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CURRENT POSITON Registrar and Associate Professor of Economics (Since January

2021/ April 2022), North South University, Dhaka, Bangladesh

EXPERIENCE National Consultant (May 2019 –) Skills 21 Project, International Labour

Organization, Dhaka, Bangladesh

Coordinator (January 2019-August 2019) Institutional Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), North South University

Quality Assurance Specialist (August 2017-December 2018) University Grants Commission of Bangladesh (UGC), Dhaka, Bangladesh

Special training (2016) Quality Assurance in Higher Education, UGC and Malaysia

Additional Director (January 2016-August 2017) IQAC, North South University

Assistant Professor (August 2014-March 2022) Department of Economics, North South University

Lecturer (May 2010-August 2014) International College of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Canada; and (September 2003 – April 2012) University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Canada

Special training (2007-08) Certification in Higher Education Teaching (CHET), University of Manitoba

Consultant (2007-08) UNDP project on AIDS and economic growth, University of Manitoba

Lecturer (2002-03) North South University

Lecturer (2001-02) Illinois State University, Normal, IL, USA

Special training (2001) University Teaching Workshops, Illinois State University

Graduate Assistant (1999-2001) Illinois State University

Relationship Manager (1997-98) ANZ Grindlays Bank Ltd., Dhaka, Bangladesh

Credit Controller (1995-97) ANZ Grindlays Bank Ltd.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics (Degree awarded in 2013) University of Manitoba

Master of Science (M.S.) in Applied Economics (Degree awarded in 2001) Illinois State University, *GPA*: 4.00/4.00

Master of Social Sciences (M.S.S.) in Economics (Degree awarded in 1995) University of Dhaka, Bangladesh, *Class*: 1st

Bachelor of Social Sciences (B.S.S.) in Economics (Degree awarded in 1993) University of Dhaka, *Class*: 1st

Higher Secondary Certificate (H.S.C), 1988, Science group, Dhaka Board, Bangladesh, *Division:* 1st with star marks

Secondary School Certificate (S.S.C), 1986, Science group, Dhaka Board, Bangladesh, *Division:* 1st with star marks

RESEARCH

"Establishment of an Effective Institutional Quality Assurance Cell" (2018) Co-authored paper, International Conference on Quality Assurance in Higher Education, Dhaka University of Engineering and Technology, Gazipur, Bangladesh

"Measuring Aboriginal Poverty and Income Inequality in Canada" (2013) Ph.D. dissertation, University of Manitoba

"Are We Poor Enough Yet? Understanding Aboriginal Poverty and Inequality in Canada" (2011) Poster presentation, International Conference on Social Statistics, Poverty and Social Exclusion, Quebec Inter-university Centre for Social Statistics, Montreal, Quebec, Canada

"The Effect of Level of Education on Income Inequality" (2001) M.S. research paper, Illinois State University

"Checking the Effectiveness of the Child Labor Elimination Program Suggested by the ILO" (1992) M.S.S. thesis, University of Dhaka

AWARDS

- Research Data Centre, Statistics Canada Award (2009) University of Manitoba
- Graduate Fellowship (2004-07) University of Manitoba
- Graduate Student Teaching Excellence Award (2003) University of Manitoba
- Nomination for U1 Undergraduate Teaching Excellence Award (2005-06 and 2006-07) University of Manitoba
- Graduate Student Excellence Award (2001) Illinois State University
- Lela Winegarner Fellowship (2000) Illinois State University
- Graduate Assistantship (1999-2001) Illinois State University
- Significant Performance and Contribution Award (1996-97) ANZ Grindlays Bank Ltd.
- Government of Bangladesh/ University of Dhaka Scholarships (1984-92)
- Chairman (July 2019 December 2020), Department of Economics, North South University
- Lead Coordinator, Graduate Student Assessment Committee, Department of Economics, North South University
- Lead Coordinator, Student Engagement and Support Committee, Department of Economics, North South University
- Member, Assessment and Curriculum Planning Committee and Graduate Study Committee, Department of Economics, North South University
- Member, Research Committee and Faculty Search Committee, School of Business and Economics, North South University
- Member, Sexual Harassment Committee, North South University
- President, Economics Graduate Students Association (2005-06) University of Manitoba
- Graduate student representative, Faculty Search and Hiring Committee for Macroeconomics (2005-06) University of Manitoba
- Facilitator, Workshop on Effective Teaching (2007) North South University

REFERENCES

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