

BRAC Univ joins change-maker campaign

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Brac University has recently joined a global campaign to mobilise and unify change-makers with an aim at bringing positive social change.

India's private university Ashoka University has started the campaign titled 'Millions of Change-makers', in which Brac University joined on July 19, 2019.

Launched with support from US-based Schmidt Futures, Ashoka University's campaign invites and chooses change-makers from among leading academic institutions, ecosystem-building organisations, and individuals, over 14 countries, said a press release.

'Our goal is to have 100 partner schools in the country over a period of three years, engaging one lakh young change-makers across Bangladesh,' said Abdullah Rubaet Chowdhury, the director of the Centre for Emotional Intelligence and Innovation at Brac University.

For its part, Brac University has committed to develop a network of schools, through its Centre for Emotional Intelligence and Innovation's Empathy Lab 'School Outreach Program', by embedding emotional intelligence, empathy and universal human values in education.

On a larger scale, Brac University's commitment represents a deep-rooted dedication to work together with other institutions to collectively bring about and accelerate change in its own community and in the larger global space.



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