

# Mahbub –E- Farid, PMP

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## Summary of Skills / Achievements:

- More than six years of experience teaching in various educational institutions
- Combined Business / IT experience (13+ years): With various Trading/Risk Management Applications in World famous Wall Street Investment Banks
- Knows Fixed Income (Bond's, Futures, Options), Credit (CDS etc.), FX/FXO, Cash Equity and derivatives for both Securities and Retail Banking entities
- Management experience that involved direct interaction with Top/Senior Management including Desk/Business Heads, and C-level managers
- Fully tech-savvy (Windows/Unix environments) possessing good familiarity with Sybase, Unix, Shell, VBA, sed / awk, perl, MS Office Suite (incl. Excel )
- **PMP-certified:** Extensive experience running high profile successful Projects



## Awards, Honors:

- Received Chancellor's Award from President of Bangladesh for a place in combined merit list (**20<sup>th</sup> in HSC**)
- Recipient of highly competitive merit-based Government Scholarships all through academic life (**28<sup>th</sup> in SSC**)
- Awarded the prestigious Japanese Govt. (called "**Monbusho**") scholarship for entire period of MBA studies
- Received highly competitive Bangladesh Govt. Merit scholarship for the entire BSc Engineering program
- Won the Best Tokyo Employee 2003 Award (Cash) at JPMorgan for devising a unique feed for Back Office)
- Service Star 2001 Award (Cash) for outstanding service during implementation of the Gloss Bk. Office System
- Special Cash Award for exclusive support in fixing Y2K millennium bug issues for the firm's software

## Educational Background:

**Jun 1997**

**MBA**

- Course designed by: *International University of Japan (IUJ), Niigata, Japan*
- Exchange (Fall '96): Amos Tuck Business School, Dartmouth College (Ivy League), USA
- Term papers: Schulich Business School, York University, Toronto, Canada
- Mentionable courses: Asset-Liability Management, Neural Network for Financial Forecasting, etc.
- Final Paper: Derivatives, Debt Securities, Portfolio Management, Financial Management, Int'l Financial Management, Statistics, Economics, Ops. Management, MIS, etc. "Study of the feasibility of an Online Database system in Bangladesh"

**Oct 1992**

**B.Sc. (Mechanical Engineering)**

- Minor: *Bangladesh University of Engg. & Technology (BUET), Dhaka, Bangladesh*
- Mentionable courses: Control Engineering, Heating, Ventilation, and Air-conditioning
- Final Year Project: Various Higher Mathematics/Statistics courses, Thermodynamics, Solid Mechanics, Engineering Mechanics, Heat and Mass Transfer, Fluid Mechanics, Mechanics of Machinery, Production Planning and Control etc. "Feasibility of a Twisting Machine"

**Oct 1985**

**Higher Secondary Certificate (H.S.C.) – Science**

*Dhaka College, Dhaka, Bangladesh*  
**Stood 20<sup>th</sup> in the Combined Merit List (Total Marks 871) – 3 letters**

**June 1983**

**Secondary School Certificate (S.S.C.) – Science**

*Motijheel Govt. Boys High School, Dhaka, Bangladesh*  
**Missed the Combined Merit List by 8 marks (Total Marks 797) – 6 letters**

## Career History:

**Nov 2019 – Present**

**University of Asia Pacific**

*Adjunct Faculty, Executive MBA course: Managerial Finance*

**Jul 2019 – Dec 2019**

**Bangladesh University of Professionals**

*Assistant Professor (Adjunct), Senior BBA course: System Modelling & Decision Making*

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**Jan 2019 – Jul 2019**

**Daffodil Institute of Information Technology**

*Guest Faculty, 6<sup>th</sup> semester BBA course: International Business*

**Jan 2018 – Jan 2019**

**North South University, Dhaka, Bangladesh**

*Adjunct Faculty, Department of Accounting and Finance, School of Business & Economics*

Teach BBA 4<sup>th</sup> year advanced courses on Finance: Financial Markets & Institutions

**Sep 2014 – Sep 2017**

**University of Liberal Arts Bangladesh (ULAB), Dhaka, Bangladesh**

*Assistant Professor, Finance Group, School of Business, Department of Business Administration*

- Taught Management, Finance, and Mathematical Courses at both BBA and MBA level
  - Business Maths, Business Statistics, Financial Management, International Finance, Financial Markets & Institutions, Introduction to Finance, Principles of Management etc.

**Sep 2013 – July 2014**

**LEADS Technology, Dhaka, Bangladesh** (Provider of Training, Consulting, and Managed Service)

*Head of Business Development & Operations*

- Was engaged in a dual COO-CMO equivalent top management role, directly reporting to the CEO
- Managed overall operations of the firm including, but not limited to: office management, people management, business development, planning, forecasting, performance measurement, financial and operational control etc.
- Promoted the franchise, and continually strived to achieve managerial and operational excellence

**Jan 2013 – Sep 2013**

**Independent University of Bangladesh (IUB), Dhaka, Bangladesh**

*Adjunct Faculty, Department of Business Administration*

- Taught BBA 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year courses on Operations Management, and Business Mathematics respectively

**Oct 2011 – Oct 2012**

**International Business Education Corporation (IBEC), Tokyo, Japan**

*Part Time Business Education Instructor*

- Taught Finance, Project Management, and Strategy courses at various client sites (Fujitsu, Mitsui, NEC etc.)

**Jan 2011 – Sep 2011**

**Societe Generale, Tokyo, Japan**

*Application Support / Development Coordinator*

- Day-to-Day Regional Support of Fixed Income and **Flow Derivatives** trading desk (Front, Middle and Back-office) related to the firm's in-house Front-to-back application (used by both securities and bank entities)
- Trained users (including preparation and documentation) and mentored other team members
- Overall liaison between the local/regional Users and the Software Development/BA team in Paris/London

**May 2010 – Dec 2010**

**Hatco Ltd., Chiba-Shi, Japan**

*Consultant (flex-time)*

- Business Analysis, formulation of Sales/mktg. strategies and exploration of new business expansion prospects
- Assisted the Managing Director of the Company with various key strategic business decisions

**Oct 1997 – Nov 2009 (12+ years)**

**JP Morgan, Tokyo, Japan**

**Mar 2006 – Nov 2009 (3.5 years)**

*Operations Manager, Asia Pacific Client Valuation Group*

- Pricing / Valuation (MTM) of a wide range of Financial Products [**Credit** / Rates / Equities / FX based Securities, Swaps, and **Derivatives** (plain vanilla, exotics, etc.)] that were traded by the bank.

**Nov 2003 – Feb 2006 (2+ years)**

*Regional Credit Business Support / Project Manager - Credit and Rates Trading Asia*

- Led a team of support staff / business analysts for BAU-support and projects execution, and performed:
  - BAU support for business analysis / software development for various Credit Applications used in Asia

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- Testing, Emergency Bug Fixes (EBFs), documentation (functional and technical), and training to users
- Led innumerable successful projects (incl. some extremely challenging ones required by FSA / Audit)

**Oct 1997 – Nov 2003** (6+ years)

**Fixed Income Business Support / Project Manager – Fixed Income and Rates Trading Tokyo**

- Served as Team Lead/Project Manager, and the primary/first point of contact for:
  - Tokyo Rates business (Fixed Income) – handled both day to day BAU support and developments (SQL)
  - Planned and completely successfully executed many pioneering Finance/IT projects
- Some significant Projects led / executed are:
  - Implementation of various Trading/Market Risk Monitoring tools [De@r (Daily Earnings at Risk) / PDS module, VARS (Value-At-Risk, the new standard), SONAR (for compliance) etc.]
  - GLOSS settlement engine (for SSI's) implementation for all manual/electronic Bond / Repo trades

**Aug 1993 – Sep 1995** (2+ years)

**Qatar Steel Company (QASCO), Mesaieed, Qatar** [One of largest regional Steel-makers, built by Kobe Steel, Japan]

**Mechanical Technologist**

- Conducted detailed maintenance of all major **Industrial Production Machinery** within the huge Steel plant

## Summer Internships:

**1997** *International University of Japan (IUI), Niigata, Japan*

- Research Assistant under Prof. J. Rajasekera (the then Dean) for the project “IT Development in South Asia”

**1996** *Matsushita Library & Information Center, IUI, Niigata, Japan*

- Webmaster for the WWW homepage of the library and maintained the Lexis-Nexis database for the library

## Key Training / Courses:

- Several Technical courses: Sybase (at Sybase, Singapore) / JAVA 2.0 / J2EE (at IBM Canada, Toronto) etc.
- Multiple in-house / external courses taken on technical skills (Project Mgmt., Citrix, etc.), business skills (Derivatives, Market / Operational Risk etc.), and soft-skills (Influence and Assertiveness, Negotiations, Presentations, etc.) – offered by prestigious vendors like Financial Times, Bloomberg, Wall Street Journal etc.

## Languages and Computer Skills:

- Native – Bengali / Near Native – English (TOEFL 114/120) / Near Business – Japanese / Fair – Hindi, Urdu
- Perfect English Essay Writing Score (30/30) in both TOEFL (30June12) and GMAT (28June12) exams
- Skilled with most Windows and Unix based OS and common Apps. Knows VBA, Shell, SQL, JAVA (some)

## Memberships / Others:

- Current/Former Member of PMI, IEB, etc. and formerly American Finance Association, ASME, IEEE etc.

## Research Interests / Activity:

- **Current research:** Media Piracy in Bangladesh (in progress)
- **Other interest areas:** Crypto-currency and their future in Bangladesh, Crowd-funding, Using Big data to prevent fraud in Banks, Diminishing profitability of Private Banks in Bangladesh, Electronic/Mobile Banking/eCash management in Bangladesh, Bangladesh Stock market and the role of proper governance

## Personal:

- Loves to read, travel (42+ countries), sketch, chess, snooker, billiard, badminton, listen to and play music

## References:

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