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Experience

Senior Vice President, Structured Finance, Wholesale Banking

HSBC

📅 2019 – Present

- Current coverage includes financing of GoB mega projects, debt capital market and private sector M&A

Head of Finance, Europe and Asia

American Airlines

📅 2017 – 2019

- Led teams in London and Tokyo with focus on managing investments, operating plan and long term strategic projects for \$10bn international business entity
- Played pivotal role in \$5bn subordinate debt refinancing and EETC issuance setting new benchmark for aviation industry
- Developed \$28m capital investment roadmap for American Airlines across Europe and Asia
- Mentored team member to win Chairman's award – the highest recognition in the organisation

Commercial Strategy Manager, EMEA

American Airlines

📅 2014-2017

- Led post-merger restructuring project that involved data driven market segmentation, organisational redesign, consultation with unions, severance and hiring conversations
- Spearheaded the first international Incentive Compensation Program rollout which involved developing governance structure, managing legal and HR partners, and recommending metrics through analysis

Corporate Finance Analyst, EMEA

American Airlines

📅 2012-2014

- Championed turnaround team for AMR's Chapter 11 bankruptcy. The team achieved over 40% cost per available seat mile reduction through operational efficiency and synergy
- Led the Europe team for £7bn American Airlines – US Airways merger and developed key financial insights that determined airlines business model for 22 European locations

Lending Strategy Manager, CB, Bangladesh

Standard Chartered

📅 2009-2011

- Structured and launched the developing market's first suite of bancassurance products, recording fastest global launch time. The initiative increased divisional P&L by 10%
- Awarded Special Achievement Award by Group CEO for extraordinary contribution to profit by developing new growth vertical for the bank

Mortgage Product Manager/International Graduate

Standard Chartered

📅 2008-2009

- Restructured pricing of key lending products which boosted margins by 200 basis points

Territory Officer, Bangladesh

British American Tobacco

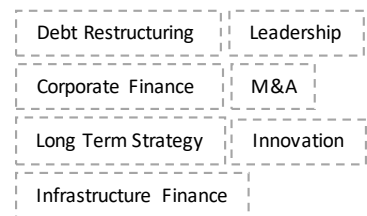
📅 2007-2008

- Played pivotal role in the turnaround of a loss making division by reducing working capital and restructuring its debt

Career Summary

Challenge seeker and number enthusiast with 11 years of experience across different markets and industries.

Strengths



Education

MSc. Finance

London Business School

📅 2011-2012

Awarded Alumni Scholarship

BBA

IBA, University of Dhaka

📅 2003-2007

Engagements

Exam Committee

CFA Institute

📅 2018-Present

MBA Advisory Board &

Guest Faculty

Brunel Business School

📅 2017-Present

Consultant

Grow Movement

📅 2012-2013