

# AFTAB UDDIN MAHMUD CHOWDHURY

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## EDUCATION

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- 01/10/2019 – Present      **PhD Student in the Economics Section**, Cardiff University, UK
- Research Area: Economics of the Pandemic (ongoing research: measuring inflation in the pandemic)
  - Supervisor: Professor Huw Dixon, Dr. Wojtek Paczos, Dr. Thomas Prosser
  - Funded by: Cardiff Business School Studentship
  - From October 2019 to September 2020: MSc in Economics (PhD route) with Distinction
  - From October 2020 to Present: MRes in Economics (PhD route)
  - Programming Language: MATLAB, R
- 14/09/2015 – 14/09/2016      **Master of Science**, University of Glasgow, UK
- Study emphases: Economics, Banking and Finance
  - Funded by: Commonwealth Scholarship and Fellowship Plan (CSFC)
  - Master's thesis: Does monetary policy affect the real economic activity of Bangladesh? Evidence from the bank lending channel
  - Supervised by: Professor Tatiana Kirsanova
  - Final Grade: Distinction
  - Degree Award Date: 30/11/2016
  - Statistical Software: Stata, EViews
- 15/10/2010 – 15/10/2011      **Master of Business Administration**, University of Dhaka, Bangladesh
- Study emphases: Banking
  - Funded by: Government General Merit Scholarship
  - Final grade: CGPA 3.98 on a 4.00 scale
  - Degree Award Date: 28/02/2012
  - Statistical Software: SPSS
- 20/03/2006 – 20/03/2010      **Bachelor of Business Administration**, University of Dhaka, Bangladesh
- Study emphases: Banking
  - Funded by: Merit Scholarship from Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Chittagong, Bangladesh
  - Final grade: CGPA 3.86 on a 4.00 scale
  - Degree Award Date: 15/09/2010

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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- The Adam Smith Business School Graduate Award, 2016 from University of Glasgow
- Entitled Dean's Merit List in the MBA Examination (1st Semester) from Faculty of Business Studies, University of Dhaka
- Entitled Dean's Honor List in the MBA Examination from Faculty of Business Studies, University of Dhaka
- Entitled Dean's Honor List in the BBA Examination from Faculty of Business Studies, University of Dhaka

## PUBLICATIONS

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- Chowdhury A U M (2019) Does monetary policy affects the real economic activity of Bangladesh? Evidence from the bank lending channel. *Journal of Banking & Financial Services*. 11: 03-25
- Jamshed M Kazi, Chowdhury A U M (2018) An Analysis of the Entrepreneurial Intentions and levels of Education: A case study on Bangladesh. *Journal of Banking & Financial Services*. 10: 141-166
- Hossain M M, Chowdhury A U M (2015) Moral hazard in banking. *Journal of Banking & Financial Services*. 9: 95-116
- Newaz A, Chowdhury A U M (2014) Bangladesh Bank's Independence and Governance: Lessons from the case of Reserve Bank of Australia. *Dhaka University Journal of Business Studies*. XXXVI: 81-111
- Kashem M A, Chowdhury A U M, Khayer A (2013) Building Social Capital through microfinance: The case of Grameen Bank. *Bangladesh Journal of MIS*. 5: 143-151
- Chowdhury A U M (2012) Exploring the determinants of higher Interest rate spread in the banking sector of Bangladesh. *Journal of Banking & Financial Services*. 6: 195-210

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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- 01/10/2020 – Present                      **PGR Tutor**, Cardiff Business School  
Module taught: Economics Statistics in Theory and Practice
- 15/09/2012 – Present (study leave)   **Faculty (Assistant Professor)**, University of Dhaka
- Faculty: Business Studies
  - Courses taught: Macroeconomics, Central Banking, Economics of Banking, Quantitative Analysis and Business Forecasting
- 02/02/2012 – 12/09/2012                **Faculty (Lecturer)**, Southeast University
- School: Business Studies
  - Courses taught: Financial Markets and Institutions, Corporate Finance
- 01/08/2014 – 30/07/2015                **Research Assistant**, University of Dhaka
- Project: An analysis into the professional qualities and achievements of late L R Sarker (LRS) as a successful banker-lessons to be derived for future policy decisions
  - Team leader: Professor Dr. Azizur Rahman Khan
  - Responsibility: Collecting, processing, and analyzing data

## MEMBERSHIP

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Royal Economic Society (RES)  
Central Bank Research Association (CEBRA)

## REFEREE

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Chairman, Bangladesh Securities and Exchange Commission  
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