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**CAREER OBJECTIVE**

To build a career in teaching, research and policy advocacy in the field of International Relations.

**EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

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| **Examination** | **Institutions & their Locations** | **Major/Stream** | **GPA/CGPA** | **Merit/Class Position** | **Year of Graduation** |
| **MSS (Master of Social Science)** | University of Dhaka, Dhaka | International Relations | 3.94 (out of 4) | 1st  | 2017 |
| **BSS (Bachelor of Social Science)** | University of Dhaka, Dhaka | International Relations | 3.64 (out of 4) | 5th  | 2016 |
| **HSC (Higher Secondary Certificate)** | Dhaka City College, Dhaka | Science | 4.30 (out of 5) | - | 2012 |
| **SSC (Secondary School Certificate)** | Mirpur Bangla High School & College, Dhaka | Science | 5.00 (out of 5) | - | 2009 |

\***Attended Courses in BSS & MSS**: International Security, International Political Economy, US Affairs, South Asian Affairs, Bangladesh in Global Affairs, Theories of International Relations, Politics of Globalization, Comparative Foreign Policy Analysis, Introduction to Strategic Strategies and many more.

**Work Experience**

* Research Data Analyst, Bangladesh Peace Observatory (BPO), Centre for Genocide Studies (CGS), University of Dhaka from May, 2019- Present
* Adjunct Faculty, Global Studies and Governance Program, Independent University Bangladesh (IUB) from September, 2018- December, 2018
* Research Associate of *Political Manipulation of Extremist Narratives in South Asia* Project conducted by MSI Obirodh-Road to Tolerance and Centre for Genocide Studies (CGS) from March,2018 to present
* Research Assistant of *Terrorism-Organized Crime Nexus in Bangladesh* Project conducted by Centre for Genocide Studies (CGS) and Counter Terrorism and Transnational Crime Unit (CTTC), DMP from January, 2019 to present
* Research Assistant of *A Study on Decent Work Deficits in Domestic Work in Bangladesh* Project conducted by ILO and RMMRU from November, 2018 – January, 2019
* Research Assistant of *Mapping and Scoping of Services for the Migrant Workers of Bangladesh at Various Stages of Labour Migration Cycle* Project conducted by RMMRU, ILO, IOM and SDC from September, 2017- April, 2018
* Research Assistant of *Fairer Labour Migration* Project conducted by RMMRU and PROKAS from July, 2017-September 2017
* Interpreter at *Global Peace Operations Initiative Capstone Field Training Exercise* from 26 February to 12 March, 2018, BIPSOT, Bangladesh

**Written and Published Articles/Papers**

Book:

* ASM Ali Ashraf and F. M. Arafat. *Dynamics of Decentralisation: Migration Services Under Spotlight* (RMMRU: Dhaka), October, 2018

Op-Ed;

* F. M. Arafat. (April 3, 2017) *One Man show* Dhaka Tribune, See at <http://www.dhakatribune.com/opinion/op-ed/2017/04/02/one-man-show/>
* F. M. Arafat. (April 21, 2017) *Right-wing Populism Strikes* Daily Observer, See at <http://www.observerbd.com/details.php?id=69676>
* F. M. Arafat. (June 21, 2017) *Resurrection of Left-wing socialist politics* Daily Observer, See at <http://www.observerbd.com/details.php?id=80361>
* F. M. Arafat. (August 19, 2017) *Wake up and Smell the Nazis* Dhaka Tribune, See at <http://www.dhakatribune.com/opinion/2017/08/19/wake-smell-nazis/>

Graduate (BSS) Thesis:

* F. M. Arafat. *Resurgence of Islamist Militancy in Bangladesh*

Post-graduate (MSS) Thesis:

* F. M. Arafat. *Emergence of ISIS-Inspired Single Actor Terrorism in Europe*

**Research Interests**

* Terrorism and Islamist Militancy
* Global Rise of Populism
* Migration and Refugee Studies
* War in International System and Transformation of Warfare

**Computer Literacy**

* Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
* SPSS
* Gmail

**Language Skills**

* Bengali (Mother Tongue)
* English (Fluent in speaking, reading, listening and writing)
* Japanese (Basic)

**Training Courses/Achievements**

* Training Course On SPSS for Professionals & Students, Department of Statistics, University of Dhaka
* Global Peace Operations Initiative Capstone Field Training Exercise from 26 February to 12 March, 2018, BIPSOT, Bangladesh

**References**

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