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## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 4TH MEETING WAS HELD

On April 8, the 4th meeting of the National Executive Committee of the Interior Designers Association of Bangladesh for the fiscal year 2024-2025 was held in Gulshan, Dhaka.

The meeting was presided over by the president of the organization, Mr. IDr. Syed Quamrul Ahsan, and moderated by Senior Vice President Mr. Md. Saiful Islam Sharon.

Several important discussions took place during the session. Among the attendees were Former Convener IDr. Shafiul Islam, Vice President Ar. Sajib Jahan, Director Interior Architect Muhammad Shariful Islam, IDr. Wasim Sikder, Architect Ismail Parvez, IDr. Suman Pramanik, IDr. Md. Enamul Haque, Interior Architect Niyazur Rahman, IDr. Abdur Rahim, and IDr. Rashed Mazhar.

One of the key decisions made during the meeting was the organization of the 2025 Design Competition, along with several other significant resolutions.

## HIGHLIGHT

**IDAB EC  
4TH & 5TH GENERAL  
MEETING WAS HELD.**

**IDAB  
CELEBRATE WORLD  
INTERIOR DAY 2025**

**SIGNING  
CEREMONY  
WITH SWISH**

**IDAB  
EXCELENCE IN  
INTERIOR  
DESIGN AWARD 2024**

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## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 5TH MEETING WAS HELD



The 5th Executive Committee meeting of the Interior Designers Association of Bangladesh (IDAB) was held in Panthapath, Dhaka on May 13, 2025. The meeting was presided over by the President of the organization, Mr. IDr. Syed Quamrul Ahsan, and moderated by Senior Vice President IDr. Md. Saiful Islam Sharan.

The meeting was attended by Vice Presidents Architect Sajib Jahan, Interior Architect Muhammad Shariful Islam, Architect Ismail Parvez, IDr. Suman Pramanik, IDr. Muhammad Anamul Haque, IDr. Niyazur Rahman, IDr. Rashed Mazhar, Interior Architect Selim Chowdhury Nirzhar, Ar. Mutasim Billah Al-Abbasi, Mohit Mohammad, IAr. Arnika Rahman, Ar. Imrul Sadik, Ar. Ahnaf Ameer Ashraf, Mia Md. Hossain, Sabrina Suraiya Suba, and Umme Humayra.

Important decisions were taken in the meeting to strengthen the organizational structure and make its operations more dynamic. On this occasion, the Membership Standing Committee and the Award Standing Committee were formed.

The attending members engaged in constructive discussions regarding the organization's future direction and professional development.



### World Interior Day 2025

**Special Webinar by**  
**Interior Designers Association Of Bangladesh**  
 Shaping the Future of Bangladesh's Interior Design Industry

**Date:** 31st May 2025  
**Time:** 7:00 Pm  
**Live At Online Platform**



**IDAB**  
 INTERIOR DESIGNERS  
 ASSOCIATION OF BANGLADESH

#### Keynote Speakers



Architect A.F.M. Mohiuddin Akhand  
 Associate Professor  
 Shanto-Mariam University of Creative Technology



Ar. Syed Tawqif Munawar  
 Sub-Editor & TV Host,  
 Member of IAB  
 Coordinator - PACB Interior Forum



Ar. Abu Eleas Linkon  
 Member of IAB  
 Convener - PACB Interior Forum



Maruf Leakat  
 General Secretary  
 BICA



Safiqul Alam Shaon  
 Admin  
 Interior Design Bangladesh

The Interior Designers Association of Bangladesh (IDAB) organized a special online webinar on May 31, 2025, in celebration of World Interiors Day 2025. Titled "Shaping the Future of Bangladesh's Interior Design Industry," the event brought together prominent architects, interior designers, researchers, and industry leaders from across the country to discuss the current challenges, prospects, and future roadmap of Bangladesh's interior design sector.

Key Topics and Highlights from the Webinar:

The participating experts addressed several crucial areas, including:

1. IDr. Shafiul Islam Babu (Founding Convener, IDAB):  
 He reflected on the struggle behind establishing IDAB, the process of formalizing the organization with legal authorities, and the heritage and future potential of the interior design profession in Bangladesh.
2. Ar. A.F.M. Mohiuddin Akhand (Associate Professor, SMUCT):  
 He emphasized the need to recognize interior design as a dedicated professional field and advocated for its equal status and mission alongside the architecture profession.
3. Maruf Liaquat (General Secretary, BICA):  
 He proposed a vision to make 2030 the "Golden Era" of interior design in Bangladesh and outlined strategies to position Bangladeshi interior design prominently in the global market.
4. Shafiqul Alam Shawon (Admin, Interior Design Bangladesh - IDB):  
 He called for setting a justified design fee structure, recognizing professional expertise, and promoting professionalism across all client segments to transform interior design into a respected profession.

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 Bangladesh's  
 Interior Design  
 Industry.

5. Ar. Syed Tawseef Munwar (Sub-editor, TV Host, IAB Member, Coordinator – PSCB Interior Forum):

He highlighted the importance of sustainable interior design through the use of eco-friendly materials and ensuring fire safety, particularly in emergency scenarios, within the context of Bangladesh.

6. Ar. Abu Elias Lincoln (IAB Member, Convener – PSCB Interior Forum):

He emphasized the need to eliminate the practice of providing free design services and advocated for standardizing professional fees for 3D visualization/rendering to uplift industry standards.

**Event Moderation:**

The webinar was held at 7:00 PM via an online platform. On behalf of IDAB, it was jointly moderated by Interior Architect Niazur Rahman and Architect Ahnaph Azmir.

**DAB's Vision:**

Speakers collectively agreed that empowering young designers, enhancing professional standards, and achieving international leadership in design can significantly organize and energize the interior design industry in Bangladesh. IDAB is committed to working collaboratively with the government, industry stakeholders, and educational institutions to realize this vision.

### SPONSORSHIP SIGNING CEREMONY OF "IDAB EXCELLENCE IN INTERIOR DESIGN AWARDS 2024" WITH SWISH

The Interior Designers Association of Bangladesh (IDAB) proudly announces the sponsorship signing ceremony of the "IDAB Excellence in Interior Design Awards 2024," held at the head office of the premium brand SWISH on April 8, 2025.

This year marks the launch of the country's most prestigious and grand interior design award event—IDAB Excellence in Interior Design Awards 2024.

The primary objective of this initiative is to recognize the creativity, innovative thinking, and professional excellence of the nation's leading interior designers. This event stands as a major step toward elevating Bangladesh's interior design industry to an international standard.

