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ADSPIRE Organized by AIUB Business Club (ABC)

Thursday, January 02, 2025

On January 2, 2025, the AIUB Business Club (ABC), in collaboration with Step Footwear & Accessories Company Limited, and supported by the Office of Student Affairs (OSA), organized the final round of “ADSPIRE – The Aspiring Ad-makers’ Challenge”. This year’s competition featured 117 teams in 4 categories, and 16 teams—4 per category—competed in the finals.

Dr. Mohammad Faridul Alam, Associate Professor and Director, MBA & EMBA Program, AIUB, inaugurated the event. Chief Guest Mr. Monir Khan Shimul, a Bangladeshi actor and AIUB alumnus, delivered an inspiring speech, while Mr. Aminul Islam Shamim (CEO) and Mr. Shamim Kabir (Managing Director) of Step Footwear shared industry insights.

The judging panel included Mr. Monir Khan Shimul, Mr. Mohammed Niaz Mazumdar (Senior Assistant Professor, MMC), Mr. Soumendra Sankar Das (Associate Professor, Marketing), and Mr. Shamim Kabir.

Esteemed faculty in attendance included Prof. Dr. Kamrul Hasan (Head, Accounting), Dr. Md. Aftab Anwar (Associate Professor & Head, Management), Dr. Md. Tamzidul Islam (Head, OSCM), Mr. Stanley Sumon Rodrick (Senior Assistant Professor, Marketing), and Dr.



Mohammad Ali (Senior Assistant Professor, Management).

Team Dominators, comprising Sabbir Ahmed Shuvo, Rakib Hasan, Md. Emon Khan, and Shahriar Kabir Sheko won the championship. The event concluded with prize distribution, a cultural program by the AIUB Performing Arts Club (APAC), and a vote of thanks by Mr. Soumendra Sankar Das, ABC’s mentor.

<https://www.aiub.edu/adspire-organized-by-aiub-business-club-abc>





Study Tour of LLB Students at Fakir Fashion Limited

Thursday, January 02, 2025

The Department of Law, AIUB, organized an industrial visit to the Fakir Fashion Limited, Baliapara, Rupgonj, Narayanganj, on January 2, 2025. The tour, titled, “Bridging Theory and Practice: A Study Tour”, combined classroom instruction with real-world industry exposure and was especially planned for the Labor and Industrial Law course of the LLB program.

The tour began with an initial speech from Ms. Rostoma Begum Chaudhary, Assistant Professor of Law, AIUB. Also the organizer and the

course teacher of Labor and Industrial Law, Mr Soeb Aktar (Lecturer of Law) and Mr Fahim Faisal Khan Alabi (Lecturer of Law) joined the tour.

Different segments of the tour included interactive sessions with the students and the concerned departments of Fakir Fashion Limited. Following the session, the students got the opportunity of field visits to the permanent hospital of the company, day care centre, production establishments, and other relevant factories.

<https://www.aiub.edu/study-tour-of-llb-students-at-fakir-fashion-limited>





Marketing Students' Plant Visit to RFL Industrial Park (RIP)

Saturday, January 04, 2025

The Department of Marketing, AIUB, organized a plant visit to RFL Industrial Park (RIP), PRAN-RFL Group, Gazipur on January 04, 2025. As part of the industry-academia collaboration, BBA Marketing students from 'Sales Management' and 'Product Innovation and Management' visited the plant for practical insights into production, quality control, and logistics for home and foreign markets.

Upon arrival, AIUB's visiting team was briefed on operations, company establishments, and health & safety protocols by Mr. Md. Hasibur Rahman Khan, Deputy Manager, HRM, PRAN-RFL Group, and Mr. Md. Jakirul Islam, Assistant Chief Engineer, RIP, Mymensingh Agro Ltd., PRAN Group. They then toured production lines with insights

from line managers.

At the closing, Major Sk Moniuruzzaman (Retd.), GM (Admin), RFL Group, and AIUB EMBA alumnus, thanked the team and invited feedback. Mr. Stanley Rodrick expressed appreciation and presented gift packs on AIUB's behalf. Before leaving, the team visited the Direct Sales Shop to purchase PRAN products.

Mr. Hamidul Islam [Hamid] and Mr. Stanley Rodrick, Senior Assistant Professors from the Department of Marketing, took the initiative and organized the visit under the supervision of Professor Dr. Partha Prasad Chowdhury, Head, Department of Marketing.

<https://www.aiub.edu/-marketing-students-plant-visit-to-rfl-industrial-park-rip>





Seminar on Financial Literacy and Career Workshop

Monday, January 06, 2025

On January 6, 2025, the Office of Placement & Alumni (OPA) and the Faculty of Business Administration (FBA) of AIUB jointly organized a seminar captioned “Financial Literacy and Career Workshop”, in collaboration with Midland Bank PLC.

The Midland Bank Plc. was represented by their Head of the Retail Distribution Division and Chief Bancassurance Officer (CBO), Mr. Md. Rashed Akter, and Manager, Financial Literacy Wing, RDD, Mr. Mohammad Faruq Ur Rahman.

The speakers explained the importance of financial literacy, focusing on budgeting, saving, and investment options for students. They also discussed careers in finance and banking.

The seminar was inaugurated by Mr. R. Tareque Moudud, FCMA, Director of OPA. Dr. Rezbin Nahar, Director, BBA Program and other FBA Faculty members, Dr. Mohammad Ali, Dr. Kamrul Hasan, and Dr. Md. Aftab Anwar also attended the program.

<https://www.aiub.edu/seminar-on-financial-literacy-and-career-workshop->





FBA Organized a Seminar on Holistic VAT Calculation Framework

Tuesday, January 07, 2025

The Department of Accounting, Faculty of Business Administration (FBA) at AIUB organized a seminar on the Holistic VAT Calculation Framework on January 07, 2025. The seminar was entirely organized for the students of the Principles and Practice of Taxation, and Managerial Accounting course.

The key speaker was A.K.M Anisuzzaman -ACMA, Manager- Indirect Tax & Advisory Services, Rahman Haque, Chartered Accountants (KPMG in Bangladesh). The seminar provided a comprehensive

exploration of a unified framework designed to streamline VAT calculations across industries. Then he unveiled a new toolkit designed to assist businesses in implementing the Holistic VAT Calculation Framework effectively.

The seminar was arranged by Dr Md Sazzadur Rahman Khan FCMA, Assistant Professor, Department of Accounting. Dr. Kamrul Hasan, Professor and Head of Accounting gave the welcome speech and a vote of thanks in the end and provided a token gift to the key speaker.

<https://www.aiub.edu/fba-organized-a-seminar-on-holistic-vat-calculation-framework>





AIUB Hosts Engaging Mobile Journalism Workshop

Wednesday, January 08, 2025

The Department of Media and Mass Communication (MMC) at AIUB organized an inspiring Mobile Journalism Workshop on January 8, 2025. It provided a hands-on learning experience for aspiring journalists on how to effectively use mobile phones for storytelling in journalism.

The workshop was conducted by Dr. Md. Abdul Kabil Khan, Associate Professor at the Department of Journalism, Media, and Communication, Daffodil International University (DIU). He shared his expertise and knowledge emphasizing practical techniques and tools to transform

mobile devices into powerful storytelling platforms.

Professor Dr. Tazul Islam, Dean, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, AIUB attended the program as the Chief Guest.

The workshop began with the coordinator of MMC department MS. Rani Ellen V. Ramos's welcome address. Faculty members of MMC department Mr. Niaz Mazumdar and Ms. Afroza Sultana were also present. The Workshop was organized and hosted by Mst. Nasrin Akter, Assistant Professor of MMC department.

<https://www.aiub.edu/aiub-hosts-engaging-mobile-journalism-workshop>





The Duke of Edinburgh's Award (DEA) at AIUB: Adventurous Tour

Wednesday-Saturday, January 08-11, 2025

AIUB has been a pioneering part of the Duke of Edinburgh's Award (DEA) program for nearly two decades, and as a part of the award's three progressive levels of bronze, silver, and gold, the participants of DEA-AIUB embarked on yet another adventurous journey and successfully completed the endeavor.

From 8-11 January 2025, a group of 30 enthusiastic students of AIUB, accompanied by two university officials, undertook a trip to Campin-Cox, located in Cox's Bazaar. The tour aimed to foster personal growth,

leadership development, and a sense of community among participants. Over the 4-day excursion, students engaged in various outdoor activities, skill-building sessions, and teamwork challenges designed to align with the core values of the prestigious award program.

This initiative was a testament to AIUB's commitment to fostering holistic education and empowering students to become well-rounded individuals ready to contribute positively to society.

<https://www.aiub.edu/the-duke-of-edinburghs-award-dea-at-aiub-adventurous-tour>



Congratulations to Dr. Muhammad Firoz Mridha

Thursday, January 09, 2025

American International University-Bangladesh (AIUB) proudly congratulates Dr. Muhammad Firoz Mridha for his remarkable achievement of ranking among the top 5 most productive researchers in Bangladesh and securing the 1st position in Computer Science, as recognized by Elsevier.

This recognition highlights Dr. Mridha's exceptional contributions to the field of Computer Science and his dedication to advancing research excellence.

The AIUB community extends its best wishes for his continued success, good health, and prosperity.



<https://www.aiub.edu/congratulations-to-dr-muhammad-firoz-mridha>



Certified Training Workshop on Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point (HACCP) at AIUB

Thursday, January 09, 2025

The Department of Public Health at AIUB successfully organized a UK Certified Training Workshop on Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point (HACCP) on January 9, 2025, for its Master of Public Health (MPH) students. This milestone event marked the first time such training was conducted by a private university under the Global One Health Framework adopted by Bangladesh.

The workshop attracted 40 students from AIUB and 35 participants



from other institutions, all of whom received HACCP training and certification. The training was jointly facilitated by Dr. Muftikhar Ahmed from the Ministry of Agriculture and Dr. Wasif M. Alam, Head, Department of Public Health.

Certificates were distributed by Professor Dr. Saiful Islam, Honorable Vice Chancellor of AIUB, in the presence of Professor Dr. Tazul Islam, Dean, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences.

<https://www.aiub.edu/certified-training-workshop-on-hazard-analysis-and-critical-control-point-haccp-by-mph>





Speech Contest on Contemporary Social Issues

Thursday, January 09, 2025

On January 9, 2025, the Department of Social Science at AIUB hosted a speech contest for the students of Sociology course. Professor Dr. Tazul Islam, the Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, attended as the Chief Guest. A panel of judges evaluated presentations from 13 diverse groups. The competition showcased impressive topics, with winners announced as follows: Red Sparks highlighted corruption, Ivory Quest addressed youth unemployment, and Pearl Pathfinder shed light

on poverty. Dr. Buddha Dev Biswas, the department head, delivered both the welcome and concluding speeches. The event was organized and anchored by Ms. Shaira Matin, the coordinator of the Sociology courses. Under the guidance of six dedicated faculty members, students from thirteen classes collaborated to prepare, diving deep into sixty-two topical social issues.

<https://www.aiub.edu/speech-contest-on-contemporary-social-issues>





Architecture Study Trip to a Vacation House at Gazipur

Thursday, January 09, 2025

On January 9, 2025, students of Design Studio III from the Department of Architecture at AIUB visited the vacation house named Rain Forest Farm and Resort located in Gazipur Hatiabo. This trip aimed to experience contemporary practices in Residential architecture in Bangladesh by exploring formal expression, spatial quality, and structural solutions of the building. The study trip was conducted by Dr. Masum Iqbal, Ajmeri Nusrat Shoma, Md Sariful Islam, Tabassum Zarin and, Alvi Md. Ragib Nihal Khan.

The spectacular vacation house was built in 2016, designed by the

principal architect Mahtab Hossain along with Architect Mehedi Amin and Architect B. M Anisur Rahman from the Architecture office MW3. The concept behind the project is to escape in serenity from the Chaotic world of Dhaka to the natural beauty in Gazipur, Hatiabo.

The support of the principal Architect Mahtab Hossain and Architect Mehedi Amin from MW3, the Head of the Architecture Department M. Arefeen Ibrahim, and AIUB Authority made this tour a successful one.

<https://www.aiub.edu/architecture-study-trip-to-a-vacation-house-at-gazipur>





Industrial Visit to the DESCO 132/33 KV Grid Substation

Thursday, January 09, 2025

On December 19th, 2024, and January 9th, 2025, the Faculty of Engineering (FE), AIUB Organized an Industrial Tour to the DESCO 132/33 KV Grid substation at Bashundhara R/A. 37 FE students, along with Prof. Dr. Muhibul Haque Bhuyan (EEE) visited the substation in 2 groups.

Engr. Saiful Islam, Assistant Engineer, DESCO of the grid substation, received the AIUB team upon their arrival. Later, the team was provided with a guided tour inside the substation area. They began at the supply side, where the substation is connected from Tongi and Rampura at 132

kV using two circuits through overhead cabling. Next, they showed the distribution side, where 5 distribution transformers are located to step down the voltage levels to 33 kV. In the control room, they demonstrated PLC and software-based operations, including connecting a transformer to the live grid. Engineers and technicians also showcased maintenance operations in the open field.

After the visit, Prof. Dr. Muhibul Haque Bhuyan thanked the substation officials and presented AIUB souvenirs in appreciation for their support.

<https://www.aiub.edu/industrial-visit-to-the-desco-13233-kv-grid-substation>





MPH Students of AIUB Make Educational Field Trip of Industries

Saturday, January 11, 2025

On January 11, 2025, AIUB organized an interactive educational field visit for its Masters of Public Health (MPH) students to enhance their practical understanding of occupational health practices. Forty-five students visited three factories under Reedisha Industries Limited located in Gazipur — Reedisha Knitex, Reedisha Food & Beverage, and Formula One Spinning — where students engaged with industry experts, explored workplace health and safety challenges, and asked about occupational hazards and their prevention.

MPH students were surprised to find no mosquitoes in the visited

industries, likely due to cleanliness, covered drainage systems, and insecticide spraying. Mosquito fogging is done twice a week after work hours to avoid worker health risks.

The students expressed their gratitude to the management of Reedisha Ltd for giving them the opportunity to visit their industries and learn from them. “Most industries have restrictions for students visiting their industries, which becomes a challenge for our students to learn from”, remarked Dr. Wasif Alam, Head of the Dept. of Public Health at AIUB.

<https://www.aiub.edu/mpH-students-of-aiub-makes-educational-field-trip-of-industries>



AIUB Social Welfare Club–Shomoy Carried Out Winter Clothing Drive 2024-25

Sunday, January 19, 2025

As a part of continuous social services and commitment to the community, AIUB Social Welfare Club–Shomoy recently completed one of its signature events, “Winter Clothing Drive 2024-25,” to help the underprivileged people deprived of warmth and care during the winter seasons. The event was carried out in two phases in two districts of the North Bengal part of Bangladesh, Thakurgaon, and Panchagarh, where 700 blankets were distributed to the people facing the utmost cold and severe winter effects.

The first phase was conducted on January 10, 2025 in Parpugi B. L. High School Field, Jamalpur Union, Shibganj, Thakurgaon Sadar. A team of 11 students, including the Club President, General Secretary, Treasurer, Executive, and General Members of the Shomoy Club, visited the location and distributed 350 blankets among the villagers in association with the local volunteers and community representatives. The second phase was done in Dhangi Pukuri Government Primary School Field, Dhangi Pukuri Bazar, Harivasha Union, Panchagarh Sadar on January 11, 2025, where another 350 pieces of blankets were distributed to local villagers, madrasa students and others.



The event was graced by the Superintendent of Police (SP), Thakurgaon Sadar, Mr. Sheikh Shahidul Islam, PPM; Police Officers from the local Thana; and a Representative of the District Commissioner (DC), Ms. Ishrat Farzana. They enthusiastically participated with the Shomoy Club team members during the blanket distribution. They also expressed their heartfelt thanks to the AIUB Shomoy Club and the Office of Student Affairs (OSA), AIUB, for taking such a noble initiative to distribute love and warmth among the residents.

<https://www.aiub.edu/aiub-social-welfare-clubshomoy-carried-out-winter-clothing-drive-2024-25>





4th International Conference on Robotics, Electrical and Signal Processing Techniques 2025 (4th ICREST'25) Held at AIUB

Saturday-Sunday, January 11-12, 2025

The Faculty of Engineering (FE), AIUB successfully organized the 4th International Conference on Robotics, Electrical, and Signal Processing Techniques 2025 (4th ICREST'25) from January 11-12, 2025.

At the inauguration, Chief Patron Dr. Carmen Z. Lamagna (Member, Board of Trustees, AIUB) welcomed attendees, followed by General Chair Prof. Dr. ABM Siddique Hossain (Dean, FE) presenting the conference overview. Prof. Dr. Celia Shahnaz spoke on behalf of Prof. Dr. Mohammed Moshikul Hoque (Chair, IEEE Bangladesh Section), and Chief Guest Prof. Dr. Saiful Islam (Vice-Chancellor, AIUB) officially inaugurated the event.

The conference featured 8 keynote speeches, 1 invited speech, and 16 technical sessions across 8 tracks. After a double-blind peer review process, 96 papers were accepted, including contributions from 32 foreign authors. The conference was supported by 106 reviewers and 27

session chairs.

The closing ceremony included a Gala Dinner, a reflection on 4th ICREST'25, cultural performances, and an appreciation video. TPC Chair Prof. Dr. Mohammad Abdul Mannan (Associate Dean, FE) presented the statistics, followed by remarks from Prof. Dr. Saiful Islam. Dr. Hasanul A. Hasan (Founder Member, Board of Trustees, AIUB) delivered an inspiring speech.

Dr. Hasanul A. Hasan, Prof. Dr. Saiful Islam, Dr. Carmen Z. Lamagna, Prof. Dr. Md. Abdur Rahman (Pro-Vice Chancellor, AIUB), and Prof. Dr. ABM Siddique Hossain handed over the Dr. Anwarul Abedin and Mrs. Hasna Abedin Scholar Grants. Finally, Vote of Thanks was delivered by the organizing chair of the 4th ICREST'25, Prof. Dr. Md. Abdur Rahman.

<https://www.aiub.edu/4th-international-conference-on-robotics-electrical-and-signal-processing-techniques-2025-4th-icrest25-held-at-aiub>





Seminar Hosted by IEOM AIUB Student Chapter

Monday, January 13, 2025

On January 13, 2025, the Faculty of Engineering (FE), AIUB, in collaboration with the IEOM AIUB Student Chapter, hosted a seminar on “Structures, Properties, Applications, and Challenges of Perovskites and Advanced Multifunctional Materials in Research Collaboration Spots”.

The event began with an opening speech by Dr. Mohammad Abdul Mannan (Associate Dean, FE). Then the keynote speaker, Prof. Dr. Mirza Humayun Kabir Rubel (Department of Materials Science and Engineering, University of Rajshahi), presented a comprehensive talk on perovskites materials and their advanced applications, followed by a

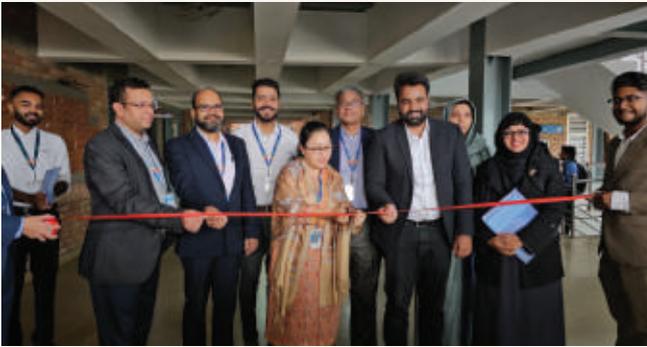
Q&A session.

Dr. Md. Saniat Rahman Zishan (Associate Professor, and Director, FE), presented a token of appreciation to Prof. Rubel.

Dr. Md. Ehasanul Haque (Head, Department of Industrial & Production Engineering), Dr. Nowshad Amin (Professor, Department of Electrical & Electronic Engineering and Deputy Director, Dr. Anwarul Abedin Institute of Innovation), Mr. Mahamudul Hassan (Motivator, IEOM AIUB Student Chapter), other faculty members of the Department of IPE and EEE were present at the seminar.

<https://www.aiub.edu/seminar-hosted-by-ieom-aiub-student-chapter>





Business Plan Exhibition - Fall 2024-25

Tuesday, January 14, 2025

The Department of Management, AIUB, organized the "Business Plan Exhibition Fall 2024-25" on January 14, 2025. Dr. Rezbin Nahar (Director, BBA Program, Faculty of Business Administration) launched the exhibition, showcasing student business concepts from the Entrepreneurship Development Course. Mr. Tazul Islam, (Investment Specialist at BYLC Venture and Accelerating Bangladesh), and an alumnus, attended the event as a special guest.

The business models were judged by the distinguished department heads, Dr. Md. Aftab Anwar (Management); Dr. Partha Prasad Chowdhury (Marketing); Ms. Bohi Shajahan (Finance); Dr. Kamrul Hasan (Accounting); and Dr. Md. Tamzidul Islam (Operations and

Supply Chain Management).

Students showcased their business plans to faculty members, including Obaidul Islam [Sr.], Dr. Mohammad Ali, Sazia Afrin, Saeeda Tajrian, and Tasnia Shahrin Khan. Afterwards, judges gave certificates to the top projects.

The event was organized by Ms. Samia Shabnaz (Senior Assistant Professor, Management Department). At the end of the session, Dr. Rezbin Nahar gave her vote of thanks and presented a certificate of appreciation and mementos to the distinguished guest.

<https://www.aiub.edu/business-plan-exhibition---fall-2024-25>



Inside Esports Bangladesh: Campus Edition – Chapter 1

Tuesday, January 14, 2025

On January 14, 2025, the AIUB Computer Club organized "Inside Esports Bangladesh: Campus Edition – Chapter 1," in collaboration with Zenetic Esports and LEVEL7, marking Bangladesh's first-ever Esports education and youth development workshop.

Professor Dr. Saiful Islam (Vice-Chancellor, AIUB) delivered an inspiring speech, while Mr. Abhijit Bhowmik (Associate Professor, Computer Science & Special Assistant, Office of Student Affairs) presented an overview of game development. Md. Rashid Uz Zaman (Co-Founder & COO, Zenetic Esports; CTO, LEVEL7) gave a key speech, and Mr. Muhammad Aliur Rahman (CEO, LEVEL7 & Founder, Zenetic Esports) offered an inspirational address.

Dr. Shaikh Mohammad Jobayed Hossain (Joint Secretary, Ministry of Youth and Sports) was the chief guest, and Major (Retd.) Imroze Ahmed (Member, Ministry of Youth and Sports' Search Committee) summarized the role of discipline in traditional sports and esports.

The workshop covered topics like casual gaming vs. Esports, industry opportunities, market trends, and careers in Esports management. Participants explored STEM and business prospects, with interactive activities like Arcade Gaming, EAFC25, and a Racing Simulator. An inspiring video highlighted Esports growth in Bangladesh, followed by a Q&A session with industry experts.



<https://www.aiub.edu/-inside-esports-bangladesh-campus-edition--chapter-1>





Meet the Alumni: Navigating the Path from AIUB to Career Success

Wednesday, January 15, 2025

On January 15, 2025, the Department of Accounting, AIUB, organized "Meet the Alumni," connecting current students with successful graduates. Three esteemed AIUB alumni shared their experiences and provided guidance to the students.

The event featured Kazi Shafayet Ahmed, Assistant Manager, Retail Business, LankaBangla Finance PLC, and Mehnaz Huq, Financial Data Examiner, CodeCrafters International Ltd., both AIUB Faculty of Business Administration graduates. Mr. Khondoker Al Nahian Bin Jahir, CEO of Smart Field Services and an AIUB Computer Science graduate,

also participated. The event featured an interactive Q&A session.

The program was coordinated and hosted by Saeeda Tajriar, Lecturer, Tasnia Shahrin Khan, Lecturer, and Sazia Afrin, Assistant Professor, all from the Department of Accounting. Dr. Kamrul Hasan, Professor and Head of the Accounting Department, supervised and directed the event, starting with a welcome speech. Dr. Mohammad Faridul Alam, Director (MBA and EMBA Program), delivered the vote of thanks, while Dr. Rezbin Nahar, Director (BBA Program), concluded with inspiring remarks and presented certificates and gifts to the speakers.

<https://www.aiub.edu/meet-the-alumni-navigating-the-path-from-aiub-to-career-success>





Orientation of AIUB Community of Engineering Students (ACES) 2025

Wednesday, January 15, 2025

On January 15, 2025, the AIUB Community of Engineering Students (ACES) held the ACES Membership Orientation 2025, welcoming 100 new members and volunteers, and distributing membership kits.

The program featured a promo video showcasing ACES's journey, followed by Dr. Shameem Ahmad (Assistant Professor, Faculty of Engineering) who spoke on "Research and Publication for Undergraduate Students."

Two AIUB ACES alumni from the 2023 committee, Mr. Md. Nazmul Islam Nishad (Co-founder, Dark Kak; IoT and Animatronics Robot Developer; Former Vice-Chairperson (Technical), ACES 2022-23) and Ms. Shababa Binte Hossain (Co-founder, Dark Kak; AR/IoT Developer and 3D Artist; Former Planning and Development Coordinator, ACES

2022-23), delivered a technical talk on "The Path to Internship: Building Your Startup."

Furthermore, former ACES leaders including Mr. Rashedul Hasan Raihan (Chairperson, ACES 2022-23), Mr. Niloy Quadiri (Chairperson, ACES 2023-24), and Mr. Shohan Morol (Vice-Chairperson, External Affairs, ACES 2022-23) shared valuable career advice.

Professor Dr. Md. Saniat Rahman Zishan (Professor and Director, Faculty of Engineering, AIUB) gave the welcome address. Following this, tokens of appreciation were presented to the alumni, handed over by Dr. Chowdhury Akram Hossain (Associate Professor and Department Head, CoE) and Dr. Md. Saniat Rahman Zishan.

<https://www.aiub.edu/orientation-of-aiub-community-of-engineering-students-aces-2025>



Field Trip to Panam Nagar, Sonargaon by the Department of Social Science

Thursday, January 16, 2025

On January 16, 2025, an educational field trip to Panam Nagar, Sonargaon, Narayanganj, was organized by the Department of Social Science at AIUB. Led by Md. Monir Hossain, Lecturer, Department of Social Science, the trip brought together approximately 55 students from two courses—Bangladesh Studies (Department of Architecture) and History of the Emergence of Bangladesh (Department of English).

The trip was conducted under the supervision of Dr. Buddha Dev Biswas, Head of the Department of Social Science. Additionally, two esteemed faculty members, Tasnova Jerin Ulfat and Md. Hasan Al Azad,



accompanied the trip and provided valuable support to the students. The destination, renowned for its rich historical and architectural significance, provided an excellent platform for students to connect theoretical knowledge with practical insights.

<https://www.aiub.edu/field-trip-to-panam-nagar-sonargaon-by-the-department-of-social-science>





Workshop on CV Writing Tips and Techniques

Thursday, January 16, 2025

On January 16, 2025, AIUB's Office of Placement and Alumni (OPA) organized a workshop on "CV Writing Tips and Techniques". The session was conducted by Mr. Abu Usuf Md. Rashedul Amin, General Manager of Employer Branding at bKash Limited.

The workshop was designed for a small group of 20 students, ensuring personalized attention and effective engagement. It commenced with a comprehensive discussion on how to prepare an effective CV, emphasizing the "Do's and Don'ts" in order to maximize a candidate's

impact. The session also included a brief yet valuable discussion on interview-facing techniques, equipping participants with practical strategies to excel in the job market.

One of the key highlights of the workshop was the one-on-one CV review session. Each participant's CV or resume was carefully examined, with constructive feedback provided by the resource person for improvement.

<https://www.aiub.edu/workshop-on-cv-writing-tips-and-techniques->





Final Progress Seminar of AIUB Funded Research Project in FASS

Thursday, January 16, 2025

Dr. Rowshon Ara Romke, Assistant Professor, Department of Social Science, presented her research findings on 16 January 2025 regarding the inclusion of Persons with Disabilities (PWDs) in local government in Bangladesh. Funded by the AIUB Grant, her study, titled Inclusion of Persons with Disabilities in the Local Government of Bangladesh: Prospects and Problems, aimed to identify barriers to PWD participation in governance.

The presentation, reviewed by the Faculty Research Committee (FRC)

led by Prof. Dr. Tazul Islam, Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (FASS), highlighted key findings from Dr. Romke's mixed-method research approach.

Members of FRC, FASS, and experts provided constructive feedback on the improvement and prospects of the projects. The event was organized by Dr. Md Asif Kamal, FASS Representative in the Office of Research (OR) in collaboration with FRC and OR.

<https://www.aiub.edu/final-progress-seminar-of-aiub-funded-research-project-in-fass->



Webinar on Data Analytics Career Organized by ACES

Sunday, January 19, 2025

On January 19, 2025, AIUB Community of Engineering Students (ACES) organized a webinar titled “Why Data Analytics is a Booming Career Field and How to Get a Career Entry in It?” with over 137 participants via Microsoft Teams. The session explored the growing demand for data analytics, career opportunities, essential skills, and strategies to enter the field.

The event featured Mr. Md. Jahidul Islam Razan (Solution Design Analyst, Shell's EV Charging Group, Netherlands, Data Analysts



Mentor, Algoriza, USA) as the distinguished speaker. An interactive Q&A session was held, where participants had the opportunity to ask about career pathways, industry trends, and skill development. Dr. Md. Saniat Rahman Zishan (Professor, Director, Faculty of Engineering) closed the session with a vote of thanks to the speaker, followed by a virtual token of appreciation, including a crest and certificate to the esteemed speaker.

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Seminars on Circuit Design and Innovations

Sunday, January 19, 2025

On January 19, 2025, the Faculty of Engineering (FE) organized two seminars supported by Engineering Students' Association of Bangladesh (ESAB) AIUB Unit Face. Prof. Dr. ABM Siddique Hossain (Dean, FE; Advisor, ESAB AIUB Unit Face) delivered the opening address.

The event had two distinguished speakers who provided comprehensive insights into the analog circuit industry. The first session, titled “Opportunities for young engineers of EEE to work on Analog Circuit Design with Ulkasemi” was delivered by Dr. Abu Hena Mostafa Kamal (Senior Director of Engineering at Ulkasemi). The second session, titled “How to think out of the box: My Few Innovations” was presented by

Dr. Ion Opris (Ulkasemi, USA).

Prof. Dr. ABM. Siddique Hossain shared the concluding speech, followed by a speech by Dr. Shahriyar Masud Rizvi (Associate Professor, FE &, Deputy Director, Dr. Anwarul Abedin Institute of Innovation). The event concluded with tokens of appreciation presented by Prof. Dr. ABM Siddique Hossain and Dr. Shahriyar Masud Rizvi to the speakers and guests. Other participants included Mr. Md. Shahariar Parvez (Assistant Professor & Special Assistant [OSA], FE; Motivator of ESAB AIUB Unit Face) and Mr. Tamim Hossain (Assistant Professor, FE).

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AIUB Successfully Concludes Historic First Accreditation Visit by BAC

Tuesday-Thursday, January 21-23, 2025

AIUB recently hosted the first External Quality Assessment (EQA) site visit by the Bangladesh Accreditation Council (BAC) for its Electrical and Electronic Engineering (EEE) program, from January 21 to 23, 2025. The visit highlighted AIUB's commitment to academic excellence and quality assurance.

The BAC EQA team reviewed academic documentation, including the curriculum, and interacted with students, faculty, administrative staff, employers, alumni, and various AIUB offices. The team met with Prof. Dr. Saiful Islam (Vice Chancellor) and Prof. Dr. Md. Abdur Rahman (Pro-Vice Chancellor) during the visit.



The delegation also toured the university's infrastructure, including classrooms, laboratories, library, and IT facilities. The Institutional Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) and Program Self-Assessment Committee (PSAC) provided essential support.

At the conclusion of the visit, the BAC team conducted an exit meeting, providing valuable suggestions for further enhancement of AIUB functionality. The EQA Team also expressed their appreciation for AIUB's efforts and commitment to quality education. The outcome of the visit will be announced by BAC in the coming days.

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AIUB and Bangladesh Basketball Federation (BBF) Signs MOU

Monday, January 27, 2025

AIUB and the Bangladesh Basketball Federation (BBF) formally signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) on Monday, 27th January 2025, at the AIUB Campus. Through this partnership, AIUB will be the official Education Partner of the Bangladesh Basketball Federation for the next three years.

The MOU was signed by Ms. Nadia Anwar, Founder and Chairman of the Board of Trustees, AIUB, on behalf of AIUB, and Dr. Shemim Aka Nawaz, President of BBF, on behalf of BBF.

The event was attended by Prof. Dr. Saiful Islam, Vice-Chancellor, AIUB; Prof. Dr. Md. Abdur Rahman, Pro-Vice Chancellor, AIUB; Prof. Dr. Manzur H. Khan, Proctor, AIUB; Major Mohammad Atiqul Hafeez (Retd), General Secretary of BBF; Mohammad Faisal Azim, Joint Secretary of BBF, Dr. Ziarat H. Khan, Deputy Director, Student Services and Welfare, Mr. Joynal Abedin, Coordinator, Office of Sports, and Mr. Abu Miah Akanda, Asst. Director, Public Relations, AIUB.

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AIUB at the Regional Business Meeting of WePOWER

Thursday-Friday, January 30-31, 2025

WePOWER, funded by the World Bank is a vibrant voluntary women's professional network in Energy and Power Sector in South Asia that supports women's participation in energy projects and institutions and promotes normative change regarding women in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) education. A regional business meeting with representatives from 7 South Asia regions, hosted by the Asian Institute of Technology (AIT), Bangkok was held on 30-31 January 2025. Dr. Carmen Z. Lamagna, former Vice Chancellor and Member of the AIUB Board of Trustees, participated in the said meeting.



In Bangladesh, WePOWER is currently working with ten partners. American International University-Bangladesh (AIUB) is the only educational institution that has become the successful institutional partner of WePOWER from July 2024.

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