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Name	Md. Shanawez Hossain
Title	Dr.
Nationality	Bangladesh
Language proficiency	Bengali (Native), English (Advanced), Japanese (good)
Summary of Key Experiences and Competencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• University teaching with around 10 years of undergraduate and postgraduate lecturing experience in Bangladesh and Japan in the fields related to economic and social development, principals of economics, sustainable development, urban development, research design and proposal writing, urban dynamics and SDGs, global dimensions and regional integration, conflict resolution and peace-building, human rights and rights based approach to development, academic writing, technical writing and communications, globalization, leadership, and evidence based policy making etc.• Performing teaching related administrative activities including managing a center/programme, curriculum development, administering admission tests (including preparation of questionnaires, conducting viva etc.), participating in academic and advisory council meeting etc.• Supervision of thesis and dissertation for the undergraduate and graduate students (around 30 students) and actively mentoring in writing and presentation in public and academic forum.• Long experience (more than 15 years) of project development and management in different capacities including: Team leader, Consultant, Advisor, Technical Specialist, Research Associate for organizations such as World Bank, Cities Alliance, DFID, UNDP, ADB, Copenhagen Consensus Center, IDRC, NUFFIC etc. in fields related to economic and social development, urban/local governance, policy making, institution building and capacity development, infrastructure and education development, traditional and nontraditional security issues, climate change and environment etc.• Leading long term academic projects and writing/managing and writing related outputs including books, articles, reports, policy briefs etc. and also managing related conferences and seminars.• Publications including refereed journals articles, book and book-chapters and presence in media in different capacities, extensive fieldwork/ for academic and commissioned research and projects• Local governance and institutional capacity building by conducting training,

	<p>workshop/seminar facilitation/moderation etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Awarded with various prestigious scholarships, grants and fellowships including Monbukagakusho Scholarship for Ph.D. and Japanese Grant Aid for Human Resource Scholarship (JDS) for M.A. • Professional training and certification from prestigious institutes including: Harvard Kennedy School, Harvard University; University of Berkley, California; Peking University; IFMR, India; NAPA, Vietnam, Open University of Malaysia etc.
<p>Major Interests and Expertise</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teaching and Training <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Economic and Social Development ▪ Urban Dynamics and Sustainable Development ▪ Research Methodology and ▪ Research Design and proposal writing ▪ Urban Developments ▪ Governance and Development ▪ Critical Thinking and Technical Writing ▪ Leadership ▪ Business Writing and Basic Communication ▪ Global dimensions and Regional integration ▪ Conflict Resolution and Peace-building ▪ Human Rights and Rights based Approach to Development ▪ Academic Writing ▪ Climate, Energy and Food Security ▪ Public Policy and Evidenced Based Policy Making ▪ Principals of Economics and Economic Development • Project Management, Research and Consultancy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Urban Governance and Secondary Cities ▪ Local Governance and Social Accountability ▪ Regional Integration and Asian Century ▪ Economic Development and Infrastructure ▪ Assessing Governance of Institutions and Public Sectors ▪ Inclusive Growth and Quality of Life ▪ Evidenced Based Public Policy Making by Cost-Benefit Analysis ▪ Skill Need Assessment and Capacity Building ▪ Post-conflict Development and Peace-building ▪ Conducting Social Survey and Research ▪ Impact Assessment of Development Programs and Policies
<p>Educational Qualifications</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Ph.D International Studies (Major: International Development and Policy Studies), Waseda University, Tokyo, 2007- 2011 Thesis: Human Rights Based Approach to Development for Peace-building in Post-Conflict Regions Result: Completed with distinction in thesis and highest grade in course work (With all A+ and A) ii. M.A International Relations (Major: Economic Development), Waseda University, Tokyo, 2002- 2004 Thesis: Poverty and Inequality in Bangladesh) Result: CGPA 3.9 out of 4.0

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> iii. B Sc. (Hons.) Forestry & Environmental Science (Major: Resource Economics), Chittagong University, Bangladesh, 2001 Thesis: Forest Based Small Scale Enterprises for Income and Employment Generation in Urban Areas Result: 1st Class iv. Diploma in Climate, Energy and Food Security (CEFS), United Nations University (UNU), Tokyo, 2012 Result: Completed with highest distinction v. Postgraduate Certificate Course in Human Rights and Humanitarian Assistance, United Nations University (UNU), Tokyo, 2008 Result: Completed with highest distinction vi. Diploma in Computer Science and Application (DCSA), Bangladesh Open University, 2000 Result: CGPA 3.35 out of 4.0
<p>Other Trainings/ Certificates</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Training on ‘Humanitarian Negotiation’ by UNHCR, Bangkok April 2- 10, 2019 ii. Training on ‘Sustainable Policy Planning and Governance’ in Open University Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur, 4th to 7th December, 2017. iii. Training on ‘Comparative Public Policy Formulation’ organized by National Academy of Public Administration (NAPA), Hanoi, Vietnam from 26th November to 2nd December 2017. iv. Training on ‘University-Industry Linkage in China: Education Development and Experience Sharing and Partnerships’, Peking University, China from 14th-15th November, 2017. v. Faculty Training on ‘Research Methodology, Academic Writing & Publishing in the USA’, Subir and Malini Chowdhury Center for Bangladesh Studies, University of California, Berkeley, October 11-18, 2016. vi. International Training of Trainers (ToT) on ‘Building Capacity to Use Research Evidence (BCURE)’, Harvard Kennedy School, Harvard University, 1-7 February, 2016 vii. International Training on ‘Research Methods’, Institute for Financial Management Research (IFMR), India, 2-10 January 2016 viii. Certificate course in ‘Human Health and Global Environmental Change’, Harvard University, 2013(Through EdX) ix. Certificate course in ‘The Challenges to Global Poverty’, MIT , 2013(Through EdX) x. Training in ‘Human Rights and Humanitarian Assistance’, United Nations University (UNU), 2008. xi. Training on ‘Intensive Japanese Language’, Waseda University, 2007-2008

	and Japan International Cooperation Centre (JICE), February –May, 2002
Summary of Teaching and Services	<p>(i) 2021 February- till date Assistant Professor, Global Studies & Governance (GSG) School of Liberal Arts & Social Sciences (SLASS) Independent University Bangladesh (IUB)</p> <p>(ii) 2015-January, 2021 Assistant Professor, Master in Development Studies (MDS) and Master in Governance and Development (MAGD), BIGD, BRAC University, Bangladesh</p> <p>(iii) 2016- January, 2021 Director, Executive Development Center (EDC), Executive Development Programme (EDP), SEIP, BIGD, BRAC University, Bangladesh</p> <p>(iv) 2015- January, 2021 Research Fellow & Head for the Urban, Climate Change and Environment (UCCE) Cluster, BIGD, BRAC University, Bangladesh</p> <p>(v) 2013 - 2015 Lecturer/Research Associate, Centre for International Education, Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan</p> <p>(vi) 2011 -2013 Research Associate and Consultant, Asian Development Bank Institute (ADBI), Tokyo, Japan</p> <p>(vii) 2007-2008 Researcher, Graduate School of Asia-Pacific Studies (GSAPS), Waseda, University, Tokyo Teaching Associate (TA), School of International Liberal Studies (SILS) Waseda, University, Tokyo</p> <p>(viii) 2008-2011 Doctoral Researcher and Teaching Associate (TA) School of International Liberal Studies (SILS) and Graduate School of Asia-Pacific Studies (GSAPS), Waseda, University, Tokyo</p> <p>(ix) 2005-2006 Consultant, Project Development and Implementation Nippon Koei, Japan</p> <p>(x) 2002-2004 Teaching Assistant (TA), Graduate School of Asia-Pacific Studies (GSAPS), Waseda, University, Tokyo</p> <p>(xi) 2002-2004 Civil Servant, Government of Bangladesh</p>
Research Activities (Academic and others) (Only few relevant)	<p>i. <i>Name of assignment or project: Skills for Employment Investment Program (SEIP) Oct 2016- Feb 2018</i> Positions held: Chief Coordinator for Knitwear Sector Director, Executive Development Program (March 2018- January, 2021)</p>

	<p>Location: Bangladesh Client: Finance Division, Ministry of Finance; Asian Development Bank (ADB) and BIGD, BRAC University.</p>
ii.	<p><i>Name of the project: Inclusive Cities through Equitable access to Urban Mobility Infrastructures for India and Bangladesh 2019- to till date</i> Position: PI, from BIGD, BRAC University Client: Utrecht University, Netherlands</p>
iii.	<p>Name of the Assignment or project: An Assessment of Urban Social Protection and Jobs Program in Dhaka, Bangladesh, 2019-20 Position held: Team Leader Client: The World Bank</p>
iv.	<p>Name of Assignment or project: Partnership Facilitation and City Diagnostics to Support Equitable Economic Growth in Two Secondary Cities in Bangladesh, 2016- 2019 Positions held: Team Leader Client: Cities Alliance, UNOPS, and BIGD, BRAC University.</p>
v.	<p>Name of assignment or project: Think Tank Initiative (TTI) Phase 2 Institutional Support: BIGD, BRAC University, 2014- 2019 Positions held: Lead Client: International Development Research Centre (IDRC), BIGD, BRAC University</p>
vi.	<p>Name of assignment or project: Digitizing Implementation Monitoring and Public Procurement Project (DIMAPP), 2018- 2021 Position: Advisor</p>
vii.	<p>Name of the assignment: State of Cities (SOC) 2018-Water Governance in Dhaka, 2018-2019 Position and activities: Leading the SOC team as the head of the UCCE Cluster</p>
viii.	<p>Name of assignment or project: National Governance Assessment Framework (NGAF), 2015-2018 Positions held: Core Member and Consultant Client: Governance Innovation Unit (GIU), Prime Minister Office Bangladesh; United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and BIGD, BRAC University.</p>
ix.	<p>Name of assignment or project: Public Procurement Reform Project (PPRP-II), 2016-2017 Positions held: Research Specialist, Technical Specialist Client: World Bank, Government of Bangladesh and BIGD</p>
x.	<p>Name of assignment or project: Traffic Congestion in Dhaka City: A Governance Perspective, 2015-2016 Location: Dhaka, Bangladesh Positions held: Team Leader and Lead Researcher Client: BIGD and IDRC</p>

	<p>xi. Name of assignment or project: Sharique-III Strengthening Local Governance in Bangladesh, 2015-2016 Positions held: Team Leader and Researcher Client: HELVETAS Swiss Intercooperation (HSI) and BIGD), BRAC University.</p> <p>xii. Name of assignment or project: Public Finance and Revenue Mobilization of Union Parishads:A Case of Four Union Parishads, 2015-2016 Positions held: Co-researcher Client: HELVETAS Swiss Intercooperation (HSI) and BRAC Institute of Governance and Development (BIGD) of BRAC University.</p> <p>xiii. Name of assignment or project: Bangladesh Priorities Project- Cost Benefit Analysis of Village Court in Bangladesh, 2015-2016 Positions held: Lead Economist Client: Copenhagen Consensus Centre, Denmark and BRAC</p> <p>xiv. Name of assignment or project: ASEAN, the PRC, and India (ACI): The Great Transformation? (ACI Study), 2011-2013 Positions held: Team Member as research associate Client: Asian Development Bank (ADB) and ADBI, Japan</p> <p>xv. Name of assignment or project: ASEAN 2030: Toward a Borderless Economic Community (ASEAN 2030 Study), 2011-2013 Positions held: Team Member as research associate Client: Asian Development Bank (ADB) and ADBI Main project features: Exploring economic and social impact due to potential economic rise of ASEAN economies</p> <p>xvi. Name of assignment or project: Supporting ASEAN Equitable Development: A Project based on policy oriented research activities and capacity building programs focused on Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar and Viet Nam (CLMV) (CLMV Study), 2012-2013 Positions held: Team Member as research associate Client: Asian Development Bank (ADB) and ADBI</p> <p>xvii. Name of assignment or project: The Pacific Economies: Leveraging the Benefits of the East and Southeast Asian Growth (Pacific 2030 Study), 2012-2013 Positions held: Team Member as research associate Client: Asian Development Bank (ADB) and ADBI</p> <p>xviii. Name of assignment or project: Book Project on Infrastructure for Asian Connectivity, 2012-2013 Positions held: Team Member as research associate Client: Asian Development Bank (ADB) and ADBI</p>
Guest Lecture/Training Experience	<p>i. (2018), “Local Level Governance Practice, Challenges and Areas of Improvement”, Conducted Workshop as Resource Person for the elected representatives of Savar Municipality organized by BRAC Urban Development, 9 July, Savar, Dhaka.</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ii. (2017), ‘Article Writing for Publication AIBS Workshop’ organized by American Institute Of Bangladesh Studies (AIBS) on August 23, 2017 BRAC Centre Inn, 75 Mohakhali, Dhaka, Bangladesh (facilitated jointly with Dr. Naveeda Khan Professor, from Johns Hopkins University) iii. (2017), “Traffic and Transportation in Dhaka, Bangladesh- Governance Perspectives,” Guest Lecturer in the course, : Urbanisation Issues in the Asia Pacific Region (ARCH1265), UN Habitat Consultancy Project: State of Cities in the Asia Pacific Region, <i>RMIT University, Australia, 28th April, 2017 (via online)</i> iv. (2017) “Urbanization and Urban Transport Governance in Bangladesh” Guest Lecturer in the course, Master in Environmental Management, <i>Independent University (IUB), Dhaka, Bangladesh, 8th April, 2017.</i> v. (2014) “Comparing Education in the World: South Asian and Bangladesh Perspectives” Guest Lecturer in the course, Comparative Education in the World, <i>Yokohama City University (YCU), Yokohama, Japan, 14 May.</i> vi. (2012) “How to Conduct an Academic Research Project” Guest Lecturer in the course “Business Economics”, Graduate School of Business, <i>Keio University, Tokyo, Japan, 29 June.</i> vii. (2012) Lecture on “Impact of Microfinance: Human Security and Gender Perspectives” at <i>Alliance Forum Foundation, Tokyo, Japan, 17 August.</i>
Publications /Conference presentation	<p><u>Journal Articles/Working Papers</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. (2020) ‘Assessing Quality of Water of Canals in and around Dhaka City, Bangladesh’ in <i>American Journal of Environmental Engineering, Vol.10 Issue 2, PP 35-43</i>, Scientific & Academic Publishing 10.5923/j.ajee.20201002.02 (September 15, 2020) ii. (2020), “Role of regional cooperation and integration in improving energy insecurity in South Asia” Working Paper No 1120, Asian Development Bank, (With Tapan Sarker and K. M. Nazmul Islam) (April 2020) iii. (2019). “Implementing the Second National Plan of Action for Nutrition (NPAN-2): A 3M Governance Framework,” BIGD Working Paper No. 3, BRAC Institute of Governance and Development (BIGD), BRAC University, Dhaka (with Zaman, H.) iv. (2017) “Housing Governance in Dhaka: Quality of Basic Services and Disaster Preparedness”, State of Cities (SOC) 2017, BRAC Institute of Governance and Development (BIGD), BRAC University. v. (2017) “Housing Governance in Dhaka: Conclusion and Recommendations’, State of Cities (SOC) 2017, BRAC Institute of Governance and Development (BIGD), BRAC University. vi. (2016) ‘Traffic Congestion in Dhaka City-Governance Perspective: Introduction and Overview’, State of Cities (SOC) 2016, BRAC Institute of Governance and Development (BIGD), BRAC University. vii. (2016) “Traffic Congestion in Dhaka City-Governance Perspective: Conclusion

	<p>and Recommendations’, State of Cities (SOC) 2016, BRAC Institute of Governance and Development (BIGD), BRAC University.</p> <p>viii. (2016) ‘Public Finance and Revenue Mobilization of Union Parishads: A Case of Four Union Parishads’, BIGD Special Publication Series, 3, BRAC University, July 2016 (With Sultan Hafeez Rahman and Mohammed Misbah Uddin)).</p> <p>ix. (2016) “Cost-benefit Study on Implementating Village Courts in Union Parishads of Bangladesgh”, Bangladesh Priorities, Copenhagen Consensus Center, 2016 (With Nabila Zaman).</p> <p>x. (2016) ‘Citizen Engagement in Public Procurement: Experience from pilot districts’, Case Study No. 2 ,Public Procurement Reform Project (PPRP-II), World Bank, Government of Bangladesh and BIGD, BRAC University, September, 2016 (with Gazi Arafat Uz Zaman Markony and Raihan Ahmed)</p> <p>xi. (2016) ‘Public Finance and Revenue Mobilization of Union Parishads: A Case of Four Union Parishads’, BIGD Research Brief, BRAC University, July 2016 (With Sultan Hafeez Rahman and Mohammed Misbah Uddin)).</p> <p>xii. (2015) “Development and Human Security in Asia: An Analysis from Human Rights and Cultural Relativism Point of View”, BIGD Working Paper No. 25, BRAC University.</p> <p>xiii. (2013) “Natural Disasters and Production Networks in the Asia and Pacific Region” in <i>Asia Patways</i>, Asian Development Bank (ADB), February (with Minquan Liu).</p> <p>xiv. (2012) “Disasters and Supply Chains in the Asia-Pacific Region” in <i>State of the Region 2012-2013</i>, Pacific Economic Cooperation Council (with Minquan Liu).</p> <p>xv. (2011) “Mainstreaming Human Rights in Development in Bangladesh: Conflict and Peace-building in the Chittagong Hill Tracts (CHTs)” in <i>Journal of Asia-Pacific Studies</i>, 21(4): 179-200.</p> <p>xvi. (2009) “Regional Integration to Address Poverty and Human Insecurity in South Asia: Problems and Prospects for Mainstreaming Asian Integration” <i>GIARI Working Paper</i> Vol. 2008-E-26: 1-19.</p> <p>xvii. (2008) “The Role of Education as a Micro-Determinant of Poverty and Inequality in Bangladesh: An Analysis from Household Survey Data,” in <i>Journal of Asia-Pacific Studies</i>, 15 (6): 37-57.</p> <p>xviii. (2003) “Strategies for Promoting Virtual Higher Education: General Considerations on Africa and Asia” in <i>African and Asian Studies</i>, 2(4):565-575, Koninklijke Brill, Leiden(with Kuroda Kazuo).</p> <p><u>Book Chapters</u></p> <p>i. (2020) “Role of Regional Cooperation and Integration in Improving Energy Insecurity in South Asia”, <i>Energy Insecurity in Asia: Challenges, Solutions, and Renewable Energy</i>, eds. Naoyuki Yoshino, Farhad Taghizadeh-Hesary,</p>
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	<p>Youngho Chang, and Thai-Ha Le, Asian Development Bank Institute, pp 109-139 ISBN 978-4-89974-111-4(October 2020)</p> <p>ii. (2017) “Cost-benefit Study on Implementating Village Courts in Union Parishads of Bangladesh”, <i>Bangladesh Priorities: Helping Vision 2021 a Reality</i>, eds. Bjorn Lomborg and Mahfuzar Rahman, A H Development Publishing House, Dhaka, Vol.1, pp. 531-549 (With Nabila Zaman).</p> <p>iii. (2017) “Cost-benefit Study on Implementating Village Courts in Union Parishads of Bangladesh”, in <i>Bangladesh Priorities</i> eds. Bjorn Lomborg, Copenhagen Consensus Center , Adorn Publisher, Dhaka, January 2017 (With Nabila Zaman).</p> <p>iv. (2013) “Resource constraints and Asia's growth: role of integrated energy, water and food security policy” in M Hossain, T Sarker & M McIntosh (eds), <i>The Asian Century, Sustainable Growth and Climate Change</i>, pp. 54-81, Edward Elgar Publishing, Cheltenham, UK (with Sarker, Tapan).</p> <p>v. (2004) “Strategies for Promoting Virtual Higher Education: General Considerations on Africa and Asia,” in <i>Cyberspace, Distance Learning, and Higher Education in Developing Countries- Old and Emergent Issues of Access, Pedagogy, and Knowledge Production</i>, pp. 235-245, Koninklijke Brill, Leiden (with Kuroda Kazuo).</p> <p><u>Peer reviewed Conference proceedings</u></p> <p>i. (2010) “Conflict, Human Rights, Development and Peace Nexus: An Analysis from the Ethnic Conflict in Chittagong Hill Tracts (CHTs), Bangladesh” in <i>Japan Consortium for Human Security Education and Research, Annual Meeting 2010</i>, The University of Tokyo, 25-26 September.</p> <p>ii. (2016), ‘Regional Cooperation for Resource-Centered Strategies: Analysis from Energy Security Perspective in Asia’, at the daylong session titled, ‘From MDGs to SDGs: Bangladesh as a Case in Point’, in the 45th Annual Conference on South Asia organized by the University of Wisconsin-Madison at The Madison Concourse Hotel and Governor's October 20-23, 2016.</p> <p>iii. (2007) “Human Security in Asia: by Universal Human Rights or Cultural Relativism” in <i>International Development Studies Conference on ‘Mainstreaming Human Security: The Asian Contribution’</i> Chulalongkorn University, Thailand, October, 2007. Available in http://humansecurityconf.polsci.chula.ac.th/Documents/Presentations/Shanawez.pdf</p> <p><u>Books</u></p> <p>i. Hossain, M.S. 2012. <i>Development, Human Rights and Conflict: Sustainable Peace-building in Ethnically-divided Societies</i>, LAP LAMBERT Academic Publishing GmbH & Co. KG, Germany.</p> <p><u>Major Research Reports</u></p> <p>1. (June 2020), ‘Taka 5000 Crore Novel Corona Financial Stimulus Package For Export-Oriented Industries: RMG Trade Union Responses’ by BIGD, BracU</p>
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	<p>(with BIGD team)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. (May 2020) COVID-19 Crisis Implications for the RMG Sector: Trade Union Responses – A Rapid Study, BIGD, BracU (with BIGD team) 3. (2020) ‘An Assessment of Urban Social Protection and Jobs Program in Dhaka, Bangladesh’, World Bank, Bangladesh and BIGD, BracU (Team Leader with BIGD Team), February, 2020. 4. (2018) Local assessment report for Narayanganj: Women’s Complex and City Digital Centres – needs and preliminary feasibility, Cities Alliance Joint Work Programme, Equitable, Economic Growth in Cities, Cities Alliance Secretariat, United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS) (with BIGD team). 5. (2018) Local assessment report for Sylhet City Corporation: Medical Waste Management and Vocational Training Centre – needs and preliminary feasibility, Cities Alliance Joint Work Programme, Equitable, Economic Growth in Cities, Cities Alliance Secretariat, United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS) (with BIGD team). 6. (2017) Training Need Assessment in Knitwear 2017. Executive Development Program, Skills for Employment Investment Program, Finance Division, Ministry of Finance, Government People’s Republic of Bangladesh (with BIGD team). 7. (2017) Business Plan for Post Graduate Diploma in Knitwear Industry Management (PGD-KIM). Executive Development Program, Skills for Employment Investment Program, Finance Division, Ministry of Finance, Government People’s Republic of Bangladesh (with Shanawez Hossain, Mahreen Mamoon & Syeda Jannatun Naim). 8. (2017) State of Cities: Housing Governance in Dhaka, Annual flagship report of BIGD, BRAC University (with BIGD team) 9. (2017) Partnership Facilitation and City Diagnostics to Support Equitable Economic Growth in two Secondary Cities (Narayanganj and Sylhet) in Bangladesh – Inception Report, RFP Case No. UNOPS_CA_JWPEEG_Bangladesh_Sept 2016, Cities Alliance Secretariat, United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS). 10. (2017) Institutional Enabling Environment Report. Narayanganj, Bangladesh, Cities Alliance Joint Work Programme, Equitable, Economic Growth in Cities, Cities Alliance Secretariat, United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS) (with BIGD team). 11. (2017). Institutional Enabling Environment Report. Sylhet, Bangladesh, Cities Alliance Joint Work Programme, Equitable, Economic Growth in Cities, Cities
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	<p>Alliance Secretariat, United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS) (with BIGD team).</p> <p>12. (2016) State of Cities 2016: Traffic Congestion in Dhaka: Governance Perspective, Annual flagship report of BIGD, BRAC University (with BIGD team)</p> <p>13. (2016) ‘Public Finance and Revenue Mobilization of Union Parishads: A Case of Four Union Parishads’, under Local Governance Improvement Project SHARIQUE, July 2016 (With Sultan Hafeez Rahman and Mohammed Misbah Uddin).</p> <p>14. (2014) ‘ASEAN 2030: Toward a Borderless Economic Community (ASEAN 2030 Study)’, Asian Development Bank Institute (ADBI), Tokyo, Japan.</p> <p>15. (2014), ‘Infrastructure for Asian Connectivity’, Asian Development Bank Institute (ADBI), Tokyo, Japan.</p> <p>16. (2013), ‘Supporting ASEAN Equitable Development: A Project based on policy oriented research activities and capacity building programs focused on Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar and Viet Nam (CLMV) (CLMV Study)’, Asian Development Bank Institute (ADBI), Tokyo, Japan.</p> <p>17. (2013) ‘The Pacific Economies: Leveraging the Benefits of the East and Southeast Asian Growth (Pacific 2030 Study)’, Asian Development Bank Institute (ADBI), Tokyo, Japan.</p> <p>18. (2012) ‘ASEAN, the PRC, and India (ACI): The Great Transformation? (ACI Study)’, Asian Development Bank Institute (ADBI), Tokyo, Japan.</p> <p><u>Conference and Academic Workshop Presentations/key notes/attended</u></p> <p>i. (November, 2019), Workshop ‘The Global Sustainable Development Report (GSDR) - Implications for accelerating sustainable development in Asia Pacific, Jakarta, Indonesia, 19-21 November 2019</p> <p>ii. (October, 2019), ‘City Action Plans for Building Economic Resilience of Urban Communities- Narayanganj and Sylhet, Bangladesh’ in ‘Deep Dive Session 2’ of Asia Pacific Urban Forum (APUF7), organized by Cities Alliance is partnering with UNESCAP in Penang, Malaysia 14 – 17 October 2019</p> <p>iii. (September, 2019), Workshop on ‘Inclusive Cities through Equitable access to Urban Mobility Infrastructures for India and Bangladesh (EQUIMOB)’ organized NWO-WOTRO Science for Global Development and Utrecht University, The Netherlands at Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bangalore, 26 and 27 September, 2019</p> <p>iv. (March, 2019), ‘Training on Essentials of Humanitarian Negotiations’ by UNHCR, e-Center, Bangkok, Thailand 26-29 March, 2019.</p>
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	<p>v. (November, 2018), Workshop on “Sustainable Organizations for Sustainable Development” organized by the Think Tank Initiative - in collaboration with the Thailand Development Research Institute, November 12 – 16, 2018, Bangkok, Thailand.</p> <p>vi. (August, 2018), “Skills gap analysis and Training Need Assessment of Mid Level Managers in Knitwear Sector in Bangladesh: an Overview and Way Forward”, in Workshop organized by SEIP, Ministry of Finance, GoB at BRAC Center Inn, 3 August, 2018.</p> <p>vii. (June, 2018), “Social accountability in public sector management: An analysis of citizen’s involvement in public procurement in Bangladesh” in International Conference on ‘Public Policy and Governance in South Asia: Towards Justice and Prosperity’ Nepal Administrative Staff College, Kathmandu, Nepal 28-29 June, 2018.</p> <p>viii. (May, 2018), “Local Assessment Report (LAR) for Promoting Equitable Economic Growth in Secondary Cities in Bangladesh: An assessment of socio-economic benefit of establishing Women’s Complex and City Digital Center in Narayanganj”, Under the Joint Work Program of City Alliances at Narayanganj, Bangladesh 14 May, 2018.</p> <p>ix. (May, 2018), “Local Assessment Report (LAR) for Promoting Equitable Economic Growth in Secondary Cities in Bangladesh: An assessment of socio-economic benefit of establishing Medical Waste Management (MWM) and Vocational Training Center (VTC) in Sylhet”, Under the Joint Work Program of City Alliances at Narayanganj, Bangladesh 9 May, 2018.</p> <p>x. (February, 2018), “Public Goods and Services as Pathway to Equitable City Economies in Bangladesh: An analysis from JWP in Narayanganj and Sylhet”, in Side Event of World Urban Forum 9, Kualalampur International Convention Center, Malaysia, 12 February, 2018.</p> <p>xi. (November, 2017), “Urban Governance and New Urban Agenda: Bangladesh Perspective”, as distinguished discussant in Urban Thinkers Camp (UTC) 2017 organized by Bangladesh University of Engineering (BUET), 25 November, 2018.</p> <p>xii. (November, 2017), ‘Promoting University-Industry Linkage for Skills Development’ in ‘Education Development and Experience Sharing and Partnerships Training Series I’, Peking University, China 14th November, 2017.</p> <p>xiii. (October, 2017) discussant on “Partnership and collaboration for Housing Finance”, in “National Convention on Housing finance for people living in urban poverty” by UDP BRAC, NHA, UDD, BIP, MAB and BIGD at the Bangabandhu International Convention Centre (BICC), Dhaka, 15th October, 2017.</p> <p>xiv. (September, 2017), “Nutrition Governance in Bangladesh: Coordination, Cooperation, and Collaboration”, at the Seminar on Nutrition Governance, organized by BRAC Institute of Governance and Development (BIGD), Six</p>
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	Seasons Hotel Dhaka 12 September, 2017.
xv.	(July, 2017) , ‘Governing cities: the challenge of providing transport services to burgeoning urban populations of Dhaka’ in the session on Public Sector Governance at “Policy Discourse and Research Conference on Public Policy and Governance in South Asia” on 10-11 July 2017 in Kathmandu at Nepal.
xvi.	(May, 2017) Key Note Speech on “Institutional Enabling Environment Report (IEER) Narayanganj, Bangladesh” As Team Leader in the Kick-Off Workshop of the Project Joint Work Programme: Promoting Equitable Economic Growth in Cities by BIGD, BRAC University and Cities Alliance on May 24, 2017 in Sylhet.
xvii.	(May, 2017) Key Note Speech on “Institutional Enabling Environment Report (IEER) Narayanganj, Bangladesh” As Team Leader in the Kick-Off Workshop of the Project Joint Work Programme: Promoting Equitable Economic Growth in Cities by BIGD, BRAC University and Cities Alliance on May 20, 2017 in Sylhet.
xviii.	(February, 2017) Presentation on “Need Assessment Report and Outline of Course Curriculum of Executive Development Programme (EDP) for Knitware Sector in Bangladesh ” in Dissemination Workshop under Skills for Employment Investment Programme SEIP project in BRAC Center on 27 February, 2017.
xix.	(February, 2016) , “Cost Benefit analysis of implementing village courts in Bangladesh”, Sector Expert Roundtable on Smart Ways to improve Governance and Institutions in Bangladesh, 16 February, 2016, BRAC Center Inn, Dhaka
xx.	(July, 2016) , “Informal Settlement in Bangladesh: Social Capital Context” at the side event of third session of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Housing and Sustainable Urban Development (UN Habitat PrepCom3) held in Surabaya, Indonesia from 24-28 July, 2016.
xxi.	(August, 2016) , Presented Key note speech on, “Ward Shabha Strengthening and Operational Guidelines,” in the Seminar on Ward Shabha Operational Guideline on on Aug 30, 2016 at the Lake Shore Hotel Dhaka.
xxii.	(July, 2016) , Presented paper on “Public Finance and Revenue Mobilisation in the Union Parishad.” In BIGD-Sharique dissemination seminar by BRAC Institute of Governance and Development (BIGD), BRAC University, in cooperation with HELVETAS Swiss Inter cooperation (HSI) and Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC) on July 30, 2016 at Dhaka.
xxiii.	(October, 2016) , ‘Regional Cooperation for Resource-Centered Strategies: Analysis from Energy Security Perspective in Asia’, at the daylong session titled, ‘From MDGs to SDGs: Bangladesh as a Case in Point’, in the 45th Annual Conference on South Asia organized by the University of Wisconsin-Madison at The Madison Concourse Hotel and Governor’s October 20-23, 2016.
xxiv.	(December, 2015) , International Conference on Advancing the BBIN Agenda: Exploring possibilities in Trade, Transit, Energy and Water Cooperation, The

	Observer Research Foundation (ORF), 03-04 December, 2015
xxv.	(December, 2016) , Key note Speaker as the Team Leader in the Launching of State of Cities Report 2016, “Traffic Congestion in Dhaka City-Governance Perspective:”, BRAC Institute of Governance and Development (BIGD), BRAC University. 27 December 2016 at the BRAC Centre Inn, Dhaka.
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xxxii.	(June, 2008) , “Regional Integration to Address Poverty and Human Insecurity in Asia: An assessment from human rights and development Cooperation Perspective” in <i>43rd Annual Conference of Asian Studies on the Pacific Coast (ASPAC, 2009)</i> , Soka University of America, Aliso Viejo, CA, June 19-21, 2009.
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xxiv.	(May, 2008) , “Strategies for conflict resolution in Least Developed Countries (LDCs)” in <i>Copenhagen Consensus 2008</i> , Copenhagen Business School, Denmark. May 25-31, 2008.

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<p>Op-ed/ Media Engagement /presence/Newspaper articles</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Op-ed titled ‘Covid-19 lockdowns: A test for mental well-being of older adults’ published in the Daily Financial Express on 07 December 2020. Available: https://today.thefinancialexpress.com.bd/27th-anniversary-issue-3/covid-19-lockdowns-a-test-for-mental-well-being-of-older-adults-1607242822 2. Op-ed titled ‘How are older people in Bangladesh coping with the pandemic?’ published in the Daily Business News on 07 December, 2020, Available: https://tbsnews.net/thoughts/how-are-older-people-bangladesh-coping-pandemic-168277 3. Op-ed titled, ‘Nimitali to Chawkbazar: Governance perspective’ published in the Daily Financial Express on 1st March, 2019, Available online: https://thefinancialexpress.com.bd/views/analysis/nimitali-to-chawkbazar-a-governance-perspective-1551454726?fbclid=IwAR1ebtEB-M4GEZX86kd-pq-xeB_K-rgNF5glwwjDZVSL72nuzMkNVwWL-8 4. Op-ed titled, ‘Dhakar Dukkho Janjot’ published in the Daily Prothom Alo on 15th November, 2017, Available online: http://www.prothomalo.com/opinion/article/1365791/%E0%A6%A2%E0%A6%BE%E0%A6%95%E0%A6%BE%E0%A6%B0-%E0%A6%A6%E0%A7%81%E0%A6%83%E0%A6%96-%E0%A6%AF%E0%A6%BE%E0%A6%A8%E0%A6%9C%E0%A6%9F 5. Op-ed “Beijing Dialogue and Geopolitics of Korean Nuclear Crisis” in <i>Probe News Magazine</i>, Vol. 4, Issue 25, December 16-22, Dhaka. pp. 24-25. 6. Op-ed ‘Sick Dhaka and Stable Dhaka’ op-ed on Dhaka’s urban problem in the Daily Samakal on 31st October, 2016 (with Raihan Ahmed and Ekram Hossain) 7. Participation in the Live Talk show of TV Channel News24 TV 29th March, 2017 from 1:00 – 2:00 to discuss Traffic and Public Transport of Dhaka City

	<p>Based on BIGD State of Cities Report, 2016</p> <p>8. Participation in the interview of TV Channel News24 TV 26th April, 2017 Discussion on Traffic and Public Transport of Dhaka City Based on BIGD State of Cities Report, 2016. Mr. Anisul Hoq and Mr. Sayed Khokon Mayor of DNCC and Dr. Mustafizur Rahman of CPD participated in the event.</p> <p>9. SOC 2017 Housing in Dhaka http://independent24.com/details/23457</p> <p>10. SoC 2017 https://www.facebook.com/R97bd/videos/2108497619420211/</p>
<p>Scholarships, Honors and Awards</p>	<p><u>Major Scholarships and Research Grants</u></p> <p>i. Full funded grant to take part in the Faculty Training on ‘<i>Research Methodology, Academic Writing & Publishing in the USA</i>’, by Subir and Malini Chowdhury Center for Bangladesh Studies, University of California, Berkeley in partnership with the American Institute for Bangladesh Studies (AIBS) and the US Embassy in Dhaka, October 11-18, 2016.Scholarship.</p> <p>ii. <i>Japanese Government (Monbukagakusho: MEXT) Scholarship</i> for doctoral study, 2007 -2011</p> <p>iii. <i>Japanese Grant Aid for Human Resources Development Scholarship, (JDS)</i> for Masters Study, 2002-2004</p> <p>iv. <i>Griffith Business School (GBS) Strategic Research Grant 2012</i>, Griffith University, Australia to conduct research on ‘Challenges towards Transitioning to a Sustainable Enterprise Economy: An Investigation into Climate Change and Human Insecurities Perspectives in South Asia’ (jointly with the research leader Dr. Tapan Sarker, Lecturer, Asia-Pacific Centre for Sustainable Enterprise, Griffith University)</p> <p>v. <i>Griffith Asia Center Grant 2013</i>, Griffith University to conduct Research on ‘Energy Security in Asia’ (jointly with Dr. Tapan Sarker, Lecturer, Griffith Business School, Griffith University)</p> <p>vi. Merit Scholarship, Government of Bangladesh, 1991-1997</p> <p><u>Short-term Scholarships and Research Grants</u></p> <p>i. Travel Grant for Field Research in Bangladesh from Graduate Institute for Asian Regional Integration (GIARI), Waseda University in 2008.</p> <p>ii. Grant for conference attendance in Thailand from Graduate Institute for Asian Regional Integration (GIARI), Waseda University in 2008.</p> <p>iii. Grant to attend Copenhagen Consensus 2008 in Denmark from Royal Danish Government in 2008</p> <p>iv. Grant for conference attendance in USA from Graduate Institute for Asian Regional Integration (GIARI), Waseda University in 2009</p>

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