

Canadian team visits BRRI

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An academic delegation of Global Institute for Food Security (GIFS) at the University of Saskatchewan from Canada headed by its Director of Strategic Partnership Coordination Steve Visscher visited Bangladesh Rice Research

Institute (BRRI) on February 9, 2020.

BRRI Director General Dr Md Shahjahan Kabir presided over the opinion exchange meeting organized



on the occasion while BRRI Director (Research) Dr Tamal Lata Aditya and BRRI Director (Administration) Dr Krishna Pada Halder, Heads of BRRI

research divisions and sections were present.

Sharing his ideas in an opinion exchange meeting Visscher pointed out that visiting BRRI was an eye opening experience for him about Bangladesh's Food security and resilience. He also remarked that collection of about eight thou-

sand germplasm in BRRI gene bank is a hidden treasure for exploring new varieties and increasing genetic gain.