

Executive Director of IWM Participated in a Workshop On Project Implementation & Good Governance

Mr. Abu Saleh Khan, Executive Director of Institute of Water Modelling (IWM) participated in a Workshop on “**Project Implementation & Good Governance**” at Pani Bhaban on 18th September 2021.

The workshop was chaired by **Mr. Kabir Bin Anwar**, Senior Secretary of Ministry of Water Resources (MOWR) and Chairperson of IWM Board of Trustees. Honorable Minister of State of MOWR, Mr. Zaheed Farooque graced the occasion as Chief Guest. Mr. AKM Enamul Hoque Shameem, MP, Hon’ble Deputy Minister of Ministry of Water Resources, Mr. Khandker Anwarul Islam, Cabinet Secretary and Mr. Ramendra Nath Biswas Member (Secretary), Agriculture, Water Resources and Rural Institutions Division, Planning Commission were present as Special Guest.



Mr. Abu Saleh Khan delivered a short speech focusing on Project Implementation and Good Governance Practices

In his speech, **Mr. Abu Saleh Khan** emphasized on the necessity of Good Governance for successful project implementation. He highlighted the work process of IWM and mentioned that Bangladesh Water Development Board is playing instrumental role for the implementation of water structures all over Bangladesh and have a strong Design and Planning Unit. He emphasized the necessity of providing sufficient time and resources in the feasibility studies in order to produce the best outputs.

In his speech of Special Guest, **Mr. Khandker Anwarul Islam**, Cabinet Secretary of Government of Bangladesh, praised the works of IWM and CEGIS in supporting the BWDB. Citing as an example, Mr. Cabinet Secretary mentioned that during the tenure in the Bridge Division he had interactions with ED IWM and is aware of their potentials. He emphasized the requirement to maintain good quality services with a good governance.

Dr. Saiyid Hassan Sikder, Chief (Additional Secretary), Industries and Energy Division, Planning Commission presented the key note paper on “**Feasibility Study on Development Project Planning, Designing and Implementation Perspective**”. Among the other participants, Mr. Fazlur Rashid, Director General of Bangladesh Water Development Board (BWDB), Mr. Delwar Hossain, Director General of Water Resources and Planning Organization (WARPO), Malik Fida A Khan, Executive Director (In-Charge), CEGIS were also present.