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FIELDS OF INTEREST

Behavioral Economics

Experimental Economics

Development Economics

EDUCATION

Master of Social Sciences, Department of Economics, University of Dhaka, 2020 (Appeared)

Bachelor of Social Sciences, Department of Economics, University of Dhaka, 2019

EMPLOYMENT

BRAC Institute of Governance and Development

- Research Associate, December 2021- Present
- Trainee Research Associate, August 2021-November 2021

Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies

- Research Officer, October 2020-June 2021

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- Research Officer, January 2020- September 2020

PUBLICATIONS

- Kabir, F. (2020). Implications of Using Rainwater Harvesting as Supplementary Water Supply Source for Urban Bangladesh. *Journal of Bangladesh Studies*, 22(2), 31–49. Published by Bangladesh Development Initiative (BDI), USA.

ONGOING RESEARCH PROJECTS

- Adolescent Transitions in the Context of COVID-19, 2021-Present
- Economic Empowerment of Women Clients through a Gender Transformative Microfinance Programme, 2021- Present

SEMINARS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS/DISCUSSIONS

- Bangladesh Development Initiative (BDI) International Conference: Bangladesh in the Next 30 years: Challenges and Prospects; Yale University, Connecticut, USA; Paper Presenter, 2019
- Session for Budding Researchers, 4th SANEM Annual Economists' Conference, South Asian Network on Economic Modeling (SANEM), BRAC Centre Inn; Paper Presenter, Dhaka, 2019
- Session for Budding Researchers, 3rd SANEM Annual Economists' Conference, South Asian Network on Economic Modeling (SANEM), BRAC Centre Inn; Panel Discussant, Dhaka, 2018

HONORS AND ACCOLADES

- Best Economic Paper Award, 15th South Asian Economics Students' Meet (SAESM), Colombo, Sri Lanka 2019
- Best Speaker Award, Seeds of Change Competition, 15th South Asian Economics Students' Meet (SAESM), Colombo, Sri Lanka, 2019
- Best Economic Paper Award, 14th South Asian Economics Students' Meet (SAESM), Chittagong, Bangladesh, 2018
- Government Honours Scholarship (General), 2013
- Distinction and Credit Certificate of excellence in the English Language and Mathematics, UNSW Global International Assessments for Schools (IAS), University of New South Wales, Australia, 2008.