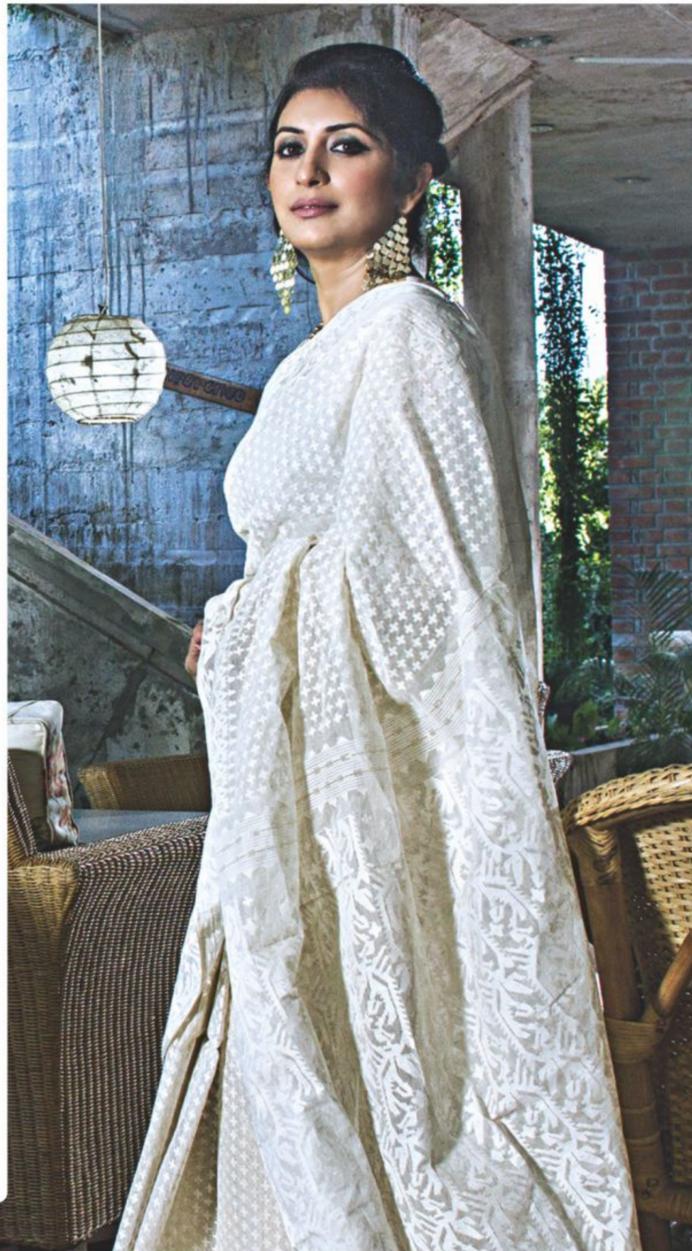


BIPASHA HAYAT

To be Jury in the 16th Dhaka International Film Festival

Bipasha Hayat has been chosen as a Jury member for the Dhaka International Conference on the topic "Women in Cinema". A fourteen-member jury panel comprising of local and international film experts will judge the films screened at the festival. Along with Bipasha Hayat, the panel will also include Imtiaz Ali, Morshedul Islam and Nurul Alam Atik as judges from Bangladesh. Regarding this Bipasha Hayat stated, "It is an honor to join the Jury Board of the Dhaka International Film Festival. We will be able to gather diverse experiences through the film exhibitions from different parts of the globe." She further said, "I will get the chance to understand the philosophies of different filmmakers behind their movie production." The 16th edition of Dhaka International Film Festival is going to take place from 12 to 20th January, 2018.



Oggatonama

wins Best Screenplay Award in SAARC Film Fest

Directed by Tauquir Ahmed, the film *Oggatonama (The Unnamed)* has won the Best Screenplay Award in the SAARC Film Festival 2017, held in Sri Lanka's Colombo from 21st to 25th November. Monjurul Islam Megh, Communication Coordinator (Bangladesh) of SAARC Film Festival 2017, shared this news quoting the senior officer Mahinda Sundanaskara of SAARC Culture Centre Sri-Lanka. Sixteen films from eight different countries took part in the competition in eight different categories. Along with *Oggatonama*, the film *Premi o Premi* directed by Zakir Hossain Raju, was also screened during the festival. The award was announced in the presence of members of the closing ceremony; the jury board, members and directors of SAARC and many other prominent personalities.



Priyotoma

BUBLI

Bubli is going to be the newest "Priyotoma" of Shakib Khan. Don't get your hopes up, this is only on-screen. Bubli will be acting as the heroine in Himel Ashraf's movie *Priyotoma* with Shakib Khan. The film will be produced by SK Films, Shakib Khan's own production house. In a conversation with The Daily Star, Bubli shared her joy and stated, "I was offered to work in *Priyotoma* six months ago. Both the director and Shakib wanted to cast me for the movie. But I have not gotten the script yet." The famous *Bossgiri* actress Bubli is currently busy with the movie *Chittagaingya Poa Noakhaila Maiya*. Shakib is also working in this movie. Like every other Shakib-Bubli movie, it is expected to raise everyone's expectations.