

## A true patriot

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fluent and lively with his writing and had the ability and expertise to connect disparate dots, which created curiosity among general people, provoked thoughts, and inspired them to learn more.”

Dr Syed Akhtar Mahmood, former lead private-sector specialist at World Bank Group, said, “As the chairman of the regulatory reform commission, he sent a proposal to the government to amend the 1898 Postal Act to make courier services legal. The proposal was accepted, and the law was duly amended.”

Dr Mirza M Hassan, senior research fellow at BIGD, delivered a presentation on the intellectual legacy of Dr Khan, focusing on analytical approaches and theories that Dr Khan frequently used to reflect on Bangladeshi statecraft, governance reform, and many other topics.

Dr Asif Shahana, associate professor of development studies at Dhaka University, said, “An interesting aspect

of Akbar Ali Khan was that he was both a scholar and a practitioner. He heavily contributed to providing academic explanations for the bureaucratic phenomenon. His work also challenged colonial legacies of thought.”

The webinar was chaired by M Musharraf Hossain Bhuiyan, former cabinet secretary and BIGD senior advisor. Scholars, activists, researchers, development professionals, bureaucrats, journalists, and students attended the webinar and expressed their admiration for Dr Khan and his work.

## Govt doing it

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party's anger over police raids at homes of the opposition men, sending them to jail in other cases despite obtaining bail. He said the government is now unable to repay the loans it borrowed from abroad and different agencies.

## It was an eyewash

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and empowering BTRC to cancel the registration if their activities go against the regulation will put them in a bodysuit.

It said it puts foreign companies at risk of surveillance and disincorporates them from operating in Bangladesh. These concerns --

## Media can help untangle complexities

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The observations were made at a seminar titled “Role of Media in Bangladesh-India Relations: Challenges and Prospects”, organised by Jatiya Press Club at its premises yesterday, marking the golden jubilee of Bangladesh's independence and 68th founding anniversary of the club.

Addressing the inaugural event virtually, Jatiya Sangsad Speaker Shirin Sharmin Chaudhury said Dhaka and Delhi have taken the relationship to new heights in the last decade, by addressing maritime and land boundary issues as well as improving connectivity and trade.

The two countries can solve the complexities through dialogue and play an essential role in regional integration. Media can play an important role to this end, she said.

In his speech as guest

of honour, The Daily Star Editor and Publisher Mahfuz Anam proposed that Bangladesh establish a specialised centre, like a “India Study Institute”, to explore all potentials of Indo-Bangla ties. India can also set up a similar institute on Bangladesh.

These centres can provide intellectual guidance on how to further deepen the relations.

He also suggested that the institutes be funded by the private sector.

Anam said the bilateral ties between the two nations are deep, but there are many complexities as well, which need to be addressed through a friendly, cooperative approach.

One of the major concerns for India was security in its north-east, which was rightly addressed by Bangladesh, and such cooperation should continue, he said.

Anam said although the

two countries signed the Ganges Agreement in 1996, the water-sharing issue has not evolved smoothly. The Teesta deal remaining unsigned is frustrating for Bangladesh.

Besides, he requested the Indian journalists not to look at Bangladesh through its relations with any other country.

Stressing on water sharing, Indian Journalists' Union President Geetarth Pathak said Bangladesh, as a lower riparian country, has the right to get sufficient water from the 54 common rivers, but that is not being ensured.

Bangladesh suffers from both flooding and drought, he said. “I hope journalists of both countries will focus on this issue.”

He said in Assam, so-called “illegal infiltrators from Bangladesh” have been made into a big issue because of power politics. If political parties' motives go

against human rights, the media should highlight it.

Pathak said if a society is dominated by its religious identity, there is a high risk that the society will be divided. Journalists of the two countries should work on these issues.

Prothom Alo Joint Editor Sohrab Hossain said political leaders face various obstacles, as they need to make their voters happy, but the media should not give into those forces. They should report objectively.

However, the media sometimes play the religion and nationality card, he said, calling upon journalists to have more collaboration and cooperation.

Press Club of India President Gautam Lahiri

said water scarcity is shown as a reason for not signing the Teesta deal. “But I think whatever water is there should be shared because it is a right of Bangladesh.”

He said the Citizens Amendment Act (CAA) -- which was enacted to give citizenship to Hindus, Sikhs, Buddhists, Jains, Parsis or Christians from Afghanistan, Bangladesh or Pakistan -- could not be implemented yet because of media pressure.

When Lahiri talked to the Hindu community in Bangladesh, they said they want to solve problems in their own country, not take shelter in India, taking advantage of the CAA, he said.

Lahiri said border killing has been a thorny issue,

but the media has not properly reported on it. He suggested the media of both countries take a joint initiative of investigation for such issues.

Ekattor TV Editor-in-Chief Mozammel Babu, GTV Editor-in-Chief Syed Ishtiaque Reza, Bhorer Kagoj Editor Shyamal Dutta, Indian journalist Mohua Chatterjee, Jatiya Press Club General Secretary Elias Khan, Dhaka Union of Journalists President Sohail Haider Chowdhury, senior journalist Monjurul Ahsan Bulbul, and Dhaka University International Relations Prof Imtiaz Ahmed also spoke at the event, chaired by Jatiya Press Club President Farida Yasmin.

## PRAYER TIMING

OCTOBER 21

Fazr Juma Asr Maghrib Esha  
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Application Deadline	Nov 09, 2022
Admission Test	Nov 11, 2022
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Date of Admission	Nov 15 to Dec 08, 2022
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