

# UNIVERSITY OF BARISHAL



## A Project Proposal

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## **Project Objective:**

The aim of this project is to gain a deeper understanding of students' thoughts, ideas, and perceptions about the University of Barishal (BU). This study will focus on areas such as the quality of education, campus facilities, student life, administration, future expectations, and the overall reputation of the university. The insights collected will help identify areas for improvement and provide recommendations for enhancing the student experience.

## **Project Background:**

The University of Barishal is one of the emerging public universities in Bangladesh, with significant potential for growth and development. With the growing student population, understanding the experiences and opinions of the students is crucial in shaping future policies and enhancing educational quality. Students' perspectives can help guide administrative decisions, improve teaching methods, and better support student needs.

## **Research Questions:**

- How do students perceive the quality of education at the University of Barishal?
- What are students' opinions on campus facilities and infrastructure?
- How do students view their academic programs and curriculum?
- What are students' expectations from the administration and faculty?
- How satisfied are students with the campus environment, including extracurricular activities?
- What are students' future aspirations in connection with their education at the University of Barishal?

## **Methodology:**

To gather comprehensive data, a mixed-methods approach will be used, combining quantitative and qualitative research methods.

**Surveys:** A structured questionnaire will be distributed to a representative sample of students. The survey will include both closed and open-ended questions, covering aspects like teaching quality, campus facilities, student support, administration, and overall student satisfaction.

**Interviews:** In-depth interviews will be conducted with a small group of students to gain qualitative insights. These interviews will explore their personal experiences, challenges, and suggestions for improvement.

**Focus Group Discussions:** A series of focus group discussions will be organized with diverse student groups (e.g., first-year students, senior students, international students) to encourage open dialogue and exchange of ideas.

**Document Analysis:** A review of existing institutional reports, academic bulletins, and student satisfaction surveys can provide background context and identify trends.

## **Target Audience:**

The primary target for this research will be students currently enrolled at the University of Barishal. A diverse sample representing different academic disciplines, year groups, and backgrounds will be chosen to capture a broad range of perspectives.

## **Data Analysis:**

**Quantitative Data:** Data from surveys will be analyzed using statistical tools (such as SPSS or Excel) to identify patterns, correlations, and key trends in student responses.

**Qualitative Data:** Data from interviews and focus groups will be transcribed and analyzed using thematic analysis to identify recurring themes and insights.

## **Expected Outcomes:**

- **Insight into Students' Needs:** Understanding the academic and extracurricular needs of students will help the university design more effective support systems.
- **Campus Improvement Recommendations:** Identifying specific areas for improving infrastructure and campus facilities based on students' feedback.

- Curriculum Development: Providing feedback to university faculty and administrators on curriculum effectiveness and alignment with students' career goals.
- Student Satisfaction Report: Offering a comprehensive report on student satisfaction with the university experience, which can serve as a baseline for future improvements.

### **Timeline:**

Activity	Timeline
Literature Review & Preparation	3 weeks
Survey Design & Pre-testing	1 weeks
Data Collection (Surveys, Interviews, Focus Groups)	1 weeks
Data Analysis	5 days
Report Writing & Recommendations	3 days
Presentation & Feedback	1 days

### **Budget Estimate:**

The budget will cover expenses such as:

- Printing and distribution of surveys: Tk.200
- Transportation for interviews and focus groups: Tk.150
- Incentives for participants: Tk.300
- Data analysis software (if needed): Tk.100
- Miscellaneous costs (stationery, refreshments, etc.): Tk.50

Total Estimated Budget: Tk.800

**Project Impact:**

This project will contribute significantly to understanding the needs and perceptions of students at the University of Barishal. The results could lead to a stronger student support system, improvements in academic and extracurricular offerings, and better alignment between the administration and student expectations. Furthermore, the findings could serve as a reference for future university development strategies, helping BU enhance its reputation and student satisfaction.

**Conclusion:**

By gathering direct feedback from students, this project aims to create actionable recommendations that will contribute to the continued success and improvement of the University of Barishal. Students' ideas are a key driving force for institutional growth, and by acknowledging their voices, the university can continue to develop into a world-class academic institution.