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Students asked to contribute to nation building activities



President M Zillur Rahman awarding Chancellor's Gold Medal to a student during the 7th convocation of the BRAC University at Bangabandhu International Conference Centre in the city Sunday. — PID Photo

President M Zillur Rahman Sunday called upon student organisations to contribute more to nation building activities by upholding their past glorious history, reports UNB.

"It can't be expected that student organisations will be involved in intra-party conflicts to serve the interest of individuals or small groups," he said.

President Rahman who is also the Chancellor of the University made the remarks while presiding over the 7th convocation of BRAC University at Bangabandhu International Conference Centre in the city.

Education Minister Nurul Islam Nahid spoke as special guest while former Chief Adviser of Caretaker Government Justice Mohammad Habibur Rahman was the Convocation Speaker. BRAC University Vice Chancellor Prof Ainun Nishat also spoke on the occasion.

The President said that students were the engines of the nation. They will have to advance the nation through their creative works. But the proud history of the student organisations is not being reflected throughout their activities today.

"I express the hope that the student community upholding their past pride will contribute more to nation building activities," he said.