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FACULTY MEMBER



Dr. Ishtiaque Ahmed, Associate Professor and Chair of the Department of Law at North South University, drafted proposals for the Bangladesh Ship Recycling (Amendment) Act 2025 and Rule 2025. These proposals were presented on February 16, 2025 at a stakeholder consultation at the Hotel Intercontinental, attended by advisors, industry representatives, and senior officials.



Dr. Abu Noman M. Atahar Ali, Professor of Law at North South University, successfully completed the Dhaka International Marathon on February 9, 2025. He finished the 42.2 km race in 4 hours and 57 minutes. In addition to being a leading food law researcher, he is a passionate long-distance runner and the founder of the Bangladesh Walking Club.

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ALUMNI



Tanjina Akter Riya, an alumna of the Department of Law, North South University, published an article titled 'What Bangladesh Can Learn About Climate Justice from Sri Lanka' in The Business Standard on February 11, 2025.

Tanjina Akter Riya, an NSU Law alumna and Research Fellow at the Global Institute of Law, Oxford, published an article in The Business Standard titled 'Forced to Work, Denied a Future: The Battle Against Child Labour in Bangladesh.'



Shatool Nayma Remi, an alumna of the Department of Law, North South University, commenced her Master's



Tasmima Monira Ayshi, an alumna of the Department of Law, North South University,



Fariha Ahmed, an alumna of the Department of Law, North South University, started her

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STUDENTS



Md. Kowshik Shahriar, an editor of the NSU Law Blog, published an article titled 'Analyzing Mandatory Premarital Medical Screening Laws and Their Potential Lessons for Bangladesh from Oman's Perspective' on February 6, 2025.



The North South University Law Team won the Best Applicant Memorial Award in the Bangladesh qualifying rounds of the Jessup Moot Court Competition, 2025. Team members Bashirul Islam, Meherin Chowdhury, and Amrito Pritom Banik showcased outstanding advocacy skills under the guidance of their coach, Nafiz Ahmed, a Lecturer in the Department of Law.



Tanya Shakur, a student of the Department of Law, presented her paper, 'The Department of Environment's Weak Enforcement and Regulatory Gaps in the Management of Bangladesh Rivers,' at the inaugural Undergraduate Colloquium Series organized by SHSS at North South University on February 27, 2025. The event was attended by Prof. Abdur Rob Khan, Treasurer and Pro Vice-Chancellor, with Dr. Nazia Manzoor moderating the session and Prof. Md. Rizwanul Islam delivering the welcome address.

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The Department of Law at North South University, in collaboration with the Anti-Discrimination Legal Forum (ADLF), hosted a discussion on Truth Commission and Reconciliation Process on February 4, 2025. Distinguished speakers Barrister Jyotirmoy Barua, Dr. Shamaruh Mirza, and Dr. Qazi Zahed Iqbal shared insights on justice, reconciliation, and societal healing.



The Department of Law at North South University hosted a discussion titled 'A Shift from Commission to Council: A Way Forward or a Failure Ahead' on February 7, 2025. The event featured keynote speaker Ms. Khandker Tasnuva Haque, Assistant Director (Training 1) at the Judicial Administration Training Institute, and included insightful interactions with students on global human rights governance.



The Department of Law at North South University hosted Mr. Håkon Arald Gulbrandsen, Ambassador of Norway, for a seminar on 'Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties – Section 3: Interpretation of the Treaties §§ 31-33' on February 11, 2025. The event, held in the Moot Court Room, featured discussions with

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The Department of Law at North South University hosted a lecture titled 'IHL Yesterday and Today: Exploring the Evolution of the Geneva Conventions and the Enduring Relevance of International Humanitarian Law' on February 17, 2025. Esteemed speakers Ms. Fahmida Karim and Ms. Deepali Gaur from the ICRC shared insights on humanitarian law's role in contemporary conflicts.



The Department of Law at North South University successfully hosted the NSU Law Webinar on 'Micro International Law' on February 20, 2025. The webinar featured guest speaker Professor Katrin Kuhlmann and included insightful discussions on international trade and development, moderated by Professor Md. Rizwanul Islam.

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