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Future of the Built Form

A talk by Ar. Mahbub Rashid

IAB Lecture Series event titled 'Future of the Built Form' was arranged on 28th July 2016 at the Berger Seminar Room of IAB Centre.

The speaker was Ar. Mahbub Rashid, PhD, RA. He is the Associate Dean for Research & Graduate Studies, School of Architecture, Design & Urban Planning, University of Kansas, USA and a former faculty at Department of Architecture, BUET.

The event was attended by a large number of architects across generations.

After the lecture, Ar. Qazi M Arif, General Secretary, IAB presented a memento to Prof. Mahbub Rashid as a token of appreciation from the Institute.

Ar. Farhana Sharmin Emu, Secretary Seminar, IAB is the coordinator of IAB Lecture Series. The event was powered by Asian Paints Ltd.





Architecture & Abstract Art

A talk by Ar. Seung Yeal YOU

IAB LECTURE SERIES event featuring South Korean architect Seung Yeal You's talk titled ARCHITECTURE & ABSTRACT ART was held on 8th August 2016 at the Berger Seminar Room of IAB Centre.

Seung Yeal YOU is a practicing architect from Korea. He received his Bachelor of Architecture from Yonsei University in Seoul. He studied Architecture and Abstract Art in UPA 7, Paris, France and got DPLG (French Architect). He found his office AA Architects & Associates in 2002 in Seoul. Through his works he has tried to show up the process as the abstract artists do. Beside his work he is an International Committee Member of KIRA (Korean Institute of Registered Architect). Since 2015. He has participated in ARCASIA Forum, Korea, Japan and China International Meeting actively.

At the end of the lecture, Ar. Kazi Golam Nasir, Chief Architect, GoB presented a crest to Ar. You on behalf of IAB.

Ar. Farhana Sharmin Emu, Secretary Seminar IAB, coordinated the event.





Accessibility & Universal Design in Architecture

by Ar. Joseph Kwan

A lecture on ACCESSIBILITY & UNIVERSAL DESIGN IN ARCHITECTURE by Ar. Joseph Kwan, Director UIA Region IV Work Program - Architecture for All was held on 17th August 2016 at the Berger Seminar Room of IAB Centre.

The event was jointly Organized by IAB, Bangladesh Institute of Planners and WBB Trust.

A discussion session following Ar. Kwan's lecture was participated by Ar. Sayeda Sultana Annee of IAB, Planner Dr. Adil Mohammed Khan of BIP and Ms. Debra Efroymson of WBB Trust.

Later Ar. Kwan was presented with a crest by IAB Immediate Past President Ar. Mubasshar Hussain.

Ar. Farhana Sharmin Emu, Secretary Seminar, IAB coordinated and conducted the program.

The event was powered by Asian Paints Ltd.





LEARNING FROM A MASTER : 'Life and Works of Architect Muzharul Islam'

A Talk and Discussion with Young Architects of Bangladesh

A program in memory of the late master architect Muzharul Islam titled "LEARNING FROM A MASTER : 'Life and Works of Architect Muzharul Islam' - A Talk and Discussion with Young Architects of Bangladesh" was held on 28 August 2016 at the Berger Seminar Room of IAB Centre, Dhaka.

Organized by Institute of Architects Bangladesh and Muzharul Islam Foundation, the young architects who spoke on the influences of Ar. Muzharul Islam were Ar. Ishraq Zahra Khan, Ar. Muhtadin Iqbal, Ar. M Faisal Kabir Himun, Ar. Wahiduzzaman Ratul and Ar. Karar Shihan Bin Hannan.

Ar. Shamsul Wares, Ar. Mubasshar Hussain, Ar. Bikash Saud Ansary and Ar. Farhana Sharmin Emu, among others, took part in the discussion session.

IAB President Dr. Abu Sayeed M Ahmed and members of Muzharul Islam Foundation including Ms. Dalia Nausheen attended the program. Ar. Ehsan Khan coordinated the event.





Paradigm Shift in Planning Model in Bangladesh - The First Disaster Risk Reduction Integrated Comprehensive Planning, Mymensigh

By Dr. Khurshid Zabin Hossain Taufique

IAB Lecture Series event titled 'Paradigm Shift in Planning Model in Bangladesh - The First Disaster Risk Reduction Integrated Comprehensive Planning, Mymensigh' was arranged on 28th July 2016 at the Berger Seminar Room of IAB Centre.

The speaker was Dr. Khurshid Zabin Hossain Taufique. Dr. Taufique is an architect & planner has more that 24 years of professional experiences in Architecture, Urban Planning, Infrastructure Planning Ecology, Environmental Planning, and Environmental Impact Assessment. He is the Director of Urban Development Directorate (UDD), Ministry of Housing and Public Works, Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh. The event was attended by a large number of architects.

After the lecture, Dr. Taufique was presented with a crest by IAB Immediate Past President Ar. Mubassar Hussain.

Ar. Farhana Sharmin Emu, Secretary Seminar, IAB is the coordinator of IAB Lecture Series.

The event was powered by Asian Paints Ltd.





First Ever Induction Ceremony of IAB Held

The Induction Ceremony 2016 of the Institute of Architects Bangladesh (IAB) was held on 1st September 2016 at the IAB Center at Agargaon.

All fellows of IAB, new associate members and members have been formally inducted through this grand ceremony. Eminent writer and academician Muhammed Zafar Iqbal delivered the speech as the guest of honor.

IAB President, Dr. Abu Sayeed M Ahmed welcomed the audience which was followed by a brief description of the Induction Ceremony by Ar. Kazi Golam Nasir, Convener, IAB Membership Committee. Representatives from the fellow, associate members and members received certificates from the guest of honor.

Ar. Jalal Ahmed, Convener, IAB Membership Automation Committee and Vice President, National Affairs, delivered a brief background about the membership automation process, the second segment of the evening, before this new venture of IAB was launched.





Mrs. Rupali Chowdhury, Managing Director, Berger Paints Bangladesh Limited delivered her speech as Special Guest and thanked IAB for inviting BERGER as the supporting partner. This session concluded with a vote of thanks by Ar. Qazi M Arif, General Secretary, IAB.

Prof. Haroon Ur Rashid, Chairman, IAB Education Standing Committee, briefed about the background of IAB Accreditation process at the beginning of the Reception to the 'IAB Accredited Schools of Architecture'.

Nine Universities with IAB Accreditation formally received the Certificate of Accreditation in presence of the Vice Chancellors and Heads of the Department of Architecture of the respective institutions.

The formal part of the evening was followed by a Dance Recital by SHADHONA and dinner. The event, attended by about 600 architects, vice chancellors, high officials and academicians from different universities, other invited dignitaries and members from press & media, was supported by Berger Paints Bangladesh Limited.





INDUCTION CEREMONY







Abashik Elakar Bhumi o Bhubon Babohar : Bortoman Prekkhapot o Bhubishshyot Ruprekha Jointly Organized by IAB and BIP

A Roundtable Discussion on 'Abashik Elakar Bhumi o Bhubon Babohar : Bortoman Prekkhapot o Bhubishshyot Ruprekha' jointly organized by IAB and BIP was held on 6th August 2016 at 9.30am at CIRDAP, Chameli House, Dhaka.

Honorable Mayor of DNCC Mr. Annisul Huq attended as the Chief Guest. Mr. M Bazlul Karim Chowdhury, honorable Chairman RAJUK attended as the Special Guest.

Dr. Abu Sayeed M Ahmed, President IAB and Planner Dr. AKM Abul Kalam, President BIP gave the welcome and concluding address.

Keynote papers were presented by Ar. Qazi M Arif, General Secretary IAB and Planner Dr. Aktar Mahmud, General Secretary BIP.

Roundtable discussants from diverse professional backgrounds included Mr. Abdul Matlub Ahmed, President FBCCI, eminent lawyers Barrister Tanjib-Ul Alam and Advocate Monzil Morshed, architects Mubasshar Hussain, Salahuddin Ahmed, Ar.-Planners Dr. Ishrat Islam and Dr. KZH Taufiq, photographer Dr. Shahidul Alam, journalist Syed Istiaque Reza, artist Wakilur Rahman, Chief Architect GoB Kazi Golam Nasir et al.

The roundtable discussion was moderated by Ar. Mamnoon Murshed Chowdhury, Assistant General Secretary IAB.

Members of IAB Executive Council including Vice President National Affairs Ar. Jalal Ahmed, Treasurer Ar. Nowajish Mahub Secretary Urbanization Ar. Shaila Joarder, Secretary Seminar Ar. Farhana Sharmin Emu attended among others. Senior architects Kazi Nurul Karim, Bikash Saud Ansary and members of BIP also attended. The event was aired LIVE from 10am by Ekattor Television.

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ROUND TABLE CONFERENCE





Asian Congress of Architects [ACA-17]

One of the key feature of ARCASIA is the Asian Congress of Architects (ACA) Forum which is a major regional congress held every two years that take the form of a large international congress for fostering intellectual exchange and strategic discussion on regional challenges, initiatives and development amongst hundreds of architects.

The theme for the ACA17 in 2016 is "Growth and Diversity: The Green Age of Asia".

IAB Delegation consisting of 25 Architects and 17 Students attended ARCASIA Asian Congress of Architects (ACA-17) and the ARCASIA Student Jamboree in Hong Kong from 25-30th September 2016. The week long Congress included six Committee Meetings, Council Meeting, ARCASIA Award Ceremony, Exhibition, Student Jamboree and Friendship Night.

IAB Member Ar. Masum UI Huq has been awarded with the ARCASIA Travel Prize 2016. IAB President Ar. Abu Sayeed M Ahmed has been elected Vice President ARCASIA Zone A for 2017-18. IAB President Dr. Abu Syeed M Ahmed and Vice President (International Relations) Ar. Masudur Rahman Khan represented IAB in the Council Meeting. IAB General Secretary Ar. Qazi M Arif chaired the meeting of Committee on Green & Sustainable Architecture (ACGSA).

All the delegates and Students are back home after a successful participation with memories to cherish for long.







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IAB President Dr. Abu Sayeed M Ahmed Elected as the Vice President of ARCASIA

IAB President Dr. Abu Sayeed M Ahmed has been elected as the Vice President of ARCASIA in the 17th Asian Congress of Architects being held in Hong Kong. On behalf of it's members IAB congratulates him.





Fifth Event Took Place at Ehsan Khan Architects

IAB organized series 'On Sites & At Studios' takes a group of architects to the studio of a celebrated architectural practice, where the Principal[s] share[s] design philosophies and experiences and accompany the group in a tour of a few projects designed by practice.

The fifth event in the series took place at Ehsan Khan Architects on 23rd July 2016. The visiting group was welcomed to the studio by its principals Ar. Ehsan Khan and Ar. Nusrat Jahan.

After a talk by Ar. Ehsan Khan on issues concerning vision, design concepts and practice, the group was led to a tour of two projects designed by EKA. The sites visited were Amari Hotel at Gulshan and Mohila Shomity Auditorium at Bailey Road.

The event was coordinated by Ar. Asif M Ahsanul Huq, Secretary Culture & Heritage, IAB and powered by Asian Paints Ltd.





Sixth Event with Ar. Sheikh Ahsan Ullah Mojumder

The sixth event of "On Sites & At Studios" held on the 13th August 2016. One of the leading practicing architect of Bangladesh Ar. Sheikh Ahsan Ullah Mojumder has conducted this session.

Ar. Sheikh Ahsan Ullah Mojumder shared his experiences from professional arena at his studio and guided the participants through the on-site tours of one of their recent works, where they explained their architectural thoughts and views.

Ar. Asif M Ahsanul Huq, Secretary Heritage & Cultural Affairs, IAB coordinated the program. The event was powered by Asian Paints Ltd.



MoU Signed for Open Architectural Design Competition for AUST Campus at Ashulia



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A Memorandum of Understanding was signed on 21st July 2016 between Ahsanullah University of Science and Technology (AUST) and Institute of Architects Bangladesh (IAB) for organizing an open design competition for AUST 2nd Campus at Ashulia.

Dr. A.M.M. Safiullah, Vice Chancellor, AUST and Dr. Abu Sayeed M Ahmed, President, IAB signed the MoU on behalf of their respective organization.

The signing ceremony was held at IAB Centre and was attended by a delegation from AUST and members of Executive Council of IAB.





Health Complex One Project Design Competition

A single staged open architectural design competition for the design of Grameen Health Complex One project was organized by Institute of Architects Bangladesh and Grameen Kalyan-Grameen Telecom Trust. The project site is at Avenue 2, Uttara 3rd Phase, Dhaka. The competition was announced on 23rd June 2016 and the submission due was on 20th September 2016. Thirty-six entries were submitted for the competition.

Results of the Health Complex One Open Architectural Design Competition was declared on 24th September 2016 at the IAB Centre by Dr. Abu Sayeed M Ahmed, President, Institute of Architects Bangladesh. A large number of architects and officials of Grameen Telecom Trust and Grameen Kalyan were present.

The winners of the competition are -

First Prize : Design Lab Architects

Ar. Nazmul Huq Bulbul [B 024], Team Leader

Ar. M Rashidul Hasan Sakib. Ar. Tahsin Amin Niti. Ar. Kazi Abu Imam. Ar. Samiul Alam. Ar. M Tanveer Hasan.

Second Prize : DWG

Ar. Tanzim Hasan Salim [S 063], Team Leader

Ar. Naheed Farzana

Third Prize : Lines Architects

Ar. Mohiuddin Zilane [Z 014], Team Leader

Ar. Shah Fuad M Cyrus. Ar. Reesham Shahab. Ar. M Fahad Bin Mostafiz. Ar. Adbana Taj Anis.

The five members jury panel consisted of Ar. Haroon Ur Rashid, Ar. Khan Md. Mustapha Khalid, Ar. Dr. Khandaker Shabbir Ahmed, Prof. Dr. Jamilur Reza Choudhury and Engr. Md. Ashraful Hassan.

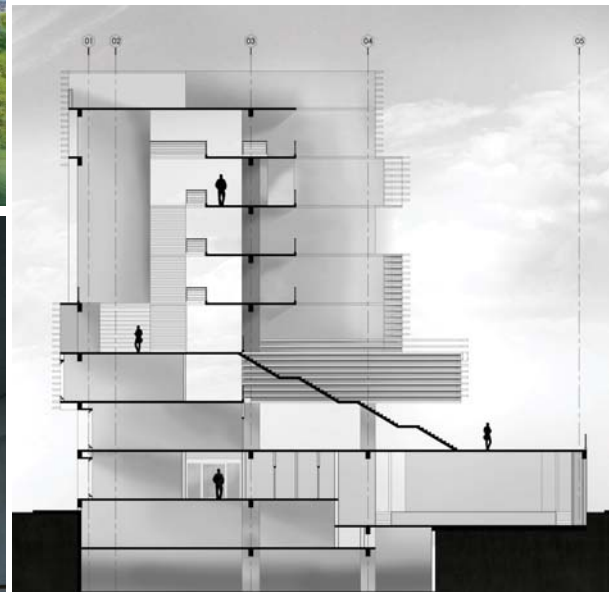
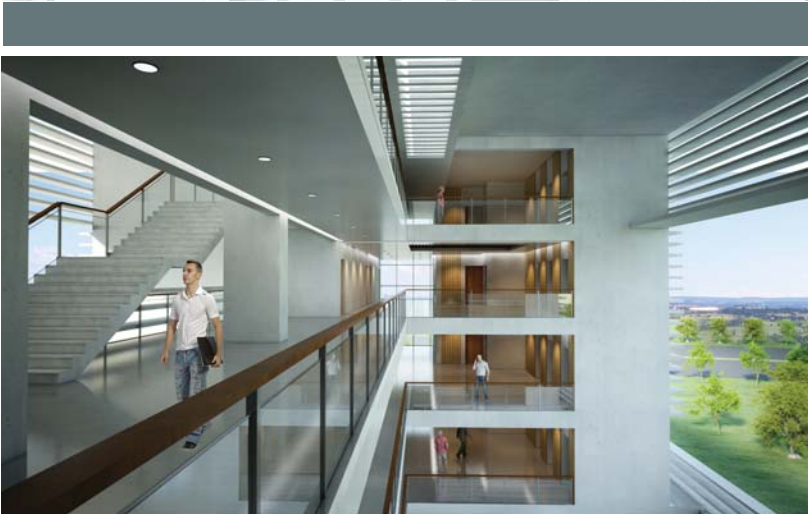
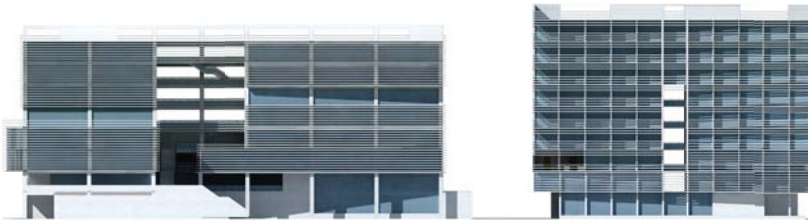
Ar. Masud Ur Rashid, Secretary- Publication & Publicity IAB was the Competition Director.

First Prize Winner





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Second Prize Winner



Third Prize Winner





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Exhibition of Submitted Projects of Health Complex One Open Architectural Design Competition

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The exhibition continued at IAB Centre on till 27th September 2016. This was the first ever exhibition arranged at IAB Centre.

Ar. Masud Ur Rashid, Secretary- Publication & Publicity IAB and the Competition Director was the coordinator of the exhibition.





Greetings from the 21st Executive Council of the Institute of Architects Bangladesh.

It is the seventh issue of IAB Newsletter of the 21st Executive Council which shows the regularity of publication of IAB. This issue contains some of the news and events of July - September quarter of this year. In this period some significant events of IAB such as the first ever Induction Ceremony of IAB members, open architectural design competition of Grameen Health Complex One project and signing MoU with Ahsanullah University of Science & Technology for open architectural design competition to design its Second Campus at Ashulia took place. Besides, five events of Lecture Series, two events of 'On Site & At Studio' and one Round Table Conference were organized within this period which have also been covered by this issue of IAB Newsletter.

I would acknowledge the support and cooperation received from the members of Editorial Board, my colleagues in the EC and the whole newsletter team who works behind to publish the newsletter in time.

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