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EDUCATION	<b>Georgia State University</b> <i>Ph.D. in Economics</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Areas of Interest:</i> Health, Education, and Labor Economics</li><li>• <i>Selected Courses:</i> Machine Learning for Economics, Experimental Economics, Applied Game Theory, and Teaching Seminar</li></ul>	Atlanta, GA 2025 ( <i>expected</i> )
	<b>University of Dhaka</b> <i>Master of Bank Management</i>	Dhaka, BD 2016
	<b>East West University</b> <i>BBA, Finance</i>	Dhaka, BD 2014
RESEARCH	<b>WORKING PAPERS</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Effects of Losing Medicaid on Body Weight and Health Behaviors <a href="#">[JMP]</a> (<i>Under Review</i>)</li><li>2. Removing Barriers to College Credit: The Impact of Advanced Placement Exam Fee Waivers (with Cade Lawson)</li></ol> <b>SELECT WORK IN PROGRESS</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. How Incentives Shape Teacher Effort: Lessons from a Piece-rate Bonus Scheme (with Ian Callen)</li><li>2. Eviction in the Gig Economy</li><li>3. Reconciling BMI with Obesity Measures: A Machine Learning Approach</li><li>4. Eviction Moratoria and Drug Overdose Mortality during the COVID-19 Pandemic (with Christian Saenz)</li></ol>	
SOFTWARE	<b>R Package:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>propWeights</b> [Expected Release: October 2025]</li></ul>	
TEACHING	<b>Instructor of Record, Georgia State University</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ECON 8220: Human Resources and Labor Markets Class Size: 14; Teaching Evaluation: 4.95/5</li><li>• ECON 2105: Principles of Macroeconomics Class Size: 79; Teaching Evaluation: 4.31/5</li></ul> <b>Teaching Assistant, Georgia State University</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ECON 9230: <i>Advanced Labor Economics</i></li></ul> <b>Teaching Assistant, East West University - Bangladesh</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Mathematics for Business &amp; Economics I &amp; II</i></li><li>• <i>Business Finance</i></li></ul>	Spring 2025 Fall 2024 Spring 2025 2011-2012 2013

AWARDS AND HONORS	• Jack Blicksilver Scholarship in Economics	2025
	• E.D. (Jack) Dunn Fellowship and Research Fund	2024
	• W.J. Usery Research Fund	2023
	• Foff Scholarship (Full-ride), North South University, BD	2018-2020
	• Freedom Fighter's Scholarship (Full-ride), East West University, BD	2010-2014
PRESENTATIONS	• GSU Graduate Conference for Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activity	02.2025
	• Atlanta Association of Health Economists, University of Georgia	11.2024
	• SEA 94 <sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting	11.2024
	• AEF 49 <sup>th</sup> Annual Conference	03.2024
	• APPAM Fall Research Conference	11.2023
RESEARCH POSITIONS	<b>Research Assistant at</b>	
	• Georgia Policy Labs, CTE (Supervisor: Dr. Daniel Kreisman)	2022-Present
	• Georgia State University (Supervisor: Dr. Mark Rider)	2020-2022
	• Bangladesh Institute of Bank Management (Supervisor: Dr. Ahsan Habib)	2015-2016
SKILLS	<b>Languages:</b> English, Bengali (Native).	
	<b>Programming:</b>	
	Proficient: R, Stata (+Mata), $\text{\LaTeX}$ Working Knowledge: Git, Python, Tableau, HTML, and CSS.	
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE	<b>Bangladesh Bank - The Central Bank of Bangladesh</b>	Dhaka, Bangladesh
	<i>Assistant Director</i>	2018-2020
	<b>AB Bank Ltd.</b>	Dhaka, Bangladesh
	<i>Management Trainee</i>	2016-2018
REFERENCES	<b>Daniel Kreisman</b>	<b>Jonathan Smith</b>
	Associate Professor	Associate Professor
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