

9TH CONVOCATION Uttara University 2025



Excellence in Higher Education and Research



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PRESIDENT

Message

I extend my warmest congratulations to the graduating students, their parents, esteemed faculty members, and the university authorities on the auspicious occasion of the 9th Convocation of Uttara University

In the growth trajectory of Bangladesh, the role of education in shaping a brighter future for the nation is immense. In this age of technological advancements, economic development and social changes are deeply interconnected with guality education. The Fourth Industrial Revolution (4IR) presents both challenges and opportunities that demand the engagement of a highly educated, innovative and responsible workforce. In this context, the role of qualified and skilled graduates becomes even more crucial. I am hopeful that fresh graduates from Uttara University will apply their skills, knowledge and leadership qualities to address these challenges and contribute to the progress and development of Bangladesh.

I recall with gratitude the contribution and sacrifices of students from all educational institutions, including Uttara University, during the July-August uprising. This historic event remains an enduring symbol of courage, resilience and unwavering commitment to justice. I urge all to uphold the spirit of this uprising and work together to realize the vision of a new Bangladesh, free from all forms of discrimination.

Convocation is not only a celebration of academic success but also recognition of the collective efforts of the students, their parents and the university authorities. I urge the graduating students to work hard and contribute to building a society rooted in morality, equity and patriotism. I wish them a bright and successful future.

I wish the 9th Convocation of Uttara University a grand success.

May Bangladesh Live Forever.

End. Shahabuddu Mohammed Shahabuddin



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Message

I am very happy to know that Uttara University is going to celebrate 9th Convocation. This convocation marks the culmination of years of dedication, perseverance and hard work by our graduates, their families and the faculty who have guided them

Graduates, this celebration is a testament to your achievements and the opportunities ahead. As you step beyond the university, remember that education is not merely about acquiring knowledge but about applying it responsibly to contribute to the development of society and country. The future is full of challenges, but also abundant with opportunities. You must strive to make your mark with integrity, innovation and commitment to excellence.

One pressing issue is the increasing trend of students leaving the country for higher studies after completing their secondary education. While this has been a global trend, it has grown significantly in recent years, highlighting a perceived lack of confidence in our local institutions. To reverse this trend, we must focus on improving the quality of education and research in our universities to ensure that students find compelling opportunities at home. I believe both public and private universities will play an important role in this endeavour

Efforts are already underway to depoliticize our education sector and ensure merit-based appointments across institutions. These changes are vital to restore trust and elevate the standards of higher education.

Graduates, as you embark on your journey carry forward the values of integrity, curiosity, and service. Your contributions will be essential in shaping the future of Bangladesh.

Congratulations to you all. The world awaits your impact.

Uttara University at a Glance

University

assurance in higher education.

Institutional Ranking Cell (IRC)

performance across various metrics.

Research and Publications

nternational

Academic

Journal

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Permanent Campus

campus on 01 July, 2023.

History

Uttara University (UU) is a center of excellence for tertiary education in Bangladesh. It was started in 2003 with a few students and departments. By now it has grown as a full-fledged university offering under-graduate and graduate programs and research opportunities. Job placements are the reflections of quality education at UU.

Uttara University was founded by a Trustee Board, the members of the TRUST are educationists, economists and businessmen of eminence and recognition. Prof. Dr. M. Azizur Rahman is the founder Chairman of the Trustee Board.

Vision The University looks forward to becoming a center of excellence in education, research, and innovation, in order to

inspire transformational advancements in the intellectual, moral, and professional development of the students. Mission

The University is committed to:

- Foster and facilitate the advancement of knowledge and make it accessible for all.
- Prepare competent graduates through imparting quality education, research, and an innovative spirit, a cultural mindset, and professional and entrepreneurial skills to meet the industry requirements.
- Imbue the University community with ethics, and professionalism to render quality services to the national and global societies.

Academic Scenario

Award

School of Business

Graduating Students

School of Education & Physical Education

School of Civil, Environment & Industrial Engg.

School of Arts & Social Science

Total Graduating Students

School of Science & Engineering

Chancellor

Trustee

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Dean

Total

The creation of a knowledge-based society is the commitment of this university. To achieve all these academic activities and research facilities along with international cooperation, relentless efforts have been made since the inception of this University. UU has at present 05 Schools, 14 Departments and 34 Programs.



It is both and an honor to be part of the 9th Convocation of Uttara University in 2025. I want to extend my warmest congratulations to all of the graduates who have achieved this important milestone. Today, we come together to celebrate your hard work, dedication, and unwavering commitment to academic excellence.

The Institutional Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Uttara

The establishment of IQAC is an indispensable first step

towards the development of internal quality assurance system

of a university. Uttara University was awarded a project for

establishment of the Institutional Quality Assurance Cell

(IQAC) on 14 June 2015. From the year 2015-16, IQAC

organized a good number of events. One hundred and fifteen

faculty members of various departments, 68 officers and staff

of the university were trained in different subjects of quality

The Institutional Ranking Cell (IRC) at Uttara University is

instrumental in elevating the university's academic reputation,

research output, and global visibility. Established to enhance

the institution's standing in national and international rankings,

the IRC is dedicated to improving quality assurance, fostering

academic excellence, and enhancing overall institutional

The Uttara University authorities give the highest priority to

establish itself as a center of excellence in research. The

quantitative data regarding the research contributions of

UU has already constructed a state of the art permanent

campus in its own land. The university has shifted to the new

To conclude it can be said that imparting education is a noble

task. Therefore, our commitment to this will go a long way in

Conference Newspaper Publications Publications

212

124

Book and Other Publications

151

faculty members can be found in the following table

National

Journal

274

Academic

This convocation not only marks the end of the study but also the beginning of an exciting new chapter in your life. Your academic success reflects your perseverance and resilience, and it is a moment of pride for all of us to celebrate your achievements.

Uttara University's dedication to academic excellence, research, and community engagement, I hope in the right direction. The university is continually evolving, and its recent transition to a permanent campus showcases its growth and ambition. This advancement guarantees that future generations of students will benefit from modern infrastructure and a supportive learning environment, enabling them to reach their full potential.

The world is changing rapidly, and the challenges ahead will require not only technical expertise but also creativity, adaptability, and leadership. You are the future of Bangladesh, and it is now your responsibility to help build a better and more prosperous nation. I encourage you to remain committed to the values of integrity, hard work, and continuous learning



am delighted to learn that Uttara University is set to celebrate its 9th convocation on January 25, 2025. On this significant occasion. I wish to extend my heartfelt congratulations and best wishes to the graduates, their proud parents, the esteemed faculty members, and the university's management.

The 9th convocation of Uttara University is not only a celebration of academic success but also recognition of the collective effort that has shaped the future of these graduates. The knowledge, skills, and values imparted by this esteemed institution will serve as the foundation for their professional careers and personal growth

As you stand here today, I encourage each one of you to take a moment to reflect on the significance of the education you have received and the profound impact it will have on your journey forward. You are now equipped with the tools necessary to contribute to the growth and prosperity of our beloved nation and to make a positive difference in the world.

As Bangladesh continues to advance in a rapidly evolving global landscape, the role of education in shaping a brighter future for the nation cannot be overstated. We live in an age where technological advancements, economic development, and social change are accelerating. This presents both challenges and opportunities that require the engagement of a highly educated, innovative, and responsible workforce.

The student-led revolution in July created a fresh opportunity for building a new Bangladesh where our young people will play a greater role in the advancement of the country. In this context, the role of graduates like you becomes even more critical. The skills, knowledge, and leadership qualities you have gained from Uttara University will undoubtedly contribute to the progress and development of Bangladesh

wish the success of Uttara University's 9th convocation.





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I am delighted to know that Uttara University is holding its 9th Convocation on January 25, 2025. I would like to extend my heartiest congratulations and felicitations to all the faculty members, staff, university administration, and of course, the graduating students of Uttara University for this remarkable milestone.

The academic journey of the graduates reaches its culmination on this auspicious day, that is, Convocation which marks dedication, perseverance, and commitment. I know that Uttara University thoroughly followed the directives of the Government and the University Grants Commission of Bangladesh and has continued providing quality education despite since its inception. I hope that the graduates of this renowned institution have overcome challenges, embraced knowledge, and honed their skills, preparing themselves to make significant contributions to society. Therefore, I would like to remind the graduates of the fact that education is a perennial process that never ends but opens different chapters in the various phases of life. So, embrace the spirit of inquiry, continue to learn and grow, and never cease to explore the boundless horizons of knowledge.

Uttara University created a remarkable academic niche from its beginning in 2003 under the motto 'Quality Education at Affordable Tuition'. However, later on, the University changed the earlier motto to 'Excellence in Higher Education and Research' and contributed significantly in higher education and research. Besides, it is my firm belief that the university will encourage students to use practical knowledge and skills to help them attain success in the professional world. Moreover, I hope that the university's graduating students will play a vital role by implementing their academic knowledge and moral values to fulfil social responsibilities toward building a better Bangladesh for all.



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Wahiduddin Mahmud





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Founder, Uttara University

Chairman, Board of Trustees

Uttara University Uttara, Dhaka, Bangladesh

It is a pleasure to know that Uttara University is going to organize its 9th Convocation on 25 January 2025. On this glorious occasion, I would like to extend my heartiest congratulations and felicitations to the graduating students.

Private universities in Bangladesh are playing an important role in expanding the horizons of higher education for our growing population. The universities in the private sector are playing a vital role in the socio-economic development of the country through meeting the rapidly growing demand for higher education in a country of vast population. They are also catering to the high demand of the competitive job market both at local and international level by equipping the graduates with the necessary skills and knowledge. I earnestly believe that the students graduated from this university will enter into professional and personal life with a sense of responsibility, patriotism, and the resolve to contribute immensely at home and abroad.

I wish the 9th Convocation a success.





Dear Graduates, with great happiness and fulfillment, I offer you my warmest congratulations on the occasion of Uttara University's 9th Convocation, to be held on January 25, 2025. This is a day of glory to be remembered. This day, we celebrate your academic success, hard work, devotion, and growth that have brought you to this milestone. As you step into the world as proud ambassadors of Uttara University, remember the words of Ralph Waldo Emerson: "We will walk on our own feet: we will work with our own hands: we will speak our own minds." Let this timeless wisdom inspire you to forge your path with confidence, integrity, and resilience.

Message

Uttara University has transformed into a center of innovation and excellence since its inception in 2003. With a modern permanent campus and cutting-edge facilities such as 56 advanced laboratories and specialized research centers like Generative Artificial Intelligence Lab and Center for Clean Energy Research, our institution possesses an incomparable learning environment. Our dynamic curriculum guided by distinguished faculty along with industry- relevant programs empower students to reach global markets. As graduates, you are now part of our alumni network of over 33,000 individuals who are making a difference in their respective sectors across the globe. I urge you to add value to personal integrity, innovation, and social esponsibility as you enter your professional journey.

On behalf of the Board of Trustees, I convey my warmest appreciation to the leadership of our University, Vice-chancellor Dr. Eaysmin Ara Lekha, and our highly valued faculty for cherishing and caring your talents. May you embrace the future with courage, and a determination to achieve greatness.

Mah mau Professor Dr. M. Azizur Rahman

dedication, intellectual rigor, and relentless perseverance along with the unwavering support of their families and the guidance of the esteemed faculty members who have culminated in this proud accomplishment.

Message

I extend my warmest felicitations to all on this auspicious

occasion of the 9th Convocation of Uttara University. It is a

moment to celebrate the extraordinary academic

achievements of the brilliant graduates whose steadfast

I am pleased to learn that Uttara University is committed to achieving excellence in research and developing professionals with advanced knowledge to better serve the needs of 21st century students, who are predominantly digital natives.

I earnestly hope that the graduates we celebrate today will channel their expertise, innovation, and determination to advance Bangladesh towards a better tomorrow. As you step into the future, face every challenge ahead and seize the opportunities that come to your way.

May the 9th Convocation inspire you to contribute meaningfully to the growth of our nation and the world. I hope that Uttara University will go forth and make a difference in the society.





It is an absolute joy to learn that Uttara University is holding its 9th Convocation. It is a heartwarming milestone in the journey of Uttara University. The graduates of this university have completed the most important chapter of their academic life and soon will embark on a new path filled with immense possibilities.

Uttara University has now embarked on a new vision, mission and mandate, "Excellence in Higher Education and Research." There is no gainsay that without research we cannot progress, rather modern life is the offspring of technology and research. The generation of new knowledge and understanding the fundamentals of our life and nature is the foundation of all education.

Uttara University has, therefore, been fostering and promoting its objective to put in place variety of measures whereby faculty and students across the campus can work together both nationally and internationally to learn and discuss on observations that are relevant to the global community.

Uttara University is playing a pioneering role in solving the needs and commitments of our students in pursuing their dreams. Our students have achieved an academic education that has given them literacy skills in language, ICT, digital and financial as well as enabling them in value creation. Uttara University educates its students for success in life– inspiring, learning and building citizenship. The students work as leaders for the community and the society.

The fundamental goal of the university is to create a hub of open innovation network, bringing together and acknowledging the moral, social and economic needs of future Bangladesh.

May the 9th convocation be a giant leap towards a more accomplished, more innovative and more glorious future of this prestigious institution.

Harpia Bacherullah Professor Haspia Bashirullah

I wish you all the success in your future endeavors, and may you continue to make a positive impact on society and the world. Wishing everyone an amazing and successful convocation!





It is an honour and rare privilege with which I participate in Uttara University's 9th convocation on 25th January of the 25th year of the 21st century; an auspicious day indeed! Although this is my first time experiencing a convocation in the Uttara University fashion, I can testify through my over three-decade teaching legacy that this convocation I look forward to the most. The young chaps, who now hold the honour as undergraduates proved that they are ready to take over the world. But this monumental task was only possible through the tireless, concerted effort of their parents and guardians, teachers and this academy, but themselves, most importantly. We felicitate your success.

Time flies fast and the 9th Convocation is already the second convocation since Uttara University moved to the state-of-the-art permanent campus on July 1, 2023. Congratulations to the classes of the 9th convocation. From this day forward, you have the responsibility to face the world on your own, but you also possess the tool to shape your future on your own terms: your education from Uttara University. But you also become a student of the world today, for the road to learning is a never-ending one. The longstanding commitment of the academician body of Uttara University is also a reason for your success.

Across time, Uttara University has adapted to meet the needs of students, upgraded to meet the demands of higher education, and stood against the test of time for 22 years and counting. The wide array of 14 academic disciplines Uttara University provides across five Schools concurs with the global academic landscape. As the whole nation developed, Uttara University has also reformed from its former motto "Quality Education at Affordable Tuition" to 'Excellence in Higher Education and Research.

For the first, time in Uttara University's 22-year operation, we have ranked 276th in the World University Ranking for Innovation 2024 (WURI) among the Global Top 300 Innovative Universities. The very recent achievement is a testament to how fervent Uttara University stands about its new motto. The 2024 ranking is only the beginning of a series of accreditations and further rankings this university is striving to achieve in the upcoming five years. Conjunct with that roadmap is our desire to contend with the top-ranking private and public universities of Bangladesh. Eventually, Uttara University will bestow upon the brightest minds of our country Doctoral degrees on the most challenging and in-demand topics.

To the graduating class of the 9th Convocation, remember that the only way out is forward. March on! Congratulations once again. You make the Uttara University family proud.

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Professor Gour Gobinda Goswami, PhD

The challenges of the concurrent world demand innovative solutions and critical thinking. You, the young minds of today, are the architects of tomorrow. I urge you to use your talents and intellect to address these challenges, and to build a more just, equitable, and sustainable future for all. The Ministry of Education remains committed to supporting your aspirations and fostering an environment that nurtures creativity, innovation, and lifelong learning. We are confident that you will go on to achieve great things and make us all proud.

wish the 9th Convocation of Uttara University a grand success and a bright future for all the graduates.

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Message

With utmost privilege and honor, I share the momentous occasion of Uttara University's 9th convocation which will undoubtedly serve as a testament to its accomplishments on 25th January, 2025. At first I congratulate the graduates on their magnificent achievement and celebrate their academic achievements along with the honor their resilience, dedication, and the remarkable journey have brought them to this significant milestone. I also want to express my sincere gratitude to the proud guardians, who placed their trust in us and supported our graduates. I appreciate each teacher, administrative team member, Hon'ble trustees, and academic council members for their invaluable support.

Convocation is a moment of reflection of looking back on the challenges the graduates overcame, the knowledge they have gained, and the growth they have experienced during the time at Uttara University. Each one of them represents the culmination of years of hard work, perseverance, and commitment.

Since its establishment in 2003, Uttara University has adhered to the policy of "Quality Education at Affordable Tuition." For 20 years, we have consistently followed this motto. Now, with the milestone of a permanent campus, Uttara University is looking beyond its present achievements. Currently, we pursue a new goal under the banner of "Excellence in Higher Education and Research." Our ardent desire is to introduce an atmosphere of advanced study, research, and skill development. Our future generation of students will be equipped with excellent abilities in all fields of academics, technology, and critical thinking.

I assert with confidence our graduates will use their newfound expertise, ability, and creativity to build a thriving Bangladesh. They will do this with loyalty, integrity, and commitment. As they leave Uttara University, they will take the lessons with them not only from textbooks, but from life. They will strive for excellence, lead with purpose, and always seek to make a positive difference in the world. They are the leaders, innovators, and change-makers of tomorrow. I wish you all the very best.

Edlato Professor Dr. Eaysmin Ara Lekha

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