

Jaywalkers

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and Jatrabari, Shah Ali and Mohakhali areas in Dhaka. Two courts conducted drives in Chittagong. The mobile courts of BRTA ramped up its drives in Dhaka and Chittagong following the unprecedented student agitations for safe road after the death of two college students in the capital on July 29. The BRTA is responsible for issuing driving licences, vehicle registration, route permits, fitness clearance and enforcing traffic rules by conducting mobile courts. It has 13 posts of executive magistrates to run mobile courts in Dhaka and Chittagong, but most of the posts have remained vacant for years, officials said. After the movement, the government posted eight more executive magistrates to BRTA offices to conduct mobile courts, they said.



Anglers patiently wait for their next catch in the Piyain river in Sylhet. Dozens of people are flocking to the river and its rocky bank every day as fish are fairly abundant. The Piyain flows down to Sylhet from Indian state of Meghalaya. The photo was taken recently. PHOTO: SHEIKH NASIR

HC defers Shahidul Alam's bail

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called for his release, according to a report by British newspaper The Guardian. It says 47 individuals from Britain's art community -- including filmmaker Steve McQueen (whose film '12 Years A Slave' won the Oscar for best picture in 2014), dancer-choreographer Akram Khan, sculptors Antony Gormley and Anish Kapoor -- signed an open letter seeking his release written by Alam's niece Sofia Karim, an architect living in Britain. Other signatories of the letter include noted curators such as the Tate's Frances Morris, director of London's National Portrait Gallery Nicholas Cullinan, director of Gateshead's Baltic Centre for Contemporary Art Sarah Munro and Sophie Wright of Magnum Photos. "I always felt that artists would sign the letter, but it's been very heartening that leaders of our largest cultural institutions have also publicly supported my uncle so warmly, simply from our personal appeals," Sofia Karim was quoted as saying in the Guardian report.

PM will announce polls-time

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is no democracy and leave the country after calling movements" he said. Legislative and Parliamentary Affairs Secretary Mohammad Shahidul Haque and Dhaka District Registrar Dipak Kumar Sarker, among others, spoke at the meeting which was presided over by Inspector General of Registration Khan Md Abdu Mannan. Contacted, Dipak Kumar Sarker told The Daily Star that around 1000 copyists of Dhaka district have been given their wages. The relevant rules have recently been amended for giving the wages to the copyists promptly, he added.

Abul Mansur Ahmad's birth anniv celebrated in M'singh

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Mymensingh
Commemorating renowned litterateur, journalist and politician Abul Mansur Ahmad's 120th birth anniversary, a discussion was held in Mymensingh yesterday. Marking the day, "Jibonmukhi Pathchakra", a study circle, organised the programme at its hall in the town. Abul Mansur Ahmad brought variations in his writings, said the speakers, adding that such literary talent is rare in Bengali literature. Terming him one of the best satirical writers, they said he showed how prose could be interesting for all readers.

They mentioned some of his famous literary works such as "Aina", "Asmani Parda", "Gulliverer Safarnama" and "Food Conference". Prof Afzal Rahman, chairman of Bengali department at Netrakona Govt College, chaired the programme. Prof Mohammad Aman Ullah and Prof Mohammad Ashrafuzzaman of Govt Ananda Mohan College, and poet Shamsul Foyez, among others, spoke. Abul Mansur Ahmad was born at Dhanikhola village in Trishal upazila of Mymensingh on September 3 in 1898. He died in 1979.

JU law dept

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The department has only four rooms for nine teachers. Of those, one belongs to the chairperson, one to a senior teacher, and the remaining two are shared by seven others. Assistant Professor KM Shazzad Mohashin, the chairperson, said the department needs at least four classrooms and a moot court. "We have repeatedly been urging the university authorities for at least one separate classroom, but to no avail," he added. Associate Professor Md Rabiul Islam, former chairperson of the department, said, "Since the beginning, all the three chairpersons had sent several letters to the authorities concerned for immediate solution. But, we have only got assurances." Terming the decision of the geography and environment department of taking back the classroom "discourteous", Law Faculty Dean Prof Bashir Ahmed said the problem has become more severe since then. "The geography department did not inform me before sending the notice to the law department. It is not the proper way. Every department has to come forward to help the other," he added. When asked, Prof Shahedur Rashid, chairperson of the geography and environment department, said, "We let the law department use our classroom, showing generosity. But, now our department is facing an acute classroom crisis, so we had to take it back." Admitting the fact that the dean was not informed beforehand, he further said, "At least we sent a formal letter to the department concerned but back then we were only asked verbally to hand over the classroom which we did." When contacted, Vice-Chancellor (VC) Prof Farzana Islam said, "We are aware of the crisis. The university authorities have already proposed a big project to the government which includes development of the law faculty." "The project will hopefully start next year. For now, we are borrowing a room from the economics department," she added. "The crisis has been made intentionally. The classrooms are not someone's private property. They have to be shared if necessary," the VC added. While talking to the correspondent, law students blamed a "cold war" between the VC-backed and anti-VC teachers for the prolonged crisis.



A memorandum of understanding (MoU) was signed between The Daily Star and Guardian Life Insurance Limited at The Daily Star Centre in Dhaka yesterday. MM Monirul Alam, managing director and CEO of Guardian Life Insurance Limited; and Mahfuz Anam, editor and publisher of The Daily Star, signed the MoU under which copies of the newspaper will be distributed to government schools, colleges and universities. Officials from both organisations were also present on the occasion. PHOTO: STAR

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

Vacancy Announcement

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Deadline for Application: 24 September 2018

The FAO Representation in Bangladesh is inviting applications from qualified and experienced candidates for the following position to be filled under the project "GCP/BGD/059/USA and GCP/BGD/063/EU "Meeting the Undernutrition Challenge (MUCH)". The Incumbent will be recruited as National Project Personnel.

• National Poverty and Social Protection Policy Advisor

Interested and qualified candidates will find the post descriptions from Bdjobs.com. Interested applicants are requested to send their Personal Profile Form (PPF) to the following address: FAOBD-Vacancies@fao.org by close of business on 24 September 2018.

All recruitment to FAO posts are made on a competitive and transparent basis. Candidates are encouraged to apply directly to FAO and follow the instructions on the above mentioned website. Please note that no intermediary is allowed to expedite or facilitate such process. All those who represent themselves as such are fraudulent and should be reported to FAO immediately.

Women candidates are strongly encouraged to apply.

EUROPEAN UNION

DELEGATION TO BANGLADESH

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

The Delegation of the European Union to Bangladesh is looking for a suitable candidate for the function of "Secretary".

The full job description, job requirements and application guidelines (how to apply) can be found on our website: https://eeas.europa.eu/delegations/bangladesh/area/jobs-funds_en

The deadline for receiving applications is **Thursday 20 September 2018 at 16:00 hours**.

Please note that only electronic applications received within the deadline will be accepted. Paper and late applications will be disregarded.

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Contact person: Mr Al Amin.
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Mr. Md. Billal Hossain awarded the degree of Ph.D.

Mr. Md. Billal Hossain has been awarded the degree of Ph.D. by the Syndicate of Jahangirnagar University. The topic of his thesis was "Environmental Consequences of Industrialization in water and soil of Gazipur: a case of Sreepur Upazila". His research supervisor was Prof. Dr. Nurul Islam and Co-supervisor was Prof. Dr. Mhd. Shamsul Alam of the Department of Geography and Environment. Mr. Billal Hossain is a civil servant and currently working in the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change as Additional Secretary.

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নিয়োগ বিজ্ঞপ্তি

ডাজউদ্দিন আদর্শ উচ্চ বিদ্যালয়, দক্ষিণপাও, ডাকঘর- বাসাবো, থানা- সবুজবাগ, ঢাকা-১২১৪ এর প্রাথমিক শাখায় বিদ্যালয়ের নিজস্ব অর্থায়নে দুইজন সহকারী শিক্ষক নিয়োগ করা হইবে। শিক্ষাগত যোগ্যতা ন্যূনতম স্নাতক। মহিলা অগ্রাধিকার। বেতন আনোচনা সাপেক্ষে। ৩০০/- টাকার ব্যাংক ড্রফট ও প্রয়োজনীয় কাগজপত্র সহ আবেদনের শেষ তারিখ: ১২/০৯/১৮। প্রধান শিক্ষক।

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Contact: 01911-933733, 01776-694847

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Contact Address : Haji Abdul Kadir
Cell No. 01711-335228, 01715-683244

Request for Proposal

Hereby JSC ASE informs about open request for the right to enter into a contract for performance of civil and erection works under the lot: "Common Plant Buildings and Structures. Comprehensive CEW. Part 5". (Lot 1700). The documentation is available at Rosatom State Corporation official web-site <http://zakupki.rosatom.ru>, procurement No. 180831/1065/324.

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UNICEF Vacancy Announcement

The United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) is seeking applications from Bangladeshi Nationals to fill the following posts. For detailed Job Descriptions, please visit our website and use the following link to apply for the post:

Nutrition Officer (Rapid Pro) NOB (TA), Rangpur
<https://uni.cf/2LLEYRH>

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<https://uni.cf/2MLqyqg>

Nutrition Officer (I&YCF), NOB (TA), Cox's Bazar
<https://uni.cf/2PvByNl>

Information Management Officer (Education), NOB (TA), Cox's Bazar
<https://uni.cf/2LSgA0x>

Application Closing Date: **16 September 2018**

Please note that no applications by email or post will be accepted. You must log on and create your profile with UNICEF global website and register for application. Attractive remuneration including social security and family medical benefits will be available to the selected candidate as per UN policy. Only short listed candidates will be contacted. Any attempt to unduly influence UNICEF's selection process will lead to automatic disqualification of the applicant.

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TENDER INVITATION

- Tenders are invited from the bonafide / intending suppliers / firms for the following items:
 - Protection of roof of the Auditorium at Block-D of East West University (EWU) from water seepage.
 - Printing of 2200 units Table Calendar-2019 of East West University.
 - For printing of 15000 units Undergraduate Bulletin for East West University.
 - Procurement of 5 Metre Flume with- Sharp crested weir; Broad crested weir; Venturi Flume; Parshall Flume; Sluice gate for Hydraulic Lab for the Dept. of Civil Engineering.
 - Changing of wood of the floor of Lecturer Gallery of East West University (Room No. 126).
- The schedule for the items with terms and conditions can be obtained either from the website (<http://etender.ewubd.edu>) or from the Finance & Accounts Department of the University up to 13.09.2018 during office hours (up to 3:00 p.m.) on payment (non-refundable) of Tk. 300/- (excluding online service charge for e-tender process) for each item.
- The interested bidders are requested to submit the tender schedule either through hard copy or e-tender process by 16.09.2018 within 2:00 pm. Hard copy of the tender must be dropped in the tender box kept in the 2nd floor of the Office of the Treasurer (Room No.316) of the University (Address-Plot No-A/2, Jahurul Islam Avenue, Jahurul Islam City, Aftabnagar, Dhaka-1212). Submitted tenders within the deadline will be opened on 16.09.2018 (same day) at 2:30 pm in the Conference Room (4th floor) of East West University in presence of the bidders (if any).
- East West University authority reserves the right to accept any tender in full or part of it or reject all tenders without assigning any reason.

Joint Chief, HR & Logistics

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শোক সংবাদ

আমরা গভীর দুঃখের সহিত জানাচ্ছি যে, অদ্য ০৩/০৯/২০১৮ইং রোজ সোমবার আনুমানিক ভোর ৪:০০ টার সময় ঢাকা-আরিচা মহাসড়কের বলিয়ারপুর এলাকায় সড়ক দুর্ঘটনায় মীর আজহার হোসেন লিঃ এর উর্ধ্বতন নির্বাহী পরিচালক, প্রকৌশলী মোঃ জহুরুল ইসলাম ও তাহার ড্রাইভার খলিলুর রহমান ও সহযাত্রী নুরুন্নাহী শেখ নিহত হন (ইন্সালিহা হুয়াইন্না ইলাইহি রাজিউন)। আমরা মীর আজহার হোসেন লিঃ এর কর্মকর্তা ও কর্মচারীবৃন্দ গভীরভাবে শোকাহত। আমরা তাহাদের রুহের মাগফেরাত কামনা করি এবং শোকসন্তপ্ত পরিবারবর্গকে সমবেদনা জানাই। মরহুম মোঃ জহুরুল ইসলামের নামাজের জানাযা শেষে দাফন সিরাজগঞ্জ নিজ বাড়িতে পারিবারিক কবরস্থানে বাবার কবরের পাশে সম্পন্ন হয়।

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