

## **S. M. ISHMAM ALAM**

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### **Objective**

Willing to work in educational institutions where I can engage myself in serious academic pursuits, and make myself busy with teaching, mentoring, researching, and organizing.

### **Academic Qualifications**

#### **• (2018) M.A. in English Literature (Exam held in 2019)**

Name of Institution : University of Rajshahi  
Degree Obtained : M.A. in English  
Result : 3.643  
Position : 1<sup>st</sup>

#### **• (2017) B.A. (Honours) in English (Exam held in 2018)**

Name of Institution : University of Rajshahi  
Degree Obtained : B.A. (Honours) in English  
Result : CGPA-3.363 out of 4.00  
Position : 3<sup>rd</sup>

#### **• (2012) Higher Secondary Certificate Examination**

Name of Institution : Rajshahi College, Rajshahi  
Group : Science  
Board : Rajshahi  
Result : GPA- 5.00 out of 5.00

#### **• (2010) Secondary School Certificate Examination**

Name of Institution : Govt. Laboratory High School, Rajshahi  
Group : Science  
Board : Rajshahi  
Result : GPA- 5.00 out of 5.00

### **Professional Experience**

**Lecturer, department of English, Varendra University: January 26, 2020- to date**

## **Taught Courses**

Introduction to Literature: poetry, Introduction to Literature: Non-Fiction, Introduction to Literature: Drama, Romantic Literature II, Classic in Translation II, 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> Century poetry, 18<sup>th</sup> Century Literature, Shakespeare, Literary Theory, English Fundamentals

## **Language Skills**

- Bangla (Mother tongue): Expertise in all the four skills.
- English: Expertise in all the four skills.

## **Extracurricular Activities**

- Recitation (English poetry)
- Social Work (Worked in Active Citizen, British Council from September 2015 to August 2016)

## **Computer Literacy**

Having aptitude for Microsoft word, Microsoft excel, Multimedia presentations, and also have sound knowledge in Internet Browsing.

## **Research Interests**

Postcolonial literature and theory, Literary theory, Cultural Studies, Dystopian Literature, New Literatures in English, 20<sup>th</sup> Century Poetry, Modernism, Postmodernism

## **Research Experience**

M.A. Thesis: “The Great War Revisited: Reading Erich Maria Remarque’s *All Quiet on the Western Front* and Mulk Raj Anand’s *Across the Black Waters*.”

## **Selected Publications**

1. Alam, S.M. Ishmam, “**Cultural Politics on the Western Front: Exploring the Plight of the Subaltern Soldiers in Anand's Across the Black Waters**”, published in *Praxis*, Volume 11 (2020) , pp. 161-174 Published date: Dec 2020
2. Alam, S.M. Ishmam, “**Issues around Media and Misrepresentations in Arundhati Roy’s The Ministry of Utmost Happiness**”, published in *LitWrite*, Volume 1, Issue 1 Published date: December 2021 (LitWrite (litwritebd.com))

## **Seminars Attended**

1. Attended in “**BELTA National Conference**” 2015 jointly organized by English Department, Rajshahi University and Bangladesh English Language Teachers Association (BELTA).
2. Attended in “**Faculty of Arts: First International Conference**” organized by the Faculty of Arts, Rajshahi University (December 2019)

3. Attended in “**Postcolonial Perspectives: Language, Literature and Culture and the Global South**” organized by the department of English, Daffodil University (February 14-15, 2020)

### **Biography**

Name : S.M. Ishmam Alam  
Mother’s Name : Sadia Nayeem  
Father’s Name : Sk. Md. Azizul Alam  
Date of Birth : 31 December 1995  
Nationality : Bangladeshi  
Religion : Islam  
Gender : Male  
Blood Group : O+  
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### **References**

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### **Proclamation**

I do hereby declare that this resume describes me correctly, the particulars provided here are authentic, and no misinformation has been provided.



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