

IUB’s business conference ends



CITY DESK

The two day International Conference on Economics, Business and Technology Management 2025, organised by the School of Business and Entrepreneurship of Independent University, Bangladesh, concluded on November 15 with an award and closing ceremony at The Westin Dhaka, said a press release.

Didar A Husain, chairman of IUB’s Board of Trustees; VC Prof M Tamim; Pro-VC Prof Daniel W Lund; Acting Dean of SBE Prof Raisul Awal Mahmud; Conference General Chair Prof Md Mamun Habib; and AKM Shahinawaj, managing director (current charge), Dhaka Bank PLC, spoke at the closing ceremony.

IUB Trustee Wajid Ali Khan Pannil, Trustee Dr Husne Ara Ali, and Dhaka University VC Prof Niaz Ahmed Khan were also present.



Swapan Kumar Baidya dries beti pata (leaves) under the sun to prepare them for mat-making. Collected from wetland areas, beti pata mats remain in demand despite competition from synthetic alternatives. Artisans like Swapan make about two mats a day, selling each wholesale for Tk 450 to Tk 800. The photo was taken yesterday at Akmaner Mor in Boyra of Khulna.

PHOTO: HABIBUR RAHMAN

Rajuk evicts illegal shops in Gulshan

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

A mobile court of Rajuk evicted several illegally built shops and restaurants in the Gulshan area yesterday.

Led by Executive Magistrate Liton Sarkar and officials of the Gulshan Society, the mobile court also conducted drives at four buildings.

During the operation, the office building of the Youth Club in Gulshan Tajuddin Park was sealed for using park premises for commercial purposes, said a press release.

The authorities also collected an undertaking on a stamp paper, directing the removal of illegal structures built in the basement of Gulshan Pink City Shopping Mall within the next three days.

The mobile court disconnected the electricity line of an under-construction restaurant on Gulshan Road 98 and handed over its meter to Desco.

On Gulshan Road 97, a restaurant operating with eight gas cylinders inside a residential building was shut down, and the cylinders were removed.

Meanwhile, an illegal restaurant operating as “Green and Papers” on Gulshan Road 98 was sealed and its activities suspended.

In the Badda Rehabilitation Area, two illegal roadside shops were demolished by the mobile court.

Political parties still failing women

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manager at Naripokkho, said biological differences must not be used to justify limiting women’s rights. “Any policy that pushes women backwards, whether through religious arguments or political decisions, must be resisted,” she said.

Organisers said the conference reviewed barriers women still face in politics

and public life. With national elections ahead, participants said women’s rights must move from rhetoric to law, from manifestos to parliament, and from promises to reality.

Presenting the conference recommendations, Naripokkho member Amita Dey said these included helping women build stronger voices in decision-making spaces, involving

more young women and organising more actively where needed.

The recommendations also called for mobilising networks and resources, promoting unity at the personal, social and state levels and keeping links between generations.

Other Naripokkho representatives, including Rashida Hossain and Samia Akhter, also spoke.

Parties flag concerns

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attended the dialogue, though the Amini-led faction later had to leave as they did not have the hard copy of the EC’s invitation.

Gonoforum President Subrata Chowdhury said, “A yes/no vote under the referendum would be impractical and could turn into a farce if the party, government, and EC did not act responsibly.”

Bangladesh Jatiya Party Secretary General Zafar Ahmed Joy thanked the EC for allowing voting by individual party symbols despite alliances, urging it not to bow to pressure.

EC Abul Fazal Md Sanaullah said the commission would not bow to any pressure and warned that muscle power, bias, and false information would face strict action. He urged parties to carefully appoint polling agents.

undermine the national polls.

Islami Andolan Bangladesh Senior Presidium Member Syed Mosaddeq Billah Al Madani also demanded a separate date for the referendum.

Bangladesh Jasod General Secretary Nazmul Haque Prodhan called for lowering the security deposit required for contesting the polls.

Referring to the Awami League, he said that while a part of one party has fled and will not contest, the EC must ensure a congenial environment for those wishing to participate.

Khelafat Majlis Secretary General Jalal Uddin Ahmad stressed the need for the commission’s neutrality and called for army deployment around polling centres.

Three Star journos win best

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Prospects-Print” category for his seven-part series on Dhaka’s canals, titled “Dhaka drowns every time it rains - here’s why.”

The awards and prize cheques were handed over by Finance Adviser Dr Salehuddin Ahmed, who attended the ceremony as chief guest at the International Mother Language Institute Auditorium yesterday.

Other notable attendees included Kaiser A Chowdhury, chairman of the Management Board of Nagad; Abu Saleh Akon, president of DRU; and Mynul Hasan Sohel, general secretary of DRU.

From the nominations submitted across 24

categories, 27 best reports of the year were selected for the awards. In two of those categories, there were joint winners. It is mentionable that reports published or broadcast between September 1, 2024 and October 30, 2025 were considered for nomination.

The others awardees are Muhammad Salah Uddin Jashim (JagoneWS24), Sajjadur Rahman (The Business Standard), Rafikul Islam (The Daily Sun), MA Noman (Amar Desh), Ziadul Islam (Amader Shomoy), Md Shakhwat Prince (The Business Standard), Harun R Rashid (Kalbela), Abu Saleh Rony (Samakal), Rahenur Islam (Sokalsandhya), Shawkat Ali (Desh Rupantor),

Jasim Uddin (Dhaka Post), Ehsanul Haque Jasim (The Daily Sun), Shamsul Haque Mohammad Miraj (Kaler Kantho), Shah Md Rashedur Rahman (DBC News), Abu Jahed Md Salim (Maasranga TV), Alamgir Hossain (Jamuna TV), Rajib Ghosh (DBC News), Emdadul Haque (Channel 24), Yousuf Ali (DBC News), Sushanta K Sinha (Ekattor TV), Shahnaz Sharmin (Ekattor TV), Mahde Azad Masum (Boishakhi TV), Mousumi Islam (The Daily Sun), and Hasan Arif (Rupali Bangladesh).

The 10-member jury board for the award was headed by Shamsul Huq Zahid, editor of the English daily The Financial Express.

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e-Tender Notice

Memo No. 57.03.1800.500.01.2025-1430 Date: 13.11.25
e-Tender is invited in the National e-GP System for the procurement of the following Goods.

Sl. No	Tender ID	Description of goods item	Publishing date and time	Last downloading date & time	Closing date and time
1	1167653	Supply of Cleaning Materials GCTSC 2025-26-3211102	16-Nov-2025 15:00	02-Dec-2025 16:37	03-Dec-2025 13:37
2	1169086	Supply of others Stationary GCTSC 2025-26-3255105	16-Nov-2025 15:00	02-Dec-2025 16:49	03-Dec-2025 13:37
3	1169489	Supply of computer Accessories GCTSC 2025-26-3255101	16-Nov-2025 15:00	02-Dec-2025 16:37	03-Dec-2025 13:38
4	1169691	Supply of Raw Materials GCTSC 2025-26-3256105	16-Nov-2025 15:00	02-Dec-2025 16:37	03-Dec-2025 13:37
5	1169701	Supply of Engineering & Others machinery GCTSC 2025-26-4112304	16-Nov-2025 15:00	02-Dec-2025 16:37	03-Dec-2025 13:37
6	1169737	Supply of Office Equipment GCTSC 2025-26-4112310	16-Nov-2025 15:00	02-Dec-2025 16:37	03-Dec-2025 13:37
7	1169743	Supply of Learning Materials GCTSC 2025-26-4112312	16-Nov-2025 15:00	02-Dec-2025 16:37	03-Dec-2025 13:37
8	1169748	Supply of Furniture GCTSC 2025-26-4112314	16-Nov-2025 15:00	02-Dec-2025 16:37	03-Dec-2025 13:37

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Engr. Md. Halim Mahmud Bhuyan
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S Alam still

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Bank Bangladesh PLC.

Petitioner’s lawyer, Md Abdul Qaium, said the home ministry on July 19, 2020, accepted the application of S Alam’s renunciation of his Bangladeshi nationality for an ulterior motive.

Even after that he has taken loans of thousands of crores of taka from different banks including Islami Bank PLC. But the government has not taken any step to bring him back to Bangladesh, the lawyer added.

PRAYER TIMING
NOVEMBER 17

Fazr	Zohr	Asr	Maghrib	Esha
AZAN 5-05	12-45	3-45	5-21	7-00
JAMAAT 5-40	1-15	4-00	5-24	7-30

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e-Auction বিজ্ঞপ্তি

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Memo No. 46.02.8500.000.07.12.25-3012 Date: 16/11/2025

Invitation for Tender (Works)
e-Tender Notice No.19/2025-2026

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Sl No	Tender ID No.	Package No	Description of work	Tender Document Last Selling (Date & Time)
1	1158509	LGED/GOBMR/Rang/25-26/RW-47	Periodic Maintenance of Bannir Bazar RHD - Muchirhat via Gupinapur UP Road from Ch. 0.0m - 3550m & 4740m - 8350m Road ID. 185033002 [Badarganj] [LTM]	03/12/2025 16.00 PM
2	1158510	LGED/GOBMR/Rang/25-26/RW-48	Periodic Maintenance of Nagerhat GC - Shyampur GC Via Kather Bridge Road from Ch. 7540m - 10250m Road ID. 185032003 [Badarganj] [LTM]	
3	1158511	LGED/GOBMR/Rang/25-26/RW-49	Periodic Maintenance of Nagerhat GC - Shyampur GC Via Kather Bridge Road from Ch. 10250m - 13550m Road ID. 185032003 [Badarganj] [LTM]	
4	1158514	LGED/GOBMR/Rang/25-26/RW-52	Periodic Maintenance of Bairati GC - Jalalgonjhat (Islampur) Via ayani Kachari Road from Ch.0.0m - 3810m Road ID. 185583032 [Mithapukur] [LTM]	
5	1158515	LGED/GOBMR/Rang/25-26/RW-53	Periodic Maintenance of Baldipukur RHD - Nagerhat GC via Kadamtola Road (Mithapukur part) from Ch.0.0m - 6200m Road ID. 185582016 [Mithapukur] [LTM]	
6	1158531	LGED/GOBMR/Rang/25-26/RW-57	Rehabilitation of Palichara GC - Rangpur Badarganj R&H Road Via Kashimbazar Road from Ch. 3100m - 5611m Road ID. 185492022 [Rangpur-SJ] [LTM]	

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Employment Circular

Bangladesh Olympic Association (BOA), the leading sports development organization in Bangladesh, is looking for a well experienced and qualified person for the position of General Manager-Admin. Minimum educational qualification is Masters or equivalent. Candidates must have at least 05 years experience in similar or equivalent position. Experience in the field of sports or retired Armed Forces officers will be given priority.

Interested candidates are requested to send their CV along with 2 copies of recent passport size colour photographs by 30 November 2025 to the Secretary General of BOA.

Director General, BOA

STATUTORY NOTICEIN

THE SUPREME COURT OF BANGLADESH
HIGH COURT DIVISION
(STATUTORY ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)
COMPANY MATTER NO. 2019 OF 2025

IN THE MATTER OF: An application under Sections 81(2) and 85(3) read with sections 183 and 396 of the Companies Act, 1994.

IN THE MATTER OF: Md. Shahzahan, Managing Director and Shareholder, **Medilife Specialized Hospital Ltd.**, having its registered office at 5, Mitford Road, Chowk Bazar, Dhaka-1100, Bangladesh.**Petitioner.**

.....**VERSUS.**

Medilife Specialized Hospital Ltd., having its registered office at 5, Mitford Road, Chowk Bazar, Dhaka-1100, Bangladesh and another.**Respondents**

Notice is hereby given that an application under Sections 81(2) and 85(3) read with sections 183 and 396 of the Companies Act, 1994 was moved in the High Court Division of the Supreme Court of Bangladesh by the petitioner, for condoning the delay in holding the Annual General Meetings of the company, “**Medilife Specialized Hospital Ltd.**”. The Hon’ble Judge **Mr. Justice Ahmed Sohel** has admitted the said application on 11.11.2025 and directed to file an affidavit-in-compliance along with the copy of the notice within 21.11.2025. Any person interested in the said application may appear before the Hon’ble Court. A copy of the said application may be obtained from the undersigned.

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Bangladesh Power Development Board

Memo No. 27.11.1578.746.03.079.02.25-663 Date: 16/11/2025

Invitation for e-Tender Notice (OTM)

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Sl. No.	Tender ID	Name of works	Tender closing & tender opening date and time
1	1162234	Shifting of 33/11/0.4 kV Distribution Line, 11/0.4 kV Sub-Station from Roads solder to safe distance at important market area of Kumira Guptachora-Steamerghat (Sandwip) District Highway (Z-1025) under S&D Division-Sandwip, PDB, Ctg.	04-Dec-2025 15:00

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16.11.2025

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