

NSU DEML offers certificate course in creative writing for the second time

The seven-week intensive program offers beginners and budding writers mentor-led guidance in fiction, poetry, and non-fiction, focusing on Bangladeshi cultural narratives.

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The Department of English and Modern Languages (DEML) at North South University is pleased to announce the second offering of its Certificate Course in Creative Writing, set to begin in Summer 2026. This innovative seven-week intensive program is designed to cultivate the next emerging literary voices by providing a structured, mentor-led environment that emphasises Bangladesh's rich cultural narratives.

Aimed at beginners and emerging writers, the course addresses a growing need for formal creative guidance. It offers a supportive space for individuals drawn to writing to explore and hone their craft.

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Participants will explore fiction, poetry, and creative non-fiction under the guidance of experienced DEML faculty alongside renowned guest writers from the Bangladeshi literary community including translator, critic, and academic Kaiser Haq.

A distinctive feature of the curriculum is its focus on empowering writers to draw meaningfully from personal and communal experiences, with particular attention to Bangladeshi cultural, social, and historical contexts. This approach ensures that participants not only learn various writing techniques but

also develop an authentic voice that resonates with local and global audiences. This initiative underscores NSU's commitment to expanding its liberal arts education and fostering creativity and critical expression within Bangladesh's literary landscape.

The course is open for enrollment to both NSU and non-NSU participants from June 2 to 21, 2026. Prospective participants can apply by scanning the QR code available on the official course poster, which contains comprehensive details regarding the course schedule and application process. Participants who successfully complete the course will be awarded a certificate in recognition of their creative development and commitment.