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## EDUCATION

### PH.D. | 2014-PRESENT | FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

- Major: International Relations

### M.A. | 2017 | FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

- Major: International Relations

### B.A. | 2012 | FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

- Major: Economics and International Relations
- Graduated as Magna Cum Laude

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

- South Asian development
- South Asian security
- International organizations
- Global governance
- Indian politics
- Hydro-politics
- Water security
- Gender issues in South Asia
- Bangladeshi politics

## HONORS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS

### INTERDISCIPLINARY WRITING TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIP

- 2016

### OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT IN ECONOMICS

- 2013 at FIU

## SCHOLARLY WORK

## PUBLICATIONS

## BOOK REVIEWS

- 2019 "HIV/AIDS in India: Voices from the Margins" by Sunita Manian. A review published in the Journal of Global South Studies
- 2018 "Limits of Islamism: Jamaat-e-Islami Contemporary India and Bangladesh" by Maidul Islam. A review published in Asia Policy and Politics.

## CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

- 2019** "EU's Climate Change Initiatives in South Asia." *Presented at the Jean Monnet Center of Excellence European Studies Program Two-day Conference on "The Rising Importance of EU-Asia Relations,"* in Miami, Florida (February 2019).
- 2018** "India Bangladesh Water Relations." *Paper presented at the Association of Global South Studies Annual Meeting* in Albuquerque, New Mexico (November 2018).
- 2018** "India-Bangladesh Water Relations and Politics." *Paper presented at the Florida Political Science Association Annual Meeting* in Fort Myers (March 2018).
- 2017** "Water Rights and Management in India and Bangladesh." *Paper presented at the International Studies Association South Conference* in Orlando (October 2017).
- 2017** "The European Union's Impact on South Asia." *Paper presented at the European Union Studies Association 15<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference* in Miami (May 2017).

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Fall 2018- present** TA/Instructor, FIU Department of Politics and International Relations  
INR 2001- Introduction to International Relations
- Summer 2018** TA/Instructor FIU Department of English  
ENC 1102- Writing & Rhetoric II
- Spring '17-Spring '18** TA/Instructor FIU Department of English  
ENC 1101- Writing & Rhetoric I
- Fall 2016** TA, FIU Department of English  
ENC 1101- Writing and Rhetoric I
- Summer 2016** TA, FIU Department of Politics and International Relations  
INR 4013- Development of INR Thought

## RELATED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**2015** Congresswoman Frederica S. Wilson

Intern

**2013** Research Institute for Social and Economic Policy at FIU

Intern

## TEACHING DEVELOPMENT

**2016-present** Certificate in University Teaching and Learning Program

This 2 tier certificate bearing program requires candidates to attend a series of workshops to improve teaching skills.

- Spring 2017 workshops:
  - *Giving Student Feedback*: giving feedback in a way to reduce confusion and encourage better performance
  - *From Diversity to Equity*: how to help FIU students from different socio-economic backgrounds achieve academic success.
- Fall 2016 workshops:
  - *Asking the Right Questions*: framing questions and instructions in a way that spark critical thinking in students
  - *How Can We Maximize the Time We have with Our Students*: designing course and class sessions in a way that best utilize the class time
  - *Teaching Students with Disability*: designing and teaching in a way that encourages an inclusive learning environment

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Florida Political Science Association, Association of Global South Studies, International Studies Association

## RELEVANT SKILLS

Foreign language: Bengali and Hindi