

LAMIA ISLAM

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Jagannath University

Email: lamianitu@gmail.com, Mobile: +88 01736 850550

EDUCATION

- Masters in Governance and Development, University of Antwerp, 2020-2021
- MSS in Political Science, University of Dhaka, 2011-2012
- BSS in Political Science, University of Dhaka, 2007-2011

AWARD

- Dean's Award for highest CGPA (3.82) in BSS Examination, Department of Political Science, University of Dhaka

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Jagannath University, Dhaka, Bangladesh; January 2017 - Present
- Lecturer, Department of Political Science, Jagannath University, Dhaka, Bangladesh; October 2013 - December 2016

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- February – July 2022, Research Supervisor; Centre for Genocide Studies funded project on “Countering Rumors in Bangladesh: Challenges and the Way Forward”; Project Coordinator: Shantanu Majumder, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Dhaka.
- Since July 2019, Moderator; UK Aid and International Foundation for Electoral Systems (IFES) funded project on “Student Against Violence Everywhere (SAVE) Jagannath University Chapter”; Project Coordinator: Aynul Islam, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Dhaka.
- Since July 2019, Research Associate; UK Aid and International Foundation for Electoral Systems (IFES) funded study on “Shaping Student Politics in Bangladesh”; Project Coordinator: Aynul Islam, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Dhaka.
- Since March 2019, Research Assistant; A study on “Identity, Integration and Bangladeshi Diaspora in the Western Countries”; Researcher: Professor Shantanu Majumder, Department of Political Science, University of Dhaka.
- January – December 2015, Research Assistant; International Foundation for Electoral Systems (IFES) funded study on “Bangladesh Political Violence Monitoring System”.
- June – December 2014, Research Assistant; The Institute for Environment and Development (IED) study on “Election, Election Manifestos and Interaction of Youths with Local MPs”.

- February – June 2012, Research Assistant; The Institute for Environment and Development (IED) study on “Policy Research and Perception Study to identify and understand the problem and bottlenecks constraining spread of Primary Education and Reduction of Poverty”.

RESEARCH GRANT

- January 2019, Name of the Project: "Environmental Security and International Refugees: A study on the Rohingya influx", Jagannath University.

BOOK CHAPTER

- "Relative Deprivation and the Sustainable Development Goals", Julinda Begiraj. 2021. Edited *Encyclopedia of the UN Sustainable Development Goals. Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions*, Germany: Springer.
- “Bangladesh Studies - for BBA”. 2021. *Unit 6*. Bangladesh: Bangladesh Open University.

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

- Work in Progress: Islam, Lamia. 2022. "Do the practices of patriarchal masculinities amplify violence against women and girls on Facebook? A Study on Bangladesh". Expected to be published from *Journal of Gender Issues*. Springer Nature, Switzerland.
- Work in Progress: Islam, Lamia. 2022. "China-Myanmar Relations and their Impact on the Rohingya Repatriation: An Analytical Study". Expected to be published from *Journal of Social Sciences*. University of Dhaka, Bangladesh.
- Work in Progress: Islam, Lamia. 2022. "A Study on the Political Participation of Female Students at the University of Dhaka". Expected to be published from *Journal of Politics and Administration*, SUST, Bangladesh.
- Islam, Lamia & Kundu, Debasish. 2016. "Who Rules Bangladesh? An Analysis of Power Actors and Power Networks". *Journal of Arts*, Jagannath University, Bangladesh. Vol: 6, No 2.
- Islam, Lamia & Kundu, Debasish. 2016. "Transformation of Power in Rural Power Structure of Bangladesh: An Outlook from 1960s to 2000s". *Journal of Social Studies*, Bangladesh. No 150.

THESIS PAPER

- Islam, Lamia. 2021. "Domestic Violence and Women's Autonomy: Evidences from Bangladesh". *Institute of Development Policy*. University of Belgium, Antwerp, Belgium.

POLICY PAPER

- Islam, Lamia. 2021. *Patriarchal Masculinities and Technology related violence against women and Girls (VAWG) in Bangladesh: Understanding the role of State as Protector*. University of Belgium, Antwerp, Belgium.

REPORT

- Islam, Lamia (2020) “Leading Through COVID-19: How is Bangladesh Confronting the Pandemic” for Project of the Microgovernance Research Initiative (MGR), University of Dhaka.

- Islam, Lamia (2020) "Social Conflicts and Violence during Covid-19 Pandemic" for Project of the Microgovernance Research Initiative (MGR), University of Dhaka.
- Islam, Lamia, Biswas, Dipak Kumar & Goswami, Dr. Arun Kumar (2018) "Post Self-Assessment Improvement Plan (PSAIP)" for Programs of the Department of Political Science, Jagannath University.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Islam, Lamia. 2019. "Socio-economic Tensions between Rohingya and Host Communities in Bangladesh: An Analysis". *International Conference on Governance in the 21st Century in South Asia: Challenges and Ways Forward*. Jahangirnagar University, Dhaka, Bangladesh.
- Islam, Lamia & Noman, Shiblee (2019). "China-Myanmar Relations and their Impact on the Rohingya Refugee Crisis: An Analytical and Prescriptive Study". *International Conference on Rohingya Crisis in Bangladesh: Challenges and Sustainable Solutions*. North South University, Dhaka, Bangladesh.

TRAINING

- Training on Qualitative & Quantitative Techniques in Research, Institutional Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), Jagannath University, Dhaka, Bangladesh; July 2019.
- Qualitative Data Analysis course, IPSA-NUS 7th Annual Summer School Social Science Research Method, National University of Singapore, Singapore; June 2018.
- Research Methodology course, on Asian Studies 2015, the institution of *Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies*, India; July 2015.
- Workshop on Research Proposal Writing in Social Sciences, *Bangladesh Institute of Democracy and Development* (BIDD) and *Bangladesh Center for Political Studies* (BCPS), Dhaka, Bangladesh; May 2018.
- Workshop and Training on Teaching and Learning in Higher Education, *University of Rajshahi*, Bangladesh; May 2014.

ENGLISH PROFICIENCY SKILL

- Achieved IELTS (Academic) certification with a score of 6.5 with no individual score below 6.0 (2019); Intend to attend again in October 2022.

CONCLAVE

- Delegate, 1st India-Bangladesh Commonwealth Youth Conclave (IBCYC) at British Council, Dhaka, Bangladesh, 2019.

SEMINAR, WORKSHOP & CONFERENCE

- Organizer of the Workshop on "Youth Proactive and how to develop COVID-19 counter-messages" organized by *Microgovernance Research Initiative*, University of Dhaka, and funded by the *UK Aid* and *IFES* on May 14, 2020.
- Organizer of the Workshop on "The trends of COVID 19 social unrest, protest and conflict in Bangladesh" organized by *Microgovernance Research Initiative*, University of Dhaka, and funded by the *UK Aid* and *IFES* on May 16, 2020.

- Organizer of the Workshop on “COVID-19 Stigma: Voices against fear, hatred and discrimination” organized by *Microgovernance Research Initiative*, University of Dhaka, and funded by the *UK Aid* and *IFES* on May 17, 2020.
- Organizer of the Workshop on “COVID 19 and the rights of person with disabilities in Bangladesh” organized by *Microgovernance Research Initiative*, University of Dhaka, and funded by the *UK Aid* and *IFES* on May 18, 2020.
- Organizer of the Workshop on “If COVID-19 hits the Rohingya Camps! Access to food, health care and human rights” organized by *Microgovernance Research Initiative*, University of Dhaka, and funded by the *UK Aid* and *IFES* on May 18, 2020.
- Organizer of the Workshop on “COVID-19 Infodemic and misinformation: What can Bangladeshi youth do” organized by *Microgovernance Research Initiative*, University of Dhaka, and funded by the *UK Aid* and *IFES* on May 19, 2020.
- Organizer of the Workshop on “COVID-19 update and the effect of breaking lockdown on public health” organized by *Microgovernance Research Initiative*, University of Dhaka, and funded by the *UK Aid* and *IFES* on May 19, 2020.
- Organizer of the Workshop on “Youth engagement and activism online and offline in the COVID-19 crisis” organized by *Microgovernance Research Initiative*, University of Dhaka, and funded by the *UK Aid* and *IFES* on May 22, 2020.
- Organizer of the Workshop on “University/Tertiary education in Bangladesh during COVID-19” organized by *Microgovernance Research Initiative*, University of Dhaka, and funded by the *UK Aid* and *IFES* on May 29, 2020.
- Organizer of the Workshop on “COVID-19 impact on women in garment industries in Bangladesh” organized by *Microgovernance Research Initiative*, University of Dhaka, and funded by the *UK Aid* and *IFES* on June 1, 2020.
- Organizer of the Workshop on “COVID-19 impact on women’s safety in Bangladesh” organized by *Microgovernance Research Initiative*, University of Dhaka, and funded by the *UK Aid* and *IFES* on June 3, 2020.
- Organizer and Moderator of the Workshop on “Youth Impact: Understanding the Power of Youth to Deliver Peace and Diversity” organized by *SAVE Youth Jagannath University Chapter* on March 05, 2020.
- Delegate of the Conference “Raisina Dialogue 2020: Navigating the Alpha Century” hosted by the *Observer Research Foundation* in collaboration with the *Ministry of External Affairs of India* on January 14-16, 2020.
- Organizer of the Workshop on “Students Against Violence Everywhere (SAVE)” funded by the *UK Aid* and *IFES* on April 07 and 08, 2019.
- Participant at the Workshop on “The Political Economy of Bangladesh: Thoughts of Prof. Nurul Islam” organized by the *Banglar Pathshala Foundation* from March 28, 2019 to June 06, 2019.
- Discussant at the Seminar on “Bangladesh-India Relations: Present Perspectives and Future Directions” organized by the *South Asian Study Circle* on January 27, 2019.
- Discussant at the Seminar on “Role of NGOs in Policy Making Process in Bangladesh: A Case Study on “Domestic Workers Protection and Welfare Policy 2015” organized by *Governance Research and Innovation Society* on February 13, 2017,
- Discussant at the Conference on “South Asian Conference 2016 on Fundamentalism, Imperialism and Women's Resistance in South Asia” organized by *Banglar Pathshala Foundation* on March 11-12, 2016.

ACTIVISM

- Member, Women Support Initiative Forum; Since February 2021.
- Member, Green Environment Movement; Since October 2018.
- Member, Institute for Environment and Development (IED); Since January 2015.
- Member, Centre for the Rehabilitation of the Paralysed (CRP) Savar; June - July 2017.
- Member, Political Science Debating Club, Jagannath University; January 2017 – December 2018.
- Member, Youth Engagement & Support (YES) Group, Bangladesh Quwait Maitree Hall, Transparency International Bangladesh (TIB); January 2008 – December 2009.

MEMBERSHIP & AFFILIATION

- Since October 2019, Moderator, Students Against Violence Everywhere (SAVE) Jagannath University (JnU) Chapter, Jagannath University.
- Since May 2019, Associate Member, Bangladesh Economic Association.
- Since January 2018, Member, Institutional Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), Department of Political Science, Jagannath University.
- Since January 2016, Member, Bangladesh Center for Political Studies.
- Since January 2016, Member, Banglar Pathshala Foundation.
- April 2019 - September 2019, Member, Students Against Violence Everywhere (SAVE), Jagannath University.
- January 2008 – December 2011, Member, Dhaka University Debating Club, University of Dhaka.
- January 2008 – December 2011, Member, Bangladesh Quwait Maitree Hall Debate Society, University of Dhaka.