



BPATC Newsletter

Keeping you in touch with BPATC



Rector Dr. M. Aslam Alam inaugurated an ATM Booth with balloons and festoon for BPATC brunch on 3rd April, 2018



Dr. M Aslam Alam, Rector, BPATC along with Mr. Md. Obaidullah Al Masud, CEO and MD, Sonali Bank Limited inaugurated a Sonali Bank ATM booth on 3rd April, 2018

Dear reader,

Welcome to the April-June 2018 issue of the BPATC Newsletter. BPATC has taken initiatives from the year 2017 to publish this quarterly online newsletter regularly to keep you in touch with BPATC.

From the day you complete a BPATC training course you become a member of BPATC alumni society. Feedback from alumni is particularly useful and we are always keen to hear how we can improve our training programmes. If you have any thoughts, comments or suggestions please email to zamanshumil6683@gmail.com or afiaju2003@gmail.com

BPATC has recently redefined its Vision, Mission and Core Values, and formulated Action Plans to achieve the goals of Strategic Plan of BPATC under the dynamic leadership of present Rector Dr. M Aslam Alam, Senior Secretary to the Government.

BPATC has many partners at home and abroad and conducts various Training Programmes, Seminars, Workshops and International Conferences every year in collaboration with them. Collaborative Programmes give you details of recently held training courses. Like elsewhere in the country we in BPATC regularly observe various national and International days.

In Celebration you will get an idea of how we in BPATC come together to observe different occasions. You can find out training schedule for next couple of months in Upcoming Courses from the official website of BPATC.

I hope you will enjoy reading about what's going on in BPATC and whether you attended BPATC training course in 2018 or 24 years ago, that you love the continuation of engaging yourself with what we are doing here.

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Vision, Mission and Core Values

BPATC is committed to developing a corps of well-groomed and dynamic officials through providing quality training. The redefinition of vision, mission and core values, identification of strategic plan and action plan to achieve the goals of strategic plan are the reaffirmation of the commitment of BPATC. The redefined vision, mission and core values are:

Vision

BPATC becomes a centre of excellence for developing patriotic, competent and professional civil servants dedicated to public interest.

Mission

BPATC is committed to achieving its vision through

- ❖ developing competent and professional human resources by imparting quality training and development programmes;
- ❖ conducting research, publishing books and journals and extending consultancy services for continuous improvement of public service delivery system;
- ❖ establishing effective partnership with reputed institutions of home and abroad for developing organisational capacity; and
- ❖ promoting a culture of continuous learning to foster a knowledge-based civil service.

Core Values

- ❖ Maintain **discipline** of highest order in every step.
- ❖ Practice and uphold **integrity** in all activities.
- ❖ Committed to **inclusiveness** at all levels.
- ❖ Strive for excellence through **professionalism**.
- ❖ Impart training towards **learning for results**.
- ❖ Highly regard **innovation** in governance.
- ❖ Foster esprit de corps and instill **team spirit**.

News & Events

86th Senior Staff Course (SSC)

86th Senior Staff Course (SSC) came to a close on 10th June 2018. This course commenced on 17th April 2018 with the theme of

“Building Effective, Inclusive and Accountable Public Administration System”

In this 45 day-long training course, twenty seven officers including two female officers were the participants. Among them twenty four were Joint Secretaries to the governments or their equivalents while three belonged to Bangladesh Armed Forces Division.

In the management of the course, Dr. M Aslam Alam, Rector, BPATC was the Course Advisor while Dr. Muhammad Abu Yusuf, MDS (Research & consultancy) of the Centre was the Course Director. Kazi Hasan Imam, Director (Planning and Development) and K.M. Abdul Kader, Deputy Director (ST&TOT) acted as course coordinators. One of the integral parts of this course is regional exposure visit (REV) and participants attended a ten-day long study Tour in Thailand.

87th Senior Staff Course (SSC)

The 87th Senior Staff Course (SSC) was conducted at BPATC during 11th July 2018 to 3rd September 2018. In this 45 day-long training course, twenty eight officers including three female officers were the participants. Among them all were Joint Secretaries to the governments.



Dr. M Aslam Alam, Rector, BPATC along with the Course Management Team & the participants of 87th Senior Staff Course

The inaugural function was held at BPATC ICT mini Auditorium on 11th July 2018 where Mr. Faiz Ahmed, Secretary, Ministry of Public Administration was present as the Chief Guest to grace the occasion. Dr. M Aslam Alam, Rector BPATC was also present there as the Chairperson.



Secretary, Ministry of Public Administration Mr. Faiz Ahmed receiving Crest from Dr. M Aslam Alam, Rector, BPATC as a token of warm felicitations

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120th Advanced Course on Administration and Development (ACAD)

The 120th Advanced Course on Administration and Development (ACAD) commenced on 25th April

2018 in the Centre. This course will end up on 3rd July 2018. A total of thirty two officers attended the course including nine were female participants. This course also set the theme highlighting on the SDG Goal-16 - **“Building Effective, Inclusive and Accountable Public Administration System”**. Participants of the course along with course management attended a ten-day long regional exposure visit (REV) Programme in India.



Participant of 120th ACAD presenting their experiences learnt from their Exposure visit to India

67th Foundation Training Course (FTC)

Ms. Ismat Ara Sadeq, Honorable State Minister attended in the opening ceremony of 67th FTC as chief guest. Dr. M Aslam Alam, Rector of the Centre was in the Chair. The Chief Guest and the Chair addressed the gathering.



Ms. Ismat Ara Sadeq, Honorable State Minister addressing the gathering in the opening ceremony of 67th FTC as chief guest

The 67th Foundation Training Course (FTC) commenced at BPATC on 30th April 2018 with eighty five participants. Among the participants thirty three were female officers. In addition, the trainees of 67th FTC were from twelve different cadres of Bangladesh Civil Service (BCS).

A total of 305 officers from 14 cadres of Bangladesh Civil Service and 08 officers of Bangladesh Judicial Service attended this six-month long training course. Among the total participants 94 were female.

66th Foundation Training Course (FTC)

Mr. Mohammad. Shafiul Alam, Cabinet Secretary, to the Government was present as the Chief Guest in the opening ceremony of the 66th FTC.



Chief Guest Mr. Mohammad Shafiul Alam, Cabinet Secretary, to the Government addressing the audience in the inaugural Ceremony of 66th FTC

function held at BPATC Auditorium with Dr. M Aslam Alam, Rector in the Chair. The Chief Guest, Special Guest and Chair addressed the gathering. The 66th Foundation Training Course (FTC) commenced at BPATC on 18th February 2018 with two hundred participants.

Lessons Learnt Workshop

A Lessons Learnt Workshop on Foreign Exposure Visit of 12th & 13th Policy Planning and Management Course was held on 21 April 2018 at BPATC.



Participant from 12th & 13th Policy Planning and Management Course sharing their Lessons Learnt from Exposure Visit in Thailand

Syed Mahboob Hasan, Additional Secretary (Retd.) to the Government was present in the workshop to grace the occasion as the Chief Guest. Mr. Md. Zaydul Hoque Molla ^{ndc} Member Directing Staff (Project), BPATC was in the Chair.

Participants visited Thailand for ten days. They visited in a number of government institutions and tourist spots. During the visit, they gathered information on the basis of specific topic for each group. Challenges of public policy making in Thailand, Local Government in Thailand: A comparison with Bangladesh, Tourism Development Policy in Thailand were the topics for presentation.



Participant from 12th & 13th Policy Planning and Management Course receiving certificates after their Lessons Learnt Workshop

Short Courses

BPATC organized three short courses for the employees of Department of Narcotics Control from 6th May to 7th June in different time schedule. These courses were on Rules and Regulations of Narcotics Department, on short Administrative Course and Financial Management Course. In total eighty seven (87) participants took part of these courses e.g. twenty eight participants were in first course (6th May to 17th May, 2018), twenty nine participants in second course (20th May) to 31st May 2018) and thirty participants in the third course (6th June to 7th June, 2018) respectively.

National Kaizen Convention under (IPS-TQM Project)

A National Kaizen Convention under IPS-TQM Project was organized on 27th June 2018 at BIAM Foundation, Dhaka. Honorable State Minister Ms. Ismat Ara Sadeq, MP attend at the convention as Chief Guest. Around twenty participants were

present in the convention to disseminate their findings of small improvement project (SIP).

ATM Booth at BPATC

An ATM Booth of Sonali Bank Limited set up at BPATC for rendering the service of the bank. The booth was inaugurated by Dr. M Aslam Alam, Rector (Senior Secretary), BPATC with the presence of Mr. Md. Obaidullah Al Masud, CEO and MD, Sonali Bank Limited on 3rd April, 2018.

11th Special Foundation Training Course (40+)

The 11th Special Foundation Training Course (SFTC) for 40+ officers was conducted in BPATC from 13th May 2018 to 26th June 2018. A total of twenty nine participants from different government offices attended the course.



Participants of the 11th Special Foundation Training Course (SFTC) for 40+ officers with Rector and CMT

Celebrations

Pohela Boishakh

BPATC celebrated Pohela Boishakh 2018 on 14th April 2018 through a numbers of events with the presence of BPATC officers, participants, students and teachers from BPATC School and College and staffs led by Rector Dr. M Aslam Alam. In observance of the day BPATC arranged a plethora of colourful programmes that included cultural functions, traditional sports and games and prizes giving events.



Rector along with faculties participants, students and teachers from BPATC School and College and staffs of BPATC celebrating Pohela Boishakh with Mongol Shovajatra.

BPATC Officer's Club and Ladies Club; also took successful initiatives to celebrate the day successfully.



A colourful Cultural program held to celebrate pohela Boishakh



Celebration of Begali Pohela Boishakh on Begali new year 1425

3rd Social Media Shonglap



3rd Social Media Sonlap was held at BPATC

A program was held on 30 May 2018 at BPATC for 3rd Social Media Shonglap. Rector of BPATC Dr. M Aslam Alam was present the meeting as a Chair.



3rd Social Media Sonlap was held at BPATC

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