

'They return home with innovative ideas, knowledge'

Says Speaker on Australia Awards recipients

DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT

Bangladeshis receiving Australia Awards scholarships are making immense contribution to the strong relationship between the two countries -- that will continue to grow in the coming days.

Speakers made the remarks at a reception hosted by Australian High Commissioner Jeremy Bruer at a city hotel on Thursday.

Australia Awards are international scholarships funded by the Australian government. Since 1971, over 3,000 Bangladeshis studied in Australia under this scholarship. Many are now working in leadership positions in government, business and the community.

Addressing the occasion as chief guest, Jatiya



Renowned singers Runa Laila and Sabina Yasmin being honoured with the lifetime achievement awards at the Meril Prothom Alo Awards 2021 yesterday. The event was held at Bangabandhu International Conference Centre in Dhaka.

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JL to hold council after over a decade

Party leaders upbeat, lobbying for desired posts

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Enthusiasm has grown among the leaders and activists of Jubo League in Chattogram over the long expected council scheduled to start from today.

The JL central committee has recently announced the schedule for holding the council of Chattogram south district, north district and city units on May 28, 29 and 30 respectively.

The last council was held over a decade ago. Due to the upcoming council, posters and banners have been pasted all over the city and districts, causing much nuisance to locals.

Meanwhile, a number of Jubo League leaders are lobbying with the central leaders so that they can be included in the committees with their expected portfolios, said sources. Many of them are persuading the influential local and central Awami League leaders.

The race for the president and general secretary posts in the three units will be quite tough as many of the active leaders of JL and former Chhatra League leaders are lobbying, JL insiders said.

Former BCL leaders of Chittagong University unit and five upazila units, and many incumbent JL leaders are interested to become president and general secretary of Chattogram north. In the city unit, many incumbent and former leaders of BCL's Chattogram city unit, vice presidents and general secretaries of central students' councils at colleges are also in the process.

Wasim Uddin Chowdhury, former VP at Omar Gani MES College and a member of present convening committee of Chattogram city unit

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'It's a money-making business'

JU holding admission tests in shifts for years despite disparity in results

SHEIKH TAJUL ISLAM TAJ

One entrance exam.

Multiple shifts, with different sets of question papers.

Result: severe disparity in the number of qualified candidates from different shifts.

That is how admission tests have been working in Jahangirnagar University every year. Analysing last year's B-unit test results -- which was held in five shifts -- this correspondent observed 217 candidates were qualified from the fifth shift alone, while only 12 students placed from the second shift.

From the fifth shift out of the 10

in the D-unit tests, 104 candidates qualified, while only one qualified from the third shift.

"We have urged the authorities many times to avoid the shift system and hold exams with the same question paper," said Prof Anu Muhammad, eminent economist and JU faculty member. "This controversial system has been kept alive for the huge sum of money the teachers get through this," he added.

According to official documents, on-duty faculty members were paid Tk 3,000 for each shift in the 2020-21 admission test, yielding an amount of Tk 15,000 per teacher for the five shifts in B-unit tests.

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INVITATION FOR TENDER

Sealed Tender is hereby invited from the manufacturer/wholesaler/supplier for supply of Machinery & Equipments for Urban Dispensaries (Urban Health). As per PPR-2008, terms and conditions are as follows:

KEY INFORMATION				
1 Ministry/Division	Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MOHFW), Health Services Division.			
2 Agency	Directorate General of Health Services (DGHS), MOHFW.			
3 Procuring Entity	Line Director, Upazila Health Care (UHC), DGHS.			
4 Procuring Entity Code	224330400			
5 Procuring Entity District	Dhaka			
6 Invitation for	Supply of Machinery & Equipments for Urban Dispensaries (Urban Health).			
7 Invitation for offer Ref. No	UHC/Proc./RPA-GOB/Machinery & Equipments-35/2021-22/211			
8 Date	26.05.2022			
KEY INFORMATION				
9 Procurement Method	Open Tender Method (OTM)			
FUNDING INFORMATION				
10 Budget and Source of Funds	RPA-GOB			
11 Developments Partners	None			
PARTICULAR INFORMATION				
12 Project/Program Code	224330400			
13 Project/Program Name	UHC			
14 Tender Package No	UHC/R-GD-2/2021-22			
15 Offer Package Name	Meachinary & Equipments for Urban Dispensaries (Urban Health).			
16 Tender Publication Date	27.05.2022			
17 Tender Last Selling Date	15.06.2022 at 5:00 pm			
18 Tender Closing Date and Time	16.06.2022 at 12pm			
19 Tender Opening Date and Time	16.06.2022 at 2 pm			
20 Name and address of the Office				
a) Selling of Tender Documents	a) Office of the Line Director, UHC, DGHS, BMRC Bhaban (1 st floor), Mohakhali, Dhaka-1212. b) Central Medical Store Depot (CMSD), Tejgaon, Dhaka.			
b) Receiving of Tender Documents	a) Office of the Line Director, UHC, DGHS, BMRC Bhaban (1 st floor), Mohakhali, Dhaka-1212. b) Central Medical Store Depot (CMSD), Tejgaon, Dhaka.			
c) Opening of Tender Documents	Office of the Line Director, UHC, DGHS, BMRC Bhaban, (1 st floor), Mohakhali, Dhaka-1212.			
INFORMATION FOR TENDERER				
21 Eligibility of Tenderer	As stated in TDS			
22 Brief Description of Goods	Supply of Meachinary & Equipments (11Items) for 16 Urban Dispensaries (Urban Health).			
23 Price of Tender Documents Taka	TK. 5,000 (FiveThousand) only by Treasury Challan (with CTR) Code No. 1-2711-0000-2366 to be deposited Sonali Bank Ltd. or Bangladesh Bank. (Non-refundable).			
24 No	Identification & Name	Location	Tender Security Amounts in BDT	Completion time (in weeks)
Single Lot	UHC/R-GD-2/2021-22	UHC office, BMRC Bhaban, Mohakhali, Dhaka.	TK. 6,00,000 (Six Lac) only by Pay Order/Bank Draft or Bank Guarantee in Prescribed format in favour of Line Director, UHC, DGHS.	10 (Ten) weeks from date of signing the contract.
PROCURING ENTITY DETAIL				
25 Name of Official Inviting Offer	Dr. Md. Rizwanur Rahman			
26 Designation of Official Inviting Offer	Line Director, UHC, DGHS.			
27 Address of Official Inviting Offer	BMRC Bhaban (1 st floor), Mohakhali, Dhaka-1212.			
28 Contact details of Official Inviting Offer	BMRC Bhaban, Mohakhali, Dhaka. Phone:02-222280785, Fax-02-222282900			

The procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject any or all offers.

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We intend to hold all exams of one faculty on the same day. We are also thinking of proposing fixed number of seats in the merit list from every shift to the central admission test governing body.

VC PROF NURUL ALAM



Foreign Minister AK Abdul Momen yesterday left for Guwahati, India to attend the third edition of an international river conference titled "NADI Conclave" from May 28-29 that will be inaugurated by his Indian counterpart S Jaishankar.

The Natural Allies in Development and Interdependence (NADI) conference will be organised by Shillong based think tank Asian Confluence in collaboration with the Union External Affairs Ministry, Act East Policy Affairs Department of the Assam government, North Eastern Council and other partners. On May 29, Momen will travel to Delhi from Guwahati to hold the Joint Consultative Commission (JCC) meeting with his counterpart S Jaishankar.

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