

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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#### **Education:**

Master of Economics in Environmental Economics, Dhaka School of Economics, a constituent institution of Dhaka University, 2015  
Master of Science in International Development & Management, Lund University Sweden, 2012  
Master of Science in Environmental Sciences, Jahangirnagar University Bangladesh, 2007  
Bachelor of Science in Environmental Sciences, Jahangirnagar University Bangladesh, 2006

#### **Teaching Experience:**

May, 2016 – Present: Senior Lecturer, Department of Environmental Science  
School of Environmental Science and Management, Independent University Bangladesh.  
Jul, 2014 – Apr, 2016: Senior Lecturer, Department of Social Relations, East West University (EWU), Dhaka  
Jan, 2012 – Jun, 2014: Lecturer, Department of Social Relations, East West University, Dhaka

#### **Previous Work Experience:**

Mar, 2010 – Jul, 2010: Staff Researcher, BRAC Research and Evaluation Division, BRAC.  
May, 2009 – Feb, 2010: Research Assistant, BRAC Research and Evaluation Division, BRAC.  
Nov, 2008 – Apr, 2009: Field Researcher, Oxfam Bangladesh.  
May, 2008- Oct, 2008: Research Assistant, BRAC Research and Evaluation Division, BRAC.

## **Publications:**

### *Peer Reviewed Article*

I. Ekhtekharul (2014). "Governmental Organizations and Non-Governmental Organizations Involvement in Managing Drinking Water: Disaster Affected Coastal Rural Area of Bangladesh". *Global Studies*, 6(1).

### *Conference Proceedings*

I. Ekhtekharul (2014). "Climate Change and School Going Children in Bangladesh: Understanding the Relationship". In "2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference on Sustainable Development Practices 2014". Jointly organized by the Earth Institute, Columbia University and United Nations Sustainable Development Solutions Network (UNSDSN).

### *Paper Presentation at Conferences*

2016: Disaster Preparedness and School Curriculum: An Analysis of Textbooks in the Context of Bangladesh. Paper was presented at "International Conference on Poverty and Sustainable Development 2016" Organized by the Institute of Knowledge Management, Sri Lanka in collaboration with Yale University.

2015: Disaster Preparedness among School Going Children in Bangladesh: A Gender Perspective. Paper was presented at "International Conference on Gender, Diversity and Development 2015". Organized by the Department of Women and Gender Studies, Dhaka University.

2010: Eco-friendly Village Modeling: Approach to Proper Rural Land Use in Bangladesh. Paper was presented at "Lund University Development Research Day Seminar 2010". Organized by Lund University Center for Sustainability Studies, Lund University, Sweden.

## **Research Grant:**

2017: Awarded a research grant entitled "Air Pollution and Public health Issues near Amin Bazar Landfill Site, Dhaka" by Independent University, Bangladesh.

2014: Awarded a research grant entitled "School Going Children Knowledge on Disaster Preparedness: A Study from Selected Areas of Bangladesh" by East West University Center for Research and Training.

## **Professional Trainings/Courses:**

2016: Professional Training on Fecal Sludge Management organized by WaterAid Bangladesh in collaboration with Center for Science and Environment, India.

2015: Professional Training on Urban Adaptation Planning and Design, organized by Dhaka University of Engineering and Technology (DUET) funded by NUFFIC under the Netherlands' Initiative for Capacity Development in Higher Education (NICHE).

2013: Training on Research Methods, organized by East West University Center for Research and Training.

2009: Professional Training on Disaster Management in Bangladesh, organized by Jahangirnagar University and Ministry of Food and Disaster Management, Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh.

2009: Certificate Course in Geographic Information System, organized by Department of Geography and Environment, Jahangirnagar University.