

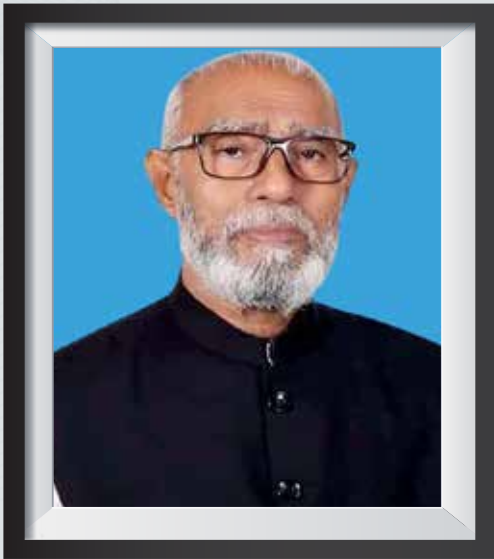


# NWU Bulletin

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## North Western University Bulletin

### Message from Chairman



**Talukder Abdul Khaleque**  
Honorable Chairman  
Board of Trustees

It's a privilege to address that the government led by honorable Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina has achieved extraordinary landmarks in education development. In fact, a promising new horizon has opened up for the stakeholders from primary level to higher education sector. Alongside the existing public universities, a number of private universities have been established in each district to serve the need of the seekers of higher education; following the legacy with the aim of creating higher education opportunities for the students of Khulna and southwestern region, North Western University started its glorious journey as the first ever UGC approved private university established in Khulna in the Spring-2013 semester with 440 students and the forefront slogan: "Committed to World Class Education". At present, around 3000 students, 70 full-time faculty members, nearly half a hundred adjunct faculties, and more than a hundred officers and staff are running the activities of the university with utmost determination, diligence and dedication. It is indeed a pleasure and pride that our university has already entered its 12<sup>th</sup> year of excellence and glory.

Since 2013, a large number of our graduates and post-graduates have been obtaining higher degrees from reputed foreign universities across the world, and most of them already have well established careers; they have been vitally contributing in respective professional fields through creativity, honesty and excellence, and thus adding new feathers to the hat of reputation of this university.

Furthermore, the construction process of permanent campus of the university is in progress. As the university shifts to the permanent campus, some topical new subjects will be inaugurated alongside the existing corpus. Thus, I firmly believe that our university will play a key role in the expansion and development of higher education in the southern region and prove to be a proud contributor to nurturing truly patriotic scholars.

### About North Western University

The establishment of North Western University in Khulna, the third largest port city of the country, was indeed, a noble idea of some distinguished personalities. They placed a proposal for establishing North Western University to the Ministry of Education on 01 August 2010 and the Ministry issued permission on 18 November 2012. The University started its academic activities on 11 February 2013.

The Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh under Private University Act. 2010. The University approved the establishment of North Western University started its activities with 440 students. At present the University consists of 5 Faculties, 11 Departments. The numbers of students and teachers have risen to about 3000 and 114 respectively.

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is to serve diverse communities of stimulating education to develop their life academic and career-oriented goals. The both undergraduate and postgraduate benefits for its students: potential life-changing competencies and a genuine academic environment University is dedicated to the advancement of learning, and

## Dept. of ELL Holds Cultural Fest

With the tagline “Reminiscing the Roots, Relishing Life” Department of English Language and Literature (ELL) held a pompous “Freshers’ Reception and Cultural Festival” at Building-01, NWU on 7<sup>th</sup> October 2023. The euphoric event aimed at extending a warm welcome to the novices of Fall-2023 and availing a mirthful occasion of creative cultural interactions.



Honorable Vice Chancellor, Dean of the Faculty of Liberal Arts and Human Science, Proctor, Heads of the Departments, Faculty members from different departments, and admin officials adorned the occasion with their gracious presence. Students from different academic semesters of the department showcased their creativity and calibre by performing wonderful acts throughout the program. The festival loaded with a host of fabulous performances marked a red-letter day for the department of ELL.

## Law Students’ Environmental Tour to Karamjal, Sunderban

Fifty-four students of Department of Law, North Western University, visited the heart of one of the world’s most enchanting and vital ecosystems, the Sunderbans on October 16, 2023. The best possible way to enrich knowledge is to visit places - this is what the Department of Law, NWU does in its field studies. This semester the students took part in a day long field trip to Karamjal, a remarkable destination within the Sunderbans, where environmental conservation meets adventure. Karamjal is renowned for its role in the protection of the Royal Bengal Tiger, a species teetering on the brink of extinction.

The participating students had enjoyed as well as learned a lot about environmental diversity. Students got to learn about Karamjal which stands out for its sustainable practices. Karamjal and Sundarbans face significant threats such as climate change, rising sea levels and illegal logging. These challenges put immense pressure on the ecosystem.

Karamjal demonstrates the delicate balance between ecotourism and environmental conservation. Students had the opportunity to explore the bewitching wilderness while being educated about the importance of preserving this pristine environment. The students were accompanied and supervised by Aroj Ali, Assistant Professor and Md. Tariqul Islam, Lecturer, Department of Law, North Western University, Khulna.



## NWU Observed the “Sheikh Russel Day 2023”

*NWU observed the “Sheikh Russel Day 2023” by celebrating the 60<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of Sheikh Russel, the youngest son of our beloved Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman.*

To mark the occasion NWU organized various programs on 18<sup>th</sup> October 2023. To celebrate “Sheikh Russel Day 2023” university authority along with faculty members, students and admin officials paid homage to the portrait of Sheikh Russel at NWU Building-1. Discussion session followed by a special prayer was held at the university premises. A documentary show was also screened for the students.

Sheikh Russel, the youngest brother of Honorable Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina was born on October 18, 1964 at historic Bangabandhu Bhaban at Dhanmondi. Sheikh Russel was brutally killed on August 15 in 1975 along with most of his family members including his father Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman.

NWU Vice Chancellor (Acting) Prof. Dr. Nawsher Ali Moral addressed the discussion session as chief guest. Dean, Faculty of Liberal Arts and Human Science Dr. Md. Rouf Biswas, Registrar Prof. Md. Tabibar Rahman, and Director, Finance and Accounts S M Reazur Rashid spoke among others in the discussion session. NWU faculty members, students and admin officials were also present during the program.



**Sheikh Russel**, The youngest son of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman

## NWU Observed National Mourning Day and the 48<sup>th</sup> Martyrdom Anniversary of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman

*North Westen University (NWU) organized a discussion session and special prayers on the occasion of National Mourning Day and marking the 48<sup>th</sup> martyrdom anniversary of the Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman.*

The commemoration ceremony commenced at the break of dawn with the national flag being hoisted and flown at half-mast at precisely 5:30 am. Later at 9.00 am the teachers, students, officers, and all employees of the university wore black badges. At 10:00 am, a wreath-laying ceremony took place at the portrait of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman. At first NWU’s Vice chancellor (Acting) placed the flower wreaths; then Dean, Faculty of Business Studies Dr. Md. Rouf Biswas, Proctor Inzamam-Ul-Hossain, teachers, officials, and heads of various departments of NWU also placed the flower wreaths.

A video documentary was screened on the biography of Bangabandhu in the seminar room of administrative building of the University at around 10.30 am.

The discussion session was presided over by Dr. Md. Rouf Biswas, Dean, Faculty of Business Studies. NWU Acting Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Md. Nawsher Ali Moral was the chief guest on the occasion. Prof. Dr. Naseem Ahmed, Controller of the Examinations, Marium Akther, Registrar (In Charge), Proctor, Heads of the Departments, faculty members, students, officers, and staff of the university were also present in the discussion session.

## NWU Celebrates 11 Years of Excellence

*North Western University Khulna celebrated 11<sup>th</sup> anniversary of its glorious journey with a discussion meeting followed by a cake slicing ceremony on November 18, 2023. NWU also organized a colorful rally on the occasion.*

The Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the University and Mayor of Khulna City Corporation Alhaj Talukder Abdul Khaleque inaugurated the program by flying balloons and pigeons in front of the administrative Building at Sonadanga. The Program was presided over by Honorable Vice Chancellor (Acting) Professor Dr. Md. Nawsher Ali Moral.



Board of Trustees members, Syed Mohammed Obaidullah, Pabitra Kumar Sarkar, Treasurer Kanai Lal Sarkar, Registrar Professor Md. Tabibar Rahman, Convener of the Foundation Anniversary Celebration Committee Dr. Md Rouf Biswas were also present as special guests.



The chief guest said in his speech that since its inception, this institution has opened a new horizon in the expansion of higher education in the south-western region of the country. The students of this university are contributing to the welfare of the country and the nation by receiving quality education. He also added that the university students will devote themselves to the welfare of the country and the nation and will brighten the image of this country in the competitive world by playing a responsible role in building smart Bangladesh.



Different department students along with Controller of Examinations Prof. Dr. Naseem Ahmed, Director (Finance & Accounts) S M Reazur Rashid, Proctor Md. Inzamam-ul-Hossain, Heads of the Departments, Deputy Registrar, Officers, and Staff were also present in the program. Public relations officer Mina Ossiqur Rahman moderated the program. Later, a colorful rally started from University Building-1 at Sonadanga and ended at Building-2.



## “CSE FEST-2023: North Western University Celebrates Innovation and Talent in Computer Science and Engineering”

*North Western University's Department of Computer Science and Engineering accomplished its highly anticipated three day extravaganza, "CSE Fest-2023," culminating in an awards ceremony held at the District Art Academy auditorium khulna.*

The event, graced by the presence of esteemed personalities including S. M. Kamal Hossain, Vice Chairman, Board of Trustees and Prof. Dr. Md. Nawsher Ali Moral, Vice Chancellor (Acting) emphasized the critical role of such platforms in nurturing and spotlighting burgeoning talent."The CSE Fest is more than a celebration; it's a catalyst for innovation," remarked S. M. Kamal Hossain during his address. He emphasized the festival's significance in fostering creative thinking and propelling students towards realizing their full potential.

The ceremony was an assembly of notable personalities including University's Treasurer Kanai Lal Sarkar, Registrar Professor Md. Tabibar Rahman, Director of Finance and Accounts S M Reazur Rashid, Proctor Md. Inzamam-Ul-Hossain, and the Head of the CSE Department Md. Mahedi Hasan.

The festivities kicked off with a grand inauguration on Monday, November 6, 2023 and continued till November 8, 2023. The three days of spirited participation from nearly 400 students represented 23 public and private universities.

The event showcased a diverse array of activities including Project Showcases, Poster Presentations, Indoor Games, and Gaming Contests on its inaugural day, captivating the audience's interest.

However, it was the second day that drew the spotlight with intense programming competitions and a hackathon, drawing keen evaluations from distinguished guests like Professor Dr. Kazi Masudul Alam, Professor Dr. Anupam Kumar Bairagi, and Lecturer Sajib Chatterjee from Khulna University's Department of Computer Science and Engineering.

The festival owed its success to the generous contributions of its sponsors, notably Alterity as the title sponsor, along with bronze sponsors Tolet and Work up job, technical sponsor Startech, networking partner Ismart, and photography partner Deepakshik. Md. Asaduzzaman, Assistant Professor, moderated the awards ceremony, where deserving winners were lauded for their exceptional contributions and innovations.

The CSE Fest-2023 encapsulated a vibrant convergence of talent, innovation, and camaraderie, leaving an incredible mark on the university's landscape and further igniting the flames of technological advancement and creativity.



## NWU Celebrated World Teachers' Day

*On October 5, 2023, NWU celebrated World Teachers' Day to appreciate and recognize the hard work and dedication of educators worldwide.*

A discussion session was held at NWU Building -1 premises to celebrate World Teachers' Day- 2023. The chief guest of the programme Prof. Dr. Md. Nawsher Ali Moral, Vice Chancellor (Acting) expressed his gratitude to all teachers. The discussion session was presided over by Dean, Faculty of Liberal Arts and Human Science Dr. Md. Rouf Biswas while NWU Registrar Prof. Md. Tabibar Rahman delivered welcome speech in the programme.



The Director, Finance and Accounts S M Reazur Rashid, Proctor Md. Inzamam-Ul-Hossain, Heads of different departments, faculty members, students and admin officials were also present in the event. In 2023, World Teachers' Day celebrations focused on the theme "The teachers we need for the education we want: The global imperative to reverse the teacher shortage."

## Seminar on Career Perspective at North Western University: Nurturing Future Leaders

The Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering (EEE) at North Western University (NWU) organized a thought provoking seminar on career perspectives for its students. The event took place on October 12, 2023 at Building-2 of North Western University. The Department of EEE took the initiative to arrange this insightful seminar, aiming to guide and inspire students in shaping their career paths.

The chief guest of the seminar was Prof. Dr. Md. Nawsher Ali Moral, Vice Chancellor (Acting) North Western University. Dr. Naruttam Kumar Roy, a distinguished professor from the Department of EEE at Khulna University of Engineering and Technology (KUET) was the keynote speaker. Dr. Roy shared valuable insights into the current trends and future prospects of careers in Electrical and Electronic Engineering. Dr. Naruttam Kumar Roy's keynote address delved into emerging technologies, industry demands, and the importance of continuous learning in the rapidly evolving landscape of electrical and electronic engineering. The seminar was interactive and allowed students to seek advice and clarifications.

The seminar was presided over by the Head of the Department of EEE Md. Ayaj Uddin Khan whose leadership and commitment played a crucial role in the success of the event. The seminar welcomed a distinguished panel of guests including Tajul Islam, Director, IQAC, NWU, Md. Mahedi Hasan, Head, Dept. of CSE, M. Asadujjaman, Head, Dept. of CE, Md. Asaduzzaman, Assistant Proctor, NWU.

The seminar left attendees with a clear understanding of the diverse career paths available to them. The importance of staying updated with industry trends, networking and acquiring practical skills were emphasized in the seminar. Students were encouraged to explore internships, research opportunities, and collaborative projects to enhance their professional growth. The seminar on Career Perspective organized by the Department of EEE at North Western University was a resounding success. The collaboration of eminent personalities from academia and industry provided students with a holistic view of their potential careers. As NWU continues to foster such initiatives, it is evident that the university is dedicated to nurturing well-rounded and industry-ready graduates.



## Intra-University Football Tournament 2023



*In an exhilarating showdown at the football ground of Khulna Port, the final match of Intra-University football tournament 2023 of North Western University reached its climax. The final match between Civil Engineering Department and EEE Department took place on August 28, 2023.*

Civil Engineering Department emerged victorious with a score of 1-0, and secured their championship title. The atmosphere was electrifying as fans erupted into cheers, celebrated the victory despite heavy rainfall before the match. Mohammad Ali scored the outstanding goal from a long-range shot, showcasing unparalleled prowess on the field and got the Player of the Match award.

The champions faced an unfortunate setback at the beginning of the tournament, experiencing a heart-wrenching defeat to Business Administration Department in a tie-breaker. Despite dominating the entire match, Civil Engineering team efforts proved futile. However, they came back by demonstrating resilience and determination and became the champion of the tournament. They secured victory against the department of Law at the group stage and also defeated CSE department, in the semi-final. Civil Engineering player Siyam had scored an amazing goal from the corner at the last seconds with a direct kick which had stanned the whole crowd in the semi-final. The captain of the champion team Anik was awarded the player of the Tournament for displaying amazing leadership and defensive display.

At the culmination of the final, the Acting Vice-Chancellor of North Western University Prof. Dr. Md. Nawsher Ali Moral presented the championship trophy to the winners Department of Civil Engineering, North Western University, Khulna.



## Introducing Supply Chain as Career by USAID Trade Activity Team



Department of Business Administration arranged a discussion on “Supply Chain Management” as a career field with the support of USAID Feed the Future Trade Activity Team led by Mohammad Haider Jahan Khan on September 26, 2023 at the seminar room of Building-1, North Western University. The motto of the discussion was to present a total scenario of supply chain and logistics industry of Bangladesh, especially the shortfall of skilled workforce in the sector as well as the female participation in the field.

In the opening speech, Md. Anisur Rahman, Head of Business Administration gave thanks to USAID Team for their assistance and cooperation for presenting Supply Chain as potential career option for the graduates considering contributions of Bangladesh both in export and import.

Abdullah Ibrahim Jawad, Logistic Service Specialist of USAID Trade Activity Team described the whole supply chain process pointing on the sectors and functions where the graduates would be able to find their jobs in an unconventional way. Jannatul Firdous Akbar, Industry Academia Liaison of USAID Trade Activity Team shared her own journey in Supply Chain Industry and the prospects for women in the industry though the current participation is 1.25% only.

USAID Feed the Future Trade Activity Team expressed their interest to collaborate with Department of Business Administration, North Western University to build a bridge between the industry requirement for talented workforce and NWUians. Jobayra Afsana and Irin Sultana, Assistant Professors and Advisors, NWU Business Club were also present in the discussion. The discussion was wrapped up with a Q&A session.

## Industrial Tour to Akij Jute Mills Limited

*The Department of Business Administration arranged an "Industrial Tour" to Akij Jute Mills Limited, Noapara, Jashore for the students of Spring-21 (3<sup>rd</sup> Year 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester) and Fall-21 (3<sup>rd</sup> Year 1<sup>st</sup> Semester) on September 27, 2023.*

Mr. Sheikh Abdul Hakim, Executive Director of Akij Jute Mills welcomed the teachers and students. His wonderful and detailed insights of Akij Jute along with the visionary aims of Akij Group and social contributions by Akij Family opened a new chapter of doing business with dignity for students who are interested in walking through the same path. He also encouraged NWU students to apply for both internship and jobs. Mr. Abu Jafar Pramanik, DGM of Akij Jute, focused on how the graduation and post-graduation in Business Administration will help the students to be an efficient and successful administrator in future. He also gave emphasis on digital era-based skill sets while focusing on academic study.



The factory visit was successful by the support of Mr. Imran who is a proud alumnus of Department of Business Administration. He is currently working there as Assistant Manager, Human Resource Management, Akij Jute Mills limited. Dr. Md. Rouf Biswas, Dean, Faculty of Business Studies, Irin Sultana, Batch Advisor and other faculty members of the Department also visited Akij Jute Mills Limited.



## Court Visit of NWU LLB Students



The NWU Department of Law organized a court visit to the Bagerhat District and Session Judge Court on October 3, 2023 so that the students can learn more about the real-life practices of “Trial Procedure of Civil & Criminal Courts”. A group of 21 NWU law students from Fall-19 along with faculty members Md. Tarikul Islam and Sheikh Shohag Hossain departed from the university at 8:30 am in the morning and arrived at the Bagerhat Judge Court at approximately 9:30 am.

On behalf of the Bagerhat Judgeship, Senior Judicial Magistrate Shishir Mohammad Belal, greeted the NWU law students. The students were welcomed and briefly introduced to other judges of Bagerhat Judgeship who emphasized the need to understand the nation’s procedural laws.

Following the briefing, Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate Dr. Md. Atickus Samad provided lectures on the jurisdiction of the criminal courts as well as the organization of the civil courts.

Students were afterward divided into various groups and brought to various civil and criminal courtrooms.

While visiting the court, the students met the learned Senior Sessions and District Judge of Bagerhat Md. Rabiul Islam who is a man of an extraordinary personality. He spent some time and discussed with the students many practical aspects of his career.

Students had the chance to watch and learn about case filing, trial proceedings, witness cross-examination, and other topics in a real-world setting. There was a Q&A session for the students. Dr. Md. Atickus Samad tried to reply to students’ queries. The court visit concluded with a group photo with the honorable judges of the Bagerhat District and Session Judge Court.

## Kanai Lal Sarkar Appointed as New Treasurer of NWU



**Kanai Lal Sarkar**

Treasurer, North Western University, Khulna.

President Mohammed Shahabuddin who is also the chancellor of universities in the country, has appointed Kanai Lal Sarkar as the 3<sup>rd</sup> treasurer of North Western University (NWU), Khulna.

Kanai Lal Sarkar will be serving a four-year term effective from October 20, 2023. Prior to joining NWU, he had served in Khilgaon Model University College, Padma Degree College, Dohar in Dhaka and Nasirnagar Degree College in Brahmanbaria.

After completing his Honors and Master’s degree in English from Jahangirnagar University, he started his working life by joining Homana Degree College, Cumilla as a Lecturer.

## Seminar on National Constitution Day

The Department of Law organized a seminar on National Constitution Day on November 4, 2023. The keynote speaker was Kazi Murad Hossain, Assistant Professor, Law Discipline, Khulna University. During his speech, Mr. Murad mentioned that the constitution of Bangladesh is one of the best written constitutions in the world.

He pointed out that Nationalism, Socialism, Democracy and Secularism have been accepted as the four principles of the state, which were the spirit of Liberation War of 1971. He also stressed on the basic human rights law that every person should know. Later he visited the helpdesks run by LLB students and asked questions on various constitutional issues.

The program concluded with the distribution of certificates among students. NWU Vice Chancellor (Acting) Prof. Dr. Md. Nawsher Ali Moral, Treasurer Kanai Lal Sarkar, Registrar Prof. Md. Tabibar Rahman, Department Head Hasibul Hossain Sumon, other faculty members, and students were present in the program.



## North Western University Shines in ICPC Asia Dhaka Regional Onsite Contest

North Western University proudly showcased the prowess of its team, NWU\_Dreamers, in the recently concluded International Collegiate Programming Contest (ICPC) Asia Dhaka Regional Onsite Contest on November 3-4, 2023. The NWU\_Dreamers team led by Coach Abu Naim Khan, comprising Md Asif al Fattah Shohag, Rafid al Noman, and MD Jakariya Molla demonstrated remarkable skill and determination.

The NWU\_Dreamers exhibited their programming finesse and problem-solving capability, secured an impressive 78<sup>th</sup> position, and confirmed their stature among the brightest minds in the region. The guidance of coach Abu Naim Khan, Lecturer, CSE and the collective efforts of the team members exemplify the university's commitment to nurturing talent and fostering excellence in the field of competitive programming.

Their journey began with the preliminary contest amidst formidable 2461 teams held on October 13, 2023. The NWU Dreamers exhibited their tenacity, performed remarkably on the stage and secured 123<sup>rd</sup> position. The crescendo of their achievements resonated during the ICPC Asia Dhaka Regional Onsite Contest in November 2023, where 224 teams contested for supremacy.

Post their exemplary performance, the university's Synapse ranking soared to an impressive 53, signifying a remarkable rise in its standing within the competitive programming circuit. Their dedication and exceptional performance stand as a proof to the university's continuous pursuit of academic and intellectual brilliance, marking a proud moment for North Western University in the realm of competitive programming.



## Exploring the Power Hub: Department of EEE Organized Industrial Tour



The Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering (EEE) of North Western University organized an industrial tour for its students to provide them a firsthand experience of the internal working environment of the power distribution sector. The tour took place on November 24, 2023, and included the 33/11 KV City Main Sub-Station and 33/11 KV Mohessorpasa Sub-Station.

The industrial tour led by Sukran Jamil Durjoy and Abdullah Ahmed, lecturers, Department of EEE aimed to bridge the gap between theoretical knowledge and practical applications. The tour was a great opportunity for the future engineers to witness the intricacies of power distribution systems in real-world scenarios.

The tour commenced at the 33/11 KV City Main Sub-Station, where Animesh Bosu, Assistant Engineer at West Zone Power Distribution Company Ltd. welcomed the students and provided valuable insights into the operation and maintenance of the sub-station. Bosu's rich industry experience and practical knowledge added immense value to the tour as he shared real-life challenges and solutions that he experienced with the students.

The students were given a comprehensive tour to the sub-station, they gained exposure to various components such as transformers, circuit breakers, and protection systems. The interactive session allowed them to ask questions and engage in meaningful discussions with the industry expert.

The trip proceeded to the 33/11 KV Mohessorpasa Sub-Station after visiting the City Main Sub-Station. The students had the opportunity to witness a different set of operational challenges and learn about the specific considerations involved in managing diverse sub-station setups at City Main Sub Station.

The industrial tour organized by the Department of EEE at North Western University was a resounding success which provided students an immense learning experience. The exposure to real-world applications in power distribution systems is expected to enhance their problem-solving skills and will prepare them for future challenges in the field of Electrical and Electronic Engineering.

## NWU Observes Martyred Intellectuals Day



North Western University (NWU) observed the Martyred Intellectuals Day to commemorate those intellectuals who were assassinated deliberately by the Pakistan occupation forces and their local collaborators during the Liberation War in 1971. NWU Vice Chancellor (Acting) Prof. Dr. Md. Nawsher Ali Moral started the day's proceedings by placing a floral wreath at Gollamari Memorial Monument at 9.30 am. NWU Treasurer Kanai Lal Sarkar, Registrar Prof. Md. Tabibar Rahman, Director (F&A) S M Reazur Rashid, Proctor, teachers of different departments, and admin officials were present on the occasion.

Later a discussion session was held at the seminar room of NWU Building-1. Marking the day, the national flag was hoisted at half-mast at all buildings to show due respect to the martyrs. Besides, a dua mahfil was arranged after the discussion session seeking eternal peace for the departed souls of the martyred intellectuals.

## Newly Appointed Professor Dr. Bashudeb Chandra Ghosh, Dept. of EEE, NWU, Khulna

- » 45 Years of excellent teaching experience
- » Professor, EEE Department, KUET
- » Dean, Faculty of EEE, KUET
- » Head, EEE Department, KUET
- » Head, Dept. of ECE, KUET
- » Director, Planning and Development, KUET
- » Director IICT, KUET
- » Professor, EEE Department, AIUB
- » Visiting Professor, BSRMT



## Newly Appointed Professor Dr. Md. Abul Bashar, Dept. of Civil Engineering, NWU, Khulna

- » 44 Years of excellent teaching experience, developing lesson plans and curriculum in public and private universities
- » Dean, Faculty of Civil Engineering, KUET
- » Head, Department of Civil Engineering at KUET
- » Head, Department of URP at KUET
- » Professor of Civil Engineering Department at Ahsanullah University of Science and Technology
- » Director of Institute of Disaster Management at KUET
- » Vice Chancellor, Sonargaon University
- » Professor, Dept. of Civil Engineering, Sonargaon University



## NWU Celebrates Victory Day

We achieved the long-sought victory on 16<sup>th</sup> December by treading an arduous track of blood and sacrifice. Responding to the call of the Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman in 1971, people from all walks of life participated in the war of independence and fought valiantly for nine months. In order to celebrate the day with due dignity, NWU undertook various programs including Discussion Session, Poem Recitation, and Speech Competition, commencing the day's event with hoisting the national flag and laying floral wreaths at the Gollamari Memorial Monument on 16<sup>th</sup> December.

In the discussion session, honorable Vice Chancellor (Acting) Prof. Dr. Md. Nawsher Ali Moral was present as chief guest whereas Honorable Treasurer of NWU Kanai Lal Sarkar was the special guest. After the discussion session, Vice Chancellor (Acting) awarded the winners of Poem Recitation and Speech Competition. Students from different departments took part in the competition.

Among others, Dean, Registrar, Director (F&A), faculty members, officials, and students attended the program.



## Law Students' Visit to Taxes Zone-Khulna Office



The students of Department of Law visited the Income Taxes Zone-Khulna office on November 01, 2023. A month long "Income Tax Information Service Program" had started in Khulna city like the rest of the country from November 01, 2023. The visit was organized under the supervision of Sheikh Shohag Hossain, Lecturer, Department of Law, North Western University, Khulna.

During the study visit, Sheikh Shohag Hossain gave the students a detailed idea about the tax return form and procedure of tax payment. The students gained the experience by passing interactive hours in the Income Tax Information Service Program. Students helped general people by providing information on legal issues. Students also got to know about various legal issues interacting with the Income Tax officials of Tax Zone Khulna. The visit ended with the exchanges of greetings with the Income Tax officials present in the program.

The month-long event was organized for paying income tax return near White Palace at Boyra in Khulna city. The activity of the circles is divided into different booths starting from circle-3 to circle -22. The three banks namely Agrani Bank, City Bank, and Sonali Bank completed the transactions of tax challan. Tax payers enjoyed photocopying, TIN registration, e-return facilities in the booths.

## Workshop on "Empowering Tomorrow's Advocates"

A workshop entitled "Empowering Tomorrow's Advocates: Unfolding the Dynamics of the Protection of Consumer Rights" was organized by the Department of Law at North Western University (NWU) on Tuesday, November 14, 2023. The main objective was to educate future advocates about consumer rights and to teach them techniques of facing adverse situations. The program was coordinated by Sheikh Shohag Hossain, Lecturer, Department of Law, NWU. The entire program was divided into four phases: registration, workshop, question-answer session, and field visit. At the beginning of the program, the students of Department of Law welcomed the guests with flowers. The workshop started with the recitation from the Holy Quran and the Holy Gita.



Dinara Zaman, Assistant Director of the Office of National Directorate of the Protection of Consumer Rights, Khulna Divisional Office conducted the workshop. She gave an idea about the rights of consumers and consumer law and explained various sections of the law through multimedia slides. Mohammad Salim, Deputy Director of the Office of National Directorate of the Protection of Consumer Rights, Khulna Divisional Office was also present on the occasion and answered all the questions of the students at the end of the presentation.

The Vice chancellor (Acting) Prof. Dr. Md. Nawsher Ali Moral, Treasurer Kanai Lal Sarkar, Registrar Prof. Md. Tabibar Rahman, the Head of the Department Hasibul Hossain Sumon, other faculty members and students attended the program.

At the end of the workshop students went out for the field visit to the National Consumer Protection Directorate under the Ministry of Commerce, Khulna Divisional Office. The faculty members of the Department of Law Mr. Aroj Ali and Mr. Sheikh Sohag Hossain accompanied the students in the field visit. Waleed bin Habib and Dinara Zaman, Assistant Directors of the Office of National Directorate of the Protection of Consumer Rights, Khulna briefed the students about their work and made a tour with the students to the different sections of the office.



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MSS in Economics  
MSS in Sociology  
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