

# Uttara University Aims Global Recognition for Excellence in Education Under Dr. Eaysmin Ara Lekha's Leadership

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Uttara University has earned international rankings in 2024 and 2025, positioning itself for future global recognition under the leadership of Dr. Eaysmin Ara Lekha. The university's innovative programs, research focus, and commitment to inclusivity have positioned it as a leader in Bangladesh's private education sector.

Dhaka, Bangladesh--(Newsfile Corp. - January 9, 2026) - **Transforming Bangladesh's Higher Education Landscape.** Uttara University, a pioneering institution in Bangladesh, has continued to set benchmarks in higher education. Established in 2003, the university has quickly grown into one of the leading private institutions in the country. With nearly 14,000 students enrolled and over 33,000 alumni, the institution has achieved impressive strides in academic excellence, innovation, and inclusivity.



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The university's success has been largely driven by the visionary leadership of Dr. Eaysmin Ara Lekha, who has helped the institution secure global recognition for its commitment to research excellence, interactive teaching methods, and curriculum innovation. Under her leadership, Uttara University has expanded its reach and influence, making it a top choice for students across Bangladesh.

## A Global Leader in Education and Research

In 2024, Uttara University earned international rankings, furthering its academic quality and research innovation. Dr. Lekha's leadership has been instrumental in aligning the university with global educational standards, fostering international collaborations, and promoting a robust research environment.

"We are committed to providing our students with a world-class education that prepares them for success on the global stage," said Dr. Lekha. "This global recognition is a testament to the hard work of our faculty and staff, who have dedicated themselves to making Uttara University a beacon of academic excellence."

Dr. Lekha's leadership has enabled the university to create unique academic opportunities, preparing students not only for local challenges but also for a globalized

workforce. The university's focus on research-driven teaching, combined with a commitment to inclusivity, has led to its growing reputation among higher education institutions worldwide.

## Championing Gender Equality in Higher Education

Dr. Lekha's leadership is particularly significant in a country where female representation in higher education leadership remains limited. As the first woman to lead a major private educational institution in Bangladesh, Dr. Lekha is a trailblazer. Her leadership serves as an inspiration for women aspiring to leadership roles in education and other sectors. Through her efforts, Uttara University has implemented various initiatives to support female students, including scholarships, mentorship programs, and leadership development opportunities. This commitment to gender equality is helping create a more inclusive academic environment and encouraging more women to pursue careers in academia and leadership.



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## Looking to the Future: Expanding Global Presence and Academic Impact

Looking ahead, Uttara University is focused on expanding its global footprint. Plans are in place to enhance academic collaborations with top international institutions, increase student mobility programs, and further strengthen its research capabilities. Dr. Lekha envisions Uttara University as a globally recognized leader in higher education, empowering students to succeed in an interconnected world.

"International collaboration and research are at the core of our future direction," Dr. Lekha added. "Our aim is to continue fostering an environment that equips students with the knowledge and skills necessary for a successful global career."

## About Uttara University

Uttara University, founded in 2003 under the Dr. M. Azizur Rahman Trust, is one of the leading private higher education institutions in Bangladesh. Known for its emphasis on quality education, research, and inclusivity, the university offers a diverse range of undergraduate and graduate programs. With a strong alumni network and a commitment to academic excellence, Uttara University is shaping the future leaders of Bangladesh and beyond.

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