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## EDUCATION

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### Ph.D., Applied Economics

*Texas Tech University*

Dissertation: Three Essays in Natural Resource Economics

May 2024

Lubbock, TX

### B.B.A., Finance and Mathematics

*BRAC Business School, BRAC University*

Aug 2017

Bangladesh

## PUBLICATIONS

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- Muriuki, J., Hudson, D., **Fuad, S.**, March, R., & Lacombe, D. (2023). Spillover Effect of Violent Conflicts on Food Insecurity in Sub-Saharan Africa. *Food Policy*, 115 (102417).

## PAPERS UNDER REVIEW

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- Muriuki, J., Hudson, D. & **Fuad, S.** (2023). Violent Conflicts and their Impact on Food Insecurity in Sub-Saharan Africa.
- Muriuki, J., Hudson, D., & **Fuad, S.** (2022). Individual, Household, and Community Resilience and Coping Strategies to Violent Conflict Impacts in Sub-Saharan Africa.

## WORKING PAPERS

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- Who to Fund? Identifying Strategic Collaborations & Stimulative Policies for Dynamic Research Networks.
- Racial Bias in Property Taxation in Atlanta: The Difficulty in Reversing Structural Racism. (*with Michael Farmer*)
- Profitability of a Two Product Biorefinery. (*with Michael Farmer & Abidemi Adisa*)
- A Comparison of Submarket Separation Techniques: A Case in the City of Atlanta. (*with Michael Farmer & Abidemi Adisa*)
- Comparative Effectiveness of Machine Learning Methods for Causal Inference. (*with Syed Badruddoza & Modhurima Amin*)
- Determinants of the Presence, Density, and Popularity of U.S. Food Retailers. (*with Syed Badruddoza & Modhurima Amin*)
- DACA Effect on Labor Market Outcomes: Evidence from U.S. Micro-Level Data. (*with Shakil Haider & Darren Hudson*)
- Does Crime Beget Crime? A Spatial Study of Crime in U.S. Counties. (*with Shakil Haider & Darren Hudson*)
- The Wretched Refuse? Sanctuary Policy and Crime in U.S. Counties. (*with Shakil Haider & Darren Hudson*).

## TEACHING

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INSTRUCTOR **Agricultural Statistics (AAEC 2401)**

Fall 2022, Spring 2023

*Texas Tech University*

TEACHING ASSISTANT **Advanced Natural Resource Economics (AAEC 6308)**

Fall 2022

*Texas Tech University*

TEACHING ASSISTANT **Agribusiness Finance (AAEC 3302)**

Summer 2023

*Texas Tech University*

## PRESENTATIONS

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### **Racial Bias in Property Taxation in Atlanta: The Difficulty in Reversing Structural Racism**

- SEA Annual Meeting  
*Southern Economic Association* November 2023  
New Orleans, LA
- MCRSA Conference  
*Mid-Continent Regional Science Association* June 2023  
Grand Rapids, MI

### **Strategic Collaborations & Stimulative Policies for Dynamic Research Networks**

- AAEA Annual Meeting  
*Agricultural and Applied Economics Association* July 2023  
Washington, D.C.
- SEA Annual Meeting  
*Southern Economic Association* November 2023  
New Orleans, LA
- Arts & Humanities Conference  
*Texas Tech University* November 2022  
Lubbock, TX
- Davis College Graduate Student Poster Competition  
*Texas Tech University* September 2022  
Lubbock, TX

### **Determinants of the Presence, Density, and Popularity of U.S. Food Retailers**

- AAEA Annual Meeting  
*Agricultural and Applied Economics Association* July 2023  
Washington, D.C.
- AEA/ASSA Annual Meeting (Poster Presentation)  
*American Economic Association* January 2023  
New Orleans, LA

### **Comparative Effectiveness of Machine Learning Methods for Causal Inference**

- AAEA Annual Meeting  
*Agricultural and Applied Economics Association* July 2023  
Washington, D.C.
- AEA/ASSA Annual Meeting (Poster Presentation)  
*American Economic Association* January 2023  
New Orleans, LA
- AAEA Annual Meeting (Poster Presentation)  
*Agricultural and Applied Economics Association* August 2022  
Anaheim, CA

### **A Comparison of Submarket Separation Techniques: A Case in the City of Atlanta**

- MCRSA Conference  
*Mid-Continent Regional Science Association* June 2023  
Grand Rapids, MI

### **Can Machine Learning Predict Defaults in Peer-to-Peer Small Loans?**

- AAEA Annual Meeting (Poster Presentation)  
*Agricultural and Applied Economics Association* August 2022  
Anaheim, CA

## INVITED Local Governance, Decentralization, and Corruption

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|---|-----------------------------|
| • British Academy/DFID Anti-Corruption Evidence Program<br><i>The British Academy</i>             | February 2018<br>London, UK |
| • Overseas Development Institute (ODI) brown bag seminar<br><i>Overseas Development Institute</i> | February 2018<br>London, UK |

## REVIEW

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Conflict & Health  
Journal of Regional Analysis & Policy

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

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American Economic Association, 2021 - present  
American Finance Association, 2016 - present  
American Agricultural Economic Association, 2021 - present  
Southern Economic Association, 2022 - present  
Southern Agricultural Economics Association, 2021 - present

## PRE-2019 PUBLICATIONS

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- Bhattacharya, D., Rahman, M.R., **Fuad, S.** (2015). How Coherent are Trade and Investment Policies of the Southern Finance Providers? A Case Study on Indo-Bangla Lines of Credit. *New York: United Nations Development Program.*
- **Fuad, S.**, et al. (2018). Local governance, decentralization and corruption in Bangladesh and Nigeria. *London: Overseas Development Institute (ODI).*

## PRE-2019 GRANTS

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- Decentralisation, Multilevel Governance, and Corruption by British Academy and Overseas Development Institute (ODI), 2018 (grant share amount: US\$385,000).
- South-South Global Thinkers: The Global Coalition of Think Tank Networks for SSC by UNOSSC and UNDP, 2018 (grant amount: US\$20,000).

## AWARDS

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| • Texas Tech Dissertation Completion Fellowship (\$23,000) | 2023-2024            |
| • Department Travel Grant (\$500x2)                        | Fall 2022, Fall 2023 |
| • Graduate School Travel Grant (\$500x2)                   | Fall 2022, Fall 2023 |
| • Erin Wheeler Cook Scholarship (\$1,000)                  | 2020-21              |
| • AAEC Graduate Scholarship (\$1,000)                      | 2019-20              |

## REFERENCES

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