



## BRACU Book Club launched:

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The inauguration ceremony of BRAC University Book Club was held on 31 July 2011 in the Indoor Games Room of the university. It was attended by Vice Chancellor Dr. Ainun Nishat, Pro-Vice Chancellor Golam Samdani Fakir, while author and poet Syed Shamsul Haque was present as chief guest.

The event started with the opening address by Ms. Rukhsana Rahim Choudhury, senior lecturer of the Department of English and Humanities, who brought forth the nascent idea of this club to fruition. Later the audience was introduced to the club's interim committee.

The formation of the club was at the enthusiastic urgings of Dr. Ainun Nishat, who in his speech recalled the indelible impact of reading and literary discussion in his own life. He expressed a desire to see the club gain prominence in the near future. Chief Guest Syed Shamsul Haque traced the origins of books and also enchanted the audience with recitations of his poetry.

With its launching, the BRAC University Book Club is ready to make its mark in the literary circle of students. The first choice of books for the club is from Satyajit Ray's Feluda series. Excursions and activities related to this are to be executed in the following Fall session.