

## BRACU celebrates Bangla songs

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BRAC University (BRACU) organised the 5th edition of its musical programme, "Bangla Gaaner Bhabna O Pothchola" (Ideas and Transition of Bangla Music), at its Mohakhali campus auditorium on Wednesday, May 9 2018, says a press release. This time, the theme was "Prio Shikkhoker Prio Gaan" (favourite songs of favourite teacher), with students rendering favourites of Professor Emeritus Anisuzzaman, BRACU; Professor Syed Saad Andaleeb, PhD, VC, BRACU; and Professor Firdous Azim, Chairperson, Department of English and Humanities, BRACU. It is very pleasing to see students, despite studying in different subjects, being familiar with Bangla culture, said Professor (Emeritus) Anisuzzaman. The programme started with a song of Rabindranath Tagore, 'Tomari Name Nayan Melinu' in chorus. Kaberi Nodi Jole, Ami Jhorer Kache Rekhe Gelam, Gahana Kusum Kunja Majhe and other songs were performed. Students staged a drama based on Tagore's poem, Nishkriti. The event saw a sitar recital of Professor Andaleeb. Associate Professor Sharmind Neelotpol PhD of the Department of Pharmacy hosted the event while Pro-Vice Chancellor Professor Ansar Ahmed PhD along with other senior officials was present.