

3-day literary programme ends in JU

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A THREE-DAY literary festival ended at the Jahangirnagar University in Savar on Sunday.

The programme, organized by the JU-based student organisation Cirkut, featured talks by writers and poets, poetry recitation, an awards ceremony as well as the official launching of the seventh edition of Cirkut Magazine.

The objective of the programme was to create a bond between writers and readers, the organisers said.

The festival was inaugurated by writer Rayhan Rayin, also an associate professor of philosophy, on the premises of JU Shahid Minar on Friday.

On the second day, a discussion was held at the auditorium of JU in which poets Asad Chowdhury, Mu-

hammad Rofiq, Nurul Huda, Rofiqullah Khan, Sohel Hasan Galib and Mustafiz Shofi talked about contemporary trends in Bangla poetry.

Professor Farzana Islam, vice-chancellor of the university, then launched the seventh edition of Cirkut Magazine.

In the second session of the day, there was a discussion on modern Bangla prose in which writers Zakir Talukdar, Bulbul Sawrar, Sumonto Aslam, Ahmed Mustafa, Mahbb Morshad, and Mum Rahman delivered speeches.

On Sunday, there was a rally in the morning followed by a discussion on world literature in which poet Shamim Reza and litterateur Hayat Mahmud were present among other speakers.