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Curriculum Vitae

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<b>ACADEMIC BACKGROUND</b>
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Currently working as a Doctoral student in the department of Sociology at the University of Pittsburgh, Spring 2023-

2014-2015      Master of Philosophy (M.Phil.) in Sociology, Delhi School of Economics,  
University of Delhi, 2016

2006-2007      Master of Social Science in Sociology University of Chittagong

2002-2003      Bachelor of Social Science in Sociology (Honors) University of Chittagong

2000-2001      Higher Secondary Certificate in Humanities, Ulipur Government Degree  
College

1998-1999      Secondary School Certificate in Humanities, Durgapur High School, Ulipur,  
Kurigram

## PUBLICATIONS

- **Article:** “Secularism in Bangladesh: An Unfinished Revolution”, *South Asia Research*, Sage, London. Vol. 38.1, 2018.
- **Article:** “The Socio-Economic Impact of Microfinance on the Poor Family: A Study from Bangladesh” (as a co-author), *Journal of Asian and African Studies*, 53.7, 2018, Sage Publications.
- **Article:** “Reflexive Society and Reflexive Relationship: The Changing Pattern of Family and Friendship in Late Modernity”, *Social Trends* (Peer reviewed and UGC approved journal), Journal of the Department of Sociology of North Bengal University, India, Vol. 5, July 2018.
- **Article:** “Suicide Terror and Martyrdom: A New World Order”, *The Journal of Social Studies*, October-December, 2017, Dhaka.
- **Article:** “Political Islam in Bangladesh: From Faraidi Movement to Hefazat-i-Islam”, *Social Trends*, Journal of the Department of Sociology of North Bengal University, Volume2, Number1, March 2015.
- **M. Phil. Dissertation** (Unpublished): “Muslim Dalits in Bengal: A Comparative Study”, Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, New Delhi-110007, India. August 2016.

## ARTICLES READY TO PUBLISH

**Article:** “Digital Dwelling: The Impact of Electronic Media on Family Relationships.”

**Article:** “Madrasa Education and Political Islam in South Asia: The Rise and Rage of the Sub-altern World.”

**Article:** “Coping Strategy Diversifications of People during the Monga Period in Northern Bangladesh.”

**Article:** “Female Education in Bangladesh- A Study.”

**Article:** “Transformation from ‘Khoda-hafej’ to ‘Allah-hafej’: A Sociological Enquiry into the Political Culture in Bangladesh.”

**Article:** “Syncretism Twilight: The Emergence of “Chapati” Culture in Bangladesh.”

<b>WORK EXPERIENCE</b>
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**Teaching Experience**

Current Position: Graduate Teaching Assistant in the department of Sociology, University of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Duration: Spring 2023-

Previous Position: Associate Professor (on study leave), Department of Sociology, University of Chittagong, 4331, Bangladesh

Duration: October 2022-

Previous Position: Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Chittagong, Chittagong-4331, Bangladesh. Duration: August 2017- October 2022

Previous Position: Lecturer, Department of Sociology, University of Chittagong, Chittagong-4331, Bangladesh. Duration: March 2012- July 2017

Previous Position: Adjunct Faculty, Department of CSE (Computer Science and Engineering), Rangamati Science and Technology University, Rangamati -4500, Bangladesh. Duration: June 2017- December 2017

Previous Position: Adjunct Faculty, Department of CSE (Computer Science and Engineering), Rangamati Science and Technology University, Rangamati -4500, Bangladesh. Duration: June 2017- December 2017

Previous Position: Adjunct Faculty, Department of CSE (Computer Science and Engineering), Rangamati Science and Technology University, Rangamati -4500, Bangladesh. Duration: June 2017- December 2017

Previous Position: Adjunct Faculty, Department of CSE (Computer Science and Engineering), Rangamati Science and Technology University, Rangamati -4500, Bangladesh. Duration: January 2018- June 2018

Previous Position: Adjunct Faculty, Department of English, BGC Trust University, Chittagong, Bangladesh. Duration: January 2013- July 2013

Previous Position: Adjunct Faculty, Master of Business Administration, BGC Trust University, Chittagong, Bangladesh. Duration: August 2012- December 2012

Previous Position: Adjunct Faculty, Master of Business Administration, BGC Trust University, Chittagong, Bangladesh. Duration: April 2012- July 2012

Previous Position: Lecturer in Sociology (Department of English, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Master of Business Administration, Department of Pharmacy), BGC Trust University, Chittagong, Bangladesh. Duration: July 2011- March 2012

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2014-2015 Muslim Dalits in Bengal: A Comparative Study, M.Phil. in Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, New Delhi-110007, India

2012-2013 Coping Strategy Diversifications of People during the Monga Period in Northern Bangladesh,

Research Grant provided by Research Cell, University of Chittagong, Chittagong-4331, Bangladesh

2017-2018 Female Education in Bangladesh: A Study, Research Grant provided by Research Cell, University of Chittagong, Chittagong-4331, Bangladesh

## Dissertation

2014-2015 P.Phil- Muslim Dalits in Bengal: A Comparative Study, Supervisor: Professor Abhijit Dasgupta, PhD, Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, New Delhi-110007, India

## OFFERED COURSES

2017-2021: SOC 209: Sociology of Religion, SOC 405: Sociology of Social Movement, SOC 103: Traditions in Social Thought, SOC 207: Sociology of Poverty, SOC 208: Sociology of Ethnicity and Minority, CSE 203: Introduction to Sociology, CSE 402: Bangladesh Studies, CSE 203: Introduction to Sociology, BSCH 202: Bangladesh Society Culture and Heritage, BSCH 105: Bangladesh Society Culture and Heritage, ENG 104: Bangladesh Studies

## LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY & COMPUTER COMPETENCY

Bengali, English

<b>Scholarship and Award</b>
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Five years of Full Guaranteed Funding (2023-2027) for a Ph.D. program in the department of Sociology, University of Pittsburgh.

Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR) 2014-2015 for M.Phil. Degree in the Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, India.

<b>EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES</b>
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Playing cricket, football, table tennis, badminton, billiards, singing songs, and reciting poems.