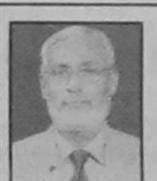
Education enlightens and ennobles hearts of thousands and paves the way to the true accomplishment leading to unqualified success. Universities impart the desired education to the students. Along with public universities, private universities are also making perceptible headway imparting quality education. Southeast University is itself a co-passenger in this journey towards progress and potency.

of anything keeping quality in the backseat. In our country, private universities are in a nascent stage. With lots of hindrances and constraints, private universities are striving to ensure enduring quality education. Southeast University with its limited resources is striding ahead capitalizing on the dedication of the teachers and students and efforts of the administration. But there is no room to live in self-complacency. The emphasis that Southeast University has laid on ICT based education will be great value in human resource development The Second Convocation of Southeast University is another milestone by its own right. I am

delighted at its prospect. I congratulate students who successfully graduated from this University, and also congratulate their honoured parents and teachers for their inestimable contribution.

wish all the students a successful life of happiness.

Nazrwtolam Professor Nazrul Islam



VICE CHANCELLOR SOUTHEAST UNIVERSITY

If the first Convocation Ceremony was the coronation crown to this great seat of learning that has

The first batch of our graduates has entered the job market. They have brightened the image of the University. We only hope that our quest for excellence will grow from strength to strength in the

come to make its mark in the annals of time, the second Convocation Ceremony adds to it another

feather of achievement. It is my proud privilege once again to preside over the euphoria. The occasion

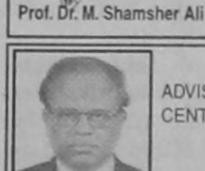
again reminds me of the dream of the founders of the University to provide high quality education at

affordable costs, and to produce graduates who will make significant contribution towards building up

Meanwhile, we have expanded our Campus Mode program by introducing BEd and MEd under the School of Arts and Social Sciences, and BSc in Textile Engineering under the School of Science and Engineering. Three other programs -BA (Hons) in Bengali, MA in English and BSc (Hons) in Architecture under the two Schools are in the pipeline. And through ICT-based education system of international standard, we have been trying heart and soul to fulfil the commitment of the founders of the University to reach higher education to every nook and corner of the country. In respect of quality education, I have only one message to students: You are living in a highly competitive age of Knowledge Economy, and thus you have only one class to attain in all your academic programs. And that class is the World Class.

On behalf of the Deans of Schools, the faculty and the staff of Southeast University, I convey the warmest felicitations to the graduating students who pursued their education in Campus and ICT based Modes. I heartily congratulate their parents on the success of their wards. I thank all who have worked hard to make this Convocation Ceremony a success.

I wish the graduating students every success in life.



ADVISER CENTER FOR OPEN & VIRUTAL LEARNING (COVIL)

To achieve 'education for all' as envisaged in the millennium development goals (MDG), one step

would be to provide higher education for the maximum number of people.

Message

This has proved a success in many countries through ICT-enabled practices. To help millions of deprived but willing people, who for various reasons could not receive campus-based education, the best mode at affordable cost, pace and time has been found in open and virtual learning or elearning. This mode is no more 'non-conventional' after worldwide web has been in place.

So far, only one public university in Bangladesh has been rendering this service. With the growth of interested learners and to cope with fast globalization, it is time private universities with more competitive resources also came forward for this national task. Southeast University, through its exclusive and newly-strengthened Center for Open and Virtual Learning (COViL), has been making strong efforts to address this emerging challenge. Here, with the

aid of eleven ICT-based regional learning centers all over Bangladesh, COViL is determined to attain qualitative expansion. Web-based and interactive teaching, audio and video conferencing, wider use of the internet, and weekly face-to-face tuition for some courses - are but a few of the new technologies here which will not only supplement conventional system, but will also pave the way for bridging the great divide between traditional and 'non-traditional' mode of learning and for bringing higher education closer to a learner's easy reach.

On the grand occasion of this 2nd Convocation, I warmly congratulate all graduates in general and those having benefited from ICT-based education, in particular. I wish them the very best. Mangured Lolan. Professor Dr. Manzurul Islam



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DEAN SCHOOL OF SCIENCE & ENGINEERING

Message

It is a great pleasure for me to be associated with Southeast University as an academician. The University is progressing very fast under the dynamic leadership of Vice-Chancellor Prof Dr. M. Shamsher All and the inspiring guidance of the honorable members of the Board of Governors. I feel proud to be part of the 2nd Convocation Ceremony of the University.

Most of the countries have been progressing very rapidly by the application of modern science and information communication technology. The number of students in the departments of Computer Science & Engineering, Information & Communication Engineering, Pharmacy and Textile Engineering under the School of Science & Engineering have been increasing tremendously from this year due to quality education system at SEU.

greetings and views on the challenges facing education. The Southeast University is playing a very important role in the promotion of higher education in

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

I congratulate all the graduates participating in the 2nd 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.

Prof. Dr. Rafigul Islam Sharif

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