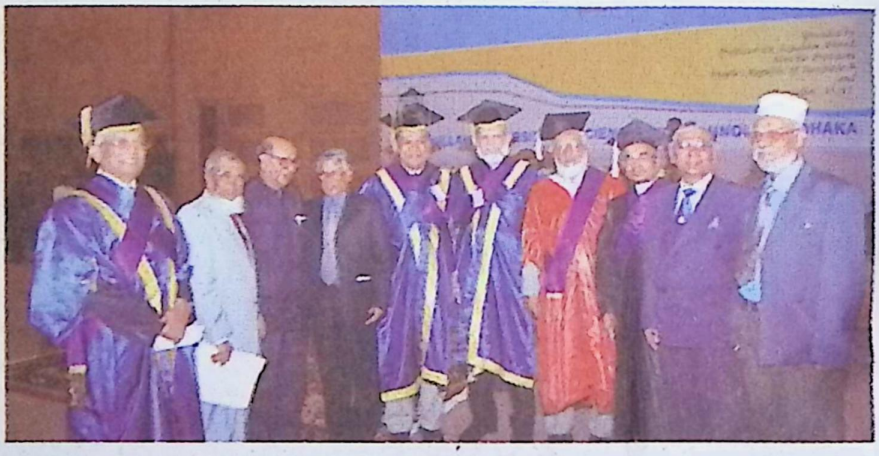
The 3rd Convocation of AUST

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THE 3rd Convocation of Ahsanullah University of Science and Technology (AUST) was held on Sunday, 09 November 2008. At the Bangladesh-China Friendship Conference Center, Dhaka. A total number of 1650 were conferred Bachelors and Masters' degrees in seven disciplines including Architecture, Civil Engineering, CSE, EEE, Textile Technology, Business Administration and Education. Seven students were awarded 'Khan Bahadur Ahsanullah Padak' for their outstanding academic performances.

Prof. Dr. Iajuddin Ahmed, Hon'ble President of the People's Republic of Bangladesh and Chancellor, AUST presided over the ceremony. Justice ATM Afzal, Former Chief Justice of Bangladesh graced the occasion as Convocation Speaker.

Prof. Dr. M. Anwar Hossain, Vice-Chancellor, AUST and Mr. Kazi Rafiqul Alam, President, Dhaka Ahsania Mission and President and Syndicate Chairman, AUST also spoke on the occasion.



Professor Nazrul Islam, Chairman, University Grants Commission, Prof. Dr. Kazi Shariful Alam, Treasurer, AUST, Deans of the Faculties, AUST, Distinguished Vice-Chancellors of other Universities, Members of the AUST syndicate, academic Council, Finance and Development Committee, teachers and officers, parents and guardians of the graduating Students were present on the solemn occasion.

Mr. Kazi Rafiqul Alam as the President and Syndicate Chairman of the University handed over a Crest to the Hon'ble President of the People's Republic of Bangladesh and Chancellor, AUST on behalf of the University.

Following the Convocation a dinner was arranged at night at the University Campus where graduates and distinguished guests participated.

Seminar held at Pharmacy Dept. KU

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PHARMACY Department of Khulna University organized a seminar on "Search for bioactive natural products targeting cancer-related signaling pathways" on 18 November 2008 at KU auditorium. Prof. Masami Ishibashi, Head of Laboratory of Natural Products Chemistry, Chiba University of Japan, was present as the Keynote Speaker at the seminar. Honorable Vice Chancellor of KU Prof. Dr. Md. Saifuddin Shah was the Chief Guest and Prof. Dr. M. Rakib Uddin, Dean, Life Science School of KU was the Special Guest at the seminar. The programme was chaired by Dr. Samir Kumar Sadhu Head, Pharmacy Discipline of KU. Dean of Biological Science of JU & teachers of other disciplines were also present at the seminar.



Launching of The Duke of Edinburgh's Award at UIU

THE Duke of Edinburgh's Award was launched at the United International University on 23rd October'08. Vice Chancellor of the University Prof. Dr. Rezwan Khan graced the occasion as the Chief Guest and Mr. Shah Masud Imam, Honorary Secretary of The Duke of Edinburgh's Award Foundation, Bangladesh & Regional Head of Corporate Affairs, South Asia of the Standard Chartered Bank was present as the Special Guest. Mr. Suman Kumar Saha, National Director of The Duke of Edinburgh's Award Foundation, Bangladesh, Mr. Suman Ahmed, Award Coordinator and Director of Student Affairs of UIU and Mr. Jashodhan Saha, Award Leader and Senior Lecturer of the University also spoke on the occasion.