

C.V of Professor Dr. Md. Rabiul Islam



Short Biography of Professor Dr. Md. Rabiul Islam

Md. Rabiul Islam, PhD is serving as a Professor at the Institute of Social Welfare and Research, University of Dhaka. Dr. Islam served as a visiting scholar of the School of Social Work, Monmouth University, USA from 07 May 2022 to 15 June 2022. He was the Fellow of the University of California, Berkeley, USA. He has received the fellowship training on Research Methodology and Writing and Publishing in the U.S from the University of California, Berkely, USA, 2016. Dr. Islam has also received training on Community Development from the Oxford University in 2019. Dr. Islam has published 38 research articles on different social and development issues of Bangladesh in National and International Research Journals. He published a research book from German. He has visited 20 countries to attend and participate in international conferences, seminars and workshops as a paper presenter, key note speaker and session chair. **He has more than twenty five years' experience of teaching and research work.** His areas of interests are ageing/gerontology, poverty and social exclusion, labor rights, climate change and disaster and community development. Dr. Islam has worked as a team leader, research member/consultant in different research projects in different organizations such as Bangladesh Bridge Authority, Directorate of Family Planning, Ministry of Family Planning, Gazipur City Corporation, CARE Bangladesh, UNICEF Bangladesh, ILO, Dhaka Ahsania Mission, Plan International Bangladesh, Department of Social Services, Ministry of Social Welfare. Very recent he along with other researchers have completed a research works on **Padma Multipurpose Bridge: Impacts on Lives and Livelihoods of Project Affected People (2019-2020)** funded by the World Bank and carried out by the Bangladesh Bridge Authority, **Socio-Economic Impact Evaluation of Bangabandhu Bridge Project (2021-2022)** funded by the Bangladesh Bridge Authority, **Formative Research on Knowledge, Attitude & Practices on Family Planning Commodities 2020** funded by Directorate of Family Planning, **Formative Research to Understand Behaviors Influencing Contraceptive Practices among Newly Married Couples in Bangladesh 2019** funded by Directorate of Family Planning, **Identifying the extreme poor and poor households and develop a data base in Gazipur City Corporation (GCC) area 2018** organized by Gazipur City Corporation and and CARE Bangladesh, **Service Mapping for Basic Services at Zone-5 of Gazipur City Corporation, Bangladesh 2019** organized by Gazipur City Corporation and UNICEF Bangladesh, **The Impacts of Water Logging on Health and Education of Orphans in the South West Region of Bangladesh** organized by the Department of Social Services, Ministry of Social Welfare, **Child Early Forced Marriage (CEFM) in Secondary School and Madrasha in the Tazmuddin Sub-District under Bhola District in Bangladesh, 2020** funded by Plan International Bangladesh. He has completed a research project on **Lives and Livelihoods of Informal Entrepreneurs in Rural Bangladesh in particular reference to SDGs (Goal 1: No Poverty), 2022** funded by the University of Dhaka. Dr. Islam has conducted fellowship research on **the role of remittance on socioeconomic wellbeing of international migrant workers' families in rural Bangladesh** funded by the Social Science Research Council, Planning Division, Ministry of Planning. Dr. Islam is also a team member with others of the research project of **A Qualitative Study on Children Living on the Street Situation in Urban Locations in Bangladesh 2022 & Alternative Care Study in Bangladesh, 2022** both projects are funded by the UNICEF Bangladesh.

Brief Curriculum Vitae of Professor Dr. Md. Rabiul Islam

Date of Birth: 31 December 1976

Nationality: Bangladeshi

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Education

- 2022** Visiting Scholar, Monmouth University, USA (from 05 May 2022 to 15 June 2022)
- 2019** Training on Community Development and Research Methodology, Oxford University
- 2016** Fellowship in Faculty Training Workshop and Research Methodology
University of California, Berkeley, USA
- 2013** PhD (on Gerontology), University of Dhaka, Dhaka, Bangladesh
- 1997-1998** University of Dhaka, Dhaka, Bangladesh
Master of Social Science (MSS) in Social Welfare, **First Class 1st Position**
(Awarded Professor Ayesha Noman Memorial Gold Medal)
- 1994-1997** University of Dhaka, Dhaka, Bangladesh
Bachelor of Social Science (BSS) with Honors in Social Welfare, **First Class, 2nd Position**
- 1993** Kalaroa Government College, Satkhira, Bangladesh
Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC), **First Division, 12th Position**
- 1991** B.K. Union High School, Satkhira, Bangladesh
Secondary School Certificate (SSC), **First Division**

Teaching Experiences

- a. Visiting Scholar (from 07 May 2022-15 June 2022), School of Social Work, Monmouth University, USA
- b. Professor, Institute of Social Welfare and Research, University of Dhaka from 05 December 2016 to till now.
- c. Associate Professor, Institute of Social Welfare and Research, University of Dhaka from 24 September 2013 to 04 December 2016
- d. Assistant Professor, Institute of Social Welfare and Research, University of Dhaka from 29 April 2007 to 23 September 2013.
- e. Lecturer, Institute of Social Welfare and Research, University of Dhaka from 1 July 2004 to 28 April 2007.
- f. Part-time teacher from January 2008 to till now, Department of Psychology, University of Dhaka.
- g. Lecturer, Department of Social Welfare, BAF Shaheen College, Tejgaon, Dhaka from 15 October 2001 to 01 October 2002.

Administrative Work

- a. Student Adviser, Institute of Social Welfare and Research, University of Dhaka from 01 February 2018 to till now.
- b. Assistant House Tutor, Kabi Jasim Uddin Hall, University of Dhaka from 30 December 2004 to 26 April 2010.
- c. House Tutor, Kabi Jasim Uddin Hall, University of Dhaka from 27 April 2010 to 30 December 2014.

Publications (International Journals)

1. **Old Age Poverty and Social Inequality: Bangladesh Experience (2020)**, *Building Sustainable Communities: Civil Society Response in South Asia*, Palgrave Macmillan. Springer Nature, Singapore (Joint and Co-author) (DOI:[10.1007/978-981-15-2393-9_21](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-15-2393-9_21))
2. **Health Policy in Bangladesh: Is it a Safeguard for Low-Income People?** South Asian Journal of Participative Development, Vol. 17, No. 2: July-December 2017 (ISSN No.09762701)
3. **Child Rights Practice among the Indigenous Communities in Bangladesh** Asian Social Work and Policy Review, 0 (2015) 1-15, Wiley Publishing Asia Pty Ltd. (DOI: 10-1111/aswp.12058)
4. **Legal Rights and Practices of Tea Garden Child Workers in Bangladesh, 2022** Community Development: Case Studies in Asia, Sewpaul. Space and Culture, India 2022, 9:4, Bangalore University, India (ISSN No. 978-81-953397-2-3)
5. **Negligence in Government Hospitals of Bangladesh: A Dangerous Trend** International Research Journal of Social Sciences, Vol. 4 (5), 12-18, May 2015, International Science Congress Association, India. (ISSN No. 2319-3556)

6. **NGO Approaches to Rural Development in Bangladesh**, International Journal of Research in Commerce and Management, Vol. No. 04 (2014), Issue No. 09, Haryana, India. (ISSN No. 2231-5756)

Book and Book Chapter (International)

7. **Old Age Problem in Changing Families: A Case of Rural Bangladesh** (2015), Lambert Academic Publishing, German (ISBN No. 978-3-659-44176-9). (Book)
8. **Experimental Method in Social Research** (book chapter), Research Methodology in Social Sciences, 2022, Springer, Netherlands. (ISBN No. 978-981-19-5219-7) (Book Chapter)

Publications (National Journals)

9. **Elder Abuse and Neglect in Rural Bangladesh**, Bangladesh Journal of Geriatrics, Vol. 50-52, October 2017, Bangladesh Association for the Aged and Institute of Geriatric Medicine, Dhaka. (ISSN No. 1012-9197)
10. **Disaster and its Impact on Elderly People in Bangladesh: An Overview** the Journal of Arts Faculty, Vol. 6, No. 8, July 2012-June 2013, University of Dhaka. (ISSN No. 1994-8891)
11. **Ageism and Age Discrimination in Old Age: An Overview** Philosophy and Progress, Volumes LV-LVI, January-June, July-December, 2014, Dev Center for Philosophical Studies, University of Dhaka. (ISSN No. 1607-2278).
12. **Problems of the Elderly in Changing Families: A Study on Urban Areas of Bangladesh** Social Science Review, The Dhaka University Studies, Part-D, Volume 28, Number 1, June 2011, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Dhaka. (ISSN No. 1562-269X)
13. **Socio-Economic Condition of the Older People Living at Bihari Camps: A Study of Dhaka City**, Bangladesh Journal of Geriatrics, Vol. 48, October 2013, Bangladesh Association for the Aged and Institute of Geriatric Medicine, Dhaka. (ISSN No. 1012-9197)
14. **Livelihood Pattern of the Cobbler Community in Dhaka City**: Journal of Sociology, Vol. 6, Issue 1, July-December 2013, Nazmul Karim Study Center, University of Dhaka. (ISSN No. 1813-2871)
15. **International Day of Older Persons 2014: Progress and Challenges in Bangladesh**, Bangladesh Journal of Geriatrics, Vol. 49, October 2014, Bangladesh Association for the Aged and Institute of Geriatric Medicine, Dhaka. (ISSN No. 1012-9197)
16. **Vulnerability and Coping strategies of Women in Disaster: A Study on Coastal Areas of Bangladesh**, The Arts Faculty Journal, Vol. 4, No. 6, July 2010-June 2011, University of Dhaka. (ISSN No. 1994-8891)

17. **Shifting of Rice Cultivation to Shrimp Culture: A Socio-Economic Analysis**, The Dhaka University Studies, Vol. 61, No. 2, December 2004, Journal of the Faculty of Arts, University of Dhaka. (ISSN No. 1562-7195)
18. **Elderly People in Rural Bangladesh: An Overview**, Social Science Review, The Dhaka University Studies, Part-D, Vol. 21, No. 2, December 2004, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Dhaka. (ISSN No. 1562-269X)
19. **Population Ageing in Bangladesh: Problems and Prospects**, Bangladesh Journal of Geriatrics, Vol. 47, October 2012, Bangladesh Association for the Aged and Institute of Geriatric Medicine, Dhaka. (ISSN No. 1012-9197)
20. **Rural Older Women in Bangladesh: A Study**, Bangladesh Journal of Geriatrics, Vol. 45, October 2010, Bangladesh Association for the Aged and Institute of Geriatric Medicine, Dhaka. (ISSN No. 1012-9197)
21. **Awareness Level of the Muslim Family Laws Ordinance, 1961 among Educated Married Women: An Opinion Survey**, Empowerment, Vol. 21, 2014, A Journal of Women for Women, A Research and Study Group, Dhaka.
22. **Street Children in Urban Areas of Bangladesh: A Situational Analysis**, Philosophy and Progress, Vol. XXXI-XXXII, June-December 2002 (published in 2004), Dev Center for Philosophical Studies, University of Dhaka.
23. **Ageing: An Overview**, Philosophy and Progress, Vol. XXIX-XXX, June-December 2001 (published in 2003), Dev. Center for Philosophical Studies, University of Dhaka.
24. **Rural Older Persons: Three Case Studies**, Bangladesh Journal of Geriatrics, Vol. 40, No. 1 & 2, October 2004, Bangladesh Association for the Aged and Institute of Geriatric Medicine, Dhaka.
25. **Rural Older Persons: A Study**, Bangladesh Journal of Geriatrics, Vol. 37-39, No. 1 & 2, October 2003, Bangladesh Association for the Aged and Institute of Geriatric Medicine, Dhaka.
26. **Socialization Process of Children in Single Parent Family in Bangladesh** the Journal of Social Development, Volume 28, No. 1, June 2016, Institute of Social Welfare and Research, University of Dhaka.
27. **Family Violence: A Study with Special Reference to Impact on Women** the Journal of Social Development, Vol. 26 in June 2014, Institute of Social Welfare and Research, University of Dhaka.
28. ঢাকা মহানগরীর দলিত সম্প্রদায়ের আর্থ-সামাজিক অবস্থা ও বৈষম্যেও চিত্র: একটি সমীক্ষা, ঢাকা বিশ্ববিদ্যালয় পত্রিকা, সংখ্যা:৯৫, ফেব্রুয়ারি ২০১৫, ঢাকা বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়। (ISSN No.2411-9059).
29. বার্ষিক পরিষ্কৃতি : বাংলাদেশ প্রসঙ্গ, বর্ষ-২৫, সংখ্যা-১, জুন ২০১৩, জ্যৈষ্ঠ ১৪২০, দি জানার্নাল অব সোশ্যাল ডেভেলপমেন্ট, সমাজকল্যাণ ও গবেষণা ইনস্টিটিউট, ঢাকা বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়।

30. নারী সমাজের উপর ভারতীয় টিভি চ্যানেলের প্রভাব : ঢাকা মহানগর ভিত্তিক একটি সমীক্ষা, ক্ষমতায়ন, সংখ্যা ১৪, ২০১৪, উইমেন ফর উইমেন, গবেষণা ও পাঠচক্র, ঢাকা।
31. শিক্ষিত নারী সমাজের এইচআইভি/এইডস সচেতনতা : ঢাকা মহানগরভিত্তিক সমীক্ষা, ঢাকা বিশ্ববিদ্যালয় পত্রিকা, যুক্তসংখ্যা, জুন-অক্টোবর ২০০৬, ঢাকা বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়।
32. ঢাকা শহরে প্রবীণদের জীবন ব্যবস্থা : একটি সমীক্ষা, প্রবীণ হিতৈষী পত্রিকা, বর্ষ ৪৬, অক্টোবর ২০১১, বাংলাদেশ প্রবীণ হিতৈষী সংঘ ও জরাবিজ্ঞান প্রতিষ্ঠান, ঢাকা। (ISSN No. 1012-9197)
33. ঢাকা শহরে গার্মেন্টস শিল্পে নিয়োজিত নারী-শ্রমিকের মানবাধিকার : একটি সমীক্ষা, ক্ষমতায়ন, সংখ্যা ১২, ২০১১, উইমেন ফর উইমেন, ঢাকা।
34. বাংলাদেশ প্রবীণ হিতৈষী সংঘে স্বাস্থ্যসেবা গ্রহণকারী প্রবীণদের আর্থ-সামাজিক অবস্থা : একটি সমীক্ষা, প্রবীণ হিতৈষী পত্রিকা, বর্ষ ৪৫, অক্টোবর ২০১০, বাংলাদেশ প্রবীণ হিতৈষী সংঘ ও জরাবিজ্ঞান প্রতিষ্ঠান, ঢাকা। (ISSN No.1012-9197)
35. বার্ষিকের কল্যাণে ধর্ম : একটি পর্যালোচনা, প্রবীণ হিতৈষী পত্রিকা, বর্ষ ৪২, অক্টোবর ২০০৭, বাংলাদেশ প্রবীণ হিতৈষী সংঘ ও জরাবিজ্ঞান প্রতিষ্ঠান, ঢাকা।
36. বাংলাদেশের বস্তি জীবনে উন্নয়ন প্রয়াস : একটি সমাজতাত্ত্বিক বিশ্লেষণ, দর্শন ও প্রগতি, ২২শ বর্ষ: ১ম ও ২য় সংখ্যা, জুন-ডিসেম্বর, ২০০৫, গোবিন্দ দেব দর্শন গবেষণা কেন্দ্র, ঢাকা বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়।
37. মার্কসীয় বিচ্ছিন্নতাবাদ : একটি সমাজতাত্ত্বিক বিশ্লেষণ, দর্শন ও প্রগতি, ১৮শ বর্ষ: ১ম ও ২য় সংখ্যা, জুন-ডিসেম্বর, ২০০১, গোবিন্দ দেব দর্শন গবেষণা কেন্দ্র, ঢাকা বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়।
38. ঢাকা শহরে ভাসমান প্রবীণদের জীবনযাপনের ধরন : একটি সমীক্ষা, ২০২০ জার্নাল অব সোশ্যাল ডেভেলপমেন্ট, সমাজকল্যাণ ও গবেষণা ইনস্টিটিউট, ঢাকা বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়।

Prepared Project Proposals and Worked as a Chief Investigator and Team Member

1. **A Qualitative Study on Children Living on the Street Situation in Urban Locations in Bangladesh, 2022** (on going) funded by UNICEF Bangladesh
2. **Alternative Care Study in Bangladesh, 2022** (on going) funded by the UNICEF Bangladesh.
3. **Lives and Livelihoods of Informal Entrepreneurs in Rural Bangladesh in particular reference to SDGs (Goal 1: No Poverty), 2022** funded by the University of Dhaka.
4. পল্লী সমাজসেবা কার্যক্রম (আরএসএস) দারিদ্র্য বিমোচনের অন্যতম মডেল, ২০২২, জাতীয় সমাজকল্যাণ পরিষদ, সমাজকল্যাণ মন্ত্রণালয়
5. ঢাকা শহরে ভিক্ষাবৃত্তি প্রতিরোধের উপায় নির্ধারণ ২০২৩, জাতীয় সমাজকল্যাণ পরিষদ, সমাজকল্যাণ মন্ত্রণালয়
6. **The role of remittance on socioeconomic wellbeing of international migrant workers' families in rural Bangladesh** (fellowship research) funded by Social Science Research Council, Planning Division, Ministry of Planning.

7. **Socio-Economic Impact Evaluation of Bangabandhu Bridge Project**, 2022 funded by the Bangladesh Bridge Authority, Ministry of Road, Transport and Bridges
8. **Padma Multipurpose Bridge: Impacts on Lives and Livelihoods of Project Affected People (2019-2020)** funded by the World Bank and carried out by the Bangladesh Bridge Authority, Ministry of Road, Transport and Bridges.
9. **Child Early Forced Marriage (CEFM) in Secondary School and Madrasha in the Tazmuddin Sub-District under Bhola District in Bangladesh**, 2020 funded by Plan International Bangladesh.
10. **Formative Research on Knowledge, Attitude & Practices on Family Planning Commodities and Services in Bangladesh 2020** funded by Directorate of Family Planning, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
11. **Formative Research to Understand Behaviors Influencing Contraceptive Practices among Newly Married Couples in Bangladesh 2019** funded by Directorate of Family Planning, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
12. **Identifying the extreme poor and poor households and develop a data base in Gazipur City Corporation (GCC) area 2018** organized by Gazipur City Corporation and and CARE Bangladesh.
13. **Service Mapping for Basic Services at Zone-5 of Gazipur City Corporation, Bangladesh 2019** organized by Gazipur City Corporation and UNICEF Bangladesh.
14. **The Impacts of Water Logging on Health and Education of Orphans in the South West Region of Bangladesh, 2017** organized and funded by the Department of Social Services, Ministry of Social Welfare.
15. **Maternal and child health among the slum dwellers in Gazipur City Corporation Area 2017** organized and funded by UNICEF
16. **The Formal Education System and its Linkages with the Worst Forms of Child Labor (WFCL): Perceptions of Teachers, Service Providers and other Stakeholders**, 2004 organized and funded by ILO.
17. **The Principal Reasons for School Dropout and become Child Laborers: A child's Perspective**, 2004 organized and funded by ILO.
18. **Old Age Allowance and its Impact of Older Persons in Bangladesh, 2017** organized and funded by the Department of Social Services, Ministry of Social Welfare.

Seminar, Workshop and Conference

1. Presented a paper on “Socio-economic vulnerabilities of disaster affected older persons in coastal areas of Bangladesh” on 10 June 2022, School of Social Work, Monmouth University, USA.
2. Attended the international conference and present a paper on ‘A Study on Elder Abuse and Neglect in Rural Bangladesh’ in South Asia Studies Conference from 21 October 2016 to 23 October 2016, Madison Wisconsin, USA
3. Attended the international workshop on ‘Poverty, Social Exclusion and Disability of the Elderly People’ in the University of New South Wales, 09 November 2016, Sydney, Australia.
4. Presented a paper on “Population Ageing in Bangladesh” 7-9 August 2018, International Conference on Population and Development of Asian Developing Countries, Kunming, China.
5. Attended the international conference and present a paper on ‘Demographic and Socio-Economic Situation of Older Persons in Bangladesh’ in the University of Bengkulu, Bengkulu University, 9-10 December, 2017, Indonesia.
6. Delivered a lecture on exchanging and sharing on the Situation of Older Persons in Bangladesh and Malaysia: Our Initiatives, 15 December, 2017, University of Malaya, Malaysia.
7. Session Chaired on ‘Climate Change, Disaster and Health’ 05 June 2018, International Conference on Sustainable Social Development 2018, Shahjalal University of Science and Technology (SUST), Sylhet
8. Attended an International Conference on Sustainable Social Development 4-6 January 2018, Shahjalal University of Science and Technology (SUST), Sylhet
9. Presented a paper on ‘Situation and Challenges of Older Persons in Bangladesh’ 15 June 2016, National Press Club, Dhaka.
10. Attended a seminar on ‘RMG Industries of Bangladesh: Trade, Industrial Relations and Worker’s Right’ 31 July 2016, CIRDAP, Dhaka.
11. Attend an international conference on ‘Strategic Management on Effective Leadership in Higher Education’ hosted and supported by American Institute of Bangladesh Studies, University of Dhaka & Embassy of the United States Dhaka August 7 & 8, 2015, Senate Hall, Nabab Nawab Ali Chowdhury Senate Bhaban, Dhaka University.
12. Attended a national seminar on ‘Labor Unrest in Bangladesh’ 03 November 2015 organized by ILO, CIRDAP, Dhaka.
13. Attended an international seminar on ‘Scandinavian Study’ organized by Scandinavian Study Center, University of Dhaka, 15 May 2014.

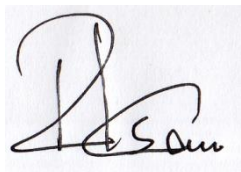
14. Attended an international conference on Dementia and Bangladesh- Challenges of an Ageing Population for a Developing Country, 13 February 2014, Dhaka, Bangladesh.

Areas of Research Interest: Ageing/gerontology, poverty and social exclusion, child and women development, labor rights, climate change and disaster and community development.

Organizational Member

1. Senior Advisor, American Institute of Bangladesh Studies (AIBS) from 2020 to till now
2. Secretary General of the Bangladesh Gerontological Association (BGA) from 2019 to till now
3. Treasurer, Social Welfare Alumni Association (SWAA) from 2020 to till now

Visited Countries: England, Scotland, USA, Australia, India, China, Malaysia, Thailand, Vietnam, Nepal, Bhutan, Sri Lanka, Maldives, Indonesia, Singapore, Brunei



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