



Sharing Our Achievements

Exhibition and Talks 5 -7 May 2011 Canberra Australia

The Bangladeshi Architects in Australia (BAA) in association with the High Commission for the People's Republic of Bangladesh in Australia and the Australian Institute of Architects (AIA) is launching its second exhibition and talk *"Sharing Our Achievements"* over 3 days in May 2011 in Canberra, Australia.

Venue:Ann Harding Conference Centre, Building 24, University of
Canberra, ACTDates:Launch Thursday 5 May 2011;
Exhibition 6-7 May 2011Time:Lauch 6:00pm for 6:30pm start;
Exhibition 10.00am to 5.00pm

This exhibition and talk will focus on the Architectural achievements in Bangladesh and here in Australia aiming to generate ideas, how some of these knowledge and experiences can be appropriately used to benefit the development and progress of Bangladesh.

The displays of the exhibition will include the works from:

- the Bangladeshi-Australian Architects studying/working in Australia.
- the great Architects of the century like Louis I Kahn, Stanley Tigerman, Doxiadis, Paul Rudolph and Muzharul Islam, and
- a few nationally and internationally acclaimed Bangladeshi Architects like Bashirul Huq, Rafiq Azam, Mustafa Khalid, Tanya Karim, and Uttam Kumar Shaha.

The exhibition will be opened by the President of the Australian Institute of Architects (AIA) and the welcoming speech will be delivered by the Hon. High Commissioner for the People's Republic of Bangladesh in Australia. The Presidents of the AIA NSW chapter, AIA ACT chapter and the Institute of Architects Bangladesh (IAB) will address at the exhibition. Prominent Australian Architect Paul Pholeros AO will share his experiences in remote Indigenous housing in Australia and his works in Nepal. There will also be presentations from the current President of the Commonwealth Association of Architects (CAA)



In celebrating the 40 years of independence of Bangladesh, this exhibition will launch a series of exhibitions and seminars in Australia over the next one year to demonstrate the contributions of Bangladeshi-Australian professionals working in various fields such as Architecture, Engineering, Health, Agriculture, Education, Research, Information Technology, Science etc.

For more information please visit BAA website <u>www.baa-arch.org</u>