Orientation Ceremony for newly admitted students of East West University held

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THE orientation ceremony for freshly admitted students of East West University Bangladesh (EWUB) was held on 14th January at the EWUB auditorium where the parents and guardians of the freshers were present. Mubdi A Shelley, Professor Mohammed Sharif, Colonel Shah Murtoza Ali (Retd), Md Kamrul Hasan, respectively the Acting President of the Board of Directors, Vice Chancellor, Registrar and Pro Vice Chancellor spoke on the occasion. The speakers impressed upon the guardians about the importance of closely monitoring the academic performance of the students. At the end of each semester a transcript of each student's performance is sent to the guardians to let them know about their ward's academic performance or lack thereof. Students are admitted to the university through a very rigorous process. For this semester Spring 2009 out of 2712 who appeared in the admission test, only 702 of them could be admitted. EWUB has an excellent Library and state-of-the art labs. The faculty members include as many as 84 PhD holders and many have Masters degree from different prestigious overseas universities. The VC in his speech highlighted the importance of extra-curricular activities in addition to the curricular ones for the personal development of students.

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BUBT organizes seminar on Tagore

THE English Department of Bangladesh University of Business & Technology (BUBT) organized a seminar entitled 'The voyage-in Tagore and London' on 7th January. M.S. Rizawana Siddiq Tulip was the main speaker at the seminar. Her scholarly article enchanted the audience with intellectual enlightenment of discovering Rabindranath Tagore in a new light. In her lecture Tulip discussed various aspects of Tagore's life and works on the ground of London. A number of teachers and students of different departments attended the seminar. Mr A F M Sarwar Kamal, Chairman, BUBT Syndicate, Prof Md Abu Saleh, Vice Chancellor, BUBT, Prof Md Ali Azam, Pro-Vice Chancellor, BUBT, Prof Md Enayet Hossain Miah, Registrar, BUBT, Prof A.B. Md Bodruddoza, Controller of Examination, BUBT, Prof Abu Taher Mojumder, Dean, Faculty of Arts and Humanities and of Social Sciences, BUBT were present at the seminar. Prof Md Harunur Rashid, Formerly Professor of English, Department of English, Jahangirnagar University presided over the seminar.

Orientation of BBA at SEU

Morsheda Moury

AN orientation program for the batch 21 of BBA students was held On Monday 12 th January 2009,on seminar hall of SEU. Prof Dr. M Shamsher Ali, Vice Chancellor, Southeast University, welcomed the new student.

He mentioned that the graduates of this program would find a broad spectrum of outlook about the society as well as their own benefit. Prof Dr Sayed Masud Hossain, Dean, School of Business Studies, and Prof Abu Ahmed, Pro vice chancellor of SEU Dr. Helal Uddin Ahmed, Chairman of Department of Business Administration also spoke on the occasion.

Seminar on Computer and Internet held at SEU

A seminar on Application of Computer and Internet for Promotion of Distance Education in Bangladesh was held on 31 December, 2008 at the Conference Room of Southeast University, organized by its Center for Open and Virtual Learning (COViL). The two guest speakers were Prof Shahjahan Khan, University of Southern Queensland and Dr Mohammad Rasul, Central Queensland University.

Prof. M Shamsher Ali, the VC of SEU was present as Chief Guest, Prof. Abu Ahmed, the ProVC was the Special Guest while Prof. Dr Manzurul Islam, Adviser, COViL was in the Chair. Deans of the schools attended the meeting along with other discussants.

The speakers emphasized on technology oriented educational system in Bangladesh as this has been successfully in operation in Australia and other places of the world. They appreciated the functioning of open and virtual Learning in Southeast University like other virtual universities of the World.