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China Lays out Its Vision to Become a Tech Power

China aims to become a world leader in advanced industries, such as semiconductors and in the next generation of chip materials, robotics, aviation equipment and satellites, the government said in its blueprint for development between 2016 and 2020. In its new draft five-year development plan unveiled recently. Beijing also said it aims to use the internet to bolster a slowing economy and make the country a cyber power. China aims to boost its R&D spending to 2.5 percent of gross domestic product for the five-year period, compared with 2.1 percent of GDP in 2011-2015. Innovation is the primary driving force for the country's development, Premier Li Keqiang said in a speech at the start of the annual full session of parliament. China is hoping to marry its tech sector's nimbleness and ability to gather and process mountains of data to make other, traditional areas of the economy more advanced and efficient, with an eye to shoring up its slowing economy and helping transition to a growth model that is driven more by services and consumption than by exports and investment. This policy, known as 'Internet Plus', also applies to government, health care and education.

As technology has come to permeate every layer of Chinese business and society, controlling technology and using technology to exert control have become key priorities for the government. China will implement its 'cyber power strategy', the five-year plan said, underscoring the weight Beijing gives to controlling the Internet, both for domestic national security and the aim of becoming a powerful voice in international governance of the web. China aims to increase Internet control capabilities, set up a network security review system, strengthen cyberspace control and promote a multilateral, democratic and transparent international Internet governance system, according to the plan. Since President Xi Jinping came to power in early 2013, the government has increasingly reined in the Internet, seeing the web as a crucial domain for controlling public opinion and eliminating anti-Communist Party sentiment. China will 'strengthen the struggle against enemies in online sovereign space and increase control of online public sentiment,' said the plan. It will also 'perfect cybersecurity laws and legislation'.

Such laws and regulations have sparked fear amongst foreign businesses operating in China, and prompted major powers to express concern to Beijing over three new or planned laws, including one on counterterrorism. These laws codify sweeping powers for the government to combat perceived threats, from widespread censorship to heightened control over certain technologies

ASUS 100 Series Gaming Motherboards Launched in Bangladesh

Realizing the huge demand of gaming, Global Brand Pvt. Ltd. the authorized distributor of ASUS in Bangladesh has released ASUS 100 Series motherboards in the local IT market of Bangladesh. The models are MAXIMUS VIII



RANGER, Z170 PRO GAMING,B150 PRO GAMING D3 and H170 PRO GAMING motherboard. The motherboards are packed full of features that we typically look for to maximize our gaming experience. The motherboard supports Intel 6th Generation Core i7, Core i5, Core i3, Pentium, Celeron Processors in the Intel socket 1151, full support for PCIE SSD and SATA modes. ASUS 100-series motherboards are breakthrough, Easy-to-use, stable and trusted •

Acer of Twenty Laptop Model Three Year Bikrayattara Service

Bangladesh distributor of world famous PC maker Acer Acer Executive Technologies Ltd. Bangladesh market of the twenty three year old laptop models announced bikrayattara service. Acer V-series 14-inch and 15.6-inch screen is ayaspayara lyapatapagulote this is the fifth generation of Intel Core i III

processor, 4 GB of RAM, 500 GB or 1000 GB hard disk. Any configuration of these laptops are available in black, red, white, yellow and blue colors of the imposing interiyare. Acer's ayaspayara efive series, like other laptops have lyapatapaguloteo five and a half hours of battery backup, high-



speed wireless AC and Gigabit LAN, VGA and HDMI ports, USB Power of Three carajim, Acer True Harmony all the features, including audio.

Bikrayattara three years has kept the price of services, including laptops, 500 GB hard disk and a 1000 GB hard disk with Tk 33,000 from Tk 34,000.

Also serving the market with the year bikrayattara ayaspayara Acer One 14-series has brought two models. Three of the fifthgeneration Intel Core i processors, 4 GB RAM, 500 GB or 1000 GB hard disk to hold the sale price Rs 31.300 and Rs 32300 respectively. Contact 01919, leave, leave

UIU is Now Connected with SSLCOMMERZ Network

Recently an agreement regarding Online Payment Gateway Service has been signed between United International University and SSL (Software Shop Ltd.) Wireless. As per agreement, UIU students would be able to make payment of their tuition & other fees through Debit/Credit Card, Nexus Card, Bkash or Mobile Banking any time from their own house.



Prof. A.S.M. Salahuddin, Registrar - United International University and Ashish Chakrabarty, General Manager - SSL Wireless signed the agreement on behalf of their respective organizations in the main campus of United International University. Prof. Dr. M. Rezwan Khan, Vice Chancellor and Prof. Dr. Chowdhury Mofizur Rahman, Pro-Vice Chancellor on the part of United International University and Saqib Nayeem, Head - E-Business and Mahbubur Rashid Khan, Manager - E-Business from SSL Wireless were also present in the program

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