With globalization of economies along with technological advancement, organizations are becoming increasingly disruptive. Innovative organizational models and practices have become crucial to address this complexity. Consequently, leadership in this environment requires more contextualized levels of knowledge and skills. IBA has designed a DBA program to serve these needs by providing doctoral-level education to academics and practitioners in business and management to ensure that the changing managerial practices are translated into academic knowledge.

**Criteria for Eligibility**

(i) MBA/EMBA/Masters in any business-related subjects (e.g. Accounting, HR, Marketing, Finance) or equivalent degree from recognised academic institutions with minimum CGPA 3.00 (on a 4-point scale) or equivalent.

(ii) Minimum 7 years of full-time work experience after Bachelor's degree or 2 years of teaching/research experience.

(iii) Minimum 50% marks in all public examinations. Minimum 2nd division or CGPA 3.50 (on a 5-point scale) in SSC & HSC.

(iv) Minimum CGPA 3.00 (on a 4-point scale) at Bachelor’s degree.

(v) Pass Course Bachelor's degree holders are not eligible to apply.

(vi) Equivalence certificate from the Equivalence Committee of the University of Dhaka (for all private and foreign university certificates/degrees).

(vii) Two letters of recommendation (one from an organization supervisor and the other from an academic supervisor).

(viii) A short "Statement of Purpose" setting forth the reasons for pursuing doctoral study, personal objectives, and career plans. (Maximum 2 A4 size pages, double spaced)

(ix) A write-up on research intent (maximum 4 A4 pages, double-spaced) addressing the area of interest, the motivation or rationale for choosing that area, and the intended business contribution.

(x) All certificates, transcripts, and documents mentioned in the form.

**How to apply**

(i) The application form can be downloaded from the IBA website (www.iba-du.edu)

(ii) Applicants must submit their application with the potential supervisor's consent. Applications will not be accepted in the absence of consent.

(iii) Payment of Tk. 2,500.00 (Two Thousand Five hundred taka only) can be made online to the following account in Sonali Bank: A/C Name: DBA, IBA, A/C No: 4405734262525, Routing No: 200271750, Sonali Bank Limited, Dhaka University Branch.

(iv) The filled-in application form along with the proof of payment will have to be emailed to the following email address: dba@iba-du.edu

**Last Date of Submission of Application: November 15, 2020 (Sunday)**

**Selection**

After a preliminary assessment, the shortlisted candidates pre-selected by supervisors of IBA will be required to sit for a research writing skill test where the suitability of the candidate for the DBA program will be tested and they will also appear before an interview board to defend their research intent for final selection.

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