# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

A Two-Day Certificate Course by IBA, University of Dhaka





Institute of Business Administration (IBA) University of Dhaka

# COURSE OVERVIEW

As part of its continuous commitment to develop the private sector and enhance management efficiency in changing economic and business dynamics, the Institute of Business Administration (IBA), University of Dhaka is offering a two-day certificate course on 'Corporate Governance'. Globally, in the recent past, one of the primary causes of financial crises and corporate scandals were failures of corporate governance and policy, including widespread failures in financial regulation and supervision, lack of transparency, and systemic breakdown in accountability.

In Bangladesh, effective corporate governance and accountability is more crucial to create an enabling environment to provide incentives for foreign investment and growth.

The delivery of best practice corporate governance continues to be a central focus in every boardroom. The combined pressures of foreign investors, regulatory bodies, international organizations and increasing demands of shareholders underline the need for a thorough understanding of good governance processes and also how to improve performance at the top of business.

This two-day workshop uses interactive exercises, group work and case studies to provide participants an in-depth understanding of the corporate governance framework in Bangladesh and reviews current governance hot topics and issues.

# WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This two-day certificate course has been designed to appeal to the following professionals:

- Board of Directors of Listed/ Non Listed Companies/Banks and FIs
- Companies Secretaries
- Executive and Non Executive Directors/ Independent Directors
- Audit Committee members
- CFO, Head of Internal Audit, Compliance and Risk Management
- Institutional Investors such as pension funds and insurance companies
- Practitioners and Researchers

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# COURSE CONTENTS

The continuing corporate and accounting scandals have focused attention on the performance of those at the top of business and corporate governance standards are now in the spotlight more than ever before. The topics covered in this course include:

- Models of corporate governance: the regulatory framework for corporate governance in Bangladesh: Listed and Non Listed companies, Financial institutions and SOEs

- The role of the board of directors (BOD), shareholders, SEC, FRC and other regulatory bodies in implementing and practicing effective corporate governance practices

- The role of the different committees (audit committee, compensation and remuneration committees) in a new era of governance.

- The role of disclosure, internal control, and external audit CG in Financial Institutions in Bangladesh: The impact of Bank Company Act Bill Amendment 2018 on the effectiveness of CG in banks

- Aspects of boardroom behavior, including challenge, scrutiny and the impact of diversity in CG practices

- Discharging broader corporate accountability: CSR and sustainability reporting



### **APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

Interested participant should apply using the prescribed application form available at *www.iba-du.edu*. Applications are to be submitted at MDP Office, Room# 402 (3rd Floor), IBA, University of Dhaka.

Eligible candidates may be called to appear before an interview board for final selection. The Last Day of Application is March 16, 2019.

# **TEACHING METHOD**

To achieve the objectives, we combine a variety of pedagogical approaches: lectures, group discussions, case analysis, videos, and self-assessments. Emphasis is placed on self-reflection and linking the concepts from the course to participants' own objectives and development.

#### CLASS SCHEDULE

The course is scheduled to be held on March 29-30, 2019 (Friday & Saturday) for total 16 contact hours at IBA premises. Exact schedule will be provided to the selected participants.



#### CERTIFICATION

On successful completion of the course, participants will be awarded a certificate issued by IBA, University of Dhaka

#### **KEY RESOURCE PERSONS**

The resource persons for the course comprise of faculty members from IBA, University of Dhaka, regulators and both national and international Corporate Governance experts.

#### COURSE COORDINATOR



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