

Research Programmes

MPhil and PhD

A. Name of the Programmes

1. MPhil
2. PhD

B. Admission Requirements

Admission in MPhil and PhD Programmes at the Faculty of Law take place once a year as per the university rules. Candidates with excellent academic records and research/teaching experience get preference in the admission to the research programmes offered by the Faculty. Students graduated from private universities must enroll into the MPhil programme first in order to be admitted into the PhD programme as per the University Rules.

C. Duration of the Programme

MPhil: The duration of the MPhil Programme is two years whereas the first year is comprised of course works and the second year is for thesis. The validity of MPhil registration is maximum four years.

PhD: The validity of PhD registration is maximum five years. The researcher can submit the thesis after four years. Also, the thesis may be submitted after three years upon due approval from respective Supervisors as well as the Academic Council. Academic Committee may assign some coursework to a PhD researcher. The faculty offers part time candidature opportunity for working PhD researchers upon due approval from their respective employers.

Scholarships and Financial Aids

The Faculty of Law and the Department of Law offers various scholarship opportunities to the students with outstanding academic records and the students in need in order to incentivize the academic performance of the students.

A. Dean's Award

- i. **Dean's Merit List of Excellence:** The list will include the names and particulars of students having CGPA 4.0 in the Bachelor of Laws (Honours) Final Examination.
- ii. **Dean's Merit List of Honour:** The list will include the names and particulars of students having CGPA 3.85 and above in the Bachelor of Laws (Honors) Final Examination.

Provided that the students who have taken readmission or have taken any improvement examination will not be considered for the dean's list of meritorious students.

B. Shamaila Rahman Memorial Scholarship

Female students achieving the First and Second position in the merit lists in the year final examinations are awarded with this Scholarship. In total six female students from 2nd, 3rd and 4th year of Undergraduate programme and two female students from Graduate programme shall be awarded with this scholarship on annual basis. Total number of scholarship is eight per year. Each successful awardee shall get a lump sum amount of BDT 36,000.

C. Professor Dr. Hamid Uddin Khan Memorial Scholarship

Five outstanding/regular/meritorious/disable students promoted and admitted into the second year Bachelor of Laws (Honors) are awarded with this scholarship. Selected five students will be given this one time scholarship on lump sum basis. The amount of scholarship varies each year in accordance with the interest rate of the Fixed Deposit.

D. Shahjahan Siraj Foundation Scholarship

All the students stood first in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th year final examinations as well as the student stood first in the LLM final examination shall be awarded with this scholarship. The amount of scholarship is BDT 2500 per month and shall be awarded on lump sum basis annually, i.e. BDT (2500×12) = BDT 30,000 to each awardee. Total number of scholarship is five each year.

E. Other awards and scholarships

- i. Justice Amin Ahmed Gold Medal: It is awarded to the student who secures the first position at LLM examination.
- ii. Justice Mohammad Hussain Memorial Gold Medal: It is awarded to the student who obtains the highest marks in the Constitutional Law course.
- iii. OzairFarooque Scholarship: It is awarded to the student who obtains the highest marks in the Law of Contract course.

F. Scholarships from the University of Dhaka

Please visit: http://www.du.ac.bd/footer_widget/footer_widget_item/financial_aid.

G. Scholarships offered to Undergraduate Students

Sl	Name of Scholarship	Amount in BDT	Description	Nos. of scholarship
1	Undergraduate Board Scholarship			
	a) Talent pool Scholarship	55,93,600.00	Scholarships are offered by board to undergraduate students for four years	n/a
	b) General Scholarship	1,35,82,800.00	Scholarships are offered by board to undergraduate students for four years	n/a
2	2.1.) University Undergraduate Scholarship	6,45,120.00	These Scholarships are awarded for four years to undergraduate students of Dhaka University on the basis of result of HSC examination.	n/a
	2.2.) University Undergraduate Scholarship 2	4,83,840.00	These Scholarships are awarded for four years to undergraduate students of Dhaka University on the basis of result of 1st year Hon(s) examination.	n/a
3	3.1) Sports Scholarship	2,11,200.00	Undergraduate	n/a
	3.2) Sports Scholarship 2	28,800.000	Postgraduate	
4	BNCC Scholarship	1,20,000.00		100
5	Rover Scholarship	1,15,000.00		24
6	Ranger Scholarship	1,15,000.00		24
7	Hall Stipend	5,25,000.00	These scholarships are awarded equally by all halls	
8	Blind Stipend (For Vision Impaired Students)			
	8.1) Undergraduate	3,60,000.00	These scholarships are offered to vision impaired undergraduate students studying at the University of Dhaka.	50
	8.2) Postgraduate	4,80,000.00	These scholarships are offered to vision impaired postgraduate students studying at the University of Dhaka.	50
9	AftabJahan welfare Trust Fund	200,000.00	AftabJahan welfare Trust Fund	n/a
10	JICF Scholarship	56,00,000.00	Scholarships are awarded by Japan International Cooperation Foundation (JICF) to Dhaka University Students	20
11	Sumitomo Corporation Scholarship	7,00,000.00	Scholarships are awarded by Sumitomo Corporation to Dhaka University Students	10

H. Scholarships awarded to Postgraduate Students

SI	Name of Scholarship	Amount in BDT	Description	Nos. of Scholarship
1	General Government Scholarship	50,00,000.00	These scholarships are generally offered by the Bangladesh Government for the Dhaka University Students on merit to resume their study.	1250
2	Talent Scholarship	1,97,000.00	These scholarships are generally offered by the Bangladesh Government for the Dhaka University Students on merit to resume their study.	21
3	UGC Scholarship	1,05,000.00	Scholarships are offered by the University Grants Commission. Every Faculty will get one scholarship. Total numbers of faculty are 10. Total scholarships are 10.	10
4	Janata Bank Scholarship	10,500.00	These scholarships are offered through the University Grants Commission	1
5	University Postgraduate Scholarship	3,60,000.00	Postgraduate Scholarships are offered to DU students Scholarships will be equally distributed to all faculties	120

