

1. Online Workshop on Vanquishing Work from Home (V-Educators) on 4th January 2021



The poster is for a workshop titled "Vanquishing Work from Home (V-Educators)" with the subtitle "Mastering the art of Managing stress of online education by Educators". It is organized by Green University and CETL. The workshop is held on Zoom with Meeting ID 63844752381 on 04 January 2021 from 7:00 to 8:30 PM. The featured speaker is Afroja Ahmed, an Erasmus Scholar and Counsellor at Green University of Bangladesh. Her profile includes her study program (European Master of Psychology in Global Mobility, Inclusion and Diversity in the Society - Global MINDS) at the University of Limerick in Ireland, and her role as a Crisis Volunteer at Crisis Text Ireland.

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Workshop on

"Vanquishing Work from Home (V-Educators)"

Mastering the art of Managing stress of online education by Educators

Afroja Ahmed
Erasmus Scholar (Global Mind),
and
Counselor, Counseling Unit,
Green University of Bangladesh

PROFILE OF THE COUNSELLOR

Afroja Ahmed,
Study Program: European Master of Psychology in
Global Mobility, Inclusion and Diversity in the
Society (Global MINDS), Currently doing thesis
and internship at the University of Limerick in
Ireland. Working as a Crisis Volunteer at Crisis
Text Ireland, 50808.

Platform:  **zoom** **Meeting ID: 63844752381**

Schedule: Date: 04 January 2021, Time: 7:00 - 8:30 Pm

An online workshop event for the faculty member of Green University of Bangladesh was held on 4th January from 7:00 pm- 8:30 pm on 4 January 2021 using zoom platform titled "Vanquishing Work from Home (V-Educators): Mastering the art of Managing stress of online education by Educators". CETL had arranged this special session with Ms. Afroza Ahmed, Erasmus Scholar, and Counsellor, Counselling Unit, GUB (on study leave). She highlighted the strategies to handle the stress of working from home during this pandemic condition. Ms. Afroja Ahmed is studying the European Master of Psychology in Global Mobility, Inclusion and Diversity in the Society (Global MINDS). Currently, she is doing thesis and internship at the University of Limerick in Ireland and working as a Crisis Volunteer at Crisis Text Ireland, 50808. More than fifty teachers participated in the event and exchanged their life orientated recent experiences.

2. Online Workshop on “Ethical Issues and Principles in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education” on 11 January 2021

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Ethical Issues and Principles in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education

Keynote Speaker
Professor
Dr. Golam Samdani Fakir
Vice Chancellor
Green University of Bangladesh

Special Guest Speaker
Professor
Dr. Md. Abdur Razzaque
Pro Vice Chancellor
Green University of Bangladesh

Moderator of the Program
Dr. ASM Shihavuddin
Chairman and Associate Professor, EEE
Director, CETL
Green University of Bangladesh

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In this global pandemic, our prompt efforts have made our teaching and learning journey active and noticeable. Among many private universities, GUB has proudly recognized for timely measures and initiatives for implementing E-learning in higher education. However, one of the major debates related to online learning is ethical issues in higher education. To initiate an in-depth discussion on this matter, CETL organized the webinar title " Ethical Issues and Principles in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education" on 11 January 2021. The honorable and respected vice-chancellor Prof. Dr. Md. Golam Samdani Fakir sir was the valuable keynote speaker and the honorable and respected pro- vice-chancellor Prof. Dr. Md. Abdur Razzaque sir was present as the special guest speaker. The session was moderated by the honorable and respected Chairperson, of the Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, and the Director of CETL, Dr. ASM Shihavuddin. The session was an interactive discussion with mor

3. CETL Workshop for newly recruited faculty members on 02- 04 February, 2021



Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning of the Green University of Bangladesh has successfully conducted 3 days long workshop on “Certificate in Teaching and Learning at GUB: Steps toward Quality & Excellence -phase 1” arranged for the newly appointed faculty members of different departments of The Green University of Bangladesh from 2-4 February 2021. This was the 19th batch of the program. The inauguration ceremony of phase 1 took place on 2nd February 2021. The honorable Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Golam Samdani Fakir, Prof. Dr. Abdur Razzaque, Pro-VC and Dean of Science and Engineering Faculty, Dr. ASM Shihavuddin, Director, CETL, Mr. Md. Saiful Islam, registrar of GUB, Professor Dr. Md Fayzur Rahman, Treasurer, GUB, Prof. Dr. Golam Ahmed Faruqui, Dean, FBS & Director of MBA program were present in the opening session of the workshop.

Putting Education Back on Track: eLearning and Teaching, Outcome-Based Education: An Overview, Introduction with Various class conduction tools and LMS, Google Classroom as LMS, Managing the first Class/Session: Does and Don't of Online Teaching Learning, Club Activities at GUB: Implications for GUB Teachers, Centres Activities at GUB and Bloom's Taxonomy: An Overview and its Application in Teaching and Learning were discussed by the lead facilitators of the University including the honorable Vice-Chancellor, the honorable Pro-Vice-Chancellor, The director of CETL and the Registrar of the university.

4.CETL Workshop on Togetherness for High Performance at GUB: Roles of Values and Culture on 23 February, 2021



The Green University of Bangladesh has organized a two-day workshop titled 'Togetherness for High Performance at GUB: Roles of Values and Culture' to strengthen the bond between all concerned with the aim of establishing a high-quality and first-class university. The workshop began last Tuesday (February 23) online with a preworkshop session. The face-to-face workshop was organized on 27th and 28th February 2021 at the permanent campus of Green University of Bangladesh of Purbachal American City in collaboration with the University's Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning. More than two hundred and fifty teachers and officials of the university took part in it.



Md. Golam Samdani Fakir, Vice-Chancellor of GUB conducted the session as the main facilitator. Pro-Vice-Chancellor Md. Abdur Razzak, Treasurer. Md. Faizur Rahman, Dean of the Faculty of Business. Md. Golam Ahmed Farooqi, Distinguished Professor. Nitai Chandra Sutradhar, Registrar Saiful Islam, CETL Director and Chairperson of the EEE Department. ASM Shihabuddin, IQAC Director Jagannath Biswas, and Divisional Chairperson, teachers, and officials were present.

University premises were ready with two signature banners, a t-shirt distribution booth, activity tools, posters, direction banners, banners of various quotes along with all the safety measures for the COVID situation. All the guests were enlisted within ten groups. Each group had a leader. They went upstairs to see the "Mobile Plenary " boards. After that, the next activity was the 5C puzzle and Tower building. The reflection of this segment is how to work together, follow the instructions of the leader even if the leader changes in between, how to cope up and build trust in each other. After having a delicious lunch VC, Pro-VC

guided the participants to the playground and made them play a music passing game. Next segment GUB Lotus which was also displayed on the playground. In the afternoon, 'Kahoot team play' was arranged where all the groups participated using their mobile device and answered the questions related to the Green University of Bangladesh reflecting how much they know about their institution. A short cultural program was held to reflect our culture and cheer up team bonding. Lastly, the workshop got warped up by lighting up fanush from the playground as a symbol of celebration of joy.



The speakers said that the purpose of this workshop is to showcase the values of Green University through the work, efficiency, and behaviors of the teachers, officials, and even the staff from the top officials of the university. At this time, the speakers expressed their determination to make Green University one of the top 5 universities in the rankings by 2030.

The Vice-Chancellor said that education is one of the most challenging sectors in the world during the Corona era. However, since the beginning of the lockdown, Green University has stood by the students by ensuring all online education services. Even then, the university has to move forward by holding and practicing the positive values of all concerned. He called upon all to work for institutional development through organizational communication, high-quality team, enhancement of interpersonal communication, and building transformational leadership.

5. CETL Workshop for Students Series 2: Ways to Better Online Learning in GUB on 12 April, 2021

Online learning or education is a form of learning or education where students use the internet with their devices to educate themselves. Due to the COVID-19 online education has reached the peak of demand for it as COVID-19 has resulted in schools shut all across the world and education has changed dramatically. This led to the distinctive rise of e-learning, whereby teaching is undertaken remotely and on digital platforms. Keeping the situation in mind, all the educational institutes in Bangladesh are trying to cope with and doing all the educational activities through online platforms.

As a part of this journey Green University Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning (CETL) organized a training session titled "Ways to Better Online Learning in GUB" for the Students of the Green University of Bangladesh. The program was held on 12 April 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm using the zoom platform. The session was facilitated by Dr. ASM Shihavuddin and Hasan Al Zubayer Rony. To attend the session participants had to register themselves through Google Form provided by CETL. More than 300 people responded to it. But only the first 100 registered students got the chance to attend the session. The goal of the session was to educate students on some major areas to survive the online learning in GUB, How to complete online assignments, How to submit within a time frame, How to do better in the assignment of Google form, How to use Google docs in assignments and How to be a better performer in online education.

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"WAYS TO BETTER ONLINE LEARNING AND RESULTS IN GUB"

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 11TH APRIL, 2021

APRIL 12, 2021 (TIME: 7:30-9:30 P.M.) VIA ZOOM CLOUD MEETING

SESSION WILL BE:

- How to complete online assignments.
- How to submit within time frame.
- How to do better in the assignment of google form.
- How to use google doc in assignment.
- How to be a better performer in online education.

WAYS TO BETTER ONLINE LEARNING & RESULTS IN GUB

5 STEPS

- 01 How to complete online assignment
- 02 How to submit it properly within time frame
- 03 How to do better in the assessment of google form
- 04 How to use google doc in assignment
- 05 How to be a better performer in online Education

Chief Guest

Dr. ASM Shihavuddin
Chairman
Department of Educational Technology
Engineering
Green University of Bangladesh

Facilitator

Hasan Al Zubayer Rony
Assistant Professor, Green Business School
100 Park Road 8, Barisal City and Center of
Innovation for Learning & Assessment, Barisal
University of Bangladesh (UBU)

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At the beginning of the session, Dr. ASM Shihavuddin, director of CETL highlighted the insightful thoughts on online education and the purpose of the session. Afterward, Mr. Hasan Al Zubayer Rony, Assistant Professor, and Unit Facilitator, CETL conducted the session by interacting with the participants and showing the absolute ways to better online learning in GUB where the five steps mentioned above were focused. It was an interactive and hands-on practical session for the participants. Before jumping on the focal points Mr. Hasan Al Zubayer Rony tried to lift up the mood of the participants by asking them how they were feeling at that moment and measured that with a Mentimeter. Afterward, the main session started and the resource person tried to understand how confident participants are with submitting assignments, using Google Form and Docs. In the meantime, participants were asked to join an associate Google Classroom for further activities. A pre-test and post-test took place by using Google Form which indicated the before and after situations, learnings, and understanding of participants as an assignment, instantly. In this part, the respected resource person showed how to join Google Classroom, how to attend the assessment in Google Classroom, shared some tricks such as letting the faculty know about any kind of problem immediately through private comment and how to turn it in. He also explained why turn in is important and its consequences. In between discussion of this step Mr. Hasan Al Zubayer Rony sir gave the floor to the participants to clear up any kind of confusion. In the next part, the resource person tried to show how to submit the assigned assignment. Here participants were assigned to an assignment and the topic was "My Challenges in Online Classroom of GUB ". They had to complete this assignment as practice.

Mr. Rony mentioned the importance of Google docs along with how to work in it, described its benefits, and how it makes the task easy for the users. Also pointed out the option that faculties use for checking plagiarism to warn participants not to do copy and paste in their assignments as in the classroom it can be detected easily. Another point he tried to clear out some to do and not to do and showed how anyone can submit their assignment easily with a mobile phone if it is handwritten through a video. In the last part, participants expressed their gratitude to the resource persons and organizing team for conducting such an insightful and helpful session for them. Participants learned all the things and tricks. They also added that it was an amazing session and this will help them to be a better performer in GUB. They also requested to do more informative and advanced level sessions

like this in the future so that they can improve themselves with the guidance of experts like our resource persons. Dr. ASM Shihavuddin shared some of his thoughts in reply to some participants' questions and discussion where he said that both teachers and students can face challenges in this online system and the ways of possible solutions to do better in online learning.

6. Internship at CETL 2nd Intake on 15 April, 2021

Throughout the year, CETL provides internship opportunities for exceptional students to experience being part of our team and to help us in our efforts to assist our center. A highly motivated, detail-oriented, and an optimistic candidate is required to assist in promoting, implementing, and executing upcoming special events, research, training, and initiatives. Interns will gain hands-on training in specific areas and skills. Interns must be able to commit at least 4 hours per week. Dates/times are flexible as well as internship start and end dates. The internship program is a unique feature of CETL coordinated by Ms. Arifa Rahman, Assistant Professor, and Lead Facilitator, CETL, and supervised by Dr. ASM Shihavuddin, the director of CETL.



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ARE YOU OPEN TO LEARN NEW
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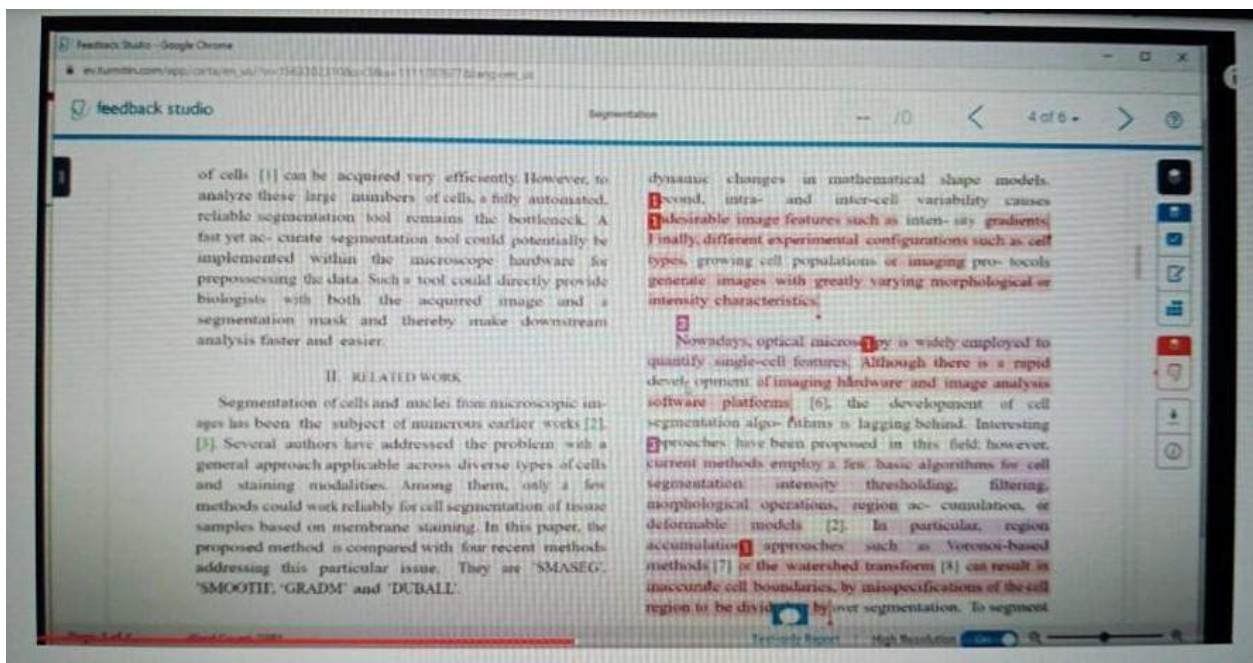
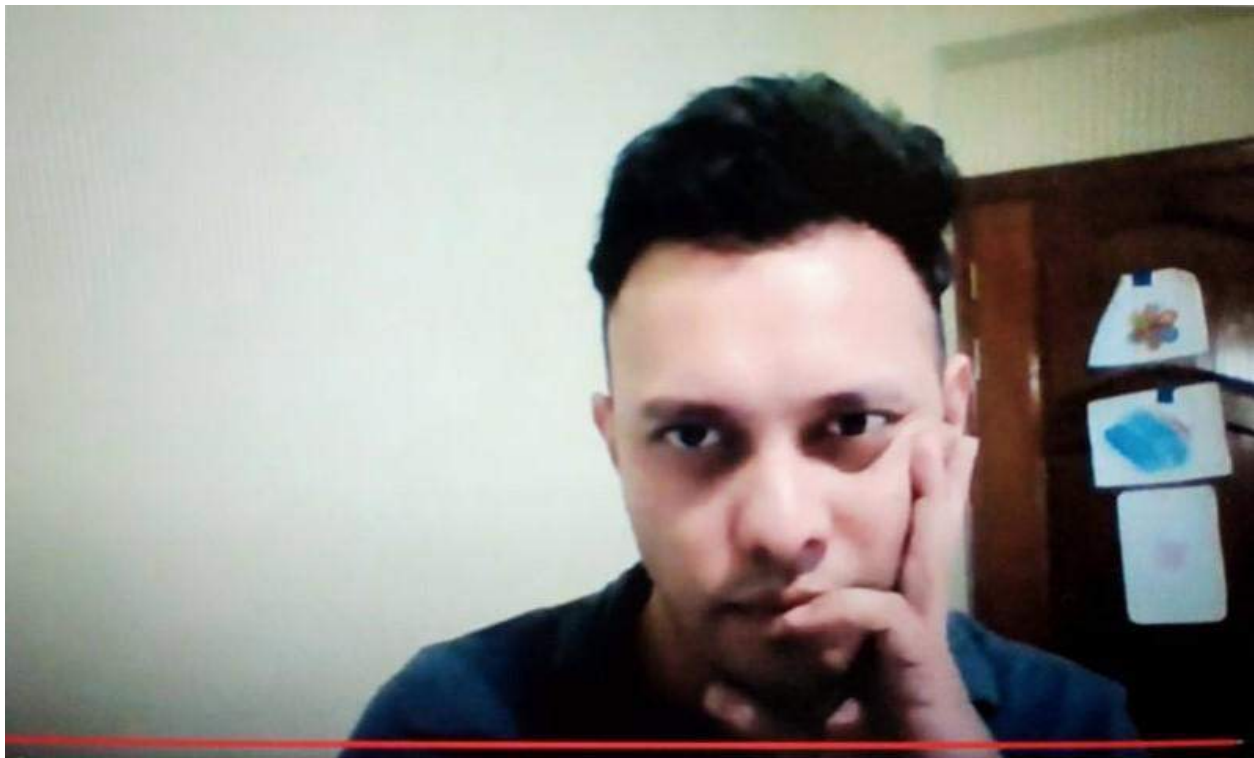
In the second round, three interns for event management, website design, and e-learning unit and one research assistant were appointed from the month of June 2021. In total, CETL has 12 interns for diverse works and units.

7. CETL Workshop for Students Series 1: Avoiding Plagiarism using “Turnitin” on 19 April, 2021

Plagiarism is the representation of another author's language, thoughts, ideas, or expressions as one's original work. But Sometimes students can avoid plagiarism by using some techniques. Green University Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning (CETL) takes an initiative to train students on avoiding plagiarism titled “How to avoid Plagiarism using Turnitin”. The Program was held on Monday, 18 April 2021, 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm using the zoom platform. The facilitator of the program is Dr. A.S.M Shihavuddin, director of CETL. To attend the session participants had to register themselves through Google Form provided by CETL of the Green University of Bangladesh. More than 300 people responded to it. But only the first 100 registered students got the chance to attend the session. The goal of the session was to educate students on how to avoid Plagiarism using Turnitin. Key events of the Program are; 1. What is Plagiarism 2. How should we avoid Plagiarism 3. Using the tool Turnitin.



At the beginning of the session, Dr. ASM Shihavuddin shared insightful thoughts on Plagiarism and asked participants for their opinion about plagiarism. It was an interactive and hands-on practice session for the participants. The session was focused on the mentioned key events while intersecting with more than 100 participants. Then Dr. ASM. Shihavuddin showcased the process of using Turnitin and demonstrated to them how to create an account in Turnitin and modified some settings of it. Then showed adding a file to it. Then the resource person showed the ways to modify the sentences and made them plagiarism-free.



Finally, Dr. ASM. Shihavuddin shared some general thoughts and in reply to some participants' questions and discussed them very competently. Then Dr. ASM Shihavuddin sir, Hasan Al Zubair Rony sir, and other trainers gave thanks to the interns of (CETL) to highlight the need for this initiative. Lastly, the session was ended by thanking the participants.

Green Initiative for Future Transformation (GIFT) program, Batch 2 (Green Young Researchers) launched a project where building a community to give guidelines and other necessary direction for young researchers toward research work was major focus. As a part of GIFT project, students initially organized a Panel Discussion on Roadmap for Young Researchers on 18th April, from 3.30 PM to 5.30 PM where almost 100 students and several teachers were present. In that session, Prof. Dr. Helal Uddin Ahmed, Chairperson of Green Business School discussed about very basic concept about research. In the second session, Dr. Md. Shariful Alam Sir, Associate Professor of Textile Department, GUB mainly focused on why the research is important for us and career opportunity as a researcher in Bangladesh, even in abroad. Participants seemed interested in research after his talk about different global career opportunity. In the last session, Dr. ASM Shihavuddin, Chairman of EEE, Green University of Bangladesh focused on how to start the research from very begin to publishing paper. Ms. Arifa Rahman, Assistant Professor of CETL and GIFT program coordinator appreciated the students for the work they demonstrated in this project. Lastly, with a very warm and hearty speech was given by Dr. Golam Ahmed Faruqi, Dean of Faculty of Business Studies and Director of MBA program.



This was a successful webinar and was one of the finest one as the active participations of students was make the session lively.

9. CETL Workshop for Student Series 3: Get Started with Academic Writing on 26 April, 2021

Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning GUB has organized a successful workshop, titled "Get Started with Academic Writing" at 3.00 PM, 26 April 2021 on the Online Platform, Zoom. The session was enriched by Ms. Arifa Rahman and Mr. Ashik Istiak as the workshop facilitator. At the beginning of the session, our Honorable chief guest Dr. ASM

Shihavuddin, Honorable Chairperson, EEE Department, Director of CETL, Green University of Bangladesh welcomed the workshop facilitator with his warm words. He also said that today's facilitators are some of the best people to discuss the importance of academic writing and how it will help the students in the long run. He concluded his speech by wishing the program success.

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Workshop on

Get Started with Academic Writing

Special Guest
Dr ASM Shihavuddin
Chairperson of the Department of EEE & Director, CETL

Workshop Facilitator
Mr. Ashik Istiak
Senior Lecturer
Department of English

Workshop Facilitator
Ms. Arifa Rahman
Assistant Professor, GBS & Lead Facilitator, CETL

Short Bio
Dr ASM Shihavuddin is renowned for his contributions in the fields of Computer Vision and Deep Learning. He worked as an Associate professor at DTU computer, Technical University of Denmark (DTU), Denmark. He previously worked in the same department as a postdoctoral researcher.

Short Bio
Mr. Ashik Istiak, one of the Senior Lecturers in the Department of English, GUB, is currently pursuing his M.A. in North American Studies from the University of Cologne, Germany. Mr. Istiak gives expert sessions on IELTS- listening, speaking, reading, and writing.

Short Bio
Arifa Rahman has been working as a training and research professional since 2010. She pursued a Master of Cognitive psychology at Flinders University with Endeavour Scholarship in 2018. She worked as a students' mentor and academic adviser at Flinders Students Learning center throughout 2016.

Platform: zoom | Session ID: 64751910485

Time: 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM

Date: 26th April Monday, 2021

Organized by:
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The First Keynote speaker was Ms. Arifa Rahman, Assistance Professor of GBS and lead facilitator of CETL thanked the chief guest and then started the workshop by showing the outline of the topics. Afterward, she addressed that the goal of academic writing is to understand the question, focusing on words and rubrics, researching relevant information, writing an essay outline, writing an introduction, body, and conclusion, connecting paragraphs in a logical order, and editing/proofreading. She motivated students to practice in group study or take notes from the teacher's lecture and not to copy-paste from Google as it is plagiarism. She also emphasized the stages of the writing process- planning, brainstorming, and proofreading and asked the students to "plan before you write." Ms. Arifa Rahman then uses examples to showcase how students can use quotations, paraphrase, and summarize them. Then she handover the next part "Learning Techniques" to the second keynote speaker.

Seconds Keynote Speaker was Mr. Ashik Istiak, Senior Lecturer, Department of English, GUB. He describes the very basics of topic sentences, developers, modulators, and terminators. He agreed with previous keynote speaker Ms. Arifa Rahman that one needs to brainstorm a minimum of 5 minutes to write a topic sentence. Then he gave examples that one needs to use various techniques like example technique, list technique, cause and effect technique, comparison and contrast technique, process technique, classification to agree and disagree on the supporting sentence.

After that, both of the keynote speakers share some tasks on the worksheet and asked the students to do them. More than fifty students participated in the task and interact with the speakers who explain all the inquiries. Throughout the whole session, students asked various academic writing-oriented questions to the keynote speakers. At the end of the session, the Honorable keynote speakers thanked the CETL for organizing the workshop. They also thanked GUB, students, volunteers, mentors, respected faculty members, and the

audience to give their valuable time to make this session meaningful. Lastly, the session concluded after the permission of the keynote speakers. Around one hundred participants were present in the workshop.

10. CETL Workshop for Student Series 4: Stress Management During the Covid-19 Era on 8 May, 2021



The fourth and the last workshop for the students from CETL was conducted on 8 May 2021 from 4:00 to 5:30 pm on “Stress Management During the Covid-19 Era”. The workshop was facilitated by Ms. Afroja Ahmed, Counsellor, Counselling Unit at Green University of Bangladesh. The facilitator is an Erasmus Scholar (Global Minds) who is studying in abroad nowadays. The speaker highlighted several factors that are the reasons of our stress in the current time including the possible measures to ensure and care our mental health and well-being. Nearly, fifty students were attended the workshop including some teachers. In the end of the workshop, a question-and-answer session was carried out to clarify the queries of the audience. The workshop was spontaneous and informative for the participants.

11. IsDB Grant Application by CETL on 31 May, 2021

The global pandemic of COVID-19 has been going on for over a year, causing loss and having a detrimental socioeconomic impact on several countries. New recovery routes for a more resilient and prosperous future, generating more jobs and better health outcomes can be initiated after the lessons learned from the pandemic.

The IsDB has a long history of leveraging the capabilities of science, technology, and innovation (STI) to address global development issues. The Transform Fund, which was established in 2018, invests in the testing and scaling of early-stage innovative ideas by granting seed money to innovators, entrepreneurs, startups, SMEs, and institutions. The fund provides much-needed seed money or expansion capital to help entrepreneurs create

and commercialize technologies that will have a positive economic and social effect on the IsDB member countries.



The Transform Fund Call for Innovation 2021 will be solely dedicated to assisting the Member Countries in recovering from the COVID-19 epidemic in order to build a stronger, more resilient, and prosperous future. The Call for Innovation will find, encourage, and reward innovative, high-impact proposals that boost the economy covering the following SDG goals: Zero hunger, Good health, and Well-being, Quality Education, Clean Water, and Sanitation, Affordable and Clean Energy and Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure.

CETL has applied for this grant under category four: Capacity Building in Science, technology, and Innovation by 31 May 2021.

12. GIFT Program updates in Spring Semester 2021

In Spring semester, GIFT program for batch 7 and batch 8 was started with Leadership and Project Planning Modules. Previously, the program of summer semester was started on 31st January of 2021 after the break regarding the final exam of fall semester 2020. The starting class of summer semester was conducted by Md. Rushad Bin Sayeed, IT Officer, Green University of Bangladesh. The leadership module and Project module were the prime theme throughout the semester. The participants were introduced to the project management system and the “Dream Project Proposal” was called. Five teams of Dream Project were initiated by and their proposal presentations were done. The citizenship module was started and conducted by Mr. Biplob Kanti Das, Deputy Director, CCD, Green University of Bangladesh.

The students will complete the "Creativity and Critical Thinking" and "Dream Project" modules by summer 2021 semester. Students of the program have highly appreciated the impacts of GIFT program in their life.

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 Why?
 Lets hear it from the previous Batch.

Md. Hafiz Sikder
 A great way to improve soft skills and prepare myself for the corporate world. GIFT has changed the way I thought before.

Habiba Manjur
 I like it firsty because it provides knowledge of every sectors, not limited to one particular aspect, secondly, there

Sajib Biswas
 I'm a student in GIFT program from 8th batch. GIFT really helps me to develop the soft skills, boost my skill, mental growth and also learned how to work in a team effectively besides GIFT teaches me how to act as a great leader.

Md. Rashidul Islam
 GIFT (Green University of Future Transformers) program is very helpful for knowing something new. I'm learning so many things by this project. Special like help me for ICT module, English module. Overall it's helpful to much for me. Thank (GUCETL) for arranging this type of project.

Sumaiya Hossain Binti
 GIFT is something like a special gift in our life that teaches us leadership, communication, soft skills, responsibility, teamwork and what not, it's a life offering program that made me who I am today. GIFT is gift, nothing compares to it.

Farjana Akter Rima
 I learnt presenting, writing and learning skill. I improved my mental health by attend various session.

Md. Ashaduzzaman Arif
 Thanks for giving me this opportunity. Actually from GIFT personally I learn many thing how make pres, presentation, computer, basic google doc, google blog, leadership and many other which are support me for future.

Kazi Hasnayeem Emod
 I have started to notice and ask myself "What are the important things that I've learned from GIFT?"
 Well, the answer was easy. There are many but if I have to mention top three of them that they are Communication skills, Social Responsibility, and Teamwork.
 Soft skills are character traits and interpersonal skills that enable a person to obtain success in his or her relationships with other people. GIFT project helps students to develop multiple soft skills and attitudes.
 GIFT has been one of the most enjoyable experiences I've ever had. I am privileged to be a part of the 8th batch.

Nuzhat Nowshin Shorna
 GIFT program has given me the chance to gain technical knowledge crucial for our future professional and academic life. At the same time, it has allowed me to learn directly from different faculty members of Green University. As part of our program we are working on a group project, which has taught me how to work and communicate professionally.

The GIFT program for batch 7 and 8 have been coordinated by Ms. Arifa Rahman, Assistant Professor and Lead Facilitator CETL teaching unit. The program of this combined batch will be completed by summer semester 2021.

13. CETL the Brightest Mind Scholarship Program, Spring 2021

CETL THE BRIGHTEST MIND SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM RECIPIENTS' STORIES



I am Halima Begum Mim, doing my BBA currently at GUB. I have joined CETL, GUB two semesters ago to learn new things and to contribute something to the community. After working one semester with CETL Green University of Bangladesh, one fine morning, I received an email stating that I was selected for the CETL Brightest Mind Scholarship. I bear the expenses of my study on my own, the money I got as a reward of the scholarship lightened my financial burden for that semester. The scholarship enriched my resume and motivated me to be more dedicated to my work as well. I am grateful to work with CETL.

Halima Mim

"The COVID-19 Pandemic has shown us the other side of life"- It has changed our views and concepts about the method of leading our life. Like many others, I lost my job also. As I was sweltering to manage my living expenses, I did not know what to do. I am extremely grateful to the masterminds of the Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning (CETL) for introducing the CETL Brightest Minds Scholarship and choosing me as a recipient of the scholarship. The nearly dead dream tree is now alive. I am hoping to finish my target line as I was dreaming because of this scholarship opportunity.

Md. Hafiz Sikder



I have completed 3 semesters at Green university of Bangladesh. After registration of my 4th semester, I dropped it due to some issues. Receiving the CETL Brightest Mind Scholarship while doing a voluntary internship in the Spring semester at the Language Center of Green university has reinforced me again to continue my study again.

Abu Bokor Siddik

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The Green University Centre of Excellence for Teaching and Learning is a versatile center providing leadership, evangelization, best practices, research, support, and/or training for a focus area in the teaching and learning contexts including revitalizing stalled initiatives. Along with all other programs, CETL for the first time has introduced a unique scholarship program since Spring Semester in 2021 for the hard-working, self-motivated, self-directed, and visionary students who are involved with the voluntary services of university from the year 2021. In Spring 2021, three interns from different centers of GUB got this scholarship and in Summer 2021, one intern has got this scholarship.

Students must have recommendation letters from the respective centers or departments stating his/her performance assessment, progress of assigned work, commitments towards serving GUB. The letter has to be sent directly to the CETL under the mentioned subject: Recommending _Name of the applicant for Brightest Mind Scholarship_2021.The

scholarship amount is directly adjusted with his semester payment. The scholarship is paid semester-wise. Depending on the performances and dedication towards the university renewal can be possible for a maximum of three semesters.

To be a contributor to this initiative, please visit <http://cetl.green.edu.bd/cetl-initiatives/>

14. Webinar on "Decent Job and Our Perspectives" on July 15, 2021

A webinar entitled "Decent Job and Our Perspectives" has been organized by Green University Initiatives for Future Transformers (GIFT) 7th Batch at 5:30 pm on July 15, 2021 through the zoom platform. The purpose was raising awareness towards Sustainable Development Goal no 8 set by the United Nations through this webinar.

The poster is for a webinar titled "Decent Job & Our Perspective: How far are we, achieving SDG 8?". It features the logos of Green University and CETL. The event is presented by the GIFT 7th Batch and is scheduled for July 15, 2021, from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm. The Zoom link is <https://bdren.zoom.us/j/61063383616>. A QR code is provided for scanning to access the Zoom link. The keynote speaker is Biplob Kanti Das, Deputy Director of the Center for Career Development (CCD) at Green University of Bangladesh. The session chair is Dr. ASM Shihavuddin, Director of CETL, GUB. The chief guest is Dr. Golam Samdani Fakir, Vice-Chancellor of GUB.

The keynote speaker was Mr. Biplob Kanti Das having an HR Professional who is currently working for the development of human resources through Teaching and Training for the last 9 years. He is currently working as Deputy Director, Center for Career Development (CCD), Green University of Bangladesh. The seminar was entitled with the presence of some prominent guests. Honorable Vice-Chancellor, Prof Dr. Golam Samdani Fakir was the chief guest, Prof Dr ASM Shihavuddin, Director, Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning and Arifa Rahman, Assistant Professor as Mentor from GIFT Program coordinator, A I Nahid Bin Rafiq was the special guest, GIFT Alumni. The active participants had the opportunity to ask questions and to take part in an open discussion. Here participants learned about why SDG Goal 08 and its' important, how it helps in economic growth and covid- 19 impact and initiatives.

15. Workshop for Students: Online Assessment-Dos and Don'ts on 26th July 2021

The Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning organized the first event of the certificate workshop series for Green University students to develop their academic competency, on July 26, 2021. The "Online Assessment: Dos and Don'ts" titled workshop for

students was facilitated by Ms. Fairouz Saiyara, who is pursuing her bachelor's degree at the Department of English, GUB. She is one of the high scorers in GUB online assessments, apart from offering voluntary services to our University.



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At the beginning of the workshop, participants shared their experiences that play a vital role in impacting the academic result. The facilitator shared her experiences to deal with those issues in unique ways.

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Do you face these challenges regarding online assessment?



A number of 300 students signed up for the workshop and 177 students actively participated in the event. The brief session pertained in zoom from 7:30pm to 8:30pm. The objectives of the session were to 1. Develop academic competency of GUBians, 2.

Symposium between seniors and freshers, 3. Identifying fears, obstacles, and misconceptions regarding online assessment, 4. Unite students to take on e-learning challenges, 5. Making education more fun.

In the workshop post-test, the participants could recall the workshop findings and remarkably implement them. A contrastive observation of the workshop pre-test and post-test revealed that the participants acquired something new from the event which will ease their future academic endeavors. The enthusiasm and contribution of the students made the workshop a success.

16. Workshop for Students: Introducing CETL and Internship Benefits on 15 August 2021

Workshop For Students on
Introducing CETL & Internship Benefits

A proactive, professional, and visionary academic center that inspires, supports, and recognizes best teaching and learning practices, effective assessment and student engagement.

Date & Time
Saturday 14 August 2021
7:15 PM – 8:15 PM

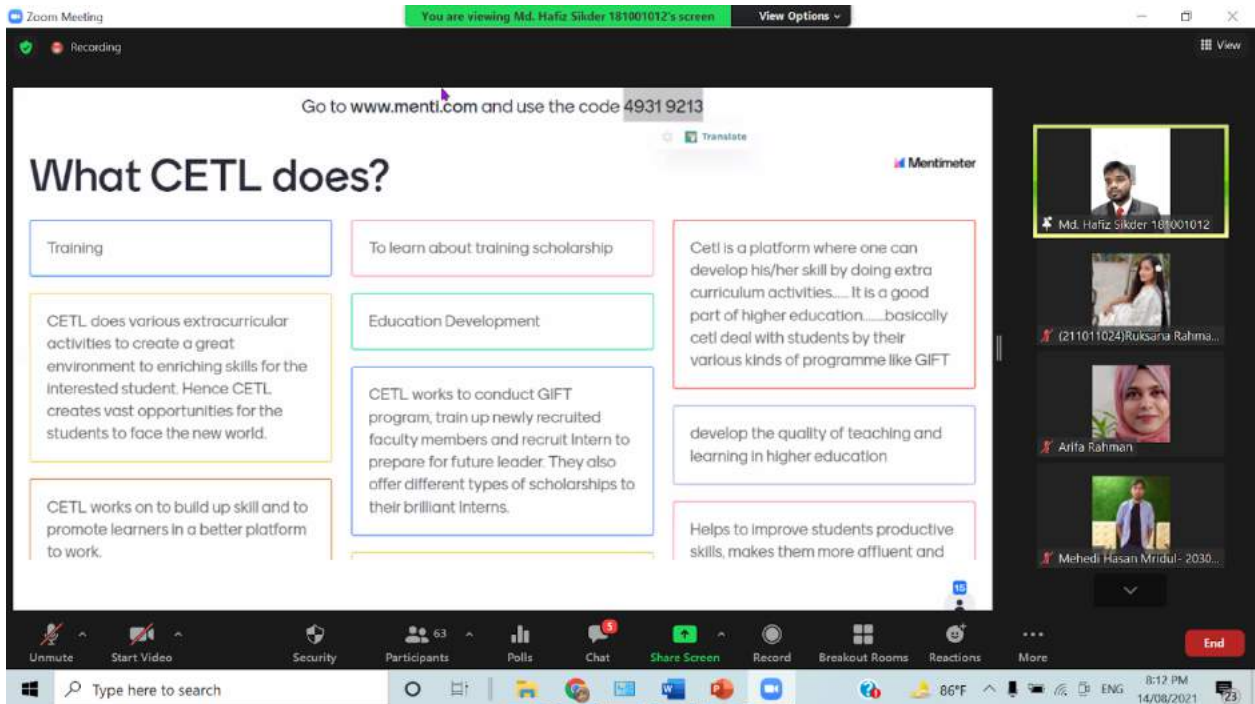
Zoom Link
<https://bdren.zoom.us/j/61402434732>

Workshop Facilitator
Md. Hafiz Sikder
Research Assistant
Event Management Intern, CETL
Dance Related Secretary, Cultural club
Green University of Bangladesh

Organized by
Centre of Excellence for Teaching and Learning

SCAN FOR REGISTRATION

As a part of the series workshop, CETL, GUB has arranged its 2nd workshop of the session titled “Introducing CETL and Internship Benefits” on Saturday, 14th August 2021 from 7:15 to 8:15. Director of CETL, lead facilitators of CETL, Interns, and nearly 70 participants were present at the workshop. Information about CETL and its work area as well as the internship opportunities at CETL was discussed. The workshop was facilitated by Md. Hafiz Sikder, research assistant and event management intern of CETL. Md. Hafiz Sikder is an engineering student currently pursuing his BSc in EEE from the department of EEE, Green University of Bangladesh. He has been working in CETL since 2020 as a research assistant and event management intern. He has been awarded the Brightest Minds Scholarship 2 times for his contribution to the CETL. He was the honorary resource person for the BYFC training program in 2019. He has served as the Cultural Secretary for EEE Club and Dance Related Secretary for Cultural club parallelly for consecutive 2 years. He is one of the Ashar Alo Scholarship winners for his participation in the GIFT Project. He wants to be a robotics expert as well as an educationist in the near future.



He shared a few tips for future applicants who want to do an internship at CETL. Internship supervisor Ms. Arifa Rahman said, “We want to engage our students and provide them with the best opportunities possible for flourishing.” The director of CETL said, “We are a family here and we want to give all of you this opportunity to be a part.”

In their feedback, a participant said, “We are very much eager to be an intern of CETL”. One-third of participants in the workshop showed interest to join as an intern at CETL. After completing the workshop most of the participants were able to describe what CETL does and offer and Internship benefits which is a major achievement of the workshop. More than 80% of participants found the workshop fruitful. The session concluded with a warm welcome to the future interns.

Introducing CETL



17. Workshop for students: Power-up Your Presentation Skills on 21 August 2021

WORKSHOP FOR STUDENTS ON
**POWER UP
YOUR PRESENTATION
SKILLS**

SAVE THE DATE
Saturday; 21 August 2021
7:15 PM-8:15 PM

 **ZOOM ID**
65775019717

FACILITATOR

Imran Uddin Research Assistant
Intern, CETL
Mentor of GBS

Halima Mim Research Assistant
Intern, CETL
Mentor of GBS

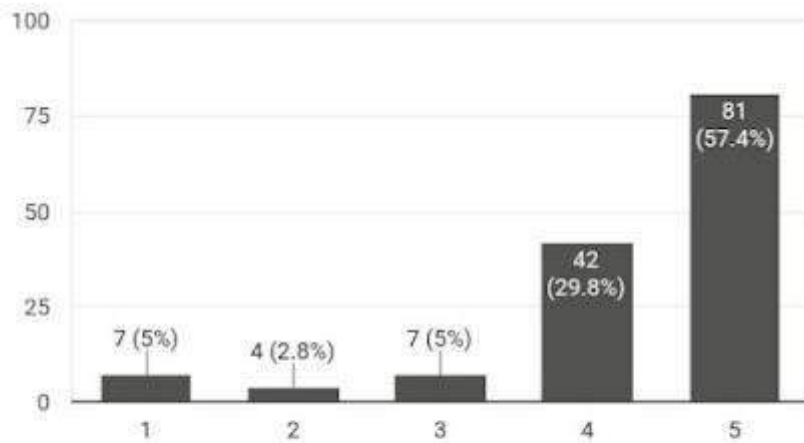
As a part of the series, CETL, GUB arranged its 3rd workshop for the students titled "Power-up Your Presentation Skills" today, 21st August 2021 from 7:15 to 8:15. The workshop was facilitated by two interns of CETL, Imran Uddin and Halima Mim. They are working as research assistant interns of CETL and Student Mentor of GBS. Imran Uddin and Halima Mim are students of Green Business School, currently pursuing their Bachelor's in finance and marketing consecutively from the department of GBS, Green University of Bangladesh. Halima Mim has been working in CETL since 2020 and Imran Uddin joined the team this semester. They shared a few tips and tricks to boost up the presentation skills of the students.

Ms. Arifa Rahman, Assistant Professor of CETL and GBS, and Hasan Al Zubayer Rony, Assistant Professor of CETL and GBS, were present. 200+ responses through the registration form which indicates how important the topic is to the students. More than 150 participants actively participated in the session and took part in the question and answer session.

The participants highly appreciated the workshop and at the end of the session, more than 80% of students found the workshop beneficial.

Rate the workshop on "Power-up Your Presentation Techniques".

141 responses



The facilitators also motivate the audience to participate in the upcoming workshop of CETL on 29 August 2021 on thesis writing.



WORKSHOP FOR STUDENTS ON

HOW TO WORK ON THESIS

TIME & DATE

**Sunday; 29 August 2021
7:15 PM-8:15 PM**



**ZOOM ID
67661221898**



FACILITATOR

Nazmul Islam Naeem

Research Assistant
Intern, CETL
Graduated
Dept. of Sociology & Anthropology
Green University

Suraiya Akhter

Jr. DCO, CSE
Research Assistant and
Website Management
Intern, CETL
Green University

As part of the CETL organized certificate workshop series for students, the fourth episode on "How to Work on a Thesis" took place on 29 August 2021, at 7:15 pm. Over a hundred aspiring students signed up and actively participated in the session. The workshop was jointly facilitated by Ms. Suraiya Akhter, CETL Website Development Intern, and Mr. Nazmul Islam Naeem, CETL Intern for Assisting in Research. Ms. Akhter has recently graduated from the Department of CSE, GUB, and joined there as a Junior Department Coordination Officer. On the other hand, Mr. Islam is a fresh graduate from the Department of Sociology and Anthropology, GUB. Both of them have a keen interest in scholarly endeavors which immensely inspired the workshop participants.

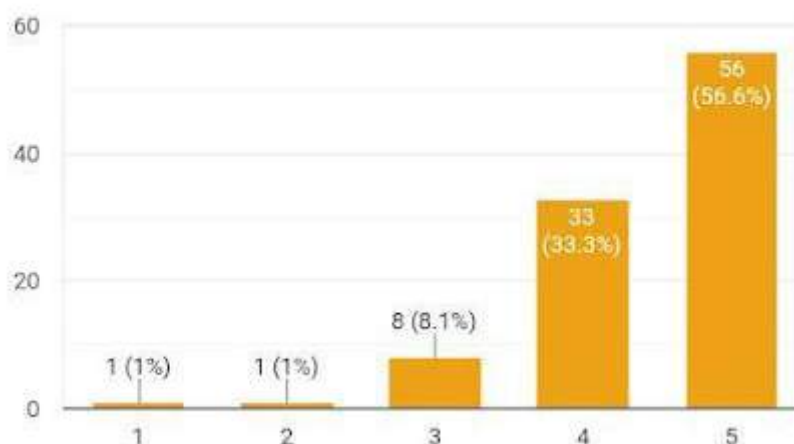
The session was hosted by Fairouz Saiyara, CETL Intern. At her request, Mr. Hasan Al Zubayer Rony, Assistant Professor, CETL, Green Business School, graced the first segment of the session and enlightened the students about the significance of working on a thesis paper.

The participants and facilitators intimately discussed the methods and challenges one faces during a research project and boosted their motivation and confidence to take on the challenges. At the end of the session, Ms. Arifa Rahman, Assistant Professor, CETL, Green Business School, delivered a remarkable speech on the importance of research and encouraged the students to continue participating in research activities.

Over 90% of participants rated the session highly on a linear scale from 1 to 5. More than 100 participants actively took part in the workshop. In a word, students being benefited and inspired during a difficult pandemic situation is what makes the initiative a success. The honorable Director of CETL, Dr. ASM Shihavuddin has sent his best wishes to every individual connected to the project.

Rate the session

99 responses



19. Workshop for Students: "Viva 360: Prepare and Perform" on 3 September 2021

Workshop for Students on
VIVA 360 :
PREPARE AND PERFORM
LET'S SHARPEN OUR VIVA SKILLS LIKE PROFESSIONALS
AND SECURE A BETTER SCORE

TIME & DATE
Friday, 03 September 2021
7:15 PM-8:15 PM

Zoom ID
64473767671

FACILITATOR

Fairooz Saiyara
Young Researcher
Content Developer
Intern, CETL
Dept. of English, GUB

Md. Hafiz Sikder
Research Assistant
Event Management
Intern, CETL
Dept. of EEE, GUB

CETL, GUB has arranged its 5th workshop of the session titled "Viva 360: Prepare and Perform" on Friday, 03 September 2021 from 7:15 to 8:15, as a part of the series workshop. Director of CETL, lead facilitators of CETL, Interns, and 100 participants were present at the workshop. Tips and tricks to face any viva voce were discussed in this workshop.

The workshop was facilitated by Ms. Fairooz Saiyara, who is pursuing her bachelor's degree at the Department of English, GUB. She is one of the high scorers in GUB online assessments, apart from offering voluntary services to our University. She is one of the high scorers in GUB online assessments, apart from offering voluntary services to our University, she's been working at CETL as a Content Development Intern and Social Media Manager. Her paper presentation at a recent seminar on John Keats at the Dept. of English has earned her huge appreciation from a scholarly audience. In her current research project, she is

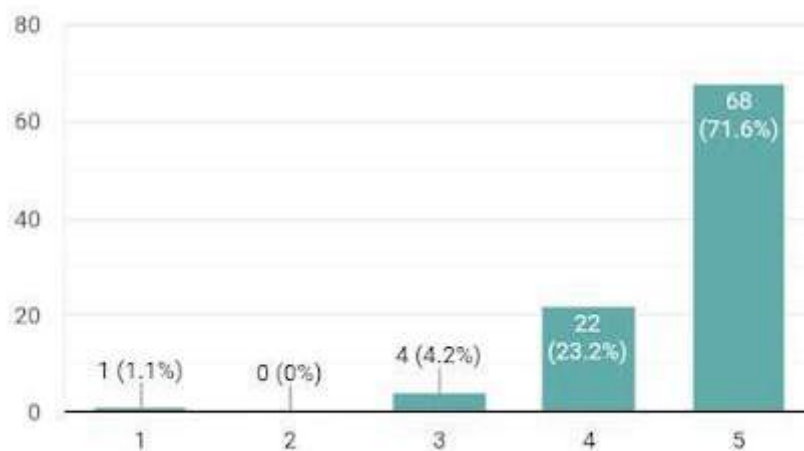
working with Mr. Ashik Istiak, Senior Lecturer, Dept. of English, GUB, to observe Sufi elements in selected Romantic literature. And another facilitator Md. Hafiz Sikder who is an engineering student currently pursuing his BSc in EEE from the department of EEE, Green University of Bangladesh. He has been working in CETL since 2020 as a research assistant and event management intern. He has been awarded the Brightest Minds Scholarship 2 times for his contribution to the CETL. He was the honorary resource person for the BYFC training program in 2019. He has served as the Cultural Secretary for EEE Club and Dance Related Secretary for Cultural club parallelly for consecutive 2 years. He is one of the Ashar Alo Scholarship winners for his participation in the GIFT Project. He wants to be a robotics expert as well as an educationist in the near future.

The facilitators Md. Hafiz Sikder, research assistant and event management intern of CETL, and Fairouz Saiyara, Content Development intern of CETL shared their experience along with some professional hacks on viva voce. Internship supervisor Ms. Arifa Rahman said, being positive towards peer learning and learning new things. The director of CETL highlighted in his concluding comments that learning the content and being prepared are the key factors for achieving success in viva.

In their feedback, participants shared their learnings from the workshop.

Evaluate the workshop on VIVA 360.

95 responses



20. A seminar on “COVID situation and mental health” on 25 September 2021

Covid Situation And Mental Health

Shahrina Ferdous accomplished her B.Sc. in Psychology and M.Sc. in Clinical Psychology from University of Dhaka. She has been working as a mental health professional for about nine years in different educational institutions. Her research interest is mainly in adult mental health, vulnerable community, teaching and learning etc.

Shahrina Ferdous

Saturday, Sept 25 - 2021
07:15 - 08:30 PM

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A seminar on “COVID situation and mental health” was held on 25 September 2021. The seminar was organized by team Alpha of GIFT 8th batch under CETL Green University. Ms. Shahrina Ferdous was the session speaker. She accomplished her B.Sc. in Psychology and M.Sc. in Clinical Psychology from the University of Dhaka. She is working as a mental health professional for about nine years in different educational institutions. The session was mainly focused on Q&A where participants asked different questions about their mental health situation, anger management, and so on. She also gave a short speech about mental health which is very helpful for our everyday life.

21. Workshop for Students: Introducing GIFT on 2 October 2021

Workshop for Students
INTRODUCING GIFT
GIFT: GREEN UNIVERSITY INITIATIVES FOR FUTURE TRANSFORMERS.
FOR PREPARING FUTURE LEADERS OF THE COUNTRY.

TIME & DATE
Saturday, 2 October 2021
7:15 PM - 8:15 PM

FACILITATOR

Md. Hafiz Sikder
Research Assistant
Event Management Intern, CETL
Green University of Bangladesh

Halima Mim
Research Assistant
Intern, CETL
Green University of Bangladesh

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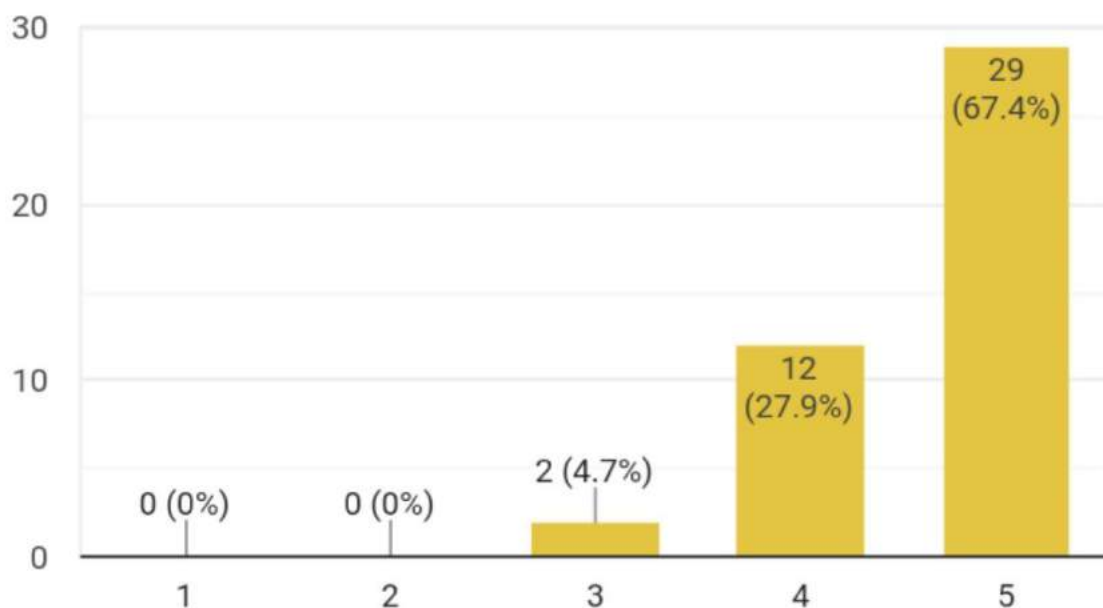
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As a part of the series, CETL has arranged its 6th and last certificate workshop titled “Introducing GIFT” on Saturday, 2nd October 2021 from 7:15pm to 8:15pm. Ms. Arifa Rahman, Assistant Professor- CETL, Interns, and nearly 50 students were actively present at the session. Information about the GIFT Project, its work area, as well as the scholarship opportunities for GIFT students were discussed.

The workshop was facilitated by Md. Hafiz Sikder, research assistant and event management intern of CETL. Md. Hafiz Sikder is an engineering student currently pursuing his BSc from the Department of EEE, Green University of Bangladesh. He has been working at CETL since 2020 as a research assistant and event management intern. He has been awarded the Brightest Minds Scholarship 2 times for his contribution to the GIFT Project.

Rate this workshop

43 responses



A lively conversation between the facilitator and the participants brought out the unspoken desires of Green University students to transform their society. Students were very enthusiastic to join the GIFT project and become a transformer of themselves and rest. At the end of the session, the participants clarified their queries regarding GIFT from the facilitator. A high rating from the participants and their best wishes for CETL makes the whole workshop series a success.

22. CETL Freshers' Workshop: Get Going at Green on 20 October 2021



The poster for the 'Workshop for Freshers Get Going at Green Fall 2021' features a pink background with autumn-themed illustrations of leaves and birds. At the top center, the logos of CETL and GUB are displayed. The main title 'Workshop for Freshers Get Going at Green Fall 2021' is prominently displayed in a white cloud-like shape. Below the title, the event details are provided: 'Time & Date' (20th October, 2021, 3:15pm to 5pm, Zoom ID: 651 112 1930, Passcode: 123) and a QR code. The 'Host' section identifies Fairooz Saiyara as the Content Development Intern at CETL, an Undergraduate in the Dept. of English at GUB. The 'Speakers' section lists three individuals: Md. Hafiz Sikder (Event Management Intern, CETL, Undergrad, Dept. of EEE, Green University), Sanzida Akter (YouTube Content Development Intern, CETL, Undergrad, GBS), and Muntasir Hussain (Website Development Intern, CETL, Undergrad, GBS).

CETL, GUB has arranged a workshop for the newly admitted students of all departments of GUB titled "Get Going at Green" on Friday, 20 October 2021 from 3:15p to 5:00pm, as a virtual welcoming tour and introduction to university affairs from students' perspective. Dr. ASM Shihavuddin, Director of CETL, lead facilitators of CETL, Interns, and over 150 participants were present at the workshop. Newbies were introduced to virtual classrooms, platforms, useful softwares, and coached about various responsibilities such as how they can pay their tuition fees or how-to pre-register and register for a future course etc. in this workshop. The workshop was divided into three segments, each carrying an agenda of its own. At the end of the session, the participants reflected upon the effectiveness of the workshop via a post-test survey.

The workshop on "Get Going at Green" was:

61 responses



23. CETL Final Project Presentation of GIFT 7 & 8 Batch on 22 October 2021



CETL Presents

**Final Project Presentation of
Green University Initiative for Future Transformers
(GIFT)**

7th and 8th
Batch

22 Oct, 2021
3:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Zoom ID: 61905239331

Respected Panelists

Pro Dr Md Golam Samdani Fakir
Vice-Chancellor, GUB

Pro Dr ASM Shihavuddin
Director, CETL, GUB

Prof. Dr Ratil H. Ashique,
Director, CRIT, GUB

MS. Serajum Munira
Director, GULC, GUB

Biplob Kanti Das,
Deputy Director, CCD, GUB

Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning of the Green University of Bangladesh had organized the "GIFT Project Final Presentation" event for the 7th and 8th Batch at 3.00 PM, October 22, 2021, on the Online Platform, Zoom. The program was open for all, and hundreds of people attended and viewed the program on Facebook Live and the Zoom platform. Honorable Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Golam Samdani Fakir; Chairperson of EEE & Director of CETL Dr. ASM Shihavuddin; Prof. Dr. Ratil H. Ashique, Director CRIT, and Associate Professor, EEE; Sirajum Munira, Director, Language Center; Biplob Kanti Das, Deputy Director, CCD were among the panelist. As part of the GIFT project, the participants had to present their project to the honorable panelist. For the past year, the participants working on five different groups presented their dream projects that they have been working on for the last year to transform their own community's problems. The event started with the groups presenting their project to the panel guests. In their presentation, the groups demonstrated their experience and the overall evaluation of the project in front of all.

A lively conversation between the facilitator and the participants brought out the unspoken desires of Green University students to transform their society. Students were very enthusiastic to join the GIFT project and become a transformer of themselves and rest. At the end of the session, the participants clarified their queries regarding their presentation from the panelists. A high rating from the participants and their best wishes for CETL makes the whole workshop series a success.



Then, the honorable Vice-Chancellor of the Green University of Bangladesh, Prof. Dr. Golam Samdani Fakir, gave his speech encouraging and inspiring the GIFT 7 and 8 batch students to create a positive change in society through their project works. Later, Chairperson of EEE & Director of CETL, Green University of Bangladesh, Dr. ASM Shihavuddin, made his remarks for the participants and hoped to see more good projects from the GIFT students in the future. After that, Prof. Dr. Ratil H. Ashique, Director CRIT, and Sirajum Munira, Director, Language Center; Biplob Kanti Das, Deputy Director, CCD, made their remarks on the presented project works. Finally, at the end of the event, the GIFT program coordinator and Assistant Professor, Ms. Arifa Rahman, gave her closing remarks thanking the panelist of the event and inspiring the participant groups to continue to work with their dream project in the future.

24. ITD Conference and CETL Research Presentation on 22 October 2021



The Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning (CETL), Green University of Bangladesh, vastly contributed to what happens to be a matter of great pride for the entire Green University family, the first international conference on Innovation and Transformation for Development (ITD-2021).

ITD invited research papers and their presentations from all over the globe that contain innovative and transformative ideas and discoveries. Over 150 papers were presented in this conference. Several great scholars of various disciplines from around the world decorated the ITD-2021 conference with their insightful keynote speeches. Due to the ongoing dilemma of spreading of the covid-19 virus, the conference was held, understandably, online via Zoom meeting platform.

Research papers were presented at ITD-2021 by several current and former CETL members. This includes Ms Arifa Rahman (lead facilitator), former interns- Ms Fahmida Haque Nishi, Mr. Shahrukh Abedin Shiplu and Mr. Nazmul Islam Naeem. Current interns Ms Fairouz Saiyara and Md Mustafizur Rahman also presented their research papers with their respective co-authors from Green University.

25. A workshop "Service Excellence for Better Outcome " on 29 October 2021



A workshop "Service Excellence for Better Outcome" has been organized on Friday, 29th October 2021 from 3.00pm to 6.00 pm, jointly by the Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning (CETL) and Center for Career Development (CCD) with the support of Green University of Bangladesh at the IQAC Auditorium. The honorable Vice Chancellor of Green University, Prof. Dr. Md. Golam Samdani Fakir graced the session as the chief guest. Engr. SK Waresul Habib, Executive Director of Pran RFL group conducted a session there as the Keynote speaker, who has more than 25 years of experience in different national and multinational organizations. Moreover, the workshop was facilitated with the two speakers, Dr. ASM Shihavuddin, Director, CETL and Chairperson, Department of EEE, and Mr. Biplob Kanti Das, Deputy Director, CCD. Nearly 60 administrative staff of the University actively participated in the workshop.



This workshop started with the motto "STUDENT FIRST."

In the whole session the speakers talked about the betterment of the student service policies applied by the staff. At the end of the session the Keynote Speaker was requested to handover the crest to our Honorable Chief Guest. After this the honorable chief guest was requested to Handover the crest to the Keynote speaker and to handover the crest to the speaker Dr. ASM Shihavuddin and to the other speaker Mr. Biplob Kanti Das. Administrative staff were very enthusiastic to join the workshop and become a transformer of themselves and the rest.

26. Supporting On Campus Recruitment of US-Bangla Airlines on 26 November 2021

On Campus Recruitment of US-Bangla Airlines 1st Phrase at Green University of Bangladesh was held on November 26, 2021. Organized by the Center for Career Development-CCD, Green University of Bangladesh with the support of the CETL - Green University. The director of CETL Dr. ASM Shihavuddin, the deputy director of CCD Mr. Biplab Kanti Das, and CETL intern Miss Fairouz Saiyara were presented at the interview board.



27. CETL: A breeding ground of creative ideas on 30 November 2021

The CETL family got acquainted with the new members in a formal and intimate setting on the 30th of November at the city campus of GUB.



The Honorable Director, Dr. ASM Shihavuddin headed the introduction and orientation along with a movie watch-party and redistribution of responsibilities among the interns. CETL is always looking to instill innovative and creative culture which fuels the enthusiasms of every single member of the team. Various new ideas and plans were shared with the whole team and they welcomed those with open arms.



28. CETL Gala Night 2021 on 10 December 2021



CETL hosted a gala night at the Green Garden of GUB this Friday evening(10/12/2021) to award certificates to CTL batch 14 to batch 20 and, crests to the twelve Master Facilitators. The Project Manager of higher studies at British Council Bangladesh, Mr. Delwar Hossain was present on behalf of the chief guest respected Mr. David Maynard, Director of Education, British Council Bangladesh. The honorable VC of Green University of Bangladesh , Prof. Dr. Golam Samdani Fakir chaired the program along with the presence of the honorable advisor of GUB Prof. Dr. Abdur Razzak, the respected Treasurer, Dr Md Fayzur

Rahman, the Dean of Faculty of Science and technology, Dr Md Saiful Azad, the Chairperson of Department of English - Green University of Bangladesh , Prof. K.M. Wazed Kabir, and the Deputy Director of the Center for Career Development-CCD, Green University of Bangladesh Biplab Kanti Das. The Chairman of EEE department, Dr. ASM Shihavuddin, Director of CETL, convened the ceremony while Asst. Prof. Hasan al Zubayer hosted it.



CTL is the Certificate course in Teaching and Learning which lasts three and a half months and is mandatory for all newly recruited faculty members of GUB to undergo. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, recent CTL batches could not be awarded with their certificates for successfully completing this course. Which is why Team CETL invited all the Faculty members who successfully underwent this course with batch 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, and 20.

Towards the beginning of the event, Red carpet photo sessions were held and documentaries were shown. Then, the contribution of the Master Facilitators were acknowledged with crests and standing ovations for their rigorous hard work as the COVID-19 Frontlines to help all of GUB adapt to online education. A tribute video dedicated to our beloved Vice chancellor Sir, Prof. Dr. Golam Samdani Fakir was displayed followed by his heartfelt speech to the crowd.

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*Honoring the program
chair, the chief guest,
and the convener
of the gala*



The rest of the guests then delivered their valuable speeches along with the Director of CETL. The respected guests walked to the respective tables of the CTL batches to greet and congratulate them heartily and shoot photos to savor the joyous moment. Finally, the evening wrapped up with gala dinner and live music performed by the psychedelic rock band KAAL.

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