



Research and Innovation Centre for Science and Engineering (RISE)



Memorandum of Understanding

Syndicate Approved and Signed MoUs

Signed MoU List

Sl. No	Collaboration Partner	Signatory	Focal Point	Academia/ Industry/ Government	National/ International	Signing Date	Duration (Year)	Termination Date	Status
1	Islamic University of Technology (IUT)	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	National	12/12/2021	5	12/12/2026	Active
2	Dhaka Chamber of Commerce and Industry (DCCI)	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Industry	National	07/06/2021	5	07/06/2026	Inactive
3	United States Agency for International Development (USAID)	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Industry	International	18/09/2021	2	18/09/2023	Inactive
4	Neural Semiconductor Limited (NSL)	Head, Department of EEE	Head, Department of EEE	Industry	National	16/03/2021	3	16/03/2024	Inactive
5	Bangladesh Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (BCSIR)	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Government	National	29/12/2021	5	29/12/2026	Active
6	Poly Cables Industries Limited	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Industry	National	25/05/2022	2	25/05/2024	Inactive
7	Indian Institute of Science (IISC), Bangalore, India	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Academia	International	01/09/2022	5	01/09/2027	Active
8	GPH Ispat	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Industry	National	22/03/2022	3	22/03/2025	Inactive
9	Walton DIGI-Tech Industries Limited	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Industry	National	18/01/2022	3	18/01/2025	Inactive
10	Walton Hi-Tech Industries PLC	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Industry	National	18/01/2022	3	18/01/2025	Inactive
11	The Governors of the University of Alberta, Canada	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Academia	International	20/07/2022	5	20/07/2027	Active
12	Prime Bank Limited	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Industry	National	23/02/2022	3	23/02/2025	Inactive
13	Jagannath University (JnU)	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Academia	National	31/10/2022	5	31/10/2027	Active
14	Instituto Superior Tecnico (IST), Portugal	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	International	04/07/2022	5	04/07/2027	Active
15	Techno India Group (TIG) and Sister Nivedita University(SNU), India	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Industry	International	15/05/2022	5	15/05/2027	Active
16	Bangladesh Chemical Industries Corporation (BCIC)	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Government	National	23/10/2022	3	23/10/2025	Inactive
17	Wroclaw University of Science & Technology (WUST)	Vice-Chancellor	Head, MME	Academia	International	30/07/2022	5	30/07/2027	Active
18	Technische Hochschule Mittelhessen University of Applied Sciences (THM), Germany	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	International	01/09/2022	3	01/09/2025	Inactive
19	Genex Infrastructure Limited, Bangladesh	Vice-Chancellor	Pro-Vice Chancellor	Industry	National	09/11/2022	25	14/11/2047	Active
20	Petroleum Experts Limited, Scotland, UK	Head, Department of PMRE	Head, Department of PMRE	Industry	International	24/08/2022	Perpetual	-	Active
21	Hoplon Limited	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Industry	National	27/12/2022	2	27/12/2024	Inactive
22	Bangladesh Computer Council (BCC)	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Government	National	18/12/2022	4	19/12/2026	Active
23	Bangladesh Water Partnership (BWP)	Director, IWFM, BUET	Director, IWFM, BUET	Government	National	09/06/2022	5	09/06/2027	Active
24	Bangladesh Energy and Power Research Council (BEPRC)	Vice-Chancellor	Head, EEE	Government	National	06/03/2022	3	06/03/2025	Inactive
25	Unilever Bangladesh Limited	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Industry	National	29/05/2023	5	29/05/2028	Active
26	Hydrocarbon Unit, Energy and Mineral Resources Division	Vice-Chancellor	Dr. Farseem Mannan Mohammedy EEE, BUET	Government	National	27/03/2023	4	27/03/2027	Active
27	Western Sydney University (WSU)	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	International	17/05/2023	5	17/05/2028	Active
28	Ciptor-IT Safe Canada Inc.	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Industry	International	31/01/2023	3	31/01/2026	Inactive
29	Chittagong Chamber of Commerce and Industries (CCCI)	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Industry	National	12/02/2023	5	12/02/2028	Active
30	The KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	International	06/04/2023	5	06/04/2028	Active

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31	Tool and Technology Institute, Bangladesh Industrial Technical Assistance Centre (BITAC)	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Government	National	18/07/2023	3	18/07/2026	Active
32	Partex Star Group	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Industry	National	31/05/2023	3	31/05/2026	Inactive
33	University of Engineering and Management (UEM), Kolkata, India	Vice-Chancellor	Dean, Faculty of CME	Academia	International	16/01/2023	5	16/01/2028	Active
34	North South University	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	National	11/06/2023	5	11/06/2028	Active
35	University of Warwick, University of West Africa, Universitas Gadjah Mada, Institut Teknologi Bandung, Universitas Brawijaya, Udayana University, Ho Chi Minh City University of Technology, Ho Chi Minh City University of Transport, And University of Dhaka	Director, Institute of Water and Flood Management (IWFM)	Director, Institute of Water and Flood Management (IWFM)	Academia	International	20/02/2023	5	20/02/2028	Active
36	Dalhousie University, Halifax, Canada	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Academia	International	08/05/2023	5	08/05/2028	Active
37	University of Limerick (UL)	Vice-Chancellor	Head, MME	Academia	International	14/08/2023	3	14/08/2026	Active
38	Bangladesh Research Education Network Trust (BdREN)	Director, IICT	Director, IICT	Academia	National	17/06/2023	Perpetual	-	Active
39	Housing and Building Research Institute (HBRI)	Head, Department of Civil Engineering	Head, Department of Civil Engineering	Government	National	12/06/2023	5	12/06/2028	Active
40	Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT)	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	International	15/11/2023	5	15/11/2028	Active
41	United International University (UIU)	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	National	02/03/2024	5	02/03/2029	Active
42	Istanbul Technical University	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Academia	International	05/03/2024	5	05/03/2029	Active
43	Concord Engineers and Construction Co.Ltd	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Industry	National	05/03/2024	3	03/05/2027	Active
44	Kaz Software Limited	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Industry	National	03/12/2024	3	03/12/2027	Active
45	Nanjing Agricultural University (NAU), China, & Michigan State University (MSU)	Vice-Chancellor	Director, IWFM, BUET	Academia	International	04/05/2024	5	04/05/2029	Active
46	Lovely Professional University (LPU)	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Academia	International	03/05/2024	5	03/05/2029	Active
47	University of Asia Pacific	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	National	20/05/2024	5	20/05/2029	Active
48	Indian Institute of Technology Bhubaneswar (IITB)	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	International	05/01/2024	3	05/01/2027	Active
49	Indian Institute of Technology (Indian School of Mines) (IITISM)	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Academia	International	02/06/2024	5	02/06/2029	Active
50	Tunku Abdul Rahman University of Management and Technology (TARUMT), Malaysia	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	International	13/05/2024	5	13/05/2029	Active
51	Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur (IITK)	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	International	20/05/2024	5	20/05/2029	Active
52	Bangladesh Petroleum Institute (BPI), EMRD	Vice-Chancellor	Head, Department of PMRE	Government	National	04/02/2023	Perpetual	-	Active
53	FBCCI Innovation and Research Centre and CIDAUK Incubation Centre	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Industry	National	27/02/2023	Perpetual	-	Active
54	Kyushu University	Faculty of Architecture and Planning, Faculty of Civil Engineering	Faculty of Architecture and Planning, Faculty of Civil Engineering	Academia	International	03/03/2024	5	03/03/2029	Active
55	Bangladesh Hi-Tech Park Authority (BHTPA)	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Government	National	30/04/2024	Perpetual	-	Active
56	Chinese Enterprises Association in Bangladesh (CEAB)	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Industry	National	06/03/2024	Perpetual	-	Active
57	INTI International University	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	International	21/07/2024	5	21/07/2029	Active

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58	National Skills Development Authority (NSDA)	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Government	National	06/05/2025	Perpetual	-	Active
59	Singer Bangladesh Ltd	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Industry	National	12/07/2025	5	12/07/2030	Active
60	LaHouse Research and Education Center, LSU AgCenter	Director, IWFM, BUET	Director, RISE	Academia	International	23/03/2025	5	23/03/2030	Active
61	Bangladesh Oil, Gas and Mineral Corporation (Petrobangla PB)	Director, RISE, BUET	Director, RISE	Industry	International	04/12/2025	5	03/12/2030	Active
62	University of Akron, OHIO, USA	Director, RISE, BUET	Director, RISE	Academia	International	11/5/2026	5	11/5/2031	Active
63	University of Peradeniya, Peradeniya 20400, Srilanka	IWFM, BUET	Director, RISE	Academia	International	19/12/2022	3	19/12/2025	Inactive
64	University Corporation for Atmospheric Research acting on behalf of National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR), CO, USA	IWFM, BUET	Director, RISE	Academia	International	20/08/2023	10	20/08/2033	Active
65	Institute De Recherche Pour Le Development (IRD), Trolouse, France	Director, IWFM	Director, RISE	Academia	International	12/2/2024	5	12/2/2029	Active
66	Kumamoto University, Japan	IWFM, BUET	IWFM, BUET	Academia	International	27/06/2022	5	27/06/2027	Active
67	Institute of Geographic Science and Natural Resources Research (IGNRRR), Beijing, China	Director, IWFM	Director, RISE	Academia	International	8/3/2024	3	8/3/2029	Active
68	Academy of Garment Technology	Director, RISE	Director, RISE	Industry	National	27/04/2026	3	27/04/2029	Active
69	Carleton University , Ottawa, Canada	Vice-Chancellor	Director, RISE	Academia	International	18/02/2026	5	18/02/2031	Active

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1	DataSoft Manufacturing and Assembly (DMA)	Director, RISE	Industry	National	04/01/2022	3
2	South East Asian Corporation (SEACO)	Director, RISE	Academia	International	04/01/2022	5
3	Bengal Group of Industries	Director, RISE	Industry	National	13/04/2022	3
4	World Bank	Director, CERM	Government	International	04/08/2022	3 Months
6	Keio University	Director, IICT	Academia	International	16/04/2022	5
7	Bangladesh Lamp Ltd	Arch, BUET	Industry	National	29/03/2022	2
8	Dhaka University	Director, RISE	Academia	National	04/01/2023	5
9	University of Malaya	Head, Physics	Academia	International	29/03/2023	5
10	Anwar Group of Industries (AGI)	Director, RISE	Industry	National	29/03/2023	2
11	Beximco Group	Director, RISE	Industry	National	02/04/2023	3
12	Partex Start Network	Director, IWFM	Industry	National	29/03/2023	3
13	ZTE Corporation Bangladesh Limited	Director, RISE	Industry	International	05/08/2023	3
14	DBL Group	Director, RISE	Industry	National	27/12/2023	3
15	Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman Aviation and Aerospace University (BSMRAAU)	Director, RISE	Academia	National	27/12/2023	10
16	Chittagong University of Engineering and Technology (CUET)	Director, RISE	Academia	National	27/02/2024	5
17	Institute for Multidisciplinary Science Yokohama National University, Japan	Head, Department of Physics	Academia	International	27/12/2023	5
18	University of Texas at Arlington (UTA)	Dr. Ishtiaque Ahmed, Professor,CE	Academia	International	27/02/2024	5
19	Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM), Malaysia	Director, RISE	Academia	International	19/05/2024	3
20	University of Debrecen (UD)	Director, RISE	Academia	International	29/04/2025	3
21	Nottingham Trent University (NTU)	Director, RISE	Academia	International	28/06/2025	3
22	China Shangdong International Economic & Technical Cooperation Group Co. Ltd.(CSIETC)	Director, RISE	Industry	International	23/02/2025	5
23	Swami Vivekananda University,India	Director, RISE	Academia	International	05/02/2025	5

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24	Dhaka Transport Coordination Authority (DTCA)	Dr. Sk. Md. Mashrur, Assistant Professor, CE	Government	National	28/06/2025	5
25	Dhaka Mass Transit Company Limited (DMTCL)	Dr. Sk. Md. Mashrur, Assistant Professor, CE	Government	National	28/06/2025	5
26	Henan Communication Planning & Design Institute Co. Ltd. (HNDI), Zhegzhou, China	Director, RISE	Academia	International	28/05/2025	5
27	Wuhan University of Technology (WHU)	Director, RISE	Academia	International	08/07/2025	3
28	University of Akron, OHIO,USA	RISE, Office	Academia	International	12/4/2026	
29	Tennessee Tech University	Dr. A.K.M Monjur Morshed, ME	Academia	International	12/4/2026	5
30	Wichita State University	Dr. Hossen Asiful Mostafa, IICT	Academia	International	12/4/2026	5
31	Florida International University	Dr. Mohammad Asad Hussain	Academia	International	12/4/2026	5
33	University of Huston, Texas, USA	RISE, Office	Academia	International	12/4/2026	5
34	MoST and Bridge Partners Limited	RISE, Office	Academia	International	12/4/2026	5
35	Proyash Institute of Special Education	Dr. A.B.M. Harun-ur-Rashid	Academia	National	12/4/2026	5

MoU Statistics – Graphical Overview

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Table 1: Detailed Status of MoUs

Year	Approved		Approved	Signed		Signed	Under Process		Under Process	Total
	International	National		International	National		International	National		
2021	0	0	0	1	4	5	-	-	0	5
2022	3	3	6	8	12	20	2	1	3	29
2023	3	6	9	9	10	19	3		3	31
2024	2	1	3	11	6	17	3	1	4	24
2025	6	2	8	2	2	4	8	0	2	14
2026	6	1	7	2	1	3	2	1	3	13
Total	20	13	33	33	35	65	18	3	25	116

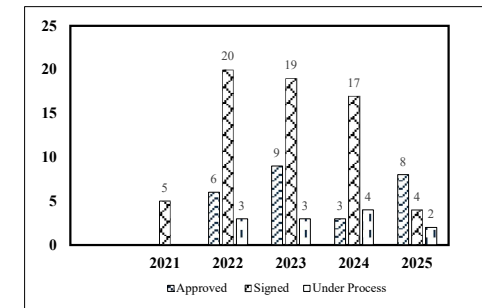


Figure 1: Detailed Status of MoUs

Table 2: Distribution of MoUs Based on Partner Category

Category	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	Total
Academia	1	11	17	20	8	12	69
Government	1	5	4	1	3	0	14
Industry	3	13	10	3	3	1	33
Total	5	29	31	24	14	13	116

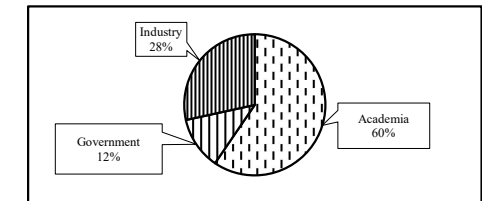


Figure 2: Distribution of MoUs Based on Partner Category

Table 3: Distribution of MoUs Based on National/International

Category	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	Total
International	1	16	15	16	10	10	68
National	4	13	16	8	4	3	48
Total	5	29	31	24	14	13	116

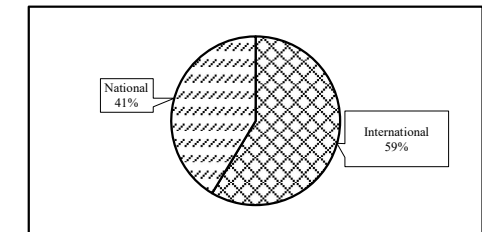


Figure 3: Distribution of MoUs Based on National/International

Table 4: List of Active/Inactive MoUs

Category	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	Total
Active	2	10	17	17	4	3	53
Inactive	3	10	2	0	0	1	16
Total	5	20	19	17	4	3	69

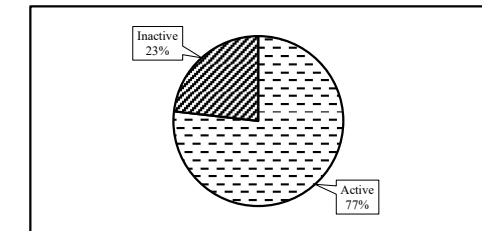


Figure 4: Distribution of Active/Inactive MoUs