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About Me

A dedicated PhD researcher with a strong commitment to academic excellence and student welfare.

Education

- **Fourth Year PhD Candidate**
School of History, Classics and Archaeology January 2022 till present
The University of Edinburgh
Thesis Title- Life of Eastern Bengali Migrants in Colonial Burma and Memory of Migration in Present Days Bangladesh (1880s to 1960s)
- **Masters of Arts (International History)**
The University of Dhaka 2014-15
CGPA- 3.79/4 2010-14
- **Bachelor of Arts (History)**
The University of Dhaka
CGPA- 3.88/4

Academic Recognitions

- **Deans Award of Honor**
The University of Dhaka 2016
Fom 'Faculty of Arts' for scholastic accomplishment having obtained the degree of M.A from University of Dhaka..
- **Sahid Gias Uddin Ahmed Gold Medal**
The University of Dhaka 2014
For obtaining the highest CGPA in B.A (Honors) from University of Dhaka.
- **Misbhauddin Khan Memorial Gold Medal**
The University of Dhaka 2014
For obtaining the highest CGPA in B.A (Honors) from University of Dhaka.

Experience in Research and Training

- Three-day-long Training and Capacity Building in Ethnographies: An Interdisciplinary Workshop (June 2024) organised by the Scottish Graduate School of Social Sciences
- Four-day-long Oral History Methodology workshop (June 2023) organised by the Scottish Graduate School of Social Sciences
- Research Assistant, Project Name: 'An Ocean of One's Own: India and the Indian ocean since 1947', Dr Bérénice Guyot-Réchar (Project Head), Assistant Professor, Department of History, King's College London.
Assistantship Tenure: January – June 2017 (6 Months).

Presented Papers

- 'Journeys of Loss and Longing: Postcolonial Dynamics of Chittagong-Burma Relationships through Intergenerational Memory' at the 52nd Annual South Asian Conference at the University of Wisconsin-Madison (October 2024, the USA)
- 'In Pursuit of 'Rangoon: The Place of Prosperity and Joy' - Eastern Bengali Migrants in Burma' at the conference arranged by the British Association for South Asian Studies (September 2024, London, the UK)
- 'Postcolonial Interplay between Chittagong and Burma: State Relationships and Family Memories' at South Asia in Writing Workshop by the Centre for the South Asian Studies of the University of Edinburgh. (August 2024, Edinburgh, Scotland)
- 'Tales of the Arakan Road: The Faded History of the Chittagonian Migrants' at the conference From the Personal to the Global: Lived Experiences of the Second World War (June 2023, Edinburgh, Scotland)



Experience of Work

- **Tutor** 2022-2024
Worked as a tutor at the School of History, Classics & Archaeology at the University of Edinburgh from September 2022 to December 2024.
- **Assistant Professor** 2021-Present (on study leave)
'Department of History', at the University of Dhaka from 30 December 2021 to the present



Reference

Professor Crispin Bates

The University of Edinburgh

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