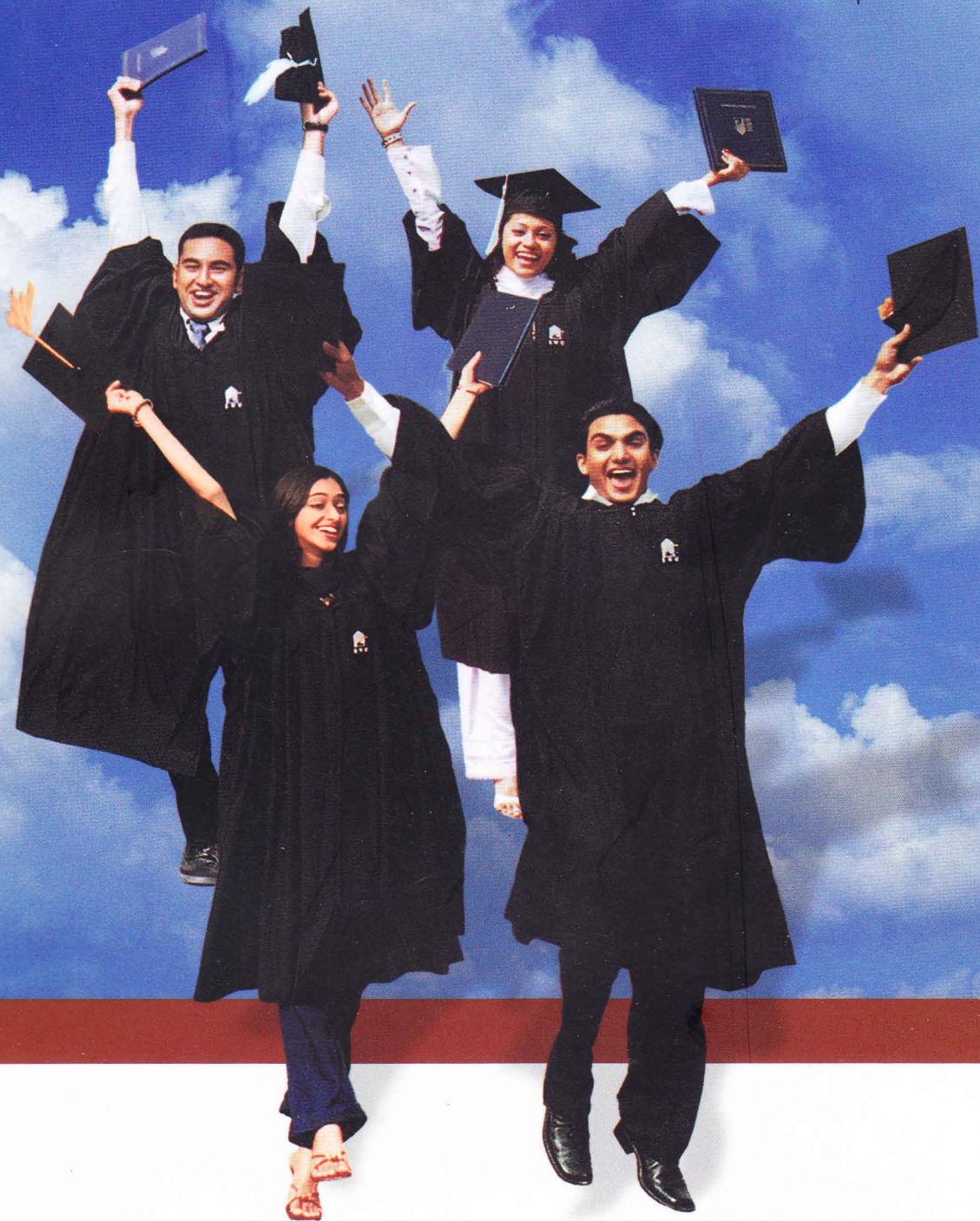


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Bangladesh China Friendship Conference Center
Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka - 1207

PROGRAM

CONVOCATION 2005

Part one

- 10:45 am Guests take their seats
- 11:00 am Arrival of His Excellency Professor Dr. Iajuddin Ahmed
Hon'ble President of the People's Republic of Bangladesh and
Chancellor of East West University
- 11:01 am Convocation Procession enters the Hall
- 11:11 am National Anthem
- 11:14 am Recitation from the Holy Qur'an
- 11:17 am Hon'ble Chancellor declares the Convocation open
- 11:18 am Welcome Address by Professor Mohammad Musa
Pro-Vice Chancellor, East West University
- 11:22 am Address by Dr. Mohammed Farashuddin
President of the Board of Directors of East West University
- 11:26 am Convocation Speech by Professor Zillur Rahman Siddiqui
Former Adviser, Caretaker Government, and
Former Vice Chancellor, Jahangirnagar University
- 11:38 am Presentation of candidates by the respective Deans
to the Hon'ble Chancellor for conferment of the degrees
- 11:41 am Speech of the Valedictorian
- 11:46 am Address of the Special Guest, Dr. M. Osman Farruk, MP
Hon'ble Education Minister, Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
- 11:56 am Address of the Chief Guest, His Excellency Professor Dr. Iajuddin Ahmed
Hon'ble President of the People's Republic of Bangladesh and
Chancellor of East West University
- 12:11 pm Vote of Thanks by Mrs. Firdaus Ali, the Convocation Marshal
- 12:13 pm Hon'ble Chancellor authorizes Dr. M. Osman Farruk, MP
the Hon'ble Education Minister to preside over the second session of the ceremony
- 12:14 pm Convocation Marshal announces the departure of Hon'ble Chancellor
- 12:14 pm National Anthem
- 12:17 pm Exit of the Convocation Procession
Graduating Students' Photograph with the Chancellor, HE the President

Part two

- 12:45 pm Presentation of Degree Certificates
- Refreshments

All are requested to stand when the procession enters and exits the Hall



The Convocation

The convocation, a long established tradition in universities all over the world, is a great festival observed by academia where degree candidates are presented by the university faculty and administration to the degree awarding body of the university and degrees are ceremonially awarded. The Chancellor of the university who heads this body confers the degree as recommended.

Degree Awarding Authority

The Chancellor, the Pro Vice Chancellor, Members of the Board of Directors, and Deans, together with the Heads of Academic Departments, constitute the degree awarding authority of East West University.

The Academic Procession

The Academic Procession is a part of convocations all around the world. It is a colorful but solemn event where graduating students, faculty, members of the Academic Council, members of the Board of Directors, and senior administrative staff of the university participate.

The participants in their ceremonial dresses join the convocation procession, and enter the convocation hall. The Registrar, who is also the Convocation Marshal, leads the procession into the hall. The degree candidates take their seats in an area of the hall reserved for them.

Faculty members join the procession in ascending order of seniority; they enter the hall and take their seats alongside the degree candidates; they are followed by the members of the Academic Council.

The Chancellor enters last in the company of the Education Minister, the President of the Board of Directors, the Pro Vice Chancellor, the Convocation Speaker and the members of the Board of Directors of East West University.

Once the procession has reached the designated area and all are in place, the formal Convocation Ceremony begins. The Pro-Vice Chancellor, President; Board of Directors, and Convocation Speaker deliver their addresses. Then the graduating candidates are presented to the Chancellor for the award of Degree Conferment. Then a student selected from the graduating class as the valedictorian addresses the gathering; The Education Minister gives his address. The Honorable Chancellor of the university delivers his address last. The Convocation Marshal conducts the session.

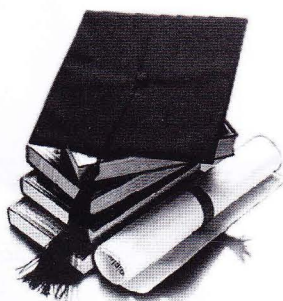
At the conclusion of the ceremony, the Chancellor, the Education Minister, the President of the Board of Directors, and the Pro Vice Chancellor of East West University and other dignitaries leave the site of the ceremony in procession, followed by faculty members and the Graduating Students. The ceremony concludes when the procession departs from the hall.

Academic Apparel

The academic apparel of East West University has been specially designed, though it corresponds closely to the academic regalia used in most American and Commonwealth universities. The gowns worn by participants are generally black, but designs vary. The colors of the tassels and the hoods distinguish faculty members of one department from those of other departments.

The Hood, which resembles the medieval cowl, is the most distinctive feature of the academic regalia. Its satin panel is visible from the front and indicates the general field of a degree by its color.

The Convocation apparel for all bachelor degree candidates is black, and they will don black square mortarboards on their heads. The colors of the tassels on their mortarboards indicate their fields of study.



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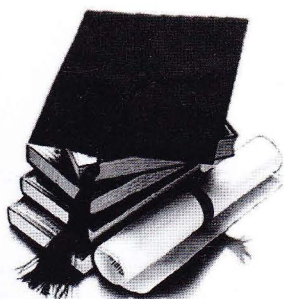
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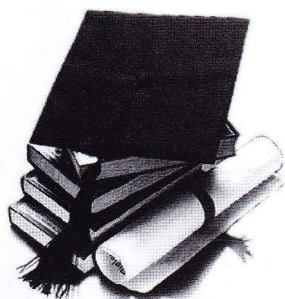
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Faculty members are chosen through a rigorous selection process. Applications are first scrutinized at the department level, and then processed through an Appointment Committee of the university. Acting on the recommendations of the Appointment Committee, the Board finally appoints Faculty members.

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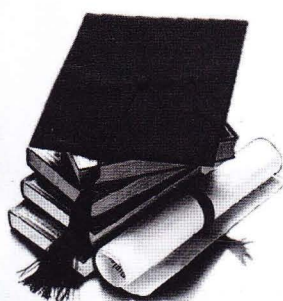
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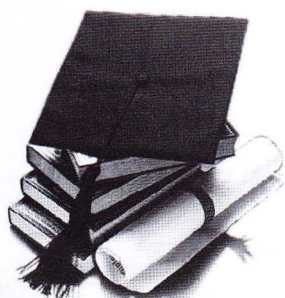
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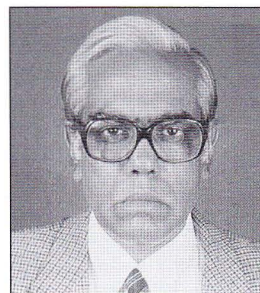




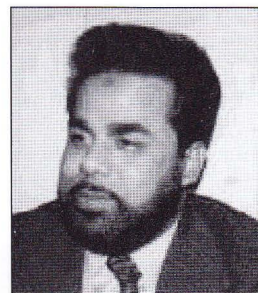
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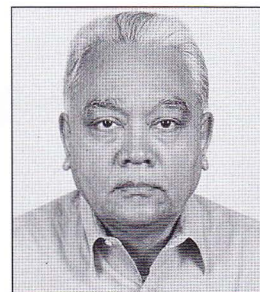
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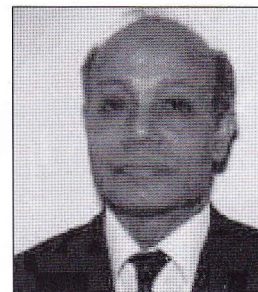
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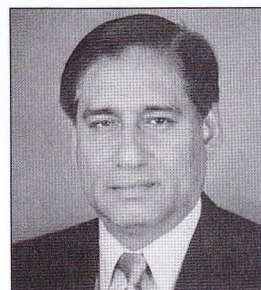
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Mission Statement

In keeping with its name, East West University, rated among the top private universities of Bangladesh, is an institution that promotes eastern culture and values and meaningfully blends eastern and western thought and innovation. As an institution of higher learning that promotes and inculcates ethical standards, values and norms, East West University (EWU) is committed to the ideals of equal opportunity, transparency, and non-discrimination.

The primary mission of EWU is to provide, at a reasonable cost, post-secondary education characterized by academic excellence in a range of subjects that are particularly relevant to current and anticipated societal needs. Central to the university's mission is its intention to provide students with opportunities, resources and expertise to achieve academic, personal and career goals within a stimulating and supportive environment. EWU is striving not only to maintain high quality in both instruction and research, it is also rendering community service through dissemination of information, organization of training programs and other activities. Sensitive to the needs of its students and staff, EWU is committed to providing a humane, responsive and invigorating atmosphere for productive learning and innovative thinking.

History

The idea of establishing a private university to provide quality education at an affordable cost in Bangladesh was first mooted by a group of prominent academics, business leaders, professionals and education enthusiasts led by Dr. Mohammed Farashuddin. With this end in view, this group formed a non-profit, non-political, charitable organization called Progoti Foundation for Education and Development (PFED). East West University is its first major project. Members of the Board of Directors of East West University are: Mr. Jalaluddin Ahmed, Mr. S.M. Nousher Ali, Mr. Farooque B. Chaudhury, Dr. Rafiqul Huda Chaudhury, Mr. Syed Manzur Elahi, Dr. Mohammed Farashuddin, Mr. Mohammed Zahidul Haque R.Ph., Dr. Saidur Rahman Lasker, Dr. Muhammad A. Mannan, Professor M. Mosleh-Uddin, Mr. Shelley A. Mubdi, Mr. M.A. Mumin, Dr. Khalil Rahman, Mr. H.N. Ashequr Rahman and Mrs. Razia Samad.

After being accorded permission by the Government under the Private University Act (Act 34) of 1992, East West University was launched in 1996. Classes started in October, 1996 with 6 faculty members and 20 students in the present campus located at 45, Mohakhali Commercial Area, Dhaka.

Accreditation and Collaboration

East West University has been accredited by the Government of the People's Republic of

EAST WEST UNIVERSITY AT A GLANCE

Government Approval:	January 1996
Classes Started:	September 1996
Initial Enrollment:	20 students
Current Enrollment:	Gross: 5553 (admitted so far) Net: 4122 (attending classes now)
Graduation:	Convocation 2002: 96 Convocation 2003: 161 Convocation 2004: 268 Convocation 2005: 387

Bangladesh and its curricula as well as programs have been approved by the Bangladesh University Grants Commission. The President of the People's Republic of Bangladesh is the Chancellor of EWU. The Vice Chancellor, the Pro-Vice Chancellor, and the Treasurer are appointees of the President of the country in his capacity as the Chancellor of the University.

East West University has formal collaboration agreements with these leading universities in the USA:

- Pace University (New York)
- Suffolk University (Boston)
- Southern Illinois University at Carbondale

It has also entered into collaboration agreements with a number of other well-known universities in the USA, UK and Australia.

Convocation 2005

Location

The temporary campus of the university is located at 41, 43,45,46 and 49 Mohakhali C/A, Dhaka. It consists of 3 (three) twelve-storied and 2 (two) six-storied buildings with approximately 1,30,000 (one lakh and thirty thousand) sft of space. The campus is situated in the heart of the city and can be easily accessed by all modes of public transportation.

With a view to shifting to its own campus, EWU has purchased 555.75 decimals of land at Mouja Vadham, P.S. Tongi, District Gazipur. It has also received allotment of 1 (one) bigha of land in Uttara from RAJUK. Most recently the university has purchased a total of 7.4 bigha land at Aftabnagar, on the Progoti Sarani adjacent to BTV. The stipulation is to commence construction of the first EWU Campus in Aftabnagar in the first half of 2005. East West University intends to move to its own campus by the end of 2006.

Degrees Offered

Currently, EWU offers the following four-year Bachelor degrees:

- B.B.A. (Majors in Accounting, Marketing, Finance, Management, International Business, HRM and MIS)
- B.Sc. in Computer Science
- B.Sc. in Computer Science and Engineering
- B.Sc. in Electrical and Electronic Engineering
- B.Sc. in Information and Communications Engineering
- B.A. in English
- B.S.S. in Economics
- Bachelor of Pharmacy

EWU plans to offer the following Bachelor's Degrees in the near future

- Nursing
- Law
- Journalism
- Health Management
- Management Information System (MIS)
- Population Sciences

EWU also offers the following Graduate Degrees

- MBA Regular and Executive
- Master of Arts in English (MA in English)
- Master of Computer Applications (MCA)
- Master of Science in Computer Science and Engineering (MS in CSE)
- Master of Bank Management (MBM)
- Master in Law (LLM)
- Master of Population, Reproductive Health, Gender and Development (MPRHGD) (Advance stage of approval)

English is the medium of instruction and examination in all programs offered by EWU.

Semesters: (EWU has 3 semesters in an academic year)

- Spring : January - April (Third Saturday of January)
- Summer : May- August (Third Saturday of May)
- Fall : September- December (Third Saturday of September)

Class Meetings

Classes are held from Saturday through Wednesday. Each undergraduate course consists of one hour and thirty minutes classes i.e. a total of three hours per week. In EWU, for 1 (one) credit theory, 1 (one) hour of classes per week and for 1 (one) credit lab, 2 (two) hours of classes per week is followed. If classes cannot be held as per schedule due to unavoidable reasons, makeup classes are arranged as follows:

Slot	Week Day
ST	Sunday, Tuesday
AW	Saturday, Wednesday
AM	Saturday, Monday
MW	Monday, Wednesday

Facilities & Amenities

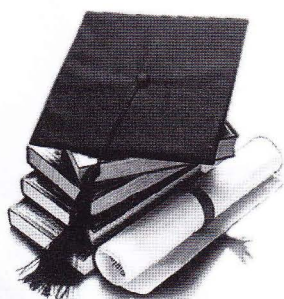
VSAT and Computing Facility

The Network Infrastructure of the university is equipped with VSAT, AsiaSat 4, 2.4m Antenna C-Band, 2W ODU, BUC, LNB, FeedHorn, Reflector and LinkStar IDU (Built-in Router). The SunFire V100 with Solaris 8 OS for DNS, HP NetServer E-60 with Slackware OS for WWW, Proxy, & Mail Server, HP NetServer E-60 with WinNT OS for UMIS Server are the heart of the campus network and automation. One ALCATEL OmniStack 8008 GIGABIT Switch for Fiber Optic Backbone, four ALCATEL OmniStack 6124 Managed Switches for LAN, 48 Port Patch Panels and LIU with wall mount rack have shaped the fiber optic backbone of the EWU campus network.

Lab Facilities of East West University

1. Internet Facilities and Information and Communication Services

East West University provides a unique opportunity for the computational demand of the ever-increasing technology savvy society. East West University has its own VSAT. The campus wide fiber optic network with servers of different brand helps students to acquire skills on the IT industry



worldwide. Faculty members have been keeping up with the technology and extend IT services to the nation. The campus is equipped with more than 300 computers. Both the servers and workstations are connected to the central networking infrastructure for the use of students, faculty members, admin officers and top executives. The computational facility for students also includes:

- * Internet browsing and E-mail
- * CD archiving
- * Software Project development with SDC
- * On-line ACM Programming Competition

2. Computer Labs

To support the hands on lab practices for different computation intensive courses, East West University has established five Computer Labs equipped with more than 200 computers and printers of various ranges. The operating systems supports are Windows, Linux, Solaris, etc. The programming languages and packages support include C/C++, Java, Fortran, Oracle, MatLab, Visual BASIC, SPSS, MS-SQL Server, MySQL, PHP, etc.

All the computer labs are interconnected through switched network with fiber-optic campus backbone.

3. Network Lab

To provide hands on practices on computer networking for the CSC/CSE/EEE/ICE/MIS students, a network lab has been established which houses several computers, switches, routers, and networking kits.

4. VLSI Lab

To train the CSE/EEE students in VLSI design methods, a VLSI lab has been set up. The lab has full range of Cadence Professional EDA tools for analog, digital, and mixed signal VLSI design. The lab also has tools and hardware devices for FPGA design.

5. Digital Systems Lab

The university is equipped with a modern digital systems laboratory. The Digital Laboratory is housed with equipment ranging from Digital Storage Oscilloscope, Digital Trainer Boards, Micro-Controllers, Interfacing Adapters, and other supporting peripherals. Students are engaged in transforming ideas and creating computer interfaces like Digital Meter for three wheelers etc.

6. Electronics Lab

The university has established a state of the art electronics laboratory, which is equipped with various ranges of oscilloscopes, function generators, analog trainer boards, power supplies, signal generators, meters, etc.

7. Telecommunications Lab

The purpose of the Telecommunication Lab is primarily to offer a hands-on experience to students for training and research by providing a practical demonstration and exercise for the theory covered in Telecommunications courses. The Lab enables students to engage in telecom projects such as Analog Communications, Pulse Coded Modulation, Digital Communications, BER Calculation, Fiber Optics, CDMA , Transmit and Receiver Antenna, and Microwave Engineering. An important part of the Telecom Lab is the TIMS and MATLAB simulation tool, made by TIMS Technologies. The lab is also involved in research of applications of computer networks, such as Wireless ad hoc sensor nets.

8. Physics Lab

The Physics laboratory is housed with modern instruments for everyday physics experiments. The dark room facility helps students to conduct optical experiments.

9. Electrical Machine Lab

An electrical machine lab for related EEE courses is being established.

10. Control Engineering Lab

A control engineering lab for related EEE courses is being established.

11. Pharmacy Laboratory

There are at least 15 laboratory courses and a research project to be carried out by undergraduate students of the Pharmacy Department. These require modern laboratory facilities. Current laboratory facilities include advance instruments like UV-Visible spectrophotometer, Thermocycler for PCR, ELISA, high resolution microscope, fundamental chromatographic instruments, necessary equipments for microbiological experiments, pharmaceuticals and pharmacology. Separate laboratory arrangements are available for both faculty members and students for conducting research.

Modern Language Laboratory

The English Language Laboratory at East West University is used to expose students to different varieties of English, British, American, Australian, and some non-native varieties of English to help them develop their listening skills, their awareness about English pronunciation, and also to generate discussion based on listening texts. The Lab provides both audio and video support to generate lively discussions on listening passages and video-cliffs. Although Language Laboratories are not as popular today as they used to be in the 1950s, they provide useful clues for meaningful language activities. Video-support makes Language Laboratory activities more interesting for students.

East West University Center for Research and Training (EWUCRT)

A university without serious research endeavors can never attain a respectable position in the community of universities. Research conducted by teachers allows them to be at the cutting edge of knowledge in his/her field of specialization. Strong research activities translate into quality education. Therefore, to help create a research environment for faculty members and other researchers, East West University has established the Center for Research and Training (EWUCRT) to achieve the following goals:

- promote research activities for EWU faculty members and scholars in the field of business, economics and technology;
- provide consultancy services to various national and international organizations;
- offer executive development programs (EDPs) in management and technical areas to help train executives of both public and private enterprises;
- create databases on various macro-economics variables; and
- help disseminate research outputs through publications, seminars, workshops, etc.

The main strength of EWUCRT is its fellows. All EWU faculty members are automatically fellows of EWUCRT. The presence of so many full-time faculty members with diverse background and interest have already enriched the Center. In addition, the Center has Fellows from other institutions working in it.

EWUCRT funds research projects undertaken by EWU faculty members and conducts training programs. Its main purpose is capacity building. Young faculty members from both public and private universities participate in the center's programs. EWU is providing the lion's share of the funds needed to carry out the different research activities of the center.

EWUCRT is constantly planning to undertake many other activities independently and in some cases in collaboration with other research and development institutions. It is exploring the possibilities of working with international development agencies such as World Bank, IFC, ADB, etc. and also with local trade bodies, such as Dhaka Chamber of Commerce and Industries (DCCI), Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce and Industries (MCCI), etc

Software Development Center (SDC)

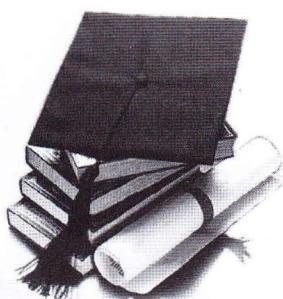
The mission of the Software Development Center (SDC) at East West University is to provide EWU students with real-world experience in designing and developing quality software for offices, banks, institutions and industry EWU's Software Development Center, a member of BASIS (Bangladesh Association for Software and Information Services), incorporates industry expertise for true software innovation and has the potential to bring in the presence of the World Wide Web. SDC believes in simplicity and efficiency.

This century has already witnessed a new paradigm of information technology where objects are embedded as living and exciting parts of the worldwide web. EWU's Software Development Center intends to integrate an object-oriented programming (OOP) concept with the World Wide Web by providing unique software development services along with training and mentoring programs of global IT standard.

Software Development Center believes in quality as the first principle both in software development and in training and mentoring through prominent academics and industry experts from home and abroad.

East West University Library

The East West University Library's mission is to support the university community in developing skills in innovative and analytical thinking in research and in information literacy, and by providing distinctive collections, services, facilities and programs.



The East West's Library holds a unique place among the private university libraries of the country. It provides an array of extraordinary facilities to its users with the help of state-of-the-art techniques and technologies. At present, the library has more than 10,500 books. It subscribes to more than thirty journals, magazines and newsletters.

The Library has been completely automated by the Software Development Centre (SDC) of East West University. Its features include issue/circulation based on barcodes and automatic fine calculations as well as other useful features. The most exciting part of the center is the web component. Students and faculty members use the web module. Faculty members post requisitions for books using the web modules throughout the semester.

The fully air-conditioned EWU Library remains open every day of the week except on Thursday. Library users can use library facilities from 8.30 am to 10.00 pm from Saturday to Wednesday and from 3.00 pm to 10.00 pm on Friday.

In addition to a rich collection of more than 10,500 books and other reading materials, the library subscribes regularly to 11 national dailies and more than 30 acclaimed national and international journals and periodicals. It also has an excellent collection of CD-ROMs and Audiocassettes on different academic subjects. Two spacious floors house separate Circulation and Reserve and Reference Sections that can accommodate more than 200 students. There is also a separate air-conditioned Study Room where more than 100 students can hold group discussions.

The Library has the open access system, i.e. students and teachers have direct access to book shelves. Faculty members can borrow books for the whole semester. Members of the Academic Council enjoy similar book-borrowing facilities. Students can borrow CD-ROM for 1 day, textbooks for 3 days and reference books for 5 days. Apart from Current Awareness Service (CAS) and Selective Dissemination of Information (SDI), the library also provides bibliographic, abstracting, database and ready reference services.

Faculty members and students can avail themselves of the library's photocopying services. It also provides news clipping services on important subjects on a regular basis. It maintains a separate database for newspaper clippings. The library is equipped with all

modern facilities including computers, printers, electronic typewriters, etc.

On-line Journals

The Library is the backbone of the research and development activities of East West University. The Library subscribes to JSTOR on-line journals i) Business collections and ii) Language and Literature collections. The full-text of more than 100 journals articles can be freely accessed by faculty members, teaching assistants, researchers, and students of East West University (EWU) and the staff of EWU, provided that they are connected to the University LAN.

EWU Library has also subscribed to ACM (Association for Computing Machinery) Portal Digital Library. All faculty members, teaching assistants, researchers, students, and staff members of EWU may visit the website of ACM Portal Digital Library and download full-text of articles from journals and proceedings papers. To use the facilities of the ACM portal digital library, interested users are requested to contact the Joint Librarian of EWU Library to obtain further information for getting access to the ACM portal, since the ACM Portal is password protected.

The EWU Library has also access to more than 150 online journals of Oxford University Press (OUP). The users of EWU Library can use its facilities for searching and browsing of publications, and of in-house and international databases, including Medline/Pubmed, HINARI, and AGORA. In addition to the above-mentioned online journals, faculty members utilize many website resources in the delivery of excellence in teaching and in enhancing the learning environment of the University.

Virtual Campus

In line with EWU's mission for "excellence in education" to provide world class education using IT and Multimedia Technologies, all the courses offered at different departments are on-line. An online course page allows the student access to vital information about courses including: course information, exam deadlines, lecture plan, lectures notes, model questions, link to relevant web sites etc.

Students are required to familiarize themselves with how to access subject web pages and use different features provided by the Virtual Campus link on the web site of the university at www.ewubd.edu. In addition, students are required to check for make-up and extra classes on-line.

Career and Employment

The Career Counseling Center provides proper guidance to students about their career plans. The center liaisons with prospective employers and arranges internships and part-time jobs for students and graduates.

The Career Counseling Center works to place students with leading business organizations of the nation who can expand their activities by utilizing fresh minds imbued with modern skills and expertise. As a forerunner among private universities in Bangladesh, the center endeavors not only to ensure excellence in education but also to help students find suitable careers. The center organizes job fair, workshops and seminars on regular basis for both career-seeking individuals, participating companies and potential bodies who are employers to make them interact and know each other's needs and priorities. Besides, the largest job portal in Bangladesh, BdJobs.com, has established a linkage with Career Counseling Center to extend job services to East West graduates.

Student Clubs

In addition to academic work, opportunities for other student activities abound. Students participate in different activities all year round. The university has a number of clubs to promote various extra-curricular activities. These include:

1. Environmental and Social Club
2. Business Club
3. Debating Club
4. Cine and Photography Club
5. MBA Club
6. Computer Club
7. Cultural Club
8. Sports Club
9. Rotaract Club of East West University
10. English Conversation Club
11. Pharmacy Club
12. Natural Science Club
13. EWU Electronics Club
14. Programmers Club
15. The English Poetry and Drama Club

Other Facilities

- Spacious air-conditioned class rooms
- Free e-mail and Internet access
- Medical Center
- Prayer Room

Cafeteria

Study Room and

Separate Male and Female Common Room with indoor game facilities and TV.

Scholarships and Financial Aid

Since its inception, East West University has been awarding merit scholarships and need-based financial assistance to deserving students. Every semester the university distributes at least 7% of its total earnings among 17% or more of its regular students. Such scholarships/financial assistance are not available to those students who have already spent the normal study time required for the programs for which they are enrolled (e.g. Bachelor program students are not eligible for any scholarship/financial aid from the fifth year onwards.) In order to be able to further support and nurture the merit of students, particularly from the middle class and from outside the metropolis, the Board of Directors of East West University have set up a fund called "The East West University Medha Lalon Fund" with an initial endowment of Taka one and a half crore.

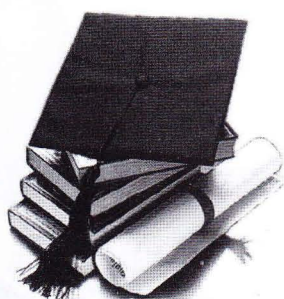
According to the provision of the Private University Act, 1992, private universities must provide scholarships to 5 (five) percent of its students who are poor but meritorious. Since its inception, the founders of East West University adopted a policy of not paying any profit or dividend to themselves but of using a good part of its operating surplus towards nurturing merit and providing financial support to those in need. In the last eight years, the scholarship and financial aid policy adopted by East West University has become a source of great encouragement to meritorious but financial income deficient students. The academic world has greeted this policy pursued by East West University enthusiastically.

Benefits have been awarded in the following forms:

Merit Scholarships

Full Tuition Merit Scholarships for thirty credits are awarded to

1. those who have scored A+ grade in the most recent HSC examination excluding the marks optional subject or 4 A's in "O" level and two A's in "A" level examinations for a full-year (30 credits for bachelor programs) tuition waiver scholarship; the scholarship is extendable under '2' below.



2. for bachelor programs too, top 10% (based on merit and subject to a minimum CGPA of 3.8) students of each batch of each Department completing at least 30 credits during the immediate past academic year for thirty credits in the next three semesters.
3. for masters (graduate) programs, top 10% (based on merit) students of each batch of each Department scoring a minimum CGPA of 3.80 during the immediate past year (24 credits) full tuition merit scholarships for 24 credits in the next three consecutive semesters.
4. two best results in Undergraduate and one best result in Graduate Admission Test each semester with a minimum score of 75% full tuition for one year's full program load.

Directors Scholarships

Each of the fifteen founder directors of the university, at a point of time, awards two full tuition scholarships to two students or splits the scholarships into half or quarter tuition waiver/scholarships. This is renewable at the discretion of the founder director concerned unless the recipient scholar performs very poorly.

Financial Aid

(a) General

At the beginning of each semester the university considers, on application in prescribed forms, granting of financial aid to deserving students on a need-cum-merit basis. Applicants achieving the minimum prescribed CGPA of 2.50 in the last academic year (30 credits for undergraduate programs and 24 credits for the master program in the three consecutive semesters) with demonstrated financial need shall be offered financial assistance to cover part of the tuition for the next thirty credits, the actual amount often depending on the number of applicants and availability of funds. This is by far the largest component of the funding support both in terms of the amount of money as well as the number of recipients/beneficiaries.

(b) Family Concession

For a second child of the same parents studying simultaneously with another child at East West University, the second one is entitled to a half tuition waiver. Both the children must be admitted full time into regular programs. The benefit commences on the date of admission of the second child and ceases on the discontinuation of the study of any one of them, after his/her graduation or for any other reason. This benefit may extend upto the third child of the same parents under the above mentioned conditions.

The Medha Lalon Fund

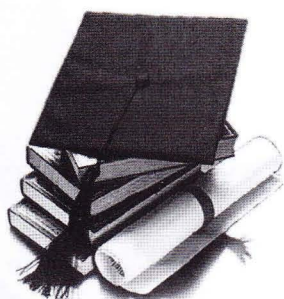
In order to be able to extend further support towards nurturing merit, particularly to students of middle class background, to female students, and to students from outside the metropolis, the Board of Directors of East West University set up in 2002 a scheme called the East West University Medha Lalon Fund with an initial endowment of Taka one and a half crore. The Board has sanctioned an amount of Taka one crore thirty lakhs from the operating surplus of the university for the Fund; this is in addition to the disbursement each year on regular components such as the merit scholarships and financial aid. Five philanthropic persons/organizations have contributed a combined amount of Taka twenty-seven and a half lakhs to the Medha Lalon Fund. From the annual earnings of the East West University Medha Lalon Fund deposited in a lucrative five year interest earning Scholarship Deposit Account of Mercantile Bank, need-cum-merit based financial aid is being awarded.

The scholarships being offered under the scheme is as follows:

1	Sujat Ali Mazumder Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
2	Anjuman Ara Begum Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
3	S.M. Sahiruddin Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
4	Rowshan Ara Begum Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
5	Sanuwar Bakht Chaudhury Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
6	Sofia Khatun Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
7	Lutful Bari Md. Munsur Chaudhury Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
8	Shamsunnessa Begum Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
9	Sherifa Chowdhury Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
10	Sherifunnesa Begum Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
11	M. Mahtabuddin Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
12	Chamak Chand Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
13	M. Sujat Ali Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
14	Shakina Khatun Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
15	Mujibur Rahman Lasker Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
16	Khodeza Abu Taher Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
17	Moulvi Muhammad Shamsher Ali Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
18	Momena Khatun Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
19	Hajee Shabuddin Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
20	A.B.M. Ghulam Mohiuddin Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
21	Abu Ahmed Abdul Hafiz Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
22	Syeda Shaheer Banu Chaudhurani Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
23	Abdul Kaher Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
24	Habiba Khatun Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
25	Alhaji Abdur Rahman-Begum Walida Rahman Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
26	Justice Nurul Huda-Begum Sofia Huda Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
27	M.A. Haque Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
28	Abdur Rahman Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
29	Abdul Jabbar Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
30	Abdus Samad Scholarship	Tk. 35,000 a year
31	Dutch Bangla Bank Scholarship	Tk.25,000 a year
32	Dutch Bangla Bank Scholarship	Tk.25,000 a year
33	Dutch Bangla Bank Scholarship	Tk.25,000 a year
34	Suraiya Farashuddin Scholarship	Tk.25,000 a year
35	Suraiya Farashuddin Scholarship	Tk.25,000 a year
36	Standard Chartered Bank Scholarship	Tk.25,000 a year
37	Standard Chartered Bank Scholarship	Tk.25,000 a year
38	Eakub H. Chowdhury Scholarship	Tk.25,000 a year
39	Eakub H. Chowdhury Scholarship	Tk.25,000 a year
40	Mercantile Bank Scholarship	Tk.25,000 a year
41	Mercantile Bank Scholarship	Tk.25,000 a year
42	East West University Scholarship	Tk.35,000 a year
43	East West University Scholarship	Tk.35,000 a year
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45	East West University Scholarship	Tk.35,000 a year
46	East West University Scholarship	Tk.35,000 a year
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48	East West University Scholarship	Tk.35,000 a year
49	East West University Scholarship	Tk.35,000 a year
50	East West University Scholarship	Tk.35,000 a year
51	East West University Scholarship	Tk.35,000 a year
52	Naushaba-Kalim Sharafi Scholarship	Tk.30,000 a year

The East West University Medha Lalon Fund is administered by the Financial Aid Committee of the university. Applications for financial aid is

processed at the beginning of each semester along with and as per the manner described in 3(b). The recipients are then ranked in



descending order of need. The higher of the amount between the Medha Lalon Fund Scholarships or the regular financial aid of the university is awarded to applicants with the maximum need. No student of the university is entitled to benefit from more than one scholarship/financial aid facility at any point of time.

The university charges a minimum amount (less than one percent) as administration costs from the earnings of the East West University Medha Lalon Fund. It ensures maintenance of regular accounts of the Medha Lalon Fund and has the accounts externally audited every year.

The Financial Aid Committee keeps Medha Lalon Fund informed donors about the operation of the fund on a regular basis. The Committee arranges meetings with the donors to the East West University Medha Lalon Fund to

apprise them of the operating procedures, scholarship awards and performance of the scholarship awardees as well as to seek guidance of the donors. The selection of the scholars and financial aid beneficiaries is done through a computerized system that ensures full transparency.

It is evident from the Table below, That university policy is quite generous in nurturing merit since an increasing percentage of tuition incomes gets ploughed back to and goes to deserving students. It is worth noting that the university encourages, as a matter of policy, enrolment of mofussil students who are also, therefore, beneficiaries of the scholarship and financial aid awards. The university has also been consciously endeavoring to increase the proportion of female students who also benefit from the scholarship & financial aid programs.

The table below shows the number of recipients/beneficiaries of various scholarship and financial aid programs in the last five years:

Name of Scholarship/ Financial Assistance	1999		2000		2001		2002		2003		2004	
	No. of Students	Amount Taka	No. of Students	Amount Taka	No. of Students	Amount Taka	No. of Students	Amount Taka	No. of Students	Amount Taka	No. of Students	Amount Taka
Merit Scholarship (Place Holders + Merit Scholarship Awardees)	20	1,092,000	29	1,262,300	42	1,882,400	50	2,660,650	82	4,439,500	104	6,048,600
Medha Lalon Fund Financial Aid	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	720,600	59	1,324,200*
	18	280,200	43	756,600	66	1,551,850	70	1,673,800	127	2,033,900	342	6,573,126
Half Tuition Family Assistance	17	457,000	33	835,900	47	1,253,200	60	1,543,800	90	2,382,975	132	3,414,675
Directors Quota	-	-	-	-	4	163,800	16	923,600	22	1,099,400	33	1,363,050
Special Assistance	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	205,100	15	285,800	20	291,950
Total	55	1,829,200	105	2,854,800	159	4,851,205	211	7,006,950	366	10,962,225	690	19,015,601
Percentage (%) of net Tuition Receipts	5.00%		5.02%		5.57%		5.92%		6.75%		8.02%	
Percentage (%) of net Student Enrollment	-		13.20%		13.25%		11.25%		14.00%		18.03%	

* Percentage has been calculated excluding Medha Lalon Fund

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