



NORTH SOUTH UNIVERSITY

The First Private University in Bangladesh

The only Bangladeshi University with all faculty members having foreign Master's and/or Doctorate degrees primarily from USA, UK, Australia and Japan



Members of the Board of Trustees, NSU met with the Honorable President of The People's Republic of Bangladesh and the Chancellor of NSU at Bangabhaban

North South University (NSU), the first private university in Bangladesh, was established under Private University Act -1992 (now amended as PUA-2010). The university was formally inaugurated on 10 February, 1993 by the then Prime Minister of Bangladesh. The Honorable President of the People's Republic of Bangladesh is the Chancellor of NSU. Mr. Benajir Ahmed is the current Chairman of the Board of Trustees. The other Trustees are Mr. Azim Uddin Ahmed, Mr. Iftekharul Alam, Dr. Roushon Alam, Mr. Ragib Ali, Mr. M. A. Awal, Mr. Yussuf A. Harun, Mr. M. A. Hashem, Mr. M. A. Kalam, Mr. S. M. Kamaluddin, Mr. M. A. Kashem, Mr. Abul Kashem, Mrs. Yasmin Kamal, Mrs. Rehana Rahman, Mr. A. S. F. Rahman, Mr. Mohammed Shahjahan, Dr. Junaid Kamal Ahmad, Dr. Mahabub Hossain and Professor Amin U. Sarkar, Ph.D., the Vice Chancellor of NSU, is the Ex-Officio Member. The Vice Chancellor, as the Chief Executive Officer, runs the administration and manages the affairs of the university as per PUA 2010 and the policy guidelines set by the BOT.



Her Excellency Sheikh Hasina, Honorable Prime Minister of The People's Republic of Bangladesh, in audience with Mr. Benajir Ahmed, Chairman, Board of Trustees and Professor Amin U. Sarkar, Ph.D., Vice Chancellor, NSU at Gano Bhaban on September 18, 2014. Professor M. Mahmudul Hasan, Ph.D., U.K., was also present at that time.



NSU and Johns Hopkins University exchanging goodwill memento for academic and research collaboration



NSU delegation with the Harvard University authority, after a successful meeting on academic and research collaboration



MIT and NSU delegates exchanging memento for academic and research collaboration

NSU is approved by the University Grants Commission (UGC), Bangladesh. The Computer Science & Engineering programs are under the process for accreditation of ABET (Accrediting Board for Engineering and Technology).

18000
Students in Campus

Recently, the business programs got the candidacy of the ACBSP (Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs), USA. As NSU was founded on American model of higher education, for institutional accreditation the university is preparing for the US Middle States accreditation council.



NSU Business School receives a candidacy certificate from Douglas Viehland, Executive Director, Accreditation Council of Business Schools & Programs (ACBSP), USA on November 1, 2014



NSU and University of Pennsylvania (UPENN) collaborate for future academic and research endeavors

650
Faculty Members



NSU and the American University, Washington D.C., agree upon joint academic and research collaboration

Many students of NSU are now pursuing higher studies at top North American, Western European and Australian universities. Some of them are:



Partial view of the 17th Convocation ceremony of NSU held on March 6, 2014



Partial view of the NSU campus arena

The foundation of NSU state-of-the-art permanent campus at Bashundhara, Dhaka, Bangladesh was laid in 2003. The construction of the campus superstructures was completed in Summer 2009 and the university shifted to its spacious new campus. The 1.25 million sq. ft. floor space contains 120 classrooms, lecture theaters and exam halls equipped with latest teaching aids such as multimedia & computer terminal. It has Internet Protocol Telephone connectivity, fully automated library, administrative offices and faculty office rooms with modern facilities; Pharmacy and Life Sciences-Biotechnology, Microbiology & Biochemistry labs and computer labs with around 2000 PCs with Wi-Fi internet facilities. Servers include HP-UX System-5430, Sun Solaris-2800, IBM P series and DELL 2950.

1250000
sq. ft. Floor space



Some international faculty members of NSU

The NSU follows the US higher education features such as semesters, credit hours, grades, etc. Its curricula of undergraduate economics, business and computer science, when first introduced, were largely modeled after the curricula of the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign and duly approved by the University Grants Commission (UGC). NSU has an International Advisory Board to counsel on academic matters.

TK-10 Crores
Scholarships Yearly

NSU encourages co-curricular and extracurricular activities. It believes that good grades are necessary but not sufficient to become a complete and enlightened person. It, therefore, creates opportunities for students through club activities to express their latent talents in as many ways as they can. NSU has allowed 20 clubs to function such as Debating Club, Cine & Drama Club, Shangkritik Shangathan (Cultural Club), Social Services Club, Earth Club, English Club, Young Economists' Forum (YEF), AIESEC NSU, Games & Sports Club, Computer Club, Photography Club, Young Entrepreneurs' Society (YES!), NSU Wireless Forum, MBA Club, Life Sciences Club, NSU Pharmacy Students' Club (NSU PSC), Public Health Club, NSU CANVAS (Architecture Club), Society of Science, Engineering & Technology (SSET) and MUN Club.

102 Doctorate
Faculty members mostly from USA, Canada, UK, Australia, Japan

120
Class Rooms



NSU students win the Bangladesh Inter-University Sports Competition trophy

65
Labs



NSU brought glory to the nation by winning the title of 'Best Delegation' from among all five continents at the United Nations (UN) Young Leaders Summit 2013, held at the UN Headquarters, New York