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Total deadlock in CU academic life

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There has been total deadlock in the academic life of about 16000 students in Chittagong University since its opening on Sunday January 10.

Chittagong University was re-opened after about a month-long Ramjan and Eid vacation.

The academic life on the campus became paralysed following the enforcement of siege to the University Main Gate by the supporters of Islami Chhatra Shibir on the very first of its re-opening in protest against the killing of two Shibir supporters allegedly by the members of Pro-AL Chhatra League some days back.

The Shibir men also got the plying of shuttle trains from the city for carrying of students also halted by abducting the engine driver at gun-point. The Shibir and Chhatra League supporters also traded heavy gun shots on last Monday night resulting in injuries to some students. The Shibirites are also alleged to have looted about 2000 forms of admission seekers of next academic session.

The university authority has set up a committee to deal with the situation and to hammer out a solution to the problem after discussions with the leaders of student bodies concerned.

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