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FRC's role and its impact on Economic Governance of Bangladesh

You are cordially invited to the Accounting & Auditing (A&A) Summit 2025 organized by Financial Reporting Council (FRC) in collaboration with The World Bank to be held on Wednesday, July 09, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. at the Grand Ball Room, Pan Pacific Sonargaon, Dhaka.

Dr. Salehuddin Ahmed, Hon'ble Adviser, Ministry of Finance has given his kind consent to be the Chief Guest at the inaugural ceremony of the summit.

Dr. Mohammad Abdul Momen, Chairman, Anti-Corruption Commission; **Dr. Ahsan H. Mansur**, Governor, Bangladesh Bank; **Dr. Gayle H. Martin**, Country Director for Bangladesh (Interim), The World Bank will join us as Special Guests. **Dr. Md. Khairuzzaman Mozumder**, Secretary, Finance Division, Ministry of Finance, will chair the program of inauguration.

Your presence will add immense value to the A & A Summit 2025.

Suraiya Zannath
Lead Governance Specialist
Financial Management
The World Bank

Dr. Md Sajjad Hossain Bhuiyan
Chairman
Financial Reporting Council
Bangladesh

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

▸ **09:30 AM**
Registration

▸ **10:00 AM**
Guests take their seats

▸ **10:15 AM**
Welcome Speech by
Suraiya Zannath
Lead Governance Specialist
The World Bank

▸ **10:20 AM**
Keynote presentation by
Dr. Md Sajjad Hossain Bhuiyan
Chairman
Financial Reporting Council

▸ **10:35 AM**
Special Remarks
Hisham Waly
Practice Manager
Governance Global Practice
SAR, The World Bank

President
Institute of Chartered
Accountants of Bangladesh

President
Institute of Cost and
Management Accountants
of Bangladesh

▸ **10:50 AM**
Speech by Special Guest
Dr. Gayle H. Martin
Country Director for
Bangladesh (Interim)
The World Bank

▸ **11:00 AM**
Speech by Special Guest
Dr. Ahsan H. Mansur
Governor
Bangladesh Bank

▸ **11:10 AM**
Speech by Special Guest
Dr. Mohammad Abdul Momen
Chairman
Anti-Corruption Commission

▸ **11:20 AM**
Speech by the Chief Guest
Dr. Salehuddin Ahmed
Hon'ble Adviser
Ministry of Finance

▸ **11:35 AM**
Speech by the Session Chair
Dr. Md. Khairuzzaman Mozumder
Secretary
Finance Division

TEA BREAK

▸ **12:10 PM**
Technical Session- 1
**Reimagining Regulation:
Aligning Professional
Accountancy Organization &
FRC as a Catalyst for Financial
Governance Excellence**

Session Chair:
Martin Holtmann
Country Manager, Bangladesh
Nepal and Bhutan, IFC

Moderator:
Suraiya Zannath
Lead Governance Specialist
The World Bank

- Panellists:**
- A F Nesaruddin FCA**
Senior Partner, Hoda Vasi
Chowdhury & Co
 - Shams Zaman**
Country Managing Partner
PWC Bangladesh
 - Md. Abdul Kader Joaddar FCA**
Vice Chairman
Akij Resource Ltd
 - Zinnia T Huq FCMA (UK & ICMAB)**
CFO & Finance Director
Unilever Bangladesh Ltd
 - Nabil J Ahmad**
Executive Director, FRC

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▸ **02:30 PM**
Technical Session-2
**Harmonization, Alignments
and Collaboration:
Bridging the Gap-Role of
Regulatory bodies for better
Governance**

Session Chair:
Zakir Ahmed Khan
Chairman
PKSF

Moderator
Dr. Md Sajjad Hossain Bhuiyan
Chairman
FRC

- Panellists:**
- Dr. M. Aslam Alam**
Chairman, IDRA
 - Dr. Mohammad Abu Yusuf**
Additional Secretary
Finance Division
 - Dr. Md. Habibur Rahman**
Deputy Governor
Bangladesh Bank
 - AKM Badiul Alam**
Member (Tax Policy), NBR
 - Farzana Lalarukh**
Commissioner, BSEC



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