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EDUCATION

Georgia State University <i>Ph.D. in Economics</i> Dissertation Title: Essays on Health and Education Policies Committee: Daniel Kreisman (Chair), Jonathan Smith, Steven Hemelt, Keith Teltser	Atlanta, GA 2025
University of Dhaka <i>Master of Bank Management</i>	Dhaka, BD 2016
East West University <i>BBA, Finance</i>	Dhaka, BD 2014

EMPLOYMENT

Johns Hopkins University, Carey Business School <i>Postdoctoral Researcher</i>	2025 – Present
Georgia Policy Labs (CTEx), Georgia State University <i>Graduate Research Assistant</i>	2022 – 2025

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Primary: Labor Economics, Public Economics, Economics of Education,
Secondary: Applied Econometrics, Political Economy

RESEARCH

Job Market Paper

- [Public Health Insurance and Employment Lock: Resolving the TennCare Puzzle](#) (*Under Review*)

Working Papers

- [The Anatomy of a Piece-rate Teacher Bonus Program](#) (with Ian Callen)
- [Removing Barriers to College Credits: Where and for Whom AP Exam Fee Waivers Work](#) (with Cade Lawson) (*Under Review*)
- [Medicaid and Health Resilience: Evidence from TennCare Disenrollment](#) (*Under Review*)

In Progress

- The Gig Safety Net: Platform Labor and Eviction
- Uber Penetration and Community College Enrollment (with Cade Lawson)
- The Contribution of Firms to Voting Behavior (with Michael Luca, Daniel Kreisman, and Jonathan Smith)
- Gains, Losses, and Stickiness in Public Finance: Evidence from 3,000 School Tax Referenda (with Cade Lawson)

TEACHING

Georgia State University

Atlanta, GA

Instructor of Record

2024 – 2025

- ECON 8220: Human Resources and Labor Markets (Spring 2025)
Class Size: 14, Evaluation: 4.95/5
- ECON 2105: Principles of Macroeconomics (Fall 2024)
Class Size: 79, Evaluation:: 4.31/5

Teaching Assistant

- ECON 9230: Advanced Labor Economics (Spring 2025)

AWARDS AND HONORS

2025 Jack Blinksilver Scholarship in Economics
2024 E.D. (Jack) Dunn Fellowship and Research Fund
2024 W. J. Usery Workplace Research Fund
2018-2020 Foff Scholarship (Full-ride) (North South University, Bangladesh)
2010-2014 Freedom Fighter's Scholarship (Full-ride) (East West University, Bangladesh)

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming: Proficient in Python and Stata (+Mata). Working knowledge of R, Git, HTML, CSS.
Data Solutions: R Package: propWeights (forthcoming)

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

2024, 2025 Southern Economic Association (SEA) annual meeting
2023, 2025 Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM) fall research conference
2025 MidSouth Education Policy Workshop
2024 Atlanta Association of Health Economists
2024 Association for Education Finance and Policy (AEFP) annual conference

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Bangladesh Bank (The Central Bank of Bangladesh)

Dhaka, Bangladesh

Assistant Director

2018 – 2020

AB Bank Ltd.

Dhaka, Bangladesh

Management Trainee

2016 – 2018

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