

Shahjahan appointed VC of BUET

Prof. M. Shahjahan has been appointed Vice Chancellor of Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET) for the next four years, an official notification said in Dhaka Tuesday, reports BSS.

Prof. Shahjahan, a teacher of the Department of Water Resources Engineering of BUET and a renowned water resources expert, succeeds Prof. Musharraf Hossain Khan.

He will take over the charge of the office of the Vice-Chancellor today (Wednesday), a University Press release said.

Prof. Shahjahan has been associated with teaching, research and administrative responsibilities for about 32 years.

He joined the erstwhile Ahsanullah Engineering College in 1960 as lecturer. He obtained M.S. degree in Hydraulics from Colorado State University, USA in 1963 and Ph. D. degree from Strathclyde University, UK in 1970.

In 1974 Dr. Shahjahan joined the newly opened Department of Water Resources Engineering of BUET as professor.

Prior to his appointment coordinator, Asain Institute of Technology (AIT) BUET post graduate programme.

He is the Chairman of National Oceanographic and Maritime Institute (NOAMI) life fellow and senior Vice-President of the institution of Engineers (IEB) and Member of Bangladesh-India, Bangladesh-China Bangladesh-Nepal and Bangladesh-Bhutan Technical committees on Flood Management.

Prof. Shahjahan is married and has one son and one daughter.

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