



Memo No.- GAU/ENT/HEAT Project-13695/Fellowship (PhD-MS)/2026/31

Date:26/04/2026

Circular for Graduate Scholarships under the HEAT Sub-Project (SP 13695)

Graduate scholarships are available under the Higher Education Acceleration and Transformation (HEAT) Sub-Project (PIN: 13695) of Gazipur Agricultural University (GAU) entitled:

“Climate Resilient Apiculture for Livelihood Improvement in Bangladesh”

The project is funded by the Government of Bangladesh and the World Bank through the University Grants Commission (UGC) of Bangladesh under the HEAT Project. The sub-project will recruit **one (01) PhD student** in the Department of Entomology.

Available Position

PhD Fellowship (Total: 01)

Discipline: Entomology

Research Areas: The PhD fellow will conduct comprehensive research covering:

- Queen rearing and breeding techniques
- Migratory beekeeping management
- Modern apiary management
- Market-oriented value-added bee products

Eligibility:

- MS degree in Entomology or a closely related discipline from a recognized agricultural university (home or abroad)
- Minimum CGPA of 3.50 (out of 4.00 or equivalent)

Preferred Qualifications:

- Research experience in apiculture and beekeeping
- Peer-reviewed journal publication(s)
- Skills in data analysis and report writing
- Ability to work independently and as part of a research team
- Proficiency in English communication (oral and written)

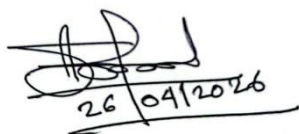
Terms of Reference (ToR)

1. PhD applicants must be eligible for admission to the PhD program of the Department of Entomology, Gazipur Agricultural University (GAU).
2. Candidates who are already admitted or intend to seek admission to the Department of Entomology, GAU are eligible to apply.
3. **Stipend:** BDT 40,000 per month for up to 30 months (subject to revision and extension based on project requirements).

4. Fellows are required to conduct research, perform project-related activities, and complete his thesis in alignment with project objectives under the supervision of the Sub-Project Manager (SPM).
5. Selected fellows must submit a written undertaking confirming that they will complete the degree program without discontinuation.
6. Applicants currently employed must apply through proper administrative channels.
7. Interested candidates should submit a formal application along with a detailed Curriculum Vitae (CV) to the Sub-Project Manager.

Application Submission

Applications must be submitted **by 21 May 2026**, during office hours, to the undersigned.



(Professor Dr. Md. Ahsanul Haque)

Sub-Project Manager (SPM)

HEAT Project, PIN No. 13695

Department of Entomology

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