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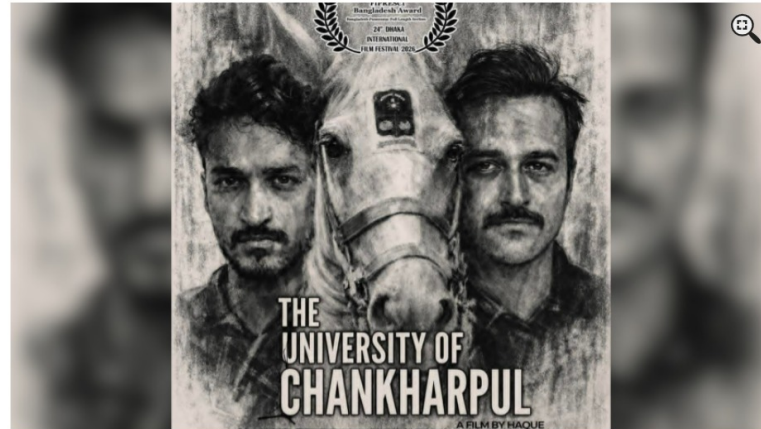


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After a two-week delay from its planned Eid-ul-Azha release, Akash Haque's political satire "The University of Chankarpul" is finally set to hit theatres tomorrow (June 12).

The film has secured screenings at both Star Cineplex and Lion Cinemas. Star Cineplex will host two daily shows at 11:10 am and 4:45 pm, while Lion Cinemas has scheduled screenings at 4:40 pm and 7:30 pm.

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Directed, written and produced by Akash Haque, "The University of Chankarpul" has already generated significant buzz among audiences for its bold portrayal of university hall culture, student politics, power struggles and youth aspirations. The film follows a group of university students caught in fierce competition for political influence on campus, exposing the realities of power, hierarchy and ideological conflicts within student politics.

The film features a largely fresh-faced cast, including Devodyuti Aich, Rocky Khan, Bobby Biswas, Akhtaruzzaman Azad, Abu Sayed, Ifad Hasan and Niloy Bala.

Before its theatrical release, "The University of Chankarpul" enjoyed an impressive run on the festival circuit. The film won the FIPRESCI Award for Best Full-Length Feature Film in the Bangladesh Panorama section at the Dhaka International Film Festival, where it received overwhelming audience response.

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The film's success continued at the 24th Amar Bhashar Chalachitra Festival, organised by the Dhaka University Film Society, where it won the prestigious Hiralal Sen Award for Best Film as well as the Best Screenplay award.

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