

# NewsLetter

Issue 5



# 2015

UNIVERSITY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY & SCIENCES

# UNIVERSITY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY & SCIENCES (UITS)

## 4 Month Semester

SL No	Events	Spring 2016	Summer 2016	Fall 2016
1	Commencement of Semesters -16	Fri 01 January, 2016	Monday 02 May, 2016	Thursday 01 September, 2016
2	Admission Test	Fri 08 January, 2016	Friday 06 May, 2016	Friday 02 September, 2016
3	New Students Admission	Sun 10 Jan – Wed 13 Jan, 2016	Mon 09 May – Thurs 12 May, 2016	Sun 04 Sep – Thurs 08 Sep, 2016
4	Course Registration (Without Late fee)	Mon 11 Jan – Wed 13 Jan, 2016	Mon 09 May – Thurs 12 May, 2016	Mon 05 Sep – Thurs 08 Sep, 2016
5	Classes Commence	Thurs 14 Jan, 2016	Saturday 14 May, 2016	Monday 19 September, 2016
6	Course Registration (With Late fee)	Mon 18 Jan – Thurs 21, Jan 2016	Monday 16 May – Thurs 19 May, 2016	Monday 19 Sep – Thurs 22 Sep, 16
7	Last date of Registration	Thurs 21 January, 2016	Thurs 19 May, 2016	Thursday 22 September, 2016
8	Orientation	Sat 30 January, 2016	Saturday 04 June, 2016	Saturday 15 October, 2016
9	Last Date of Payment for 2 <sup>nd</sup> Installment	Thurs 18 February, 2016 (Late fee will be charged after 18 Feb, 2016)	Mon 13 June, 2016 (Late fee will be charged after 13 June, 2016)	Thurs 27 Oct, 2016 (Late fee will be charged after 27 Oct, 16)
10	Issuance of Admit Card	Mon 22 Feb – Thurs 25 Feb, 2016	Wed 15 June – Sat 18 June, 2016	Mon 31 Oct – Thurs 03 Nov, 2016
11	Mid Term Examinations	Fri 26 Feb – Tues 01 Mar, 2016	Mon 20 June – Fri 24 June, 2016	Fri 04 Nov – Tue 08 Nov, 2016
12	Last Date of Payment for 3 <sup>rd</sup> Installment	Wed 16 March, 2016 (Late fee will be charged after 16 Mar, 16)	Tue 19 July, 2016 (Late fee will be charged after 19 July, 2016)	Thurs 24 Nov, 2016 (Late fee will be charged after 24 Nov, 16)
13	Issuance of Admit Card	Sat 09 April – Wed 13 April, 2016	Mon 08 August – Thurs 11 August, 2016	Tuesday 06 Dec – Sat 10 Dec, 2016
14	Moderation of Question	Saturday 02 April 2016	Thursday 04 August 2016	Saturday 03 December, 2016
15	Last Class of the Semester	Sat 09 April 2016	Thursday 11 August, 2016	Saturday 10 December, 2016
16	Final Examinations	Fri 15 April – Mon 25 April, 2016	Tues 16 August – Fri 26 August, 2016	Thurs 15 Dec – Mon 26 Dec, 2016
17	End of Semester	Saturday 30 April, 2016	Wednesday 31 August, 2016	Saturday 31 December, 2016

## 6 Month Semester : Social Work & Pharmacy

SL No	Events	Spring 2016	Autumn 2016
1	Commencement of Semesters -2016	Friday 01 January, 2016	Friday 01 July, 2016
2	Admission Test	Fri 12 February, 2016	Friday 15 July, 2016
3	New Students Admission	Mon 15 Feb – Thurs 18 Feb, 2016	Mon 18 July – Thurs 21 July, 2016
4	Course Registration (Without Late fee)	Mon 15 Feb – Thurs 18 Feb, 2016	Mon 18 July – Thurs 21 July, 2016
5	Classes Commence	Monday 22 February, 2016	Friday 22 July, 2016
6	Course Registration (With Late fee)	Mon 22 Feb – Wed 24 Feb, 2016	Mon 25 July – Wed 27 July, 2016
7	Last date of Registration	Wed 24 February, 2016	Wednesday 27 July, 2016
8	Last Date of Payment for 2 <sup>nd</sup> Installment	Wed 16 March, 2016 (Late fee will be charged after 16 March, 2016)	Wednesday 24 August, 2016 (Late fee will be charged after 24 August, 2016)
9	Orientation	Saturday 19 March, 2016	Saturday 27 August, 2016
10	Issuance of Admit Card	Tues 05 April – Sat 09 April, 2016	Monday 05 Sept – Thursday 08 Sept, 2016
11	Mid Term Preparatory Leave	Sunday 10 April – Wednesday 13 April, 2016	Thursday 15 Sept – Sunday 18 Sept, 2016
12	Mid Term Examinations	Friday 15 April – Tuesday 26 April, 2016	Monday 19 Sept – Wednesday 28 Sept, 2016
13	Last Date of Payment for 3 <sup>rd</sup> Installment	Thurs 19 May, 2016 (Late fee will be charged after 19 May, 2016)	Thurs 10 November, 2016 (Late fee will be charged after 10 November, 2016)
14	Issuance of Admit Card	Mon 06 June – Thurs 09 June, 2016	Monday 21 Nov – Thursday 24 Nov, 2016
15	Last Class of the Semester	Friday 10 June, 2016	Thursday 24 Nov, 2016
16	Final Term Preparatory Leave	Sat 11 June – Tues 14 June, 2016	Friday 25 Nov – Monday 28 Nov, 2016
17	Final Examinations	Thurs 16 June – Tues 28 June, 2016	Wednesday 30 Nov – Tuesday 13 Dec, 2016
18	End of Semester	Thursday 30 June, 2016	Saturday 31 December, 2016

## Holidays

International Mother Language Day: Sun 21 February, 2016	*Shab-e Qadr, Juma-Tul-Bida & Eid-UI-Fitr: Mon 04, July – Wed 13 July, 2016
Birthday of Father of the Nation: Thurs 17 March, 2016	National Mourning Day: Mon 15 Aug, 2016
Independence Day: Sat 26 March, 2016	Jonmastery: Thursday 25 August, 2016
Bengali New Year: Thurs 14 April, 2016	*Eid-UI-Azha: Fri 09 Sept – Sat 17 Sept, 2016
May Day: Sunday 01 May, 2016	*Durga Puja : Sat 08 Oct – Tues 11 Oct, 2016
* Buddho Purnima: Saturday 21 May, 2016	*Ashura: Wed 12 October 2016
*Shab-e-Barat: Monday 23 May, 2016	*Eid-e-Miladunnabi: Mon 12 Dec, 2016
Semester Break: Tue 26 April – Sat 30 April, 2016	Victory Day: Friday 16 Dec, 2016
Semester Break: Sat 25 June – Thurs 30 June, 2016	X-Mas-Day: Sunday 25 Dec, 2016
Semester Break: Sat 27 August – Wed 31 August, 2016	Semester Break: Mon 26 Dec – Sat 31 Dec, 2016
	Semester Break: Tues 27 Dec – Sat 31 Dec, 2016

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# Academic Calendar 2016

## UITS Celebrated Victory Day



Professor Choudhury M Zakaria and Kamrul Hasan (Center) among others, are laying wreath at the altar of The National Memorial in Savar on 16th December, 2015.

16th December, the Victory Day, is the most celebrated day in Bengali life. We as a nation always celebrate this day in a befitting manner. Accordingly, the University of Information Technology and Sciences (UITS) pays due importance to the celebration of this day. As a mark of celebration of the Victory Day on December 16, the national flag was hoisted at half mast amid sunrise at the UITS Main Campus at Baridhara. A floral wreath was placed at the altar of the National Memorial at Savar as part of this solemn occasion. This very morning program at the National Memorial was led by the Pro-Vice Chancellor Professor Dr. Choudhury M. Zakaria, Registrar (acting) Kamrul Hasan and a host of students, teachers and staff of the UITS.

## Discussion on Victory Day

A discussion meeting entitled "Liberation War in the Eyes of the Children of Freedom Fighters" was held on the occasion of the Victory Day at the UITS Campus. This solemn occasion was graced by the Information Commissioner of the Government of Bangladesh, Professor Khushida Sayeed, daughter of a former freedom fighter. Special guests BOT Member Secretary, Professor KM Saiful Islam Khan and Treasurer Professor S. R. Hilaly of UITS were also present on this occasion. Chief Guest Professor Dr. Khurshida Sayeed emphasized on the importance of the liberation struggle in Bengali life. Prior to her speech, Pro-Vice Chancellor Professor Choudhury M. Zakaria welcomed Professor Dr. Khurshida Sayeed, offering her a floral wreath. Conducted by Registrar (acting) Muhammad Kamrul Hasan of UITS, the Victory Day Program had also other components such as different types of sports competitions among teachers, students and staff of the university.



Prof. Dr. Kurshida Sayeed Speaks on Victory Day at UITS. ( From left to Right ) Prof. Hilaly, Prof. Zakaria and Prof. Saiful Islam Khan are in this picture.

## Shaheed Intellectuals' Day Observed at UITS



Professor Choudhury M Zakaria, Professor Dr. KM Saiful Islam Khan, Kamrul Hasan and Dr. Mizanur Rahman (From Right to Left) are laying wreath at the altar of the Martyred Intellectuals on Shaheed Intelltuals' Day on 14th December, 2015.

University of Information Technology and Sciences (UITS) observed Shaheed Intellectuals' Day in a befitting manner on 14th December 2015. A group of UITS teachers, students and staff led by Pro-Vice Chancellor Professor Choudhury M. Zakaria and BOT Member Secretary, Professor KM Saiful Islam Khan, Dr. Mizanur Rahman Dean, School of Science and Engineering and Registrar (acting) Kamrul Hasan, among others, laid floral wreath at the memorial of the intellectuals who made supreme sacrifices by giving up their lives at the altar of freedom of their motherland.

## UITS Vice Chancellor Attended International Conference in Tokyo



In sitting from left: Professors Dr. Takashi Fujioka (Japan), Dr. H. M. D. R. Herath (Sri Lanka), Dr. Tatsuru Akimoto (Japan), Dr. Zulkarnain Ahmad Hatta (Malaysia), Dr. AdiFaruddin (Indonesia) and standing from left fifth Dr. Muhammad Samad (Bangladesh) and sixth Ms. Kana Uchida Matsuo, Coordinator of the Research Project (Japan) respectively and other participants.

An acclaimed social scientist, noted poet and the Vice Chancellor of the University of Information Technology and Sciences (UITS), Professor Dr. Muhammad Samad attended an International Seminar on Social Welfare in Asia and the Pacific Rim: Religions and Social Work in Asia held in Tokyo between 12- 13 December, 2015 organized by Japan College of Social Work. Dr. Muhammad Samad presented a research paper entitled "A Study on Social Service Activities of Muslim Religious Institutions in Bangladesh"

in the seminar along with scholars from Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Sri Lanka and Thailand on the same issue. Professor Muhammad Samad who is the President of the Jatiyo Kobi Porishad (National Poetry Council of Bangladesh) also attended the Victory Day Program organized by the Bangladesh Embassy in Japan, Tokyo on 16 December 2015.

## Rag Day of Civil Engineering Department

The Department of Civil Engineering at the University of Technology and Sciences (UITS) had a flourish of festivities on its Rag Day that was celebrated on 21st November, 2015 as part of the Farewell Party by the 6th batch of the students of Civil Engineering who began their study in 2011. Festivities for this program started at 2:00 pm with a colorful procession of revelling students and a ceremonial cutting of a giant cake by Professor Mustafizur Rahman of the same department. Their colorful procession paraded a few streets adjacent to the UITS campus.



Students are here seen in revelry mood on the occasion of their Rag/Farewell Party.

## Ostentatious Concluding Ceremony of "Zeroone Fest-2" at UITS



Al-Haj Sufi Mohamed Mizanur Rahman is speaking at the Concluding Session of the Zeroone Fest -2. Dr. Shaila Salahuddin, Choudhury M Zakaria, Dr. Mizanur Rahman, and Prof. Dr. Hilaly, (From Right to Left) are seen in the picture.

Organized by the Department of Computer Science and Information Technology, the ostentatious concluding ceremony of the "Zeroone-Fest-2" was held at the campus of the University of Information Technology and Sciences (UITS) on November 14, 2015. The chief guest who happens to be the patriarch of the PHP Family and Chairman of the Board of the Trustees, Al-Haj Sufi Mohamed Mizanur Rahman gave an inspiring speech to the participants. Pro-Vice Chancellor Professor Dr. Choudhury M. Zakaria, Treasurer S.R. Hilaly and Dr. Mizanur Rahman, Dean of the School of Science and Engineering, Mr. Raihan Uddin Ahmed, Head of the Department of Computer Engineering and Information

Technology and Mr. Nurruzzaman Bhuiyan, the mentor of the Computer Club, other teachers and students were also present in the program.

## Inauguration of Zeroone Fest -2



Professor Kaikobad is speaking on the Inaugural Day of the Zeroone Fest. Raihan Uddin, Choudhury M. Zakaria, Dr. Muhammad Samad and former national football star Kaiser Hamid (From left to Right) are seen here.

A three Day “Zeroone Fest-2” was inaugurated at 11:00 am on Thursday-12 November by Professor Kaikobad, Dean, Faculty of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET) at the University of Information Technology and Sciences (UITS). Sponsored by the Department of Computer Science and Information Technology, UITS, this Zeroone Fest-2 was presided over by UITS Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Samad. Chief guest Professor Dr. M Kaikobad, special guests Member Secretary of the Board of Trustees (BOT), Professor Dr. KM Saiful Islam Khan and Pro-Vice Chancellor Professor Dr. Choudhury M Zakaria spoke on the occasion, highlighting the importance of the Zeroone Program.

## Seminar on “Prospects of Green Technology”

Green Technology (GT) plays an indispensable role in raising the standard of living and in reducing the use of wealth. Increasing human consciousness about the utility of GT at the university level is more important than anything else. Having realized this, the Department of Civil Engineering, UITS organized a seminar on “Prospects of Green Technology” on 17th October, 2015. Chief Guest Pro-Vice Chancellor Professor Choudhury M Zakaria said that we must enhance our consciousness about GT with a view to saving environment. The Board of Trustees (BOT) Member Secretary, Professor KM. Saiful Islam Khan as a special guest said that we become victim to natural pollution due to our limitations in knowledge and technology, and, above all, due to the role of some special individuals and machination of superpowers. The other attractions of the whole seminar were guest speakers, Mr. Ashrafal Alam, the Managing Director of IDYLLI and additional Chief Engineer of PWD, Syed Azizul Haq. They delivered spellbound lectures on the technical aspects of the problem of global warming.



Choudhury M Zakaria is speaking here. Among others, Professor KM. Saiful Islam Khan, and Mr. Arifuzzaman, (From Right to Left) are seen here.

## Freshers’ Colorful Orientation at the UITS



Al- Haj Sufi Mohamed Mizanur Rahman is speaking here. KM Saiful Islam Khan, Dr. Hilaly, Dr. Samad, Choudhury M Zakaria, and Mr. Sarwar Jahan Nizam (From Left to Right) are seen here in the picture.

The Fall Semester Freshers’ Orientation Program 2015 was held at 11:00 AM on 10th October in the UITS main campus with Professor Dr. Mohammad Samad, the Vice Chancellor of the University in the chair. Professor Choudury M. Zakaria, Pro-Vice Chancellor of the UITS gave his maiden speech and welcomed the newly admitted students with an open heart and exhorted them to study hard to prepare for a tough life ahead. Al-Haj Sufi Mohamed Mizanur Rahman, founder of the UITS and PHP Family said that an enlightened man can be made only through enlightenment. He further exhorted the young minds to remember that in life, they should match learning with humility, education with training and imbibe life with patriotism. One can be great only by combining these human qualities in life, he elaborated. Sufi Mizanur Rahman challenged them to uphold the dignity of the nation, country and society to the greater world. Moreover, he highlighted to them the dignity of labor in life. Special Guest Ex-Vice Admiral of the Navy of Bangladesh, Mr. Sarwar Jahan Nizam reminded the students that only they could move the country forward. The BOT Member Secretary, Professor Dr. KM Saiful Islam Khan as a special guest reminded students that they were lucky enough to have been admitted in such a great university with a rich academic environment and quality.

Treasurer of the UIITS, Professor Md. Syedur Rahman Hilaly thanked students for arranging such an interesting program. Professor Dr. Muhammad Samad, Vice- Chancellor of UIITS and the Chair of the Freshers' program, encouraged students to develop good character and learn honesty so that they would not only be able to face the challenge of the world but also reach the peak of their success.

## Internet Week at UIITS on Freelancing



All the dignitaries including (From left to Right) Mr. Raihan Uddin Ahmed, Fida Haque, Md. Nuruzzaman Bhuyan and Md. Sajjadur Rahman are sitting in the podium. Some teachers as well as students of the Department of Computer Science are here seen in the background enjoying the successful completion of their program, the Internet Week.

Mentor of the UIITS Computer Club and Sajjadur Rahaman, Convener of the Basis Student Forum Chapter of the UIITS.

The nation celebrated "The Bangladesh Internet Week (2015)" with a view to expanding the role of internet in national life, especially in expanding the selling and buying of goods and services online. Only fifty universities organized this innovative program as part of the national celebration. UIITS celebrated the occasion on 7th October with much enthusiasm, fun and fanfare. The focus of the event was a discussion on E-payment and Freelancing. The main speaker of this event was Fida Haque, the Chief executive of the IT Firm, The Suryamukhi (The Sun Flower). Among others who spoke on the program included Mr. Raihan Uddin Ahmed, Assistant Professor and Head of the Department of Computer Science, Muhammad Nuruzamman Bhuiyan,

## Induction Ceremony for the Top Newly Appointed Trio Held at UIITS

The newly appointed Pro-Vice Chancellor, Professor Dr. Choudhury M Zakaria, newly appointed Treasurer, Professor Dr. Syedur Rahman Hilaly and the newly appointed Member Secretary of the Board of Trustees (BOT) Professor KM Saiful Islam Khan were formally inducted in a simple Induction Ceremony held on 3rd October at the Main Campus of the UIITS at Baridhara. The newly appointed trio was received with floral wreaths and crests by UIITS. Presided over by Professor Dr. KM Saiful Islam Khan, this induction ceremony hosted Al-Haj Sufi Mohamed Mizanur Rahman, the founder of the UIITS and the PHP Family, who expressed his optimism about the success of the UIITS. He also called upon all the teachers, officers and staff to work for the desired success of the university. Professor A. N. M. Sharif, Dean, School of Business Studies at the UIITS, also spoke on the occasion. Former Naval Chief Vice-Admiral Sarwar Jahan, Controller of Examination Dr. Abdus Sattar, legal adviser of the Department of Law and a noted lawyer Advocate Abdul Mannan Bhuiyan, Chief of the Department of Human Resources of PHP, Mr. Ahmad Sheparuddin, Ex-Coordinator of the then UIITS Rajshahi Campus, Advocate Arman Ali, and teachers and officers were, among others, present in this induction ceremony.



Al-Haj Sufi Mohamed Mizanur Rahman is speaking at the Induction Ceremony. Professor Dr. KM Saiful Islam Khan, Sarwar Jahan, Dr. S R Hilaly, Choudhury M. Zakaria, and Mr. Ahmad Sheparuddin (From Right to left) are seen in the picture.

## Member Secretary of the BOT



Professor Dr. KM Saiful Islam Khan has been appointed as the Member Secretary of the Board of the Trustees (BOT) of the University of Information Technology and Sciences (UIITS) in October, 2015. An author of a couple of books and many research articles, Professor Dr. KM Saiful Islam Khan has a distinguishing career as a scholar and administrator at home and abroad. He is a Professor of Persian Language and Literature in the University of Dhaka. Born in 1968, Professor Saiful Islam studied Persian Language at the DU, stood first class first in both BA (Honors) and MA examinations and joined his alma mater as a lecturer in 1995. Professor Saiful Islam Khan received

his Ph. D degree from the University of Tehran, Islamic Republic of Iran in 2002. He presented numerous scholarly papers in different national and international seminars. His academic publications and research mostly deal with a wide array of issues such as Sufism, mysticism, spirituality, Persian poetry, Bengali poetry, philosophy, civilizational contribution of Persia and India to each other, education, Islamic solidarity, world peace, etc. Professor Saiful Islam Khan also held Proctorship at DU. He revamped the study of Persian studies in Bangladesh and founded a separate Department of Persian Language and Literature. Subsequently, he joined the University of Information Technology and Sciences (UITs) as its first Pro-Vice Chancellor on October 1st, 2011. After the end of his lien period, he again joined his DU department as its Professor. He was appointed as the Member Secretary by the Board of the Trustees in October, 2015. Highly active in socio-cultural activities, Professor Saiful Islam has been a member of a number organizations. He is the General Secretary of the Allama Rumi Society Dhaka, member of NGO Foundation and member of Agrani Bank Shariah Council.

## New Pro-Vice Chancellor

Professor Dr, Choudury M. Zakaria has joined University of Information Technology and Sciences (UITs) as its 2nd Pro-Vice Chancellor on October 1st, 2015. Prior to joining UITs, he was a Professor of the Department of Chemistry at Rajshahi University (RU), Bangladesh.

Professor Zakaria began his professional career in the administration cader of the Bangladesh Civil Service in 1988, serving as an Assistant Commissioner in Khulna and Paikgacha Upazillas. Subsequently, he joined as a lecturer, Department of Chemistry, RU in 1989 and was promoted to full professorship in 2002. He was also Proctor at RU.

In 1994 Professor Zakaria received his Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D) degree at the St. Andrews University in the United Kingdom. Once again, he went to the United Kingdom as a post-doctoral Commonwealth Fellow in 2000. He also served as a Visiting Professor at the Nagoya Institute of Technology in Japan from 2003 to 2004. Finally, Professor Zakaria became a Visiting Scientist at the prestigious Professor Salam Institute of Theoretical Physics at Trieste, Italy between 2003 and 2012.

Professor Zakaria is also an accomplished researcher and noted scholar. To his credit, he has 58 research articles published in different national and international journals. He was twice awarded Presidential Medals for his distinct achievements in the academia in 1986 and 1996. A highly accomplished academician, Professor Zakaria has been involved in a variety of educational and social organizations in his distinguished career. At present, he is member of the Senate, RU.



## New Treasurer



Professor Dr. Md. Syedur Rahman Hilaly has joined University of Information Technology and Sciences (UITs) as its new Treasurer in September 2015. Before joining UITs, Professor Hilaly, an accomplished academician and Professor of Economics, served as the Controller of Examinations, Director, Academic Affairs and Director, Administration at the UITs Chittagong Campus. Professor Hilaly has an illustrious academic career in that he studied Economics (Honors) at the University of Chittagong and received both his BA (Honors) and MA degree in 1970 and 1971 respectively. He also received his Ph. D degree in Economics at the University of Chittagong in 1992.

Professor Hilaly has enjoyed an active working life which started in 1973 when he joined Sitankundu College. He also served as the Principal of this College and piloted its peaceful transition. He joined the Education Cader of the Bangladesh Civil Service (B.C.S.) in 1977. As a Professor of Economics, Dr. Hilaly taught in several important colleges including Government Commerce College, Chittagong, Chittagong Government College, Government City College, Chittagong, Chittagong Mahila College and Comilla Victoria College. He was duly promoted for his distinguishing service to the nation.

A renowned scholar, Professor Hilaly has several publications to his credit. He authored an important text book meant for the postgraduate students in Economics. He reached the zenith of his distinguishing career when the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh awarded him a gold medal for being voted the Best Teacher in Economics in 2001. Last but not the least, Professor Hilaly also received Senior Scale Grade professorship, which is a rare feat among professors of government colleges.

## Fall 2015 Admission Test in UIITS

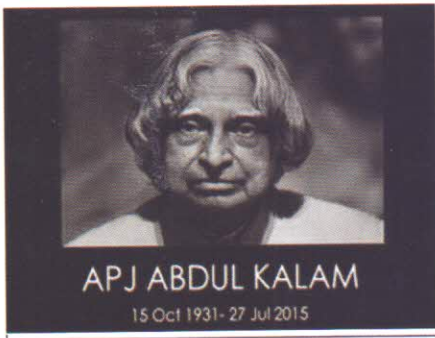
In every semester the UIITS holds admission test to admit new students. Fall 2015 Semester was not an exception. Admission Test for this semester was held on September 10, 2015. The Board of the Trustees (BOT) Member Secretary Dr. K M Saiful Islam Khan, and Vice Chancellor Professor Dr. Muhammad Samad visited the examination halls and expressed their satisfaction over the success of the Fall Admission Test. After final scrutiny, UIITS finally admitted 270 students based on this merit based admission test.



Students are appearing at admission test

## A. P. J. Abdul Kalam Remembered at UIITS

The University of Information Technology and Sciences (UIITS) remembered Indian missile scientist and former President of India the late A. P. J. Abdul Kalam following his death in a solemn commemorative meeting at its Baridhara campus on 30th July, 2015. Vice Chancellor Professor Dr. Muhammad Samad was the chief guest at this commemorative meeting presided over by the Board of the Trustees (BOT) Member Secretary Professor Dr. KM. Saiful Islam Khan. It should be noted here that the late A. P. J. Abdul Kalam attended the First Convocation of the UIITS held in 2009 and delivered an inspirational speech to the graduating students, faculty and the invited guests from all walks of life.



Professor Dr. Samad said that the late A. P. J. Abdul Kalam should be emulated by us all because this great man gave us a call to dream big in life and showed us how to cultivate good human character while

simultaneously maintaining its purity of heart. "The UIITS is really fortunate enough to have such a great and noble human being at its First Convocation," Professor Samad said.

Professor Dr. KM Saiful Islam Khan said that those figures who are noble and those who have become great, and those who contributed to world civilization and those who contributed mostly in elevating human society and culture to a position of dignity have always led ordinary lives. Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam led such a simple life. " We, the researchers, teachers and students, shall remember him with much respect forever," Professor Saiful Islam Khan said with an emphasis.

All present in the meeting observed a minute of silence in honor of the departed soul.

## Iftar Mahfil held at UIITS

An Iftar Mahfil was held on July 3, 2015 at the Main Campus of the University of Information Technology and Sciences (UIITS) in the holy month of Ramadan. The guests who were present, among others, at this sacred occasion included Al-Haj Sufi Mohamed Mizanur Rahman, the founder of the PHP and Chair of the Board of the Trustees of UIITS, descendant of the Boro Pir Hajrat Shah Syed Abdul Kader Zilani (Allah is pleased with him) and an honorable member of the Islamic Council of Malaysia Shah Sufi Afif Abdul Kader Mansur Al Jilani, Mr Anwar Hossain Shibli and Kari Redwan Goma Mohammad Yunus of the world renowned Al-Azhar University of Egypt. A prayer session was held for the welfare of both the country and university at the end of this solemn Iftar Party.



Sufi Al Haj Mohamed Mizanur Rahman, Sufi Shah Sufi Afifi Abdul Kader Mansur Al Jilani and Md. Samad, among others, are seen praying at the Milad, Doa and Iftar Mahfil.



## Workshop on Human Resource Development



Professor Dr. K. Saiful Islam Khan is speaking here. Former Registrar (acting) and Chief of Administration Lieutenant Colonel (ret.) Mr. Khairul Basher and Mr. Ahmad Sheparuddin, the Chief of the HRD Division of the PHP (From Left to Right) are seen here in the picture.

(acting) of the UITS also spoke on the occasion.

A Training Workshop was held at UITS on human resources development on 15 June, 2015. The program was conducted by BOT Member Secretary Professor Dr. KM Saiful Khan who said that a workshop like this would play a vital role in developing human resources at the UITS. Mr. Ahmad Sheparuddin, the head of the Department of Human Resources, the PHP Family was present as the main speaker in this workshop and played an important role in the overall workshop, highlighting the importance of the human resource development. Lieutenant Colonel (ret.) A. F. M. Khairul Basher, the Registrar

### Obituary

■ S. M. Rabbi Azad Siddique (Ripel), a former student of the Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, University of Information Technology and Sciences (UITS), died in a tragic motorcycle accident on 30 November, 2015. A condolence meeting was held at the UITS Main Campus. Everyone present at this meeting prayed for the salvation of his soul and conveyed their condolences to the family of the departed one. Pro Vice Chancellor Professor Choudhury M Zakaria, BOT Member Secretary, Professor Dr. KM Saiful Islam Khan and Dr. Mizanur Rahman, Dean of the School of Science and Engineering, teachers, students and staff were present in this condolence meeting.



Kazi Injamul Haque Sami, a student of the University of Information Technology and Science (UITS), died in a road accident on October 8, 2015. He was a student of the Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering. He was from the district of Comilla. Sami's class mates, teachers and the greater UITS family were shocked at the premature demise of an ambitious life and prayed for the salvation of his soul.



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## Admission Going on for Spring 2016

### Programs (4 Months Semester)

#### School of Science and Engineering

- ◆ B.Sc. in Civil Engineering ( CE )
- ◆ B.Sc. in Computer Science and Engineering ( CSE )
- ◆ B.Sc. in Electronics and Communication Engineering ( ECE )
- ◆ B.Sc. in Electrical & Electronics Engineering ( EEE )
- ◆ B.Sc. in Information Technology ( IT )
- ◆ MSc in Computer Science & Engineering ( CSE / IT Major 1 Year )
- ◆ MSc in Computer Science & Engineering ( Others 1.5 Years )

#### School of Business

- ◆ Bachelor of Business Administration ( BBA )  
Major in Finance, HRM, Accounting, and Marketing
- ◆ International Master of Business Administration ( Regular, 2 Years )
- ◆ International Master of Business Administration ( Executive, 1 Year )

#### School of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

- ◆ Bachelor of Arts in English ( BA Hons. 4 Years )
- ◆ Bachelor of Laws ( LLB Hons. 4 Years )
- ◆ Bachelor of Laws ( LLB Hons. 4 Years, Eve. )
- ◆ Master of Arts in English ( MA 1 Year )
- ◆ Master of Laws ( LLM 1 Year )
- ◆ Master of Laws ( LLM 2 Years )

### Programs (6 Months Semester)

( January to June and July to December )

#### School of Science and Engineering

- ◆ Bachelor of Pharmacy ( B.Pharm )

#### School of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

- ◆ Bachelor of Social Sciences in Social Work ( BSS )
- ◆ Master of Social Sciences in Social Work ( MSS )



Permanent Campus of UITS ( Under Construction )

### Top Ten Reasons to Study at the UITS

- ◆ Full Time Faculty members with outstanding academic records
- ◆ Excellent Lab facilities for all Engineering and Pharmacy Programs
- ◆ Scholarship for meritorious, poor, less privileged area students and for children of freedom fighters
- ◆ Credit Transfer to Home and Foreign Universities
- ◆ Special Credits waiver for Diploma Engineers
- ◆ Special tuition waiver based on SSC & HSC results
- ◆ Special tuition waiver for Siblings and Spouse
- ◆ Moving to permanent Campus soon
- ◆ Special English program to help students
- ◆ Career Counseling for students and job opportunities in PHP family

UITS Graduates will get jobs in PHP Family

#### Form Distribution

Everyday  
9:00am to 8:00pm

#### Admission

Everyday  
10:00am to 5:00pm

### Contact Us

#### Main Campus

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#### Kakrail Campus

PHP Tower, 107/2 Kakrail, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh.  
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#### Permanent Campus

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