# Institutional Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) BAIUST, Cumilla

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## SUBJECT: CONFORMING TO BANGLADESH NATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS FRAMEWORK (BNQF)

- 1. BAIUST IQAC is happy to announce that, UGC has finalized the Bangladesh National Qualifications Framework (BNQF), Part-B for Higher Education. That Framework has reached us, which is attached herewith. The Framework will be implemented by the Bangladesh Accreditation Council.
- 2. We have to note that HE programs will be accredited if only they comply with the Framework. Hence, it is suggested that the HoDs, the Curriculum Committee, PSACs, and faculty members, in general, be knowledgeable of all the particulars and details of the Framework and cooperate with IQAC in matters of tailoring curricula and teaching-learning-assessment activities.
- 3. Since BAIUST has a practice of quality culture across all its departments and programs, the BNQF comes as a guideline for promoting QA areas and criteria.
- 4. The BNQF (See: Pp. 10-12 under the point "Bangladesh Higher Education Qualifications System") has set a minimum number of graduating credits for the recognition of qualification levels of a program and its graduates. Hence, the departments are advised to consider reviewing their program curricula in conformity with the criteria. The Curriculum Committees under the departments are to take action in this regard.
- 5. If a department finds the need to increase the number of credits for a program and/or revise a program curriculum in line with the BNQF, the HoD should consult it with the Director of IQAC.
- 6. Your cooperation in the overall pursuance of the Bangladesh National Qualifications Framework (BNQF), Part-B for Higher Education is highly appreciated.

#### Attachment:

1. Bangladesh National Qualifications framework (BNQF), Part B: Higher Education (Level 7-10)

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Director
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### Action:

- 1. Department of Computer Science & Engineering
- 2. Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering
- 3. Department of Civil Engineering
- 4. Department of Business Administration
- 5. Department of English
- 6. Department of Law
- 7. Department of Science & Humanities

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