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| **Gono-Bishwabidyalay-logo** |
| **Gono Bishwabidyalay** |

**1. Type of University : Private**

Year of Establishment **:** 1996

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**2. Background of the Establishment of the University**

Gono Bishwabidyalay, a university with a difference, has been established to provide a high quality of education to meet the demands of the modern age. The objective of the university is to foster the national and global development process through the creation of a center of excellence in higher education that is responsive to society’s needs, particularly social development and human welfare. It is also necessary to produce highly skilled manpower, visionary leaders and enlightened citizens by imparting quality education and training so that individuals can achieve their intellectual, social and personal potentials.

Gono Bishwabidyalay (GB) was established by Gonoshasthaya Kendra (GK) Public Charitable Trust that came into being during our glorious War of Liberation in 1971. It is noteworthy that Gonoshasthaya Kendra (People’s Health Center), one of the pioneering NGOs in Bangladesh, is well-known all over the world. GK was honoured with many awards, such as – The Independence Day Award in 1978, Magsaysay Award in 1985 and in 1992 Right Livelihood Award from Swedish Parliament. With the same dedicated spirit and vision Gono Bishwabidyalay was established by GK on 14 July 1998.

In line with GK’s continued support to education, the concept of Gono Bishwabidyalay was originated and established in 1994, in accordance with Bangladesh National Parliament Private University Act-1992. Gono Bishwabidyalay is a “not for profit” institution accredited by the University Grants Commission (UGC) and also approved by the Ministry of Education, Government of Bangladesh.

Most of the teachers of Gono Bishwabidyalay are full-time, highly qualified, and well-trained. It is worth mentioning, though the education provided by Gono Bishwabidyalay is of very high standard, its educational expenses are much less than that of other private universities in Bangladesh. It is, in fact, less than half and even within the reach of ordinary guardians.

The education programs of Gono Bishwabidyalay are semester based (six months). So the students can acquire standard education easily which is the case with universities in developed countries of the world.

At Gono Bishwabidyalay not only study but also sports and physical exercises are conducted regularly achieving overall excellence for the learners. Among the private Universities in Bangladesh only we have a large playground in our campus. There are ample opportunities for both indoor and outdoor sports of the University.

Gono Bishawbidyalay offers special subjects for studying with a focus on certain aspects of tradition, culture and creativity of the people of Bangladesh, the Liberation War of Bangladesh, Gender, Ethics, and Environmental Science in order to equip them with the knowledge and skill necessary for becoming a complete human being both academically and psychologically. The excellent broad outlook for education makes them skilled and competent for leading the country in its quest for development.

**3. Act**

Private University Act-1992

**4. Authorities of the University**

The following shall be the authorities of the University:

* Board of Trustees
* The Syndicate
* The Academic Council
* The Faculties
* The Committee of Courses
* The Finance Committee
* The Planning and Development Committee
* The Selection Boards
* Such other authorities as may be declared by the Statutes to be authorities of the university

**5. Principal Officers**

Chancellor : Hon’ble President

The People’s Republic of Bangladesh

\*Vice Chancellor :Prof. Dr. Md. Delwar Hossain (in-charge) \*Pro-Vice Chancellor :Prof. Dr. Md. Delwar Hossain

\*Treasure :Dr. Halima Khatun

Registrar : Mr. Md. Delower Hossain

Proctor :Mr. Mir Murtoza Ali (in-charge)

Librarian :Mr. S.M. Ekhtiar Uddin

Controller of Examinations :Mr. Mir Murtoza Ali

Deputy Director of Accounts :Mr. Mohammad Abdul Kader

Director of Public Relations Office :Mr. Sarmin Sultana (Public Relations Officer)

Chief Engineer :Mr. Anil Kumar Bhawmick

**6. Names of the Faculties**

* Faculty of Health and Medical Sciences
* Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences
* Faculty of Physical and Mathematical Sciences
* Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences

**7. Academic Departments**

**Total Number of the Academic Departments (16):**

1. Faculty of Health and Medical Sciences (4)

* Department of Pharmacy
* Department of Microbiology
* Department of Physiotherapy
* Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

2.Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (6)

* Department of Language, Communication and Culture
* Department of English
* Department of Politics and Governance
* Department of Sociology and Social Works
* Department of Law
* Department of Business Administration

3. Faculty of Physical and Mathematical Sciences (5)

* Department of Computer Science and Engineering
* Department of Medical Physics and Biomedical Engineering
* Department of Applied Mathematics
* Department of Chemistry and Physics
* Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering

4.Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences (1)

* Department of Veterinary and Animal Sciences

**8. Institutes and their Names**

Gonoshasthaya Samajvittik Medical College

**9. Programs Offered (Undergraduate and Graduate)**

* **Honors** (BBA/BA/BSc/BSS/BPT, B.Pharm)
* **Masters** (MA/MSc/MSS/MPT, M.Pharm)
* **Short Programs:** Certificate Courses

**10. Residential Facilities for Students**

Total Number of Residential Hall for Students (5):

Hall – 1

Hall – 2

Hall – 3

Hall – 4

Hall – 5

**11. Major Research Activities**

Total Number of Research Projects : 13

HEQEP funded research project : 1

University funded research project : 12

**12. Library Facilities**

Books : 29856

Journals : 502

The university library provides following services:

* Printing
* CD/DVD Writes
* Photocopy Service
* Borrowers ID Card
* Teachers Book Issue Counter (Circulation)
* Resource Center
* Reading Room Services

**13. System of Student Enrollment**

Semester

**14. Annual Total Intake and Total Number of Students in 2015**

Annual Total Intake :1126

Total Number of Students :4616

Male :2764

Female :1852

**15. Number of Teaching Staff**

Total Full-time and Part-time Male-Female Teacher (255)

Full-time : 221

Part-time : 34

Male : 165

Female : 90

**16. Number of Non-Teaching Staff**

Total Number of Non-Teaching Staff (102)

Officers : 29

Class (III and IV) : 73

**17. Total Number of Graduates in 2015**

Total Honors Graduates : 450

Total Postgraduates : 88

Total Technical Graduates : 31

**18. Student Support Services**

* Study Loan: Poor students can take loan from Gonoshasthaya Credit Co-operative
* Society Limited. They can take at most 10 lakh taka as loan.
* Language Laboratory: All the students are required to take lessons in English andBengali so that they can learn to speak and write in these languages correctly. A well-equipped language laboratory has been established for this purpose.
* Computer Lab:The university has some computer labs with all the modern facilities to enrich the knowledge of the students regarding modern technologies.
* Orientation Program: Every year Orientation Program is held for newlyadmitted firstyear honors students. Hon’ble Vice Chancellor, Registrar, Deans of Faculties, teachers and students of all departmentsgracethe occasion.
* Debating Club: There is a debating club in this university and it is supervised by the teachers.
* Career Club: To make the students dynamic, to compete with the complex business world and to create awareness among the students, Business Administration Department launched the Career Club.
* Health and Medical Services: One medical center
* Canteen: One central canteen

**19. Sports Facilities**

**1) Organogram :** There is a sports committee inGono Bishwabidyalay

**Chain of Command**

**a) Sports Board**

Chairman : Mr. Md. Rafiqul Alam, Head, Department of Law, GB

Members : 25

Member Secretary : Mr. Md. Habib Uddin, Physical Instructor, GB

Physical Instructor : 2

Class III Employees : 5

Class IV Employees : 5

**Ground, Gymnasium, Swimming Pool, Guest House:**

Central Ground : 1

Cricket Ground : 1

Football Ground : 1

Swimming pool : 1

Guest house : 1

**2) Activities** :

Games, Sports, Team, Coaching:

i) Every year the sports committee arranges various games for Inter-Department competition like football, cricket, handball, athletics, badminton, volleyball, etc.

ii) The physical instructors prepare various teams of the students to take part in various inter-universities competition.

**20. Fellowships and Scholarships Offered by the University**

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| **Sl. No.** | **Description of Scholarship** | **No. of Scholarships** | **Amount per annum per student (Tk.)** | **Total (Tk.)** |
| 1 | Freedom fighter | 14 |  |  |
| 2 | poor | 95 |  |  |
| 3 | tribal | 15 |  |  |
|  | Total | 124 | 30,170 | 37,41,125 |
| 4 | waver | 425 | 4000 | 17,00,000 |
| 5 | scholarship | 37 | 60,000 | 22,20,000 |
|  | **Total** | **586** | **13074** | **76,61,125** |

**21. Budget Estimates**

Recurring Expenses : TK 159,575,202

Development Expenses : TK 109,787,141

**22. Other Information**

**International Links**

MOU with Heidelberg University, Germany for further development of the Department ofMedical Physics and Biomedical Engineering, Gono Bishwabidyalay.

**23. Focal Point**

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