**2nd Symposium on Bangla Computational Linguistics, 2018**

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   Dear Sir/Madam,

You will be happy to know that we are going to organize the 2nd Symposium on Bangla Computational Linguistics on July 28, 2018 , at Shahjalal University of Science and Technology (SUST), Sylhet, Bangladesh. This Symposium aims to bring together all researchers and scholars to exchange and share their experiences, knowledge and  research outputs on Bangla Natural Language Processing and Computational Linguistics. We plan to invite academicians, researchers, developers, policy makers, linguistics or other important stakeholders working in this field so that we can benchmark various efforts.  We will also get the chance to discuss the challenges involved and their probable future solutions in this Symposium. We would like to cordially invite you to be an honorable guest of our Symposium and deliver a talk on any topic related to Bangla Computational Linguistics.

We will support your accommodation along with meals and your travel arrangements. We will start processing your travel plans on receiving your confirmation to attend this Symposium.

There will be a session called 3MP (3 Minute Pitch) Competition for undergraduate and post-graduate students, where students will pitch their research ideas in 3 minutes to a group of panelists and audiences. There will be exciting prizes for the winners. This competition will allow the students researching in this field to harness their presentation skill. For the student participants, there are a limited number of travel grants available. If any of your research students would like to participate in this competition, they can register their interest by accessing the following URL:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/symposium-on-bangla-computational-linguistics-tickets-47806592806>

 We are looking forward to welcome you in this symposium.

Regards,

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