

GAU holds training under HEAT project

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Gazipur Agricultural University vice-chancellor Professor GKM Mustafizur Rahman, among others, a daylong training titled 'Academic Transformation Fund Sub-Project Proposal Writing...' and arranged by the Institutional Quality Assurance Cell at its seminar room on Tuesday. | Press release photo

Public speaking training

Gazipur Agricultural University organised a daylong training titled 'Academic Transformation Fund Sub-Project Proposal Writing for the 2nd round under the Higher Education Acceleration and Transformation (HEAT) Project.'

The programme was arranged by the Institutional Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on Tuesday at its seminar room with a commitment to drive innovation and quality transformation in Bangladesh's higher education sector.

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The training brought together GAU's 100 PhD-holding faculty members, aiming to strengthen research quality, enhance global competitiveness and accelerate institutional transformation through well-structured and impactful project proposals.

Cultural exchange programs

GAU vice-chancellor Professor GKM Mustafizur Rahman attended as chief guest, while Professor Nasrin Akter Ivy, director of IQAC, presided over the session.

Pro-vice-chancellor Professor M Moynul Haque and treasurer Professor Md Safiul Islam Afrad were present as special guests.

The session was moderated by Professor Mohammad Sharif Raihan, additional director of IQAC. The keynote presentation was delivered by Professor Mohammod Moninoor Roshid, wing manager: Research Coordination Specialist of the HEAT Project.

His comprehensive and practical presentation covered the ATF application process, types of sub-projects, proposal development strategies, rubric-based evaluation criteria and effective project management approaches.

In her welcome remarks, Professor Ivy emphasised that strong proposal-writing skills are essential to ensure quality and transparency in research.

Declaring the formal inauguration, the vice-chancellor underscored that sustainable transformation in higher education depends on innovative research and high-quality project implementation.

He expressed optimism that effective utilisation of ATF opportunities would further advance GAU's vision of becoming a fully research-driven, internationally competitive university.

The workshop concluded with a question-and-answer session, where participating faculty members shared insights and sought clarifications.