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Job-oriented eng. curricula stressed

Dr. V.G. Desa, the Dr. M.A. Rashid Professor of Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET) and a consultant of the World Bank on Monday called for closely relating the engineering education with the process of industrialisation of Bangladesh, reports BSS.

Giving his lecture on reflections on engineering education at the BUET seminar room, Dr. Desa also called for placing more emphasis on technology and applied science and integrating broadbased and specialised studies to enhance employment relevance of higher education in the country.

This will introduce set of courses case studies to foster development of entrepreneurship, Dr. Desa said adding that it would improve terminal character of first degree courses with regular adaptation of curricula to the employment situation.

He also suggested fostering flexible ways of industry participation in higher education in Bangladesh.

The lecture session was presided over by the BUET Vice Chancellor Prof. Mosharraf Hossain Khan while Mr. Maksud Ali, Member, Planning Commission, was present as the chief guest.