Resume of Brig Gen (Rtd) Dr. Muhammad Sakhawat Hussain

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Educational Profile

PhD, Bangladesh University of Professional (BUP) Research Theme: *Electoral Governance Electoral Governance in Bangladesh and South Asia, 2018*

M.Phil., Bangladesh University of Professionals (BUP) Dhaka Research Theme: *Electoral Reform in Bangladesh* 1972-2008

Masters of Sciences on Strategic Studies: Qaid-e-Azam University 1977.

Graduate of United States Command & Staff College (USACGSC) Ft Leavenworth, Kansas, USA-1981-1982.

Graduate of Command & Staff College Mirpur, Bangladesh 1979

Professional Experiences

Brigadier General (Retired), Bangladesh Armed Forces

Election Commissioner, Bangladesh Election Commission (BEC) 2007-2012

Commissioned in Pakistan Army in 1966 and retired from Bangladesh Military

Director, Sonali Bank. (The largest commercial Bank)

Areas of professional Expertise:

Electoral Governance, Development Dynamics, Terrorism and Security studies, Comparative Development Studies.

Teaching Experiences

Guest Speaker, MPPG Program, North South University since 2011 Resource Speaker, National Defence College, Bangladesh Resource Speaker, Defence Services and Staff College, Bangladesh Resource Speaker, Department of Public Administration, University of Dhaka, Resource Speaker, Department of Political Science, Jahangir Nagar University Resource Speaker Foreign Services Academy, Government of Bangladesh Guest Speaker, Police Staff College, Bangladesh

Core Areas of Research:

Electoral Governance, National security National and International Defense Affairs, and Election Analyst and Monitoring.

Published Books (English)

Electoral reform in Bangladesh 1972-2008, Palak Publishers, 2012 Regional Conflict: Impact on Global Peace, Palak Publishers, 2008 Matter Military, Palak Publishers, 2008 Terrorism in South Asia: Bangladesh Perspective, Palak Publishers, 2007 South Asian Tangle, Palak Publishers, 2007

Published Books (Bengali)

Bangladesh: Roktakto Adhay 1975-81, 1997 Jonogoner rajkumari Diana, 1998 Antorjatik Shontrasher Iti Kotha Afghaanistan hote America, 2002 Tel-Gas Nobbo Uponibeshbad, 2003 Dokhin Asia o Bangaldesher Nirapotta, 2006 Moddo[rachey Shonghat: Bortoman O vobishot, 2006 Asthir Bisho O Amader Rajniti, 2008 Koto Jonopod koto itihash, 2010 Jamuna Gomotir Tire, 2011 Bangla Bihar Prantore, 2012 Jordan Nodi Tote, 2013 Nirbachon Commission e Panch Bochor, 2013 Gonotontro O Nirbachon, 2014 Anatolia hote Andalusia, 2014 Paris Hote Vienna, 2015 Tipu Sultaner Deshe, 2015 Shontrash O Dokhin Asia, 2017 Burmar Rohyngara, 2018

International Seminar Papers presented (Selected)

International Conference on High security ID Card, Obiture France 2012.

Ninth Cambridge Conference on Electoral Democracy in Commonwealth, Cambridge UK 2011.

Electoral System and the Election Commission, Jakarta, 2011.

Essential Requirements to Realize the Free and Fair Elections, Seoul, South Korea 2011.

Promoting Gender Responsive Democratic Governance in South Asia, TU, Nepal, 2011.

Inclusion of Non-residential Bangladeshis (NRB) in voter list, DFID, 2007

Study of India and South Asian Election Commission and Electoral Process, JNU, India, 2010.

Key Note Speakers/ Guest Faculty

Traditional Security of Bangladesh', Counter Narrative for Extreme Violence and Higher Defence Organisation for Bangladesh, BIISS

Regular Guest Speaker, Electoral Governance Bangladesh and South Asia, MPPG Program, North South University

International Observer of Electoral Process

First Post conflict Nepalese National Constituent Assembly Election 2008

15th Indian Lok Sabha Election in 2009, India.

National Assembly Bye election in Seoul, South Korea in 2011

Contribution in National and International dailies and Magazines:

Written over 300 articles as column on national and international issues in National Dailies on various issue : Daily Star, Observer, The Independent, The Bangladesh Today, The Probe, Pratham Alo, Indian daily' The Statesman'.

Specialist Freelance TV commentator on issues of Security, Geo-Politics, political and election analyst on leading national channels and also BBC and VOA

Professional Award

South Asian Community in UK 2006 for contribution in 'Creating Public Awareness against Terrorism and World Peace".

Professional membership

Ex-EC Committee member Kurmitola Golf Club Member, Rotary Club, Dhaka West Life member RAWOA club Member of IANSA (International Association of Non-proliferation of Small Arms) – Bangladesh chapter Life member, Bangla Academy Member, Asiatic Society of Bangladesh

Countries Visited:

Belgium, Bhutan, Bosnia, Bulgaria Canada, China, France, Germany, Greece, India, Indonesia, Italy, Ivory Coast. Japan, Jordan, Malaysia, Macedonia, Montenegro, Nepal, Pakistan, Romania, Russia Singapore, Saudi Arabia, South Korea, Switzerland, Thailand, Hong Kong, UAE, UK and USA.