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Vice-chancellor of Independent University, Bangladesh Professor M Tamim, among others, poses for a photo at a national symposium on business schools accreditation at the DMK Lecture Gallery of IUB in Dhaka recently. | Press release

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Independent University, Bangladesh has organised a national symposium titled Symposium on Business Schools Accreditation at the DMK Lecture Gallery of IUB in Dhaka.

The event, organised by IUB's Institutional Quality Assurance Cell, brought together academic leaders, deans and accreditation experts from universities across Bangladesh to discuss advancing business education quality and global competitiveness, said a press release on Monday.

Delivering the keynote presentation titled From Local Excellence to Global Recognition: The Role of International Accreditation, Professor Md Mamun Habib highlighted how

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accreditation builds institutional quality and stakeholder confidence.

He compared AACSB, ACBSP and BAC standards, proposing 'accreditation by recognition' under the BAC Act 2022 for internationally accredited Bangladeshi universities.

Bangladesh Accreditation Council chairman Professor Akther Hossain Khan attended as chief guest at the symposium, emphasising the growing priority of quality assurance in higher education.

IUB vice-chancellor Professor M Tamim and pro-vice-chancellor Professor Daniel W Lund also detailed IUB's commitment to academic standards.

The symposium featured a sharing session moderated by Professor Habib, enabling representatives from institutions, including BRAC University, North South University and Jahangirnagar University to exchange insights on national and international accreditation frameworks.

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