

# Dr Farashuddin to get Ahsanullah Gold Medal



Dhaka Ahsania Mission (DAM) has chosen noted educationist and economist Dr Mohammed Farashuddin for the 'Khan Bahadur Ahsanullah Gold Medal-2013' in recognition of his outstanding contributions to the fields of education and macroeconomics, reports UNB.

The medal will be formally handed over to him very soon, said a press release on Sunday.

Dr Mohammed Farashuddin completed BA (Honours) from Dhaka University in 1963 and MA in 1964. Later, he achieved MA Degree in Economics and Political Economics from Boston University in 1978. He did PhD on Cost Benefit Analysis in 1979.

At the beginning of his professional life, he joined the Economics Department of Dhaka University as a lecturer in 1964. He joined the CSP Cadre in 1966. He served as the Governor of Bangladesh Bank from 1998-2001.

He was the founder Vice-chancellor of East-West University and now he is the president of trustee board of this university. He was awarded with Sorojini Naidu Prize, Mercantile Bank Prize and Sylhet Ratna Padak for outstanding contributions to different levels of his

professional life Since 1986, DAM has been awarding the medal to noted educationist, social reformer and practitioner of Sufism.

Previously, the medal was awarded to 21 noted personalities for their outstanding contributions to their respective fields at the national level.

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