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Workshops for system librarians



Participants in the workshop and the guests pose for a photograph on the campus in the capital recently. PHOTO: COURTESY

BRAC University Ayesha Abed Library conducted two workshops for Systems Librarians recently, says a press release.

A total of 42 library professionals from 40 public and private universities and research institutes in Bangladesh participated in these workshops. Representatives from University Grants Commission and Bangladesh INASP PERii Consortium were also present in the workshop. Both workshops were funded by INASP, UK.

The two workshops were conducted in two different phases. During the first phase, held from May 11 to 14, 2015, the participants of the workshop acquainted with the variety of library systems and tools including open source software and web development tools. Professor Syed Saad Andaleeb, Vice Chancellor of BRAC University was present as the Chief Guest of the closing ceremony of the first workshop.

The second phase of the workshop held from May 20 to 21 which was focused on the technical aspects of e-resource management. The Chief Guest of the closing ceremony of this workshop was Dr. Salehuddin Ahmed, Professor of BRAC University Business School and Ex-Governor of Bangladesh Bank.

The chief guests distributed certificates among the participants. University Librarian of BRAC University Hasina Afroz, organized and conducted the workshops along with Auninda Rumy Saleque, Senior Assistant System Programmer and Shahajada Masud Anowarul Haque, Assistant Librarian.