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## CURRENT AFFILIATION

University of Minnesota, Applied Economics

Saint Paul, MN

Postdoctoral Associate

Aug 2019 - present

University of Minnesota - Duluth, Natural Resources Research Institute

Postdoctoral Associate

Duluth, MN

Aug 2019 - present

# **EDUCATION**

University of New Mexico

Ph. D. in Economics

Albuquerque, NM

Aug 2014 - July 2019

University of New Mexico
M. A. in Economics

Albuquerque, NM
July 2016

University of Dhaka Dhaka, Bangladesh Master of Development Studies July 2013

University of Dhaka, Bangladesh MBA in Finance

Dhaka, Bangladesh

July 2010

Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology

B. Sc. in Civil Engineering

November 2006

## JOB MARKET PAPER

"Pale Blue Dot: Nationwide water impairment and property values". (with Nolte, C., & Polasky, S.)

## TEACHING INTERESTS

Environmental Economics, Natural Resource Economics and Ecological Modeling, Quantitative and Mathematical Economics, Econometrics, Microeconomics, Introductory and Intermediate Macroeconomics, Energy Economics, Public Economics, Agricultural Economics, Managerial Economics

### SCHOLARLY STATISTICS

- Google Scholar Profile: https://scholar.google.com/citations?hl=en&user=iEUMZPzBI94C
- Github Profile: https://github.com/mamun4105
- Researchgate profile: https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Saleh\_Mamun
- Publon profile: https://publons.com/researcher/2630985/saleh-mamun/peer-review/

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## **PUBLICATIONS**

# PEER REVIEWED

1. Mamun, S., Horn, B.P., & Chermak, J.M. (2020) "Private vs. Public Prisons? A Dynamic Analysis of the Long-Term Tradeoffs Between Cost and Recidivism Efficiency in the US Correction System" Applied Economics, p. 1-13.

- 2. **Mamun, S.**, Hansen, J.K., & Roni, M.S. (2020) "Supply, Operational, and Market Risk Reduction Opportunities: Managing Risk at a Cellulosic Biorefinery" Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews, 121, p.109677.
- 3. Bernknopf, R., Broadbent, C., Adhikari, D., **Mamun, S.**, Tidwell, V., Babis, C., & Pindilli, E. (2019) "Multi-Resource Analysis: An Analysis of Natural Resource Tradeoffs in the Piceance Basin, Colorado Using the Net Resource Assessment (NetRA) Proof of Concept and Decision Support Tool" U.S. Geological Survey Scientific Investigations Report 2019–5086, 1-40.
- 4. Hansen, J.K., Roni, M.S., Nair, S.K., Hartley, D.S., Griffel, L.M., Vazhnik, V., & Mamun, S. (2019) "Setting a baseline for Integrated Landscape Design: Cost and risk assessment in herbaceous feedstock supply chains" Biomass and Bioenergy, 130, 1-13.
- 5. Horn, B.P., Li, X., Mamun, S., Guerrin, P., McCrady, B., & French, M.T. (2018) "The Economic Costs of Jail-Based Methadone Maintenance Treatment". The American Journal of Drug and Alcohol Abuse, 44(6), 611-618.
- 6. Roni, M.S., Chowdhury, S., **Mamun, S.**, Marufuzzaman, M., Lein, W., & Johnson, S. (2017). "Biomass Co-Firing Technology with Policies, Challenges, and Opportunities: A Global Review". Renewable & Sustainable Energy Reviews, 78, 1089-1101.
- 7. Roni, M. S., Eksioglu, S. D., Jin, M., & Mamun, S. (2016). "A Hybrid Inventory Policy with Split Delivery under Regular and Surge Demand". International Journal of Production Economics, 172, 126-136.

#### PAPERS UNDER REVIEW

- 8. Mamun, S., Mamkhezri, J., & Chermak, J.M. "Discrete Choice Experiment on Renewable Portfolio Standards to Map Household Preferences" (submitted to Energy Economics)
- 9. Polasky, S., Johnson, J.A., Bo, H., Dampha, N.K., Kula, L.; Long, Y., **Mamun, S.**, Maldonado, L., Strombom, E., & Takrar, S., "The Dasgupta Review: Biodiversity Loss, Potential Solutions, and the Big Lift for Transformative Change" (submitted to **Environmental and Resource Economics**)
- 10. Nolte, C., Boyle, K.J., Chaudhry, A.M., Clapp, C.M., Guignet, G., Hennighausen, H., Kushner, I., Liao, Y., Mamun, S., Pollack, A., Richardson, J., Sundquist, S., Swedberg, K., & Uhl, J.H., "Studying the Impacts of Environmental Amenities and Hazards with Nationwide Property Data: Best Data Practices for Interpretable and Reproducible Analyses" (submitted to PloS One)

#### PAPERS IN PREPARATION

- 11. "Pale Blue Dot: Nationwide water impairment and property values". (Job Market Paper, preparing for Journal of Environmental Economics and Management with Nolte, C., & Polasky, S.)
- 12. "Spatial tradeoff between economic goods and ecosystem services: A case of the oil and gas industry". (preparing for **Applied Economics** with Broadbent, C., & Bernknopf, R.)
- 13. "Estimating the impact of Critical Habitat designation on the values of undeveloped lots and houses". (preparing for Nature Sustainability with Nelson, E.J., & Nolte, C.)
- 14. "Valuing water quality in the US using a national data set on property values". (preparing for **Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences** with Castillo, A., Swedberg, K., Zhang, J., Andarge, T., Boyle, K., Cardoso, D., Keiser, D., Kling, C.L., Nolte, C., Papenfus, M., Phaneuf, D., & Polasky, S.)
- 15. "Natural Capital Index (NCI)" (preparing for **Nature** with Polasky, S., Daily, G., & their lab members)

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16. "Forest Ecosystem Services Valuation: A Choice Experiment Approach". (preparing for Forest Policy and Economics with McIntosh, C.R., & Polasky, S.)

- 17. "Global current and potential forestry return maps". (preparing for **Environmental Research Letters** with Sohngen, B., Smith, J., & Polasky, S.)
- 18. "Optimizing land-use investments for climate mitigation and climate resilience". (preparing for **TBD** with Dampa, N.K., Polasky, S., Ricketts, T., & Luers, A.)

### OTHER REPORT

19. Martone, J., Hernandez, J., Tadros, M., Jimenez, E.J., Breidenbach, A., Juarez, R.A., **Mamun, S.**, & Ouattara, B. (2019). "Evaluation of ADVANCE at University of New Mexico (UNM) 2018-19 Annual Evaluation Report: An ADVANCE at University of New Mexico project Funded by the National Science Foundation (NSF)"

## CONFERENCE AND INVITED TALKS \*presented by co-author

- 1. Mamun, S., McIntosh, C.R., & Polasky, S. (2022) "Forest Ecosystem Services Valuation: A Choice Experiment Approach". International Society of Forest Resource Economics (ISFRE) annual meeting, May 23-25, 2022, Traverse City, Michigan
- 2. Mamun, S., Sohngen, B., Smith, J., & Polasky, S. (2022) "Global current and potential forestry return maps". International Society of Forest Resource Economics (ISFRE) annual meeting, May 23-25, 2022, Traverse City, Michigan
- 3. Mamun, S., \*Nelson, E.J., & Nolte, C. (2021-2022) "Estimating the impact of Critical Habitat designation on the values of undeveloped lots and houses".
  - North American Congress for Consevation Biology, July 16-21, 2022, Reno, Nevada
  - MEA 86th Annual Meetings, March 25-27, 2022, Minneapolis, Minnesota
  - 42nd Agricultural Law Education Symposium, November 4-6 2021, Salt Lake City, Utah
  - PLACES Webinar, June 28, 2021, Virtual.
- 4. \*Broadbent, C., Bernknopf, R., & Mamun, S. "Spatial tradeoff between economic goods and ecosystem services: A case of the oil and gas industry". Western Economic Association Internation, July 01, 2021, Hawaii (Virtual).
- 5. Mamun, S., Polasky, S., & Nolte, C. (2021) "Water Impairment, water quality, and property values". PLACES Webinar, June 29, 2021, Virtual.
- 6. \*Clarke-Sather, A.R., Mamun, S., Nolan, D., Schoff, P., Aro, M., & Ulrich, B. (2020) "Towards Prospective Sustainability Life Cycle Assessment". International Design Engineering Technical Conferences and Computers and Information in Engineering Conference, August 17, 2020, Virtual.
- 7. Mamun, S., Roni, M.S., & Hansen, J.K. (2018). "Implementing Junction Tree Algorithm to Estimate Biomass In-feed Reactor Reliability". Idaho National Laboratory Intern EXPO, August 09, 2018, Idaho Falls, ID.
- 8. Mamun, S., Thacher, J., & Chermak, J.M. (2018). "Geospatial and Individual Heterogeneity with Attribute Non-attendance and Importance Ranking in Renewable Portfolio Standard Discrete Choice Experiment", Department of Economics, Brigham Young University Idaho, July 12, 2018, Rexburg, ID. (invited speaker)
- 9. \*Horn, B.P., Li, X., Mamun, S., Guerrin, P., McCrady, B., & French, M.T. (2018). "The Economic Impact of Jail-Based Medication Assisted Treatment: A Cost-Effectiveness Analysis of a Large Jail-Based Methadone Maintenance Treatment Program in New Mexico" W-EIGHTY Issues in Criminal Justice, CPDD 80th Annual Scientific Meeting, June 11, 2018, San Diego, CA.
- 10. Mamun, S., Hansen, J.K., & Chermak, J.M. (2017). "Modeling Biomass Grower Payment in an Integrated Landscape Design Approach". Shared Knowledge Conference, University of New Mexico, November 8, 2017, Albuquerque, NM

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11. **Mamun**, S., & Hansen, J.K. (2017). "Modeling Biomass Grower Payment". Idaho National Laboratory Intern EXPO, August 11, 2017, Idaho Falls, ID.

- 12. Kalhor, E., Zemlick, K., Joshi, J., Walter, K., Mamkhezri, J., Lu, N., Mamun, S., Thacher, J., & Chermak, J.M. (2017). "Modeling the Energy/Water Nexus in New Mexico". New Mexico EPSCoR, All Hands Meeting, April 27, 2017, Albuquerque, NM
- Mamun, S., Horn, B.P., & Chermak, J.M. (2017). "Cost and Recidivism Efficiency Trade-off: A Case of US Correction System". Shared Knowledge Conference, University of New Mexico, April 6, 2017, Albuquerque, NM

## RESEARCH FUNDING AND GRANT SUBMISSIONS

- "Forest Health: Statewide Application of Forest Management Assessment Tool". 2021-2023. Senior Personnel on successful grant for \$500,000 from Legislative-Citizen Commission on Minnesota Resources.
- "Nature's benefits to people in Minnesota". 2023-2026. Lead PI on grant in preparation for \$500,000 from Legislative-Citizen Commission on Minnesota Resources.
- "Climate Mitigation Through Improved Forest Understory Health". 2021. Co-PI on Legislative-Citizen Commission on Minnesota Resources grant for \$179,000. Initial submission rejected with requested revisions. Currently revising for the next funding cycle.
- "Forest management and ecosystem services". 2020. Co-PI on Institute on Environment, UMN Impact Goals grant for \$49,500. Initial submission rejected. Currently revising for the next funding cycle.

### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Postdoctoral Associate, University of Minnesota, Aug 2019 - Present.

- Water Resources Economics: I organize a bi-weekly inter organizational water resources scientists and economists group, that includes two members of National Academy of Science. We started several projects and aiming to make an inter-organizational institute for continuous excellence.
- Natural Capital Project: Working on The World Bank Natural Capital Index project. The goal is to find optimized land use land cover at global scale and rank countries based on natural capital.
- Forest Optimization: Life Cycle Analysis of forest harvest production. Optimization of forest harvest considering market and non-market forest services. In addition, conducted a choice experiment on ecosystem services valuation. Repeated choice experiment is in planning phase.
- Johnson-Polasky Lab: As a senior member of JP lab, I took initiative to several projects and advised, guided, and facilitated student's success.

Research Assistant, University of New Mexico, Aug 2014 - July 2019.

- The Science Impact Laboratory for Policy and Economics (SILPE) (Aug 2017 July 2019)
  - Research Assistant to Prof. Richard Bernknopf funded by United States Geological Survey (USGS)
  - Ongoing collaborative research work between USGS Science and Decisions Center, SILPE and Sandia National Laboratories.
  - Assessing the net resource value of natural resources in a complex 2 by 2 system.
- Cradle to Career Policy Institute (CCPI) (Jan 2019 July 2019)
  - Research Assistant to Prof. Elizabeth Yakes Jimenez funded by National Science Foundation (NSF)
  - Project title: The ADVANCE at UNM.
- The Center on Alcoholism, Substance Abuse, and Addictions (CASAA) (Aug 2016 July 2018)
  - Research Assistant to Prof. Brady P. Horn funded by National Institute of Health (NIH).

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 Project title: Understanding the Societal Value of the Health Improvements Associated with Providing Medication Assisted Treatment in a Large Urban Jail.

- Established Program to Stimulate Competitive Research (EPSCoR), NM (Jan 2017 May 2017)
  - Research Assistant to Profs. Janie M. Chermak and Jennifer Thacher funded by National Science Foundation (NSF).
  - I am a part of The Social and Natural Science Nexus group. I am in charge of conducting a discrete choice experiment on Renewable Portfolio Standards.

#### Graduate Summer Intern, Idaho National Laboratory, Summer 2017 and Summer 2018.

- **Biomass Grower Payment**: Modeled biomass grower payment in an integrated landscape design approach.
- Cellulosic Biorefinery Risk: Compared risk and risk mitigation strategies in advanced vs conventional feedstock supply system.
- Integrated Process Optimization for Biochemical Conversion: Implemented junction tree algorithm to estimate the biomass in-feed reactor using probabilistic graphical theory.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Pedagogical Training and Development: Graduate Teaching Academy Scholar holding a Certificate for College Teaching. I worked as Graduate Assistant at Center for Teaching Excellence where I design effective teaching techniques for graduate teaching assistants and faculties and assess evidenced-based learning outcomes.
- Instructor: ECON 106: Introductory Microeconomics Online (Fall 2016), Number of students: 76, Teaching Evaluation: 4.38/5
- Lab Instructor: ECON 105: Introductory Macroeconomics (Fall 2014), Number of students: 93, Teaching Evaluation: 4.1/5, 3.8/5, and 3.7/5
- Guest Lecturer:
  - ECON 106: Introductory Microeconomics, Topic: Market disequilibrium and Public goods, 2 Lectures. Spring 2018 (UNM)
  - ECON 309: Introductory Statistics and Econometrics, Topic: Basic summary statistics, 1 Lecture, Fall 2016 (UNM)
- Teaching Assistant \*graduate courses:
  - ECON 105: Introductory Macroeconomics (Fall 2014) with Prof. Christina Reiser
  - ECON 106: Introductory Microeconomics (Spring 2015) with Prof. Brady Horn
  - \*ECON 501: Microeconomics I (Fall 2015) with Prof. Jennifer Thacher
  - \*ECON 508: Statistics and Introduction to Econometrics (Fall 2015) with Prof. David Van-Dar-goes
  - \*ECON 514: Macroeconomics II (Spring 2016) with Prof. Matias Fontenla
  - ECON 105 online: Introductory Macroeconomics (Summer 2016) with Prof. Dave Dixon
  - ECON 106 online: Introductory Microeconomics (Summer 2016) with Prof. Dave Dixon

# PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Journal Reviewer Biofuels, Bioproducts and Biorefining; Bioenergy Research; Hydrobiologia; GCB Bioenergy; International Journal of Green Energy; Journal of Computational Economics; Nature Sustainability; Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews
- Grant Reviewer, Graduate and Professional Student Association, UNM Fall 2017
- Membership in American Economic Association

## REFERENCES

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