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Education University of Bergen, Norway

- M.Phil. in Public Administration, Grade: A (Scale A-F)

University of Dhaka, Bangladesh

- Masters of Social Science, (M.S.S) in Public Administration, First Class.
- Bachelor of Social Sciences (B.S.S), Public Administration, First Class Honours

Summer School International Summer School, University of Oslo, Norway

- Human Rights (15 Credits, 6 weeks program)

Academic Experience Sr. Lecturer (2016 - Present), Department of Political Science and Sociology (PSS) & South Asian Institute of Policy and Governance (SIPG), North South University, Dhaka, Bangladesh.

Research Interests Public Policy, Public Administration, E-governance, Artificial Intelligence Policy, Citizen Trust in Institutions, Public Opinions and Attitudes Study, Social Media and Public Opinion, Nonprofit Organizations, climate change induced migration.

- ## Research Experience
- **Institutional Trust in South Asia** (*Bangladesh, Nepal and Sri Lanka*)
Research Associate 2019 – present
 - Training enumerators on Mobile Data Collection (MDC), survey questionnaire design, sampling and field supervision.
 - **E-service delivery of Public Sector and Citizen Engagement in Bangladesh,**
Primary investigator 2018-19
 - Proposal writing, supervision of data collection, report writings.
 - **Explaining differences in Citizen Attitudes Towards Climate Finance Projects**
(World Bank, American University Washington DC and South Asian Institute of Policy and Governance)
Research Associate 2018 – 2019
 - Conducting FGDs, assisting proposal writing, supervising data collection and also work as an interpreter for partners from World Bank and American University Washington D.C.

Publications

- ### Journal Articles
1. Baniamin, H. M., Rahman, M., & Hasan, M. T. (2020). **The COVID-19 Pandemic: Why are some countries coping more successfully than others?** *Asia Pacific Journal of Public Administration*, 42(3), 153–169. [co-winners of best article 2020 award]
 2. Rahman, M., & Hasan, M. T. (2018). **Emotional Violence against Women in Public Sphere of Bangladesh: Youth Narratives and Policy Options.** *South Asian Journal of Policy and Governance*, 42(1), 87–108.

- Book Chapters**
1. Hossain, M.A., & Rahman, M. (2017). **Exploring the Factors that Affect Citizens' Trust in Bangladesh Police**. In *Democracy and Governance: Contemporary Issues in Bangladesh (Research Volume - 2)* (pp.41-88). Dhaka: Public Policy and Governance Program, North South University.
 2. Rahman, M. (2013). **Internet: A Human Rights? An overview of Digital Activism, Censorship and Surveillance**. In A. Barrera Daza, A. R. Stangeland, D. A. Camacho, & J. Skaalerud (Eds.), *Bowl of Rights*. Oslo, Norway: CISV Norway / CISV Colombia.
- Research Report**
1. Eisenstadt, T.A., Haque, S.T.M., Lu, J., & Rahman, M. (2018). **Climate Change-Induced Migration in Bangladesh: Findings from the Focus Group Discussion in Vulnerable Areas**. Dhaka: South Asian Institute of Policy and Governance (SIPG). (Research report)
- Accepted for Publication**
1. Baniamin, H. M., Rahman, M., & Hasan, M. T. (2021). **Rumors and Disinformation during Crisis Period: A Case Study of COVID-19 Pandemic**.
- MPhil Thesis** The Accountability of Non-governmental Organizations: A Case of Bangladesh.
- Conference paper**
1. Attitudes of Tertiary Level Students towards Emotional Violence' against Women in Public Space of Bangladesh. **International Conference on Gender Mainstreaming in Politics, Administration and Development in South Asia and Beyond**, November 18-19, 2017, Dhaka.
 2. Exploring the Factors that Affect Citizens' Trust in Bangladesh Police. **Contemporary Issues of Governance and Public Policy**, May 27, 2017, Dhaka, Bangladesh.
 3. Downward Accountability of NGOs' to Beneficiaries in Bangladesh: Theory and Practice. **9th International Conference on Social Science and Humanities (ICSSH)**, Asian Institute of Technology (AIT), December 26-27, 2016, Bangkok, Thailand.
- Abstract accepted to conference**
1. Downward Accountability of NGOs in Bangladesh: Theoretical Issue and Empirical Investigation. **14th International Conference of the International Society for Third Sector Research (ISRT)** at the Concordia University, Montréal to be held on July 7-10, 2020. [*postponed due to Coronavirus*]
 2. Citizens' Trust in Police Governance in Bangladesh: What matters most? **Global Policy and Administrative Symposium**, University of Riverside, California, December 2-3, 2016.
 3. The Accountability Pattern of NGOs to International Donor Agencies in Post-Crisis Era: A Case of Bangladesh. **New Challenges for Cooperation of European and Developing Countries**, University of Economics, Prague, Czech Republic, April 19, 2013.
- Awards and Scholarships**
- a) **Co-winners of Best Article Award 2020** - Asia Pacifica Journal of Public Administration.
 - b) **International Summer School (ISS) scholarship**, University of Oslo, Norway. [2014]
 - c) **Case Competition Champion 2013**, Bergen, Norway. [2013]
 - d) **Norwegian Government Scholarship** for MPhil at University of Bergen, Norway [2012-14].
 - e) **SUPRA Nordic Scholarship**, University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark. [2013]
 - f) **General Government Scholarship** for the Dhaka University Post-Graduate Students. [2009]
 - g) **University Undergraduate Scholarship** (1st year to 4th year), based on Higher Secondary.
- Research visit** Nordic Institute of Asian Studies; University of Copenhagen, Denmark, December 11-24, 2013.

Research Awards

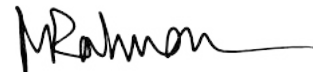
- a) North South University Faculty Research Grant.
- b) Conference Travel Grant awarded by North South University, Bangladesh in 2016.
- c) Small scale research grant awarded by the University Grant Commission
- d) Field Research Grant from the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Bergen

Membership

- # University of Bergen Alumni Network # Dhaka University Alumni Association
- # Dhaka University Public Administration Association

Extra-curricular

- Participated 2021 NASPAA Batten Student Simulation Competition as an organizer and one of the judges.
- Public Relations Secretary, International Students Union, University of Bergen (2012-2013).
- Board Member, Tenant Union, Fantoft Student Housing, Bergen, Norway (2012-2014).
- Member of Dhaka University Tourist Society, Bangladesh (2005-2007).
- Member of Bangladesh National Cadet Corps (2004-2005).
- Lifelong blood donor, Quantum Blood Donation Program, Dhaka, Bangladesh.



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