

SHORT PROFILE OF ALTAMAS PASHA

To obtain the position of a Science Editor and make extensive use of my skills and experience in supporting editing in peer reviewed journals.

Core Competencies:

I am a long experienced science editor and a scholarly publishing expert. During my running career in BRAC I have edited more than 100 research reports/papers of different disciplines like health and population, agriculture and nutrition, environment and disaster, education and training, economics, social development and communication. I have also earned diversified experience through working as a communication consultant, rapporteur, teacher, and trainer to the UN bodies, and government and non-government organizations. Writing project proposals, concept papers and notes for various development organizations and corporate.

SCOPE OF WORK

- Edit all types of research reports/papers, theses and dissertations, grant proposals, terminal project reports and proceedings; take notes and prepare minutes/proceedings; collate, prepare, write and edit annual reports and newsletters.
- Act as rapporteur, document and prepare proceedings of workshops, seminars and conferences.
- Compile titles, write abstracts, proofread, and prepare annotated bibliographies on specialized subjects.
- Edit and proofread manuscripts of all types.
- Organize and conduct training courses on scientific writing for researchers and students.
- Mentor researchers/students on scientific writing; and undertake any other relevant work.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

As a senior communications and media specialist with more than ten years experience working with national and international development organizations in Bangladesh, I am exceptionally strong on modernizing organizational brands, producing powerful print and online publications, and using innovation media. Excellent in developing communications materials, writing of website content, briefing material, presentations, media releases, briefing notes and articles. Contribute to the process of formulating research strategies and research related matters. Develop and maintain liaison with relevant organizations in the research field for the exchange of ideas and information.

I have professional expertise in ICT media. I served as contributory Editor of different computer magazines of Bangladesh. My writing interest includes women empowerment and information and communication technology, child rights issues and violence against women during war. I have published a good number of articles and features in different dailies, weeklies, and fortnightlies; I am also a science fiction writer of Bangladesh.

I have edited scientific journals, research monographs, working papers, different kinds of magazines, newsletters and books for more than six years. My work encompasses a broad range of specialties including consultancy for writing project proposals, concept papers and notes for various development organizations and corporate. I have highly-developed interpersonal skills and ability to work efficiently in a team. I also have ability to grasp corporate and strategic aims and ability to think and communicate creatively.

I have excellent experience in all types of writing and editing, including copyediting, substantive editing, and developmental editing, and I enjoy to catering a manuscript for its intended audience. I have authored numerous technical reports, scholarly manuscripts, and proposals, and edited reports and research papers for other employees. I have excellent in work training skill rather than formal training.

EDUCATION

MSc in Psychology, Dhaka University, Dhaka, Bangladesh of 1982, held in 1992

BSc with (Honors) in Psychology, Dhaka University, Dhaka, of Bangladesh of 1981, held in 1991

HSC in Humanities, Notre Dame College, Dhaka Board, Dhaka, Bangladesh, held in 1978.

SSC in Science, St. Gregory's High School, Dhaka Board, Dhaka, Bangladesh, held in 1976.