



## Centre on Budget and Policy

**The Centre on Budget and Policy, University of Dhaka** cordially invites you to a  
***Pre-Budget Consultation 2017 with particular focus on  
Tertiary Education, Women Entrepreneurship Development and New VAT System***

**Prof. Dr. AAMS Arefin Siddique**, Honorable Vice Chancellor, University of Dhaka has kindly given his consent to grace the occasion as the **Chief Guest**; **Barrister Jahangir Hossain**, Member, NBR (VAT Policy), **Prof. Farid Uddin Ahmed**, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, **Prof. Dr. ASM Maksud Kamal**, President, Dhaka University Teachers' Association, **Prof. Dr. Rahmat Ullah**, Dean, Faculty of Law, University of Dhaka, **Dr. Nazneen Ahmed**, Senior Research Fellow, Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies (BIDS), will remain present as **Designated Discussants**. **Prof. Dr. Bazlul Hoque Khondker**, Professor, Department of Economics, University of Dhaka and **Prof. Dr. M. Abu Eusuf**, Director, Centre on Budget and Policy & Chairman, Department of Development Studies, University of Dhaka will make the keynote presentation. **Prof. Dr. Md. Kamal Uddin**, Chairman, Centre on Budget and Policy & Treasurer, University of Dhaka will preside over the consultation.

**Date:** Wednesday, 17 May 2017; **Time:** 11.00 am to 1.00 pm

**Venue:** Prof. Abdul Matin Chaudhury Virtual (Senate Conference Room - Old), Beside VC Office, University of Dhaka

Your kind presence will be highly appreciated.

**Prof. Dr. M. Abu Eusuf**  
Director, Centre on Budget and Policy  
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**Prof. Dr. Md. Kamal Uddin**  
Chairman, Centre on Budget and Policy  
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Program Overleaf

## Program Schedule

10.45 – 11.00	Registration & Guests take their seats
11.00 – 11.10	Welcome address by <b>Prof. Dr. Niaz Ahmed Khan</b> , Professor, Department of Development Studies, University of Dhaka
11.10 – 11.40	Keynote presentation by <b>Prof. Dr. Bazlul Hoque Khondker</b> , Department of Economics & <b>Prof. Dr. M. Abu Eusuf</b> , Director, Centre on Budget and Policy and Chairman, Department of Development Studies, University of Dhaka
11.40 – 12.15	Comments by the <b>Designated Discussants</b> : <b>Dr. Nazneen Ahmed</b> , Senior Research Fellow, BIDS <b>Prof. Dr. Rahmat Ullah</b> , Dean, Faculty of Law, University of Dhaka <b>Barrister Jahangir Hossain</b> , Member, NBR (VAT Policy) <b>Prof. Dr. ASM Maksud Kamal</b> , President, Dhaka University Teachers' Association <b>Prof. Farid Uddin Ahmed</b> , Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Dhaka
12.15 – 12.40	<b>Open Discussions</b>
12.40 – 12.50	Speech by the <b>Chief Guest Prof. Dr. AAMS Arefin Siddique</b> , Honorable Vice Chancellor, University of Dhaka
12.50 – 13.00	Concluding Remarks by the <b>Chair of the event Professor Dr. Md. Kamal Uddin</b> , Chairman, Centre on Budget and Policy & Honorable Treasurer, University of Dhaka
13.00	Lunch