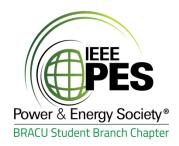
## Inauguration of IEEE Power & Energy Society at Brac University







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IEEE Brac University Student Branch launched their new student Branch chapter "The Power and Energy Society" by holding a delightful Inauguration Ceremony. The objective of this student branch chapter is to make its members qualified enough to make a stand with the ever competitive world. The effective way of becoming a great Power engineer is possible only if an individual learns to make a strong connection between bookish knowledge and practical knowledge and it is only possible by gathering authentic knowledge by visiting different Power Plants, Power Grid Station, attending technical seminars, workshops and having firsthand experience on how Electrical distribution works in order to run a country. All these learning will help to become a great engineer as well as an expert in one's very own field. Keeping these factors in mind the Power and Energy Society of Brac University will work for their student members.

## **Event Details:**

Date: November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Venue: GDLN Centre, Brac University

**Chapter Advisor**: Shahidul Islam Khan, Ph.D

Branch Counselor: A.K.M Abdul Malek Azad, Ph.D

The Ceremony started with a special speech from the Chapter Advisor Shahidul Islam Khan, Ph.D who is the Chairperson of Electrical and Electronics Engineering department of Brac University. Shahidul Islam Khan also happens to be the Chair of Power and Energy Society of Bangladesh Section; he is also the founding chair of IEEE Bangladesh section. During his remarkable speech he talked about the benefits of joining the Power and energy Society at the same time he inspired the students who were present there to work for the betterment of the newly opened Student Branch Chapter. Also during his speech he talked about how he and the Branch Counselor Dr. A.K.M Abdul Malek Azad submitted a petition to open the Power and Energy Society student Branch at Brac University and how the petition was accepted. He concluded his speech by motivating the students to work hard in order to take the student branch to an eminent position.



The day had another significant event, a seminar in the name of "Powering-up The Next Year" conducted by Omar Shahjalal, who completed his Bachelor of Science in EEE at Brac University in 2016 and graduated with the highest CGPA in the department . He also won the prestigious Vice Chancellor's Gold Medal Award and also was an Undergraduate Teaching Assistant. He is currently working as a Satellite Operation Engineer at Spectra International Limited on the Bangabandhu Satellite-1. During the seminar he talked about his life at Brac University and shared his experience both about his student life at Brac University as well as his experience as a Youth Ambassador in the JENESYS Program held in Tokyo, Japan, for SAARC Nations. He gave an insight on how to prepare oneself to become a better engineer. He even gave some amazing ideas on how to write an outstanding CV to acquire one's dream job or dream destination.



Mr.Omar concluded his session by congratulating the current Elected Body Members for initiating the new Student Branch during their era. Moreover Omar Shahjalal emphasized on the fact that one should adapt the interest to learn more about Power Sectors of a country as it is the first requirement to become a good power engineer as well as it is a must for an engineering students doing major in Power. At the end of the seminar a Crest was handed over to Omar Shahjalal as a token of appreciation for joining the Inauguration Ceremony. The crest was handed over by then Chairperson of IEEE Brac University Student Branch.



At the end of the event a celebratory cake was cut in order to make the Inauguration of Power and Energy Society even more delightful.

All the students who were present there made the event even more energetic and wonderful. Their presence implied the fact that how much keen they were to be a part of a history at Brac University. The knowledge they gathered that day and the suggestions they received will definitely help them in their future life in becoming a better engineer as well as a better human being and a good Power and Energy Society Member. At the end few pictures were taken and light snacks were served.



Lastly , it can be said that the event went successful and gave a vibe that members will work hard and be more enthusiastic for the newly born Society.