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## Education:

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### Khulna University

B.Sc in Statistics

Graduation: Jan 2025

- CGPA: 3.75/4.00 (Passed with distinction)

### Dhaka City College

July 2017 - Jun 2019

- Cumulative GPA in H.S.C.: 5.00/5.00

## Skills:

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**Research Methods:** Data Scraping, Surveying, Interviewing

**Languages:** Python, R, C/C++, SQL

**Frameworks:** BERT

**Tools/Software:** Git, PyCharm, CodeBlocks, Visual Studio Code, Jupyter Notebook, Google Collaboratory, Google Suite, LaTeX, SPSS

**Libraries:** Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, NLTK, BeautifulSopu4, TensorFlow, Keras,

## Problem Solving:

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[01] Kaggle Competitions Contributor.

📄 [kaggle.com/sishahemmed](https://www.kaggle.com/sishahemmed)

[02] 100 problems solved in URI online judge.

📄 [urionlinejudge.com.br/judge/en/profile/227574](https://urionlinejudge.com.br/judge/en/profile/227574)

## Publication:

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- Biswas, A., Mir, H., Sultana, N., **Shozol, S. A.**, & Talukder, M. U. (2025, March). Framing Cancer in Media: Analyzing Risk Communication in Newspaper Reporting [Conference session]. International Crisis and Risk Communication Conference (ICRCC), Clemson University in Clemson, South Carolina, USA.

**Contribution:** Developing framework, Topic Modeling, Method chapter, Result chapter, and Writing Materials.

- Tasnim, F., Hasib, M., **Shozol, S. A.**, Sultana, N., Akil, M., & Biswas, A. (2025, June). *Communicating health: Framing health-related news in developed and least developed countries during COVID-19* [Conference session]. Canadian Communication Association, George Brown College, Toronto, Ontario.

**Contribution:** Data Scraping, Method chapter, Analysis, Topic modeling, Result Chapter.

- Nath, C. D., Biswas, A., Sultana, N., & **Shozol, S. A.** (2024). Framing Russia-Ukraine war in the newspapers of Bangladesh: A topic modeling approach. *South Asian Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities*, 5(2), 252-267. <https://doi.org/10.48165/sajssh.2024.5215>

**Contribution:** Writing Materials and Method chapter, News scrapping, and topic modeling analysis

- Hasib, M., & **Shozol, S. A.** (2024, April). *Exploring Online Discourse of ChatGPT through Sentiment Analysis and Topic Modelling* [Poster session]. Promoting Cross-disciplinary Research, Texas Tech University.

**Contribution:** Twitter Scraping, Sentiment Analysis and Topic Modeling, Poster Designing, Writing Materials, and Method Chapter

## Research Experience:

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### Undergraduate Thesis

**Title:** Enhancing Fake News Detection Using Data Augmentation and Advanced Machine Learning Algorithms with Explainable AI (XAI)

**Supervisor:** [Sutapa Dey Barna \(KU\)](#)

- **Objective:** Enhanced fake news detection by integrating data augmentation techniques with advanced machine learning algorithms, utilizing Explainable AI (XAI) for model transparency.
- **Developed:** A fake news detection system using machine learning models (Logistic Regression, Decision Trees, XGBoost, AdaBoost, and BERT), incorporating data augmentation (synonym substitution, numerical mapping) and LIME for interpretability.
- **Uniqueness:** Focused on both model accuracy and transparency by combining data augmentation and LIME, improving explainability in complex models like BERT.
- **Results:** Achieved exceptional results with BERT, including accuracy, precision, and recall rates up to 99%. Integrated LIME further enhanced model interpretability.
- **Tech Used:** Python, machine learning algorithms (Logistic Regression, Decision Trees, XGBoost, AdaBoost, BERT), data augmentation (Synonym Substitution, Numerical Mapping), LIME.

### Research on the July Mass Uprising in Bangladesh(On-going)

**Title:** Global Media Topic Modeling and Sentiment Analysis on the Student Movement Issue in Bangladesh: A Comparative Study of News Articles from India, Pakistan, and Bangladesh

**Supervisor:** [Dr. Mahdy Rahman Chowdhury \(NSU\)](#)

- **Objective:** Conducted a comparative analysis of news coverage on the July Mass Uprising across Bangladesh, India, and Pakistan, focusing on sentiment distribution and topic modeling.
- **Sentiment Analysis:** Scraped news articles from the three countries and performed sentiment analysis using classical, ensemble, and transformer-based models. Employed LIME for model interpretability and applied few-shot, Chain of Thought (CoT), and Tree of Thought (ToT) prompting techniques with LLMs for sentiment prediction.
- **Topic Modeling:** Applied Latent Dirichlet Allocation (LDA) to extract the top 5 topics for each country and analyzed how the coverage of the movement evolved over time. Extracted the top 25 words and key phrases to understand key themes in the news.
- **Tech Used:** Python, LLM prompting techniques (Few-shot, CoT, ToT), sentiment analysis models, LDA for topic modeling, LIME for interpretability. BeautifulSoup4.

### Research Assistant

**Paper Title:** Framing Environmental Issues of Bangladesh in International Media: A Topic Modelling Analysis on The Guardian Newspaper.

**Supervisor:** [Farzana Tasnim Pinky](#)

- Published in [Sage Journals](#).
- Responsibilities:
  - Performed data pre-processing on textual data using NLTK to prepare it for further analysis.
  - Applied **Latent Dirichlet Allocation (LDA)** for topic modeling to identify key themes and topics within the articles related to environmental issues.
  - Conducted keyword and key-phrase extraction using the **KeyBERT model** to identify significant terms and phrases associated with the identified topics.

[kaggle.com/code/sishahemmed/enviroment-topic-modeling](https://kaggle.com/code/sishahemmed/enviroment-topic-modeling)

## Projects:

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### [01] Twitter Scraping with SNscrape

**Goal:** To scrape tweets from a specific country on a particular topic using SNscrape, with the aim of analyzing the sentiment and perspective on Twitter regarding that topic.

**Tools Used:** Python, NumPy, Pandas, SNscrape, Data Processing.

[kaggle.com/code/sishahemmed/twitter-scrape-snscape](https://kaggle.com/code/sishahemmed/twitter-scrape-snscape)

### [02] News Article Scraping and Content Analysis from Washington Post Archive

**Goal:** To scrape news articles from the Washington Post's health section using the PRISM API for content analysis and comparative research on media coverage across different regions.

**Tools Used:** Python, BeautifulSoup4, JSON, NLTK, NumPy, Newspaper3k.

[kaggle.com/code/sishahemmed/washington-post-archive-api-scrape](https://kaggle.com/code/sishahemmed/washington-post-archive-api-scrape)

### [03] Online Judge Problem Scrape with BeautifulSoup4 Library:

The goal of this project is to scrape programming problems from different online judge such as: Codeforces, Timus etc. This program can scrape different problem based on their category, and store them into csv file.

**Tech Used:** Numpy, Pandas, BeautifulSoup4, Request Library, Parsing.

[kaggle.com/code/sishahemmed/online-judge-scrape](https://kaggle.com/code/sishahemmed/online-judge-scrape)

### [04] Predicting House Prices with Regression using TensorFlow:

This ML project can predict House Prices in a particular area using TensorFlow. Data cleaning, feature engineering, and data visualization are also applied here.

**Tech Used:** NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib, and TensorFlow.

[coursera.org/verify/ZHRWPLAVXNC4](https://www.coursera.org/verify/ZHRWPLAVXNC4)

### [05] Titanic - Machine Learning from Disaster:

Used machine learning to create a model that predicts which passengers survived the Titanic shipwreck. Data cleaning, feature engineering, and data visualization are also applied here.

**Tech Used:** Numpy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Linear-regression.

[kaggle.com/sishahemmed/tabular-data-april](https://kaggle.com/sishahemmed/tabular-data-april)

## Training and Course Completion:

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- ☐ **Applied Machine Learning/Applied Deep Learning/Artificial Intelligence (Natural Language Processing) Program.**

[Mahdy Research Academy](#)

Supervisor: [Dr. Mahdy Rahman Chowdhury](#)(NSU)

- Gained in-depth knowledge of **machine learning algorithms** and their applications in real-world problems.
- Hands-on experience with **data preprocessing**, **feature engineering**, and applying both **machine learning** and **deep learning models** in Python.
- Gained proficiency in **research tools** such as **LaTeX**, **draw.io**, and other research methodologies.
- Developed problem-solving skills for **Natural Language Processing (NLP)** applications and how to approach these problems efficiently.
- Learned how to formulate methodologies in a structured and constructive manner for research projects.

**Project:** Global Media Topic Modeling and Sentiment Analysis on the Student Movement Issue in Bangladesh: A Comparative Study of News Articles from India, Pakistan, and Bangladesh. (On-going)

**Tech Used:** Python, LLM prompting techniques (Few-shot, CoT, ToT), Sentiment analysis models, LDA for topic modeling, LIME for interpretability, BeautifulSoup4, Parsing, NLTK, Request Library.

☐ **Data Science Bootcamp Program**

*Intelligent Machines Limited*

Completed: Dec 2021  [drive.google.com/file/d/1ChWOLDw50UHedZjlESK1l\\_V39vifMnxW/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ChWOLDw50UHedZjlESK1l_V39vifMnxW/view?usp=sharing)

- Gained expertise in data analysis, machine learning algorithms, and statistical modeling.
- Worked with real-world datasets, applying data cleaning, feature engineering, and predictive modeling techniques.
- **Tools Used:** Excel, Tableau

☐ **Python for Everybody Specialization.**

 [coursera.org/verify/P93EDGF7BATK](https://coursera.org/verify/P93EDGF7BATK)

☐ **Statistics 101.**

 [courses.cognitiveclass.ai/certificates/6e36b50de29742cd9b953bdef7ae7237](https://courses.cognitiveclass.ai/certificates/6e36b50de29742cd9b953bdef7ae7237)

☐ **Linear Algebra.**

 [coursera.org/verify/L4YEYL9CKJS3](https://coursera.org/verify/L4YEYL9CKJS3)

☐ **Differential Calculus through Data and Modeling.**

 [coursera.org/verify/specialization/45Z8YUHQKWK4](https://coursera.org/verify/specialization/45Z8YUHQKWK4)

## Achievements:

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- **Undergraduate Scholarship:** Awarded scholarship for academic excellence during my undergraduate studies based on exceptional academic performance at **Khulna University**.
- **5th BDBO-Samakal National Biology Olympiad, 2019:**  
*Position: 2nd Runner Up, Dhaka South Region, Category: Higher Secondary.*

## Extracurricular Activities:

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- **Executive Member,** কালের কন্ঠ-শুভসংঘ, ঐশ্বরদী *March 2017 - June 2017*  
Actively participated in community-driven activities and youth empowerment initiatives.
- **Venue Manager, 1st DCCDC National Debate Championship, 2018**  
Coordinated and managed the logistics and operations of the event, ensuring smooth execution.

## Standardized Test Scores:

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### IELTS (International English Language Testing System)

Score: 7.5/9 · March 2024

*IELTS Academic Module*

Listening: 8.0    Reading: 7.5    Writing: 6.5    Speaking: 7.0

## Interests:

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- ML, LLM, AI Agent