



IBA Graduation 2011

Institute of Business Administration
University of Dhaka



Spread your wings

MBA 43
EMBA 4, 5 & 6



Message from Vice Chancellor

Congratulations to the graduating students of MBA 43rd batch and EMBA 4th, 5th and 6th batches of Institute of Business Administration (IBA), Dhaka University.

Your graduation day marks the years of study and effort you have devoted to earn this degree and past qualifications. You deserve to be proud of your accomplishments and celebrate them. We salute you.

You will find that your degree from the most prestigious business institution of the country will shape your life forever and your experience at IBA will remain in your memory hopefully as a remarkable journey from which you have learned important lessons. These will serve as a guide in the future to reach your aspired goals and to achieve great things in life.

A sound education serves to improve your inherent qualities and inspires you to become dynamic, innovative and creative human beings. It prepares you for your upcoming journey of life. It shapes you to become successful and be the leaders of tomorrow.

However, you must keep in mind that your success is not measured from what you get out of life but from what you give back. Therefore, I urge you all to give back to your Motherland, Bangladesh. Contribute in whatever small way you can. You will often hear others say that our country needs great leaders. But I believe what we really require are great patriots of the country, who will be committed towards serving the country. We must all remember, our country is only as successful as we are willing to make it and our passivity only promotes slow degeneration of our Motherland.

On this special day, take the time to thank and celebrate with your parents who made it all possible, your teachers who made today valuable and your friends who made the last two years unforgettable.

I want to finish by reiterating my best wishes and congratulations on all your achievements – past, present and future.

Professor Dr. A A M S Arefin Siddique
Vice Chancellor
University of Dhaka



Message from Pro Vice Chancellor

I extend my heartfelt congratulations to all the graduates of MBA 43rd batch and EMBA 4th, 5th and 6th batches of IBA.

This day marks the end of a chapter of your life and you move on with mixed feelings – relief, sadness, happiness, anticipation, hope...

At this juncture, one of the most important things to keep in mind is that learning is a life-long process. Learning does not stop with graduation. An important lesson in life is to remember that we tend to learn more from our failures than from our successes. So my advice to you is to embrace your mistakes, learn from them, and grow. Keep this thirst for learning alive.

I am sure with your merit and the name of the most esteemed business institution attached with you, you will ace every aspect of your life. I hope that you all will continue the legacy of IBA of being the cream of the crop, and become talented and avant-garde leaders to steer the country to new heights of economic development.

I would like to conclude by reiterating my best wishes to you all. I hope you achieve success in all your future endeavors and have a prosperous and fulfilling life.

Professor Dr. Harun-or-Rashid
Pro Vice Chancellor
University of Dhaka



Message from Director

Dear Graduates,

It is of great joy for me to witness this grand event of your life which I am sure will be cherished by you and your family for a long time.

For those of you who are fresh graduates will of course embark yourselves in an unknown terrain which you will find very different from your classroom settings. However, from our past experience we know that our graduates go through the transformation smoothly for which we take great pride.

For EMBA and MBAs having work experience, you have a greater challenge of re-launching yourselves as business graduates if your present occupation is in some other fields. You have to make serious career choices keeping your long term and short term goals in mind.

IBA is a great institute which thrives on its strength as quality provider of business education in the region. In keeping with our value system we trust that you will contribute positively to the social and economic upliftment of our nation and maintain the ethical standards that are set by your predecessors.

On this memorable day, I congratulate you, your parents, spouses and teachers for the success that you have manifested.

Professor G M Chowdhury
Director
Institute of Business Administration
University of Dhaka

Milestone

- 1966: Establishment of IBA with MBA Program
- 1970: Introduction of M. Phil. and Ph.D. Program
- 1993: Introduction of BBA Program
- 2007: Introduction of Executive MBA Program

International Linkages and Collaboration

1. IBA Karachi and IBA Dhaka have signed an MOU in June 2011 to promote and expand international development, understanding and friendship by stimulating and supporting educational, professional and intercultural activities.
2. An MOU has been signed between IBA and Quinnipiac University, New Heaven, USA in 2011 to establish and facilitate educational cooperation and academic exchanges.
3. A faculty fellowship MOU namely Wells-Ghani faculty fellowship has been signed between IBA and Kelly School of Business, Indiana University in December 2012. This initiative is a landmark in renewing the linkage between IBA and Indiana University, which was IBA's founding partner in 1966.
4. A collaboration on student exchange and transfer arrangements are in the process of finalization between IBA and University of Surrey following the visit of Director, IBA to Surrey in December 2011 and subsequent reciprocal visit of the Surrey officials to IBA in February 2012.
5. IBA is one of the key founder member (1988) of the Association of Management Development Institutions of South Asia (AMDISA) which is headquartered at Hyderabad, India. The association caters to faculty and institutional development of their member organizations and also provides accreditation of business schools known as South Asian Quality Assurance Service (SAQS).

Management Development Program (MDP)

The Management Development Program of the institute is geared towards helping individual managers and organizations augment their management development efforts. The services provided by the program include management trainings, seminars, workshops and executive forums. A Chairperson heads the Management Development Program. At present the program is headed by Professor Saeed Alamgir Jafar.

IBA Alumni Association (IBAAA)

The IBA Alumni Association is one of the most diverse alumni network in the country. This association acts as a conduit between IBA and the former graduates. Besides annual conventions and similar collegial events, the association holds seminars and workshops on topical issues on a regular basis and publishes a magazine named "Business Executive". The association is presently led by Mr. Nazmul Hassan MP as its President and M Rafiqul Islam as General Secretary.

Number of Graduates: 150 MBA 83 | EMBA 67

Director's Honor List

MBA 43	CGPA	EMBA 4	CGPA
Rumki Sarkar	3.95	A.B.M. Nasir-Ud-Doulah	3.89
Minaoar Hossain Tanzil	3.86		
Nazmul Hasan Shiblee	3.83	EMBA 6	CGPA
Tasneema Afrin	3.83	Towhid Akbar	3.91
Nazmun Nahar	3.79	Tahsin Taher	3.85
Md. Zahidi Islam	3.79	Loban Amaan Rahman	3.78
Md. Tariq Hassan	3.76		
Jonaid Abdulla	3.76		



Vice Chancellor, University of Dhaka, Director, IBA and Prof. Jean Chen of University of Surrey discussing about possible collaboration



Director of IBA, Pro Vice Chancellor, Dhaka University and Prof. Saeed Alamgir Jafar, Chairperson, MDP, IBA in the closing ceremony of course on Project Management



Dr. Osman Yousuf and Ms. Veronique Yousuf handing over the MOU documents on behalf of Kelley School of Business, Indiana University to Professor G M Chowdhury, Director, IBA



Newly developed IBA Conference Room Foyer



Dr. Matthew O'Connor, Dean, Quinnipiac University School of Business and Director, IBA Prof. G M Chowdhury during MOU signing ceremony at New Heaven, USA



Dr. Ishrat Hossain, Director and Dean, IBA, Karachi and faculty members of IBA, Dhaka discusses aspects of the partnership between the two organisations



57th AMDISA board meeting in progress at IBA Conference Room