

WASTE MANAGEMENT SEMINAR

jointly organized by
the **Bangladesh Embassy, Stockholm**
&
SBBC (Sweden-Bangladesh Business Council)

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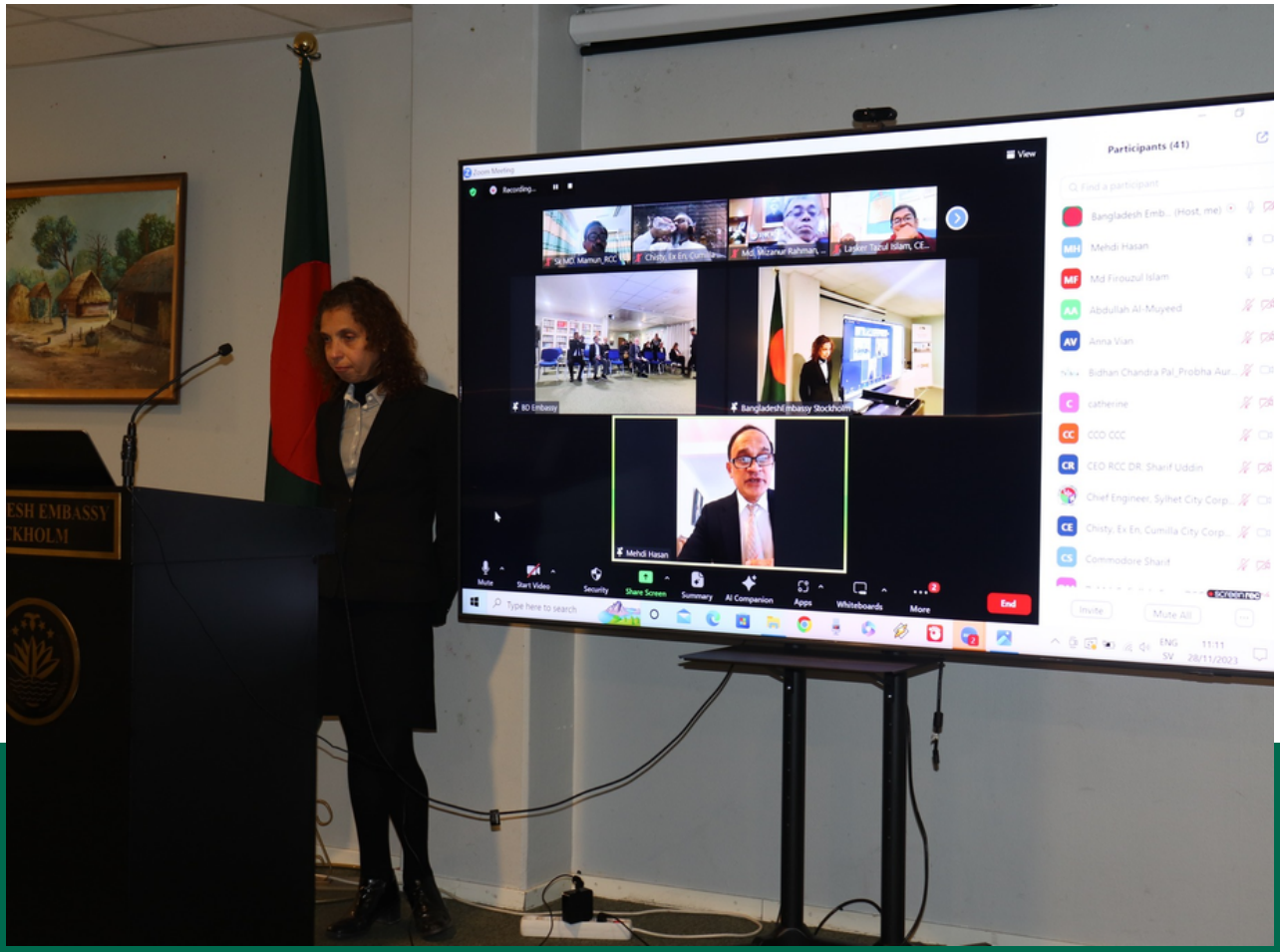
The Embassy of Bangladesh in Stockholm and Sweden-Bangladesh Business Council (SBBC) jointly organized a seminar on 'Waste Management' in hybrid format at the Embassy.





Participants from Bangladesh and Sweden included officials from the Ministry of Local Government, Rural Development and Cooperatives of Bangladesh, representatives of city /municipal corporations of Bangladesh, Department of Public Health Engineering, Local Government Engineering Division, members of SBBC, experts from Swedish institutions/business enterprises etc.



Representatives of Swedish organizations Avfall Sverige, IVL- Smart City Sweden, SWECO and Elof Hansson also made presentations sharing their experiences and successes in waste management initiatives in Sweden and other countries of the world. The participants present and connected online spontaneously took part in the Seminar, where the major takeaways were: Zero landfill, Source separation, Waste = Resources, Sustainable operation and maintenance of waste management projects, Synergy between stakeholders (municipal authorities and community), etc.




Solid Waste Management (SWM) in Bangladesh
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10 steps to success: A roadmap
1. Planning and setting targets
2. Define responsibilities and funding mechanism
3. Organize inter-municipal structures
4. Built awareness and involvement
5. Close dumpsites and built regional sanitary landfill
6. Organize 100% waste collection and effective publi
7. Separate organic waste collection/composting
8. Separate collection of haz waste/e-waste
9. Separate collection of packaging and materia
10. Waste to energy in high densly population a
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