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Pro, anti-hartal processions on DU campus

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Pro-Awami League student organisation Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL) and BNP-backed Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal (JCD) yesterday brought out separate processions on the Dhaka University campus in protest of and supporting today's dawn to dusk hartal throughout the country.

Following the anti-hartal procession, BCL held a rally at the Aparajeo Bangla on the campus at noon. Addressing the rally, leaders blamed the BNP allied opposition for creating unrest in the country in the name of democratic right and hartal. They also announced that they will bring out a peace procession on the campus today, protesting the hartal.

Among others, Bahadur Bepari, Ajay Kar Khokan, Sajjad Hossain and A K M Azim addressed the rally.

JCD also held a rally at the main gate of Arts Building (Kala Bhaban) of the university. Laying support to the hartal, JCD criticised the government saying, "The autocrat government is repressing the opposition leaders and activists to curb its democratic movement."

Blaming the 'hired goons' of ruling party, they demanded immediate arrest and exemplary punishment of the killers of Ibraheem at Narayanganj and those who attacked on a BNP procession in the city on Wednesday.

They also urged countrymen to make the hartal a success by resisting the 'repression' of government.

DU exams postponed

All examinations of University under its course system, scheduled in Arts Building

Hall, have been postponed to unavoidable circumstances, reports UNB.

Fresh dates for examinations will be fixed in future, said Kamal Hossain, vice-chancellor of the university.