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# **Education**

- Completed MSc in Banking and Finance from Nottingham University Business School, UK in December 2019 securing a Distinction in Results with overall 82.12%, and a 90% in Dissertation.
- Completed Master of Business Administration (MBA) majoring in Banking from Department of Banking, University of Dhaka in the year 2011 securing highest CGPA of 3.98 in a scale of 4 among 70 students.
- Completed Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) majoring in Banking from Department of Banking and Insurance, University of Dhaka in the year 2010 securing highest CGPA of 3.83 in a scale of 4 among 92 students.
- Passed Higher Secondary School Certificate (H.S.C) Examination from Cantonment Public School and College Saidpur, securing a Grade Point Average (GPA) of 5.0 out of 5.0 studying Business studies.
- Passed Secondary School Certificate (S.S.C) Examination from Lions High School Saidpur, securing a GPA of 4.63 out of 5.0, studying Business studies.

# **Publications**

- Nawaz M. A, Laon M. R, 2020, "Bank-Specific and Macroeconomic Drivers of Islamic Bank Profitability: Evidence from Bangladesh"- Under review by ISRA International Journal of Islamic Finance
- Nawaz, M. A, 2019 Efficiency, Scale Economies, and Profitability of the US Commercial and Savings Banks: recent Evidence. MSc Dissertation for MSc in Banking and Finance at NUBS
- Nawaz, M.A, Farzana, U, 2018. Investment Related Risk Management Practice by Islamic Banks in Bangladesh. International Journal of Economics, Finance and Management Sciences. Vol. 6, No. 4, pp. 153-164. doi: 10.11648/j.ijefm.20180604.13
- "Palas, M.J.U, Nawaz, M. A. and Ahmed, E. (2017). Impact of Bank-Specific and Macroeconomic Variables on Return: A Study on Islamic Banks in Bangladesh. Journal of Islamic Economics, Banking and Finance 113 (6223), 1-22, 2017, pp. 1-22. https://platform.almanhal.com/Files/Articles/129009
- Jahan, N., Nawaz, M.A, 2016, "Trends and Changes in the banking sector of a developing country: The case of Bangladesh", International Journal of Economics, Finance and Management Services, Vol.4, No.3, 2016, pp.157-164. doi: 10.11648/j.ijefm.20160403.19
- Nawaz M. A. and Chowdhury A. U. M "Bangladesh Bank Independence and Governance: Lessons from Reserve Bank of Australia", Dhaka University Journal of Business Studies, Vol.XXXV, No.3, December, 2014, pp.209-238.

# Awards

- Awarded Chartered Banker Accreditation in 2019 from Chartered Banker Institute.
- Awarded Faculty Academic Excellence Award for 2018/19 for MSc Banking and Finance from the Nottingham University Business School.
- Awarded the MSc Prize for 2018/19 for MSc Banking and Finance from the Nottingham University Business School.

- Studied MSc at Nottingham University Business School with Nottingham University Business School Dean's Scholarship for Excellence- 2018 from University of Nottingham, UK and Bangabandhu Overseas Scholarship-2018 for pursuing higher studies, from University of Dhaka.
- Honored with the Dean's Honor award from the Faculty of Business Studies, University of Dhaka for securing a CGPA more than 3.85 in MBA Examination.
- Honored with the Dean's Merit award from the Faculty of Business Studies, University of Dhaka for securing a CGPA 4.0 out of 4.0 in any semester of MBA Examination.
- Awarded Government Talent-Pool Scholarship and financial support for 4 years to study a Bachelor's degree, from Board of Education, Rajshahi, Bangladesh on securing a good grade in H.S.C. Examination.
- Awarded Government Talent-Pool Scholarship and financial support for 2 years to study for H.S.C. examination, from Board of Education, Rajshahi, Bangladesh on securing a good grade in S.S.C. Examination.
- Awarded Gold medals from Al-Iraqi Association of Bangladesh for securing good grades in both SSC and HSC examinations.

# **Teaching Experience**

- Working as an Assistant Professor at the Department of Banking and Insurance of University of Dhaka since 26<sup>th</sup> of August 2016. The key responsibilities include- research, teaching, grading students, and supervising thesis and internship report of undergraduate and postgraduate students.
- Worked as a member of the examination committee of the Department of Banking and Insurance during 2016-2018. Key responsibilities include- managing examinations, moderating and printing question papers, and preparing and publishing results.
- Worked as a Lecturer at the Department of Banking and Insurance of University of Dhaka during the period 2013-2016. The key responsibilities included- research, teaching, grading students, and supervising thesis and internship report of undergraduate and postgraduate students.
- Worked as part time Lecturer for 8 months at School of Business Studies of Southeast University, Bangladesh from January 2013 till August 2013, and the key responsibilities included- teaching, and grading students.

# **Affiliations**

- Member of the University of Nottingham Alumni Association.
- Member of the University of Dhaka Alumni Association.
- Member of the Dhaka University Alumni Association of Banking and Insurance.

# **Skills and other qualifications**

- Practically capable of using MS Office, SPSS, and STATA.
- Good command over languages such as Bengali, English, and Hindi.

# **Referees**

# 1. Dr. Aristeidis Dadoukis

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