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Education

- Ph.D. in Economics, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, WI, USA (2003);
- MSS (Master of Social Science) in Economics with 1st Class, University of Dhaka, Dhaka, Bangladesh (1988);
- BSS (Bachelor of Social Science) (Honors) in Economics, University of Dhaka, Dhaka, Bangladesh (1987);
- HSC (Higher Secondary Certificate) Examination, 1st Division, Stood 5th in the Merit List of Humanities Group, Comilla Board (Whole Chattagram Division), Bangladesh;
- SSC (Secondary School Certificate) Examination, 1st Division, Stood 16th in the Merit List of Humanities Group, Comilla Board (Whole Chattagram Division), Bangladesh;

Distinctions or Awards

13. Emerald Literati Award 2022 as Outstanding Reviewer 2022 for the Journal of Economic Studies (Q1)

12. University Grants Commission Award for contribution in Social Science in the discipline of Economics (2006)

11. University Grants Commission Award for contribution in Social Science in the discipline of Economics (2003)

10. Positioned the 5th among the top 25 hottest articles in *Japan and the World Economy* in terms of downloads: "Exchange rate sensitivity of Japan's bilateral trade flows", Japan and

the World Economy, Volume 16, Issue 1, 1 January 2004, Pages 1-15 (with M. Bahmani-Oskooee).

09. Graduate Teaching Assistantship, Department of Economics, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, USA (1999-2003)

08. Bangladesh-Swedish Trust Travel Award for Graduate Studies in the Univ. of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, WI, USA

07. Research Assistantship, Center for Research on International Economics (CRIE), University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, USA (2002-2003) under Professor Harvey Wilmeth

06. Talent pool Scholarship for obtaining the 5th Position in the Merit list for HSC Examination in 1984

05. Salary increment from NSU for achieving the UGC Award 2003 as a recognition of research (Awarded in 2005)

04. Salary increment from NSU for publishing consistently for three consecutive years in SCOPUS-indexed journals (Awarded on the basis of publications in 2020-2022)

03. Visiting Faculty Position at Chiang Mai University, Thailand (2008)

02. Fully funded Exchange Studentship at the University of Giessen, Germany, to gain practical experience on European Monetary Integration, US-European Labor Relationship (45 days) in 2002.

01. **Google Scholar Citation Index (1705) as of April 05, 2026 (Citation: 1705; h-index: 18, i-10 index: 27)**

Journal Articles

Under Review

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57. **Goswami**, G. G., Chowdhury, M. H., Rahman, M, Atique, M. A. Australian Tourist Flow: A Gravity Model Approach. *Sustainability*. 2024; 16(13):5740, Q1, <https://www.mdpi.com/2071-1050/16/13/5740>
56. Barai, M.K., **Goswami**, G.G., and Chowdhury, M.B. (2024), "Editorial: Covid-19: effects and innovation for future sustainability," *International Journal of Innovation and Sustainable Development*, Inderscience Enterprises Ltd, vol. 18(1/2), page 1-13, Scopus-indexed. <https://www.inderscienceonline.com/doi/abs/10.1504/IJISD.2024.135275>
55. **Goswami**, G. G., Rahman, Kh. H., & Saifullah, K. M. (2023). "An Overview of COVID-19 Data Requirement for Business and Economics Research", *North South Journal of Peace and Global Studies*, 1(1), pp. 13-53, <https://nsjpgs.com/archives/24>
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53. **Goswami**, G. G., Barai, M. K., Atique, M. A., and Rahman, M. 2023. Did Remittance Inflow in Bangladesh Follow the Gravity Path during COVID-19? *Economies* 11: 285. Q1, <https://doi.org/10.3390/economies11110285>

52. Goswami, H., **Goswami**, G.G., Banik, B.K. et al. Factors Associated with Children's Subjective Well-being During the COVID-19 Pandemic in Bangladesh. *Child Ind Res* 16, 1889–1911 (2023). Q1, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12187-023-10044-y>
51. **Goswami**, G.G., Sarwar, M.R. and Rahman, M.M. (2023), "COVID-19 impact on tourism inflow in selected Asia-Pacific countries: a gravity model framework", *International Journal of Emerging Markets*, Q2, <https://doi.org/10.1108/IJOEM-07-2022-1196>
50. **Goswami** G. G., Labib T. Modeling COVID-19 Transmission Dynamics: A Bibliometric Review. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, Q1 2022; 19(21):14143, Q1, <https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph192114143>
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46. Uddin, G. S., Yahya, M., **Goswami**, G. G., Lucey, B. M., & Ahmed, A. (May 2022). Stock market contagion during the COVID-19 pandemic in emerging economies, *International Review of Economics & Finance*, 79. 302-309. ABDC: A, Q1, 28, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.iref.2022.02.028>
45. Islam, M. M., Barman, A., Khan, M. I., **Goswami**, G. G., Siddiqui, B., & Mukul, S. A. (2022). Sustainable Livelihood for Displaced Rohingyas and their Resilience at Bhashan

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35. **Goswami**, G. G. Mumit, A. (2018). Are Grades Inflated for Good Teaching Evaluations? Evidence from Bangladesh?, *US-China Education Review B*, Vol 8, Issue 5, 203-216., Available at SSRN: <https://ssrn.com/abstract=3573246>

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Academic Experience (1992-2026)

1. Professor, Department of Economics, School of Business and Economics, NSU (September 1, 2025- ongoing)
2. Adjunct Professor, Department of Economics for teaching graduate International Economics course and supervising Thesis at the Graduate Level, NSU (2024-2025)
3. Professor, Department of Economics, NSU (2010-2024)
4. Graduate Program Coordinator, NSU, Bangladesh (2004-2009, 2012-2014; 2019-20)
5. Associate Professor, Department of Economics, North South University, from November 2005 to September 2010 [5 years]
6. Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, North South University, from September 2003 to October 2005 [2 years]
7. Instructor, Department of Economics, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, USA, From September 1999 to August 2003 (Taught 9 courses independently) [4 years]
8. Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Shahjalal University of Science & Technology, Sylhet, Bangladesh, from December 1995 to August 1999 [4 years]
9. Lecturer, Department of Economics, Shahjalal University of Science & Technology, Sylhet, Bangladesh, from December 1992 to November 1995 [3 years]

Full-Time Faculty Member of NSU (2003-2024)

Major Achievements

- UGC Award 2003 in Social Science (Economics) (Awarded in 2005)
- UGC Award 2006 in Social Science (Economics) (Awarded in 2009)
- Emerald Literati Award 2022 as Outstanding Reviewer for the Journal of Economic Studies (Q1)

Foreign or External Collaboration Efforts (Focal Person)

01. NSU-Bournemouth University, UK (Co-I: Rohingya Refugee Problem)

02. NSU-The Manchester Metropolitan University, UK

Term Ends: 22 March 2027

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1I8CtAKpNb8nEWQeJl0lrZ_-1BY_pcNYa/view

03. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, USA

Term Ends: 1 January, 2028

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/17XzTEI-TH4Z70uU01pTsmysldHdxPTa-/view>

Administrative experience (1992-2026)

1. Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Uttara University, Dhaka 1230, Bangladesh (January 16, 2024-31 August 2025: 1 year and 8 months)
2. Director of Student Affairs, North South University (2020-2024: 4 years)
3. Acting Treasurer, NSU (January 5, 2019-April 2025: 4 months)
4. Treasurer, North South University, Dhaka, Bangladesh, January 5, 2015- January 5, 2019 [4 years]
5. Acting Pro-VC, North South University, Dhaka, Bangladesh, November 11, 2014-27 Feb 2017 [2 years 3 months 16 days]
6. Acting VC, North South University, Dhaka, Bangladesh, August 11, 2015- 24 February, 2016 [6 months 14 days]
7. Acting Treasurer, North South University, Dhaka, Bangladesh, June 21, 2013-January 4, 2015, Jan 2019-April 2019 [1 year 10 months]
8. Proctor, North South University, Dhaka, Bangladesh, From June 2009 to December 2010 [1 year 5 months]
9. Chair, Department of Economics, North South University, Dhaka, Bangladesh, Feb 2007 to April 2009 [2 years 3 months]
10. Faculty Advisor, Young Economists' Forum (YEF), NSU, Dhaka, Bangladesh, 2004-2007 [3 years]
11. Students' Club Coordinator, NSU, Spring 2013

12. Undergraduate Admission Test Coordinator, NSU, Summer 2013, Fall 2013, and Spring 2014, NSU [1 year]
13. Member Secretary, Undergraduate Admission Test, SUST (1997-1998)
14. Head, Dept. of Econ., Shahjalal Univ. of Science & Tech, Sylhet, Bangladesh, From Sep. 1997 to Dec. 1998 [1 year 3 months]
15. Assistant Proctor, Shahjalal Univ. of Science & Tech, Sylhet, Bangladesh, From 1996 to 1999 [3 years]

Major Committee Services as Chair, Vice Chair, or Member, NSU (2010-2024)

1. Academic Council, NSU (2010-2017)
2. Board of Trustees (2015-16, Ex-Officio)
3. Finance Committee, NSU (2013-2019)
4. Syndicate, NSU (2013-2019)
5. Scientific Review Committee, School of Business and Economics, NSU (2019-2024)
6. Academic Review Committee
7. Administrative Appointment Committee
8. Administrative Promotion Committee
9. Admission Committee (Graduate and Undergraduate)
10. Audit Committee
11. Campus Development Committee
12. Chief Coordinator for the Celebration of 24 Years of Glory
13. Conference, Travel, and Research Grant Committee
14. Contributory Provident Fund Committee
15. Degree Review Committee
16. Disciplinary Committee
17. Faculty Appointment Committee
18. Faculty Promotion Committee (Central)

19. Departmental Promotion Committee
20. Faculty Search Committee (Dept. and SBE)
21. Financial Assistance Committee
22. Internal Research Grant Assessment Committee (SBE and Central)
23. Leave Committee
24. Library Committee
25. Need Assessment Committee
26. Ph.D. Programs Launching Committee at Private Universities in Bangladesh (Formed by UGC: 2024-2025), Member
27. Rate Negotiation Committee
28. Shortlisting Committee for Administrative Personnel's Promotion and Increment
29. Teaching Assistant Selection Committee (Department)
30. Technical Committee
31. Tender Committee

Uttara University (Pro-VC, January 2024-August 2025)

1. Convenor, Lab Development Committee
2. Convenor, Classroom Development Committee
3. Member, Faculty Recruitment Committee
4. Member, Faculty Promotion Committee
5. Member, Administrative Promotion Committee
6. Chairman, Library Committee

Acting VC, Acting Pro-VC, and Acting Treasurer, Treasurer, NSU (Top Administration: 2013-2019)

A. Reforms undertaken (Under the supervision of the Board of Trustees and Vice Chancellor, where applicable)

- We secured ACBSP accreditation for the Business School of NSU for the first time in Bangladesh's history during my tenure as acting VC.

- Set up the Institutional Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) at NSU under the World Bank-funded project of UGC.
- Highlighted NSU through electronic media (ATN-Bangla, ATN News, Bangla Vision, Channel 24, Rtv);
- Faster processing of administrative files through proper distribution of work and supervision;
- Worked closely with the Board of Trustees, Government, Ministry of Education, foreign universities and missions, parents, and guardians for uplifting the quality and image of NSU;
- Speedy implementation of committee decisions through regular holding of meetings and minimizing meeting time duration (reduced it by 50%);
- Supervised the regular monthly newsletter publication (NSU NEWS) as the Chair of the Editorial Board;
- Took initiative for all local and regional accreditation and ABET accreditation for the Engineering school;
- Served as Chief Coordinator for Organizing the celebration of Twenty Four Years of Glory at NSU (1992-2016);
- Organized the 19th Convocation of NSU with the presence of the Honorable Chancellor and the President of the Republic.
- Setting up Committee for the Prevention of Sexual Harassment at NSU;
- Raised the number of international students and faculty members at NSU and arranged for Government approval and accommodation for foreign faculty members;
- Active supervision of all four Deans of Schools, Registrar, Controller of Exams, Director of IT, Admissions, Administration, Finance and Accounts, External Affairs, Undergraduate Studies, Graduate Studies and Research, Librarian, Proctor, Director of all Institutes and Centers;
- Smooth supervision of all administration, finance, external affairs, and academic affairs of the University with care and efficiency;
- Introduced an automated course registration and payment system at NSU as convener. As a result, a long line of students for hours has been eliminated forever.

- Introduced a special academic calendar during hartal or blockade, introduced a joint academic and event calendar for the whole year; introduced a single calendar for both graduate and undergraduate students at NSU;
- Introduced a speedy processing system for transcripts, certificates, etc. (processing time reduced from several weeks to several hours);
- Introduced automated certificate authenticity-checking for all NSU Graduates by employers online;
- Introduced a semester-wise degree review system; In the past, it was annual, whereas students are graduating every semester.
- Simplification and up-gradation of the undergraduate and graduate admission system by introducing automation in question papers.
- Introduced the fastest processing of merit list for financial aid recipient on the basis of admission test results and their award-giving ceremony on the orientation day;
- Introduced a campus-wide faculty and administrative orientation system in each semester, led by NSU-HR.
- Supervised the introduction of online grade checking and submission with validation and course load checking for faculty members;
- Speedy processing of faculty hiring from home and abroad (speedy completion of faculty hiring well ahead of the new semester);
- Increased the number of Ph.D. faculty members as Department Chair;
- Minimized the number of part-time faculty members and strictly controlled the requirement of teaching courses by at least a foreign Master's degree holder;
- Up-gradation of undergraduate and graduate admission requirements (from GPA 7.00 to GPA 8.00 for undergraduate and GPA 2.5 to GPA 2.75 for graduate level entry);
- Formulated a rational policy for phasing out probation students;
- Hired the best faculty members globally through advertisement in Higher Eds and Chronicle of Higher Education.
- Made the salary scale more market-oriented.

- Introduced the undergraduate semester final exam schedule in such a way that time conflicts are minimized.
- Introduced a 10% overhead rule for all outside consultancy income of faculty members.
- Introduced external income as a separate head in the balance sheet to raise the ranking of NSU, including sponsored money.
- Played a pivotal role in introducing the Thursday-Saturday slot for classes to generate adequate surplus for quality education
- Played a pivotal role in raising the Provident Fund for all full-time employees of NSU from 5% to 8.33% as own and NSU contributions to all full-time employees of NSU.

B. Reforms during Mid-Level Administrations (Chair, Proctor, Director of Student Affairs, MS Program Coordinator, Admission Test Coordinator, etc.: NSU, SUST)

- Introducing an OMR machine-based script checking, thereby reducing the result processing time from two weeks to two days;
- Raising Economics student enrollment by at least 100% and the number of students doing a second major and minor in Econ, doubled;
- Introducing new fields like Econometrics and Financial Economics at the MS level at NSU;
- Major modernization in BS, MS, and MDS curricula by introducing new field courses like Time Series Forecasting, Internship, Poverty and Famine, Microcredit, Health Economics, etc.;
- Introducing weekend sessions for working graduate students.
- Introducing 3 hour once-a-week class for working students;
- Introducing prerequisite classes offered in the evening for working graduates;
- Introducing a teaching facility for teachers (doing Ph.D. in North American Universities) under study leave during their summer.
- Simplification of the undergraduate admission test procedure;
- Setting up a separate Proctor Office for the largest private University in Bangladesh for the first time in the new campus at Bashundhara as the founding proctor of the Bashundhara campus;

- Introducing an anti-smoking law and smoking ticket at NSU;
- Setting up a separate Proctor Office as a full-fledged Office;
- Recruiting a sufficient number of Assistant Proctors, including a female Assistant Proctor for the First time;
- Speedy trial of disciplinary violations;
- Ensuring a clean campus (no banner or poster other than in the designated area);
- Development and modification of undergraduate and graduate curriculum of BS in Econ, MS in Econ, and MDS program, and making it more market-driven;
- Introducing an internship opportunity for Economics undergraduate students for the first time.
- Hiring the best quality faculty members from abroad and retaining them;
- Creating a culture of research in the Department, which was mostly a teaching environment, by activating Theses for UG and G students;
- Making the Economics Master's program the best in the country, which attracts graduates from the IBA, also.
- Launching 'Equilibrium', the academic magazine of YEF;
- Organizing the First Prime Bank International Conference of Young Economists for the first time;
- Publication of Conference Proceedings;
- Publication of 'Equilibrium', the first magazine of the Young Economists' Forum (YEF);
- Organizing Cross-Talk;
- Organizing several National and International Seminars, national and international study tours;
- Promoting the best quality student leadership at YEF, the intellectual club of NSU.
- I was the youngest Head of the Department at SUST. I had no Ph.D. degree, but introduced two noticeable changes during the shortest possible time:
- Introducing Optical Character Reading (OCR) in the undergraduate admission test answer script checking, thereby reducing the result processing time from 15 days to 2 days.

- Setting up Econometrics Lab for students for the first time in the history of Bangladesh.

C. Major Contributions as Pro-VC at Uttara University, Dhaka, Bangladesh (Under the supervision of VC and BOT)

- Rationalization of salary structure for existing faculty members supported by fee adjustment only for newly enrolled students to keep the balance sheet and flow account unaffected or increasing.
- Hiring a good number of Foreign Ph.D. faculty in the shortest possible time at the market rate;
- Modernizing the Transcript of students reflecting the semester-wise past history of retake.
- Appointing Ph.D. faculty as Department Chairs or Academic Directors for standardizing academic administration at the global level;
- Reconstituting the Proctorial Body with female Assistant Proctors;
- Playing an active role in the formulation of the Student Code of Conduct at Uttara University;
- Formulation of Club Rules for all the Students' Co-Curricular and Extra-Curricular Clubs
- Introducing Fast Track Faculty Hiring system for foreign Ph.D. holders from top-ranked Universities;
- Introducing a three-installment-based tuition fee payment system;
- Introducing a common academic and payment calendar for all Departments.
- Introducing a common leadership structure for extra-curricular student clubs;
- Empowering Deans, Department Chairs, and Academic Directors with appropriate reporting authority;
- Sending back each faculty member to their respective discipline-oriented Departments for better academic and career management.
- Introduced the GED Center to monitor GED courses;
- Introduced mandatory and confidential teaching evaluations (online) for all FT and PT faculty members;

- Chair, Classroom Committee, Lab Dev. Committee, Web Dev. Committee;
- Active role in achieving WURI, RUR ranking;
- Formation of VC-Pro-VC Dean Forum (VCDF) for quick macro decision making while the academic council, syndicate, and the BOT are not in session;
- Helping BOT and VC to achieve the newly published vision "Excellence in Higher Education and Research" and smooth transition from the previous vision "Quality Education at affordable Cost"

Research Grant Awards

11. Impact of uncertainty on Global Energy Transition

Size: 4 lac

Duration: 2026-27

Role: PI

Funding agency: CTRG Research Grant, North South University

Project Status: Ongoing

10. Impact of Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) on Trade Enhancement of Bangladesh

Size: BDT 800000

Duration: July 2022-June 2025

Role: PI

Funding agency: Social Science Research Council (SSRC), Planning Commission, Ministry of Planning, Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Research institution: North South University

Project Status: Ongoing

08. Is the ASEAN Economy affected by the pandemic and Geopolitical uncertainty?

Size: BDT 500000

Duration: July 2022-June 2023

Funding agency: North South University

Grant Number: CTRG-22-SBE_02

Research institution: North South University

Secondary institutions: Linköping University, Norwegian University of Life Sciences

Project Status: Completed

07. Assessing the Adoption and Diffusion of Agricultural Innovations in Bangladesh

Size: BDT 199.96 Million

Duration: October 2021-October 2023

Funding agency: KGF

Grant Reference No.: TF 93-SoE/21

Principal investigator (PI): Nazrul Islam

Co-Investigator: Gour Gobinda Goswami

Research institution: North South University

Secondary institutions: Bangladesh Agricultural University, Curtin University, The University of Western Australia

Project Status: Completed

06. Should Bangladesh join the Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership (RCEP)? A Gravity Model

Framework

Size: BDT 450000

Duration: July 2021-June 2022

Role: PI

Funding agency: North South University

Research institution: North South University

Project Status: Completed

05. Role of private universities in taking Bangladesh to the status of a middle-income country

Size: BDT 300000

Duration: November 2018-June 2020

Funding agency: Bangladesh Government

Grant Reference: SSRC Research Fellowship

Principal Investigator: Gour Gobinda Goswami

Co-investigator: Samanta Farahnaz

Research institution: North South University

Secondary institution: BIDA

Project Status: Completed

04. Developing Responsible Project Management in Bangladesh through Empirical Research: Human and

Environmental Rohingya Crisis in Bangladesh

Size: GBP 15850

Duration: January 2018-December 2019

Funding agency: Bournemouth University, UK (GCRF)

Principal investigator: Dr. Mehdi Chowdhury

Co-investigator: Dr. Gour Gobinda Goswami

Research institution: Bournemouth University, UK

Secondary institution: North South University

Project Status: Completed

03. Faculty of Arts and Humanities International Research Partnership Fund

Size: GBP 50000

Topic: Children's Happiness and Well-being in Bangladesh

Duration: January 2018 -January 2020

Funding agency: Manchester Metropolitan University (MMU), UK

Principal investigator: Dr. Haridhan Goswami

Co-investigators: Dr. Gour Gobinda Goswami, Dr. Swaswati Das, Dr. Arbind Bhomi, Dr. Suhasini Wijesundera, Dr. Ibrahim Khalil

Research institution: Manchester Metropolitan University

Secondary institutions: Indian Statistical Institute, Tribhuban University, University of Peradania, B. M. College, North South University

Project Status: Completed

02. Does Grading Matter for Teaching Evaluation Score? An Empirical Examination of the Determinants of

Teaching Quality at Private Universities of Bangladesh

Size: BDT 245000

Duration: January 2012-December 2013

Funding agency: North South University

Principal investigator: Dr. Gour Gobinda Goswami

Co-investigator: Abdul Mumit

Research institution: North South University

Project Status: Completed

01. Does Political Risk Deter FDI Inflow? An Analytical Approach using Panel Data and Factor Analysis

Size: BDT 245000

Duration: January 2010-December 2011

Funding agency: North South University

Grant reference: Faculty Research Grant

Principal investigator (PI): Dr. Gour Gobinda Goswami

Co-investigator: Samai Haider

Project Status: Completed

Consultancy Works

04. Adoption and Diffusion of Agricultural Technology and Innovation in Bangladesh

2021-09 to 2023-08 | Grant

Krishi Gobeshona Foundation (KGF), Ministry of Agriculture, Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh (Dhaka, Bangladesh, BD)

Role: Co-investigator

Funding subtype: Agriculture

Total funding amount: BDT 20,000,000 (Two crores)

Project Status: Completed

03. Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) Specialist

Jan 2013 - June 2013

I was in charge of exploring the data requirements for the results based monitoring and evaluation of the sixth five year plan of Bangladesh. I was in charge of exploring the data requirements for the results-based monitoring and evaluation of the sixth five-year plan of Bangladesh

02. Perspective Plan of Bangladesh (2010-2021)

Duration: Jan 2009 - June 2010

I was in charge of exploring the data requirements for the results based monitoring and evaluation of the sixth five year plan of Bangladesh. I was in charge of exploring the data requirements for the results-based monitoring and evaluation of the sixth five-year plan of Bangladesh

01. Strengthening Public Expenditure Management Program (SPEMP) Strengthening Public Expenditure Management Program (SPEMP)

Duration: Jan 2010 - Jan 2012

Role: Setting up a unified debt management office in Bangladesh (Debt Management Specialist)

Conducting the debt sustainability study (DSA) for Bangladesh

Conducting a study on the primary and secondary Bond Market in Bangladesh

Conducting a study on Sanchaypatra (Is it beneficial to small savers?)

Preparing the Medium Term Debt Strategy for Bangladesh

The project was multi-donor trust-funded, with the World Bank as the lead donor.

Implementing Firm: Policy Research Institute of Bangladesh (PRI)

Courses Taught/Currently Teaching

Advanced Trade Theory and Policy, ECO 613, ECO 611, ECO 528 (NSU)

Applied Mathematics II, ECO 244 (NSU)

Applied Statistics, ECO 173 or BUS 173 (NSU)

Applied Time Series Forecasting, ECO 472 (NSU)

Basic Economics, DEV 501 (NSU)

Business Economics, EMB 502 (NSU, UU)

Contemporary Issues of Bangladesh Economy (SUST, Sylhet)

Econometric Method, ECO 502 (NSU)

Economic Development & Planning (SUST, Sylhet)

Economic Development (UWM, USA)

Economic Statistics, ECO 210 (UWM, USA)

Economics, ECO 100, DEV 501 (UU, MBA, EMBA, NSU)

Econometrics Lab Section (for Master's Students), UWM, USA

Financial Markets and Institutions, ECO 317, FIN 474 (NSU)

Health Economics and Financing, PBH 653 (NSU)

Health Care Management (NSU)

Health Care and Education Management (NSU)

International Economic Relations, ECO 310 (UWM, USA)

International Trade, ECO 410 (UWM, USA)

Intermediate Microeconomics, ECO 201 (NSU)

Intermediate Macroeconomics, ECO 202 (NSU)

Intermediate Macroeconomics (SUST, Sylhet)

International Economics (SUST, Sylhet)

Introduction to Econometrics, ECO 372 (NSU)

International Finance, ECO 430 (NSU)

International Trade Theory and Policy, ECO 328 (NSU)

International Financial Management, FIN 444 (NSU)

International Trade Theory and Policy, ECO 613, ECO 611, ECO 528 (NSU)

International Finance, ECO 614 (NSU)

Introduction to Microeconomics, ECO 101 (NSU)

Introduction to Macroeconomics, ECO 104 (NSU)

Mathematics I, ECO 134 (NSU)

Methods and Tools in Development Research (NSU)

Money, Banking, and Financial Markets, ECO 317 (NSU)

Principles of Microeconomics (SUST, Sylhet)

Principles of Macroeconomics (SUST, Sylhet)

Principles of Economics II (NSU)

Panel and Limited Dependent Variable Model, ECO 652 (NSU)

Principles of Economics I (NSU)

Research Methodology in Economics (UWM, USA)

Supervised Thesis, DEV 599, ECO 499, ECO 699 (NSU)

Supervised Research Paper, DEV 595, ECO 495, ECO 695 (NSU)

Supervised Internship, DEV 596, ECO 496, ECO 696 (NSU)

Survey of Economics (UWM, USA), ECO 100

Special Topics in Economics, ECO 692 (Trade Policy Analysis) (NSU)

Special Topics in Economics, ECO 492 (Time Series Forecasting)

Training Session on Panel data for Faculty and senior students of Chiang Mai University, Thailand

Time Series Forecasting for Researchers (Bangladesh Institute of Governance and Management, BIGM)

Time Series Forecasting (Bangladesh Institute of Bank Management, BIBM)

Time Series Forecasting for Agricultural Products, (Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics, BBS)

Training program on Panel Data (Department of Economics, School of Business, NSU)

Training on Gravity Modeling for Trade Research (Bangladesh Foreign Trade Institute, BFTI)

Training Session on Gravity Model for Trade at Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University, Oita, Japan

Time Series Analysis, ECO 651 (NSU)

Principles of Microeconomics (UWM, USA)

Introduction to International Economic Relations (UWM, USA)

Introductory Economics (UWM, USA)

Recent Teaching at NSU

01. International Trade Theory and Policy (ECO 613)
02. International Finance (ECO 614)
03. Econometric Method (ECO 502)
04. Introduction to Econometrics (ECO 372)
05. Special Topics in Economics (Trade Policy Analysis, ECO 692)
06. Advanced Trade Theory (ECO 611)
07. International Financial Economics (ECO 612)
08. Business Economics (EMB 502)
09. Basic Economics (DEV 501)
10. Applied Statistics (ECO 173)
11. Principles of Economics II (Macro), ECO 104

Supervision of Theses, Research Papers, and Internships (2003-2026): Total 140

Memberships and Professional Activities

Academia Green Energy, Reviewer

Academia Letters, Reviewer

African Research Reports, Reviewer

Agricultural Economics (Wiley-Blackwell), Reviewer

American Economic Association (AEA), Member

Annals of Human Biology, Review

Annual Banking Conference (ABC) 2025 (2nd) at BIBM, Dhaka, Bangladesh,
"Higher Studies and Publications for PhD programs", 8th May 2025, Keynote Speaker

Applied Economics, Taylor Francis, Q1, Review

Asia Pacific Journal of Social Work and Development, Reviewer

Association for Economic and Development Studies in Bangladesh (AEDSB)(2000-), Life Member

Bangladesh Economic Association (1993-), Life Member

Bangladesh Development Studies (BDS), Review

Bangladesh Journal of Political Economy, Reviewer

Bank Parikrama, Reviewer

Biomedical and Pharmacology Journal, Reviewer

Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, India, PhD Evaluator

BMC Medical Education, Reviewer

Business and Politics, Reviewer

Canadian Economics Association (CEA), Member

Canadian Journal of Economics (Wiley), Review

Child Indicators Research, Reviewer

Cogent Business & Management, Reviewer

Cogent Economics and Finance, Reviewer

Contemporary Mathematics. Reviewer

Corruptio, Editorial Board Member (2021-)

Defense and Peace Economics, Reviewer

Diagnostics, Reviewer

Discover Public Health, Springer Nature, Reviewer

EconomiA, Reviewer, Emerald

Economics Bulletin, Reviewer

Economic Change and Restructuring (Springer), Review

Economic Modeling (Elsevier), Review

Emerging Markets Finance and Trade (ME Sharpe, Inc.), Review

Empirical Economics (Springer), Review

Environmental Modeling and Assessment, Springer Nature, Reviewer

Frontiers in Engineering, Review

Frontiers in Public Health, Review

International Economic Journal (Taylor & Francis) (Review)

International Journal of Educational Studies (Review)

International Journal of Emerging Markets (Emerald) (Review)

International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, Review

International Journal of Happiness and Development, Review

International Journal of Logistics and Trade, Review

International Journal of Tourism Research, Reviewer

Dhaka University Economics Alumni Association (2003-), Life Member

Economies, Reviewer

Environmental Science and Pollution Research International, Review

International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, Review

FIIB, Delhi, PhD Thesis External Committee Member, India

Financial Innovation, Reviewer

Frontiers in Medicine, Review

Global Business & Economics Review (Inderscience Publishers), Review

Heliyon (Cell Press), Reviewer

Information, Communication and Society, Taylor & Francis, Q1, Review

International Journal of Medical Research & Health Sciences, Review

International Journal of Emerging Markets (Emerald) (Review)

International Journal of Sustainable Economy, Review

International Journal of Trade and Global Markets, Review

International Review of Applied Economics (Taylor & Francis), Review

International Review of Economics and Finance, Review

International Economics and Finance Journal (Serial Publications), Review

Journal of Economic Studies (Emerald), Review

Journal of Peace Research (SAGE Publications), Review

Journal of Environmental Economics and Policy, Reviewer

Journal of Knowledge Globalization (Knowledge Globalization Institute), Review

Journal of Happiness Studies, Reviewer

Journal of Economic Info (JEI), Editorial Board Member (2020-)

Journal of Economics (Springer), Review

Journal of Energy and Power Technology, Article Review

Journal of the Institute of Bankers, Bangladesh (Review)

Journal of Industry, Competition and Trade, Reviewer

Journal of Revenue and Pricing Management, Reviewer

Journal of Risk and Financial Management

Land, Reviewer

Mathematics, Reviewer

Millennial Asia, Reviewer

MDPI-Healthcare, Reviewer

MDPI-Health

MDPI-Economies

MDPI-Sustainability

Multidisciplinary Business Review (MBR), Editorial Board Member, (2020-)

Multidisciplinary Business Review (MBR), Review

North American Journal of Economics and Finance

North South Business Review (NSBR), Review

North South Journal of Peace and Global Studies, Review

North South Business Review, Editorial Board Member(2021-)

Palgrave Macmillan, Book Review

Post-Communist Economies, Review

PloS one, Reviewer

Research in International Business and Finance (Elsevier), Review

Renewable and Sustainable Energy Review (Elsevier), Review

SAGE Online, Review

SAGE Open, Review

SAGE Open, Review

Science Progress, Review

Scientific African, Review

Science Progress, Review

Small-scale Forestry

Social Indicators Research (SIR), Review

Social Indicators Research (SIR), Review

South Asian Survey, Reviewer

Special Issue Guest Editor for International Journal of Innovation and Sustainable Development (IJISD) for "Innovation and Sustainability in Post-COVID World"

Sustainability, Review

The Global Economic Review (Routledge), Review

The Global Journal of Finance and Economics, Review

The International Trade Journal (Taylor & Francis), Review

The International Trade Journal (Taylor & Francis), Review

The Journal of Developing Areas (Project MUSE), Review

The Singapore Economic Review, Reviewer

University of Mauritius, Master's Thesis External Examiner

University of Southern Queensland, PhD Thesis Evaluator

World Development Perspective, Review

World, Review

Viruses, Reviewer

Professional Affiliations

- Member, American Economic Association (AEA, September 1, 2025- September 1, 2028);
- Member, Canadian Economics Association (CEA);
- Life Member, Association for Economic and Development Studies in Bangladesh (AEDSB)(2000-);
- Life Member, Bangladesh Economic Association (1993-);
- Life Member, Dhaka University Economics Alumni Association (2003-);