

Personal Profile

Name: Muhammad Anisur Rahman (22 July 1933)

University Education:

1. B.A. Honours in Economics: University of Dhaka. 1955.
2. M.A. in Economics: University of Dhaka. 1956.
3. Ph.D. in Economics: Harvard University, USA. 1962.

Professional Service:

1. Taught in University of Dhaka: 1957-59; 62-65; 70-75. Chairman, Economics Department, 1974-75.
2. Director, Institute of Social Sciences, Professor of Economics and Chairman of Economics Department, University of Islamabad, Pakistan, 1967-70.
3. Visiting Scholar, Institute of Advanced Projects, East-West Center, University of Hawaii, 1965-66; Economic Growth Center, Yale University. 1966-67.
4. Member, Planning Commission, Government of Bangladesh, 1972-73.
5. Senior Research Officer, UNCTAD, Geneva, 1975-76.
6. Visiting Scholar, Institute of Development Studies, University of Sussex, Brighton, England, 1976-77.
7. Senior Research Officer, ILO, Geneva, 1977-1990. Created and directed a global programme on "Participation of the Rural Poor in Development".

Honorary Service:

1. President, Bangladesh Economic Association, 1993-95.
2. Member, Board of Directors, Research Initiatives – Bangladesh (RIB). April 2002 to date.
3. Have taught Rabindrasangeet Theory and Awareness at Chhayanat Sangeet Bidyayotan, Dhaka at graduate & post-graduate levels in different years.
4. Vice-President of Jatio Rabindrasangeet Shammilan Parishad, Bangladesh, 1995-97.
5. Conducted workshops in Voice Development organised by:

In West Bengal:

- Sanchari Kala Kendra, Kolkata, May 2004;
- Sangeetbhaban, Santiniketan, April 2006.

In Bangladesh:

- Udichi Shilpa Goshthi, Rangpur, February 2006;
- Bishyo Sahitya Kendra, Dhaka, May-June 2006.
- Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka, November 2008.

Honours Received:

1. Amawr Ekushey Lecture 1994, Bangla Academy, Dhaka.
2. Rabindra Purashkar, Biennial Award of Rabindra Parishad, Patna, Behar, for contribution to Rabindra Sangeet and Literature. 2004.

Selected List of Publications:

1. "A Linear Program Model for Investment Allocation between Regions or Sectors", *Pakistan Economic Journal*, Dec 1963.
2. "Regional Allocation of Investment: An Aggregative Study in the Theory of Development Programming". *Quarterly Journal of Economics*. Feb 1963. Reprinted in Friedman, J. & William Alonso (ed.) *Regional Development and Planning, a Reader*. Cambridge, M.I.T. Press 1964.
3. "Regional Allocation of Investment: the Continuous version". *Quarterly Journal of Economics*. Feb 1966.
4. "The Case for Industrialization of an Agricultural Country" *Zeitschrift fur Nationalokonomie*, August 1966.
5. "The Welfare Economics of Foreign Aid", *Pakistan Development Review*, Vol 7, No. 3, 1967.
6. "The Pakistan Perspective Plan and the Objective of Elimination of Dependence on Foreign Assistance", *Pakistan Development Review*, Vol 8, No. 1, April 1968.
7. "Foreign Aid and domestic Savings", *Pakistan Economic Journal*, 1968.
8. "Foreign Capital and Domestic Savings: a Test of Haavelmo's Hypothesis with Cross-Country Data". *Review of Economics and Statistics*. Feb 1968.
9. "Perspective Planning for Self-assured growth: An Approach to Foreign Capital from a Recipient's Point of View". *Pakistan Development Review*. Vol 8. No. 1. Spring. 1968.
10. *East and West Pakistan, a Problem in the Political Economy of Regional Planning* Harvard University Center for International Affairs Occasional Paper in International Affairs. No 20. July 1968.
11. "Choice of Technique and the Volume of Saving", *Pakistan Development Review*, Vol 8, No. 4, Winter 1968.
12. "Terminal Capital Stock in finite-Horizon Optimum Savings Programmes", *Indian Economic Journal*, Oct-Dec 1968 (with A. Maneschi).
13. "Foreign Capital Requirements for Economic Development: The Year of Independence for the Case of Foreign Loans". *Oxford Economic Papers*. Nov 1969.
14. "Intertemporal Equity and Elasticity of Marginal Utility from Consumption". *Oxford Economic Papers*. March 1969.
15. "Intertemporal Equity and Bliss". *Oxford Economic Papers*. Nov 1970.
16. "Rising Wages with Fastest Growth", *Pakistan Economic Journal*, 1970.
17. "Defence Expenditure and National Accounting." *Review of Income and Wealth*. 1972.
18. "National Income and Social Values", *The Bangladesh Economic Review*, January 1973.

19. *Technical Cooperation Among Developing Countries as a New Dimension of International Cooperation for Development*. United Nations General Assembly. 1 July 1977 (A/Conf.79/PC/12). With H. Oteiza, Reg Green and Vaitos.
20. "Towards a Theory of Rural Development". *Development Dialogue*. 1977:2. (with Haque, Mehta & Wignaraja).
21. "Bhoomi Sena, : A Struggle for People's Power". *Development Dialogue*. 1979:2. (with de Silva, Mehta & Wignaraja).
22. "Mobilization without Tears: A Conceptual Discussion of Self-reliant Development. Galtung, O'Brian & Preiswerk (ed). *Self-Reliance*. Bogle L'ouverture Publication. London. 1979.
23. *Participation of the Rural Poor in Development. Development, Seeds of Change, From the Village through Global Order*. Society for International Development. 1981:1 (Guest-editor of the issue).
24. *Studies in Rural Participation*. Oxford & IBH. New Delhi. (Co-editor with Amit Bhaduri). 1982.
25. "Reflections on "Science for Social Revolution"". *Science as Social Activism, Reports and Papers on The People's Science Movements in India*". Kerala Sastra Sahitya Parishad, Trivandrum. 1984.
26. *Grassroots Participation and Self-reliance*. Oxford & IBH. New Delhi. (Editor). 1984.
27. "The Theory and Practice of Participatory Action Research". Paper presented at the Tenth Congress of Sociology, Mexico, August 1982. Reproduced in Fals-Borda (ed): *The Challenge of Social Change*. Sage Publications. London 1985; and in Shadish & Reichard (ed) *The Evaluation Studies Review Annual*. Vol 12. 1988. Sage Publications, London.
28. "People's Self-development" (Professor Atwar Hossain Memorial Lecture). *Journal of Asiatic Society of Bangladesh (Hum.)*. Vol XXXIV. No. 2. December 1989.
29. "Qualitative Dimensions of Social Development". David Marsden and Peter Oakley (ed): *Evaluating Social Development Projects*. Oxfam Publication. 1990.
30. "People's Self-Development in the Third World". *Community Development Journal*. Silver Jubilee Edition. Vol 25. No. 4. 1990.
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33. *Action and Knowledge, Breaking the Monopoly with Participatory Action Research*, Apex Press, New York, 1991 (co-edited with Orlando Fals-Borda).
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35. "People's Self-Development" Paul Ekins & Manfred Max-Neef (ed.): *Real Life Economics*. Routledge. 1992.
36. *The Lost Moment, Dreams with a Nation born through Fire. Papers on Political Economy of Bangladesh*. University Press Ltd. Dhaka. 1993.
37. *AcüZ evsj vř k, BDıbFıvııııı tçıı ıj . XıKv*, 1993.

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39. *Social Mobilization and Organization of the Poor. An Issues Paper*. UNCTAD. 1993.
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43. "Can We Represent the People?" Professor Sukhomoy Chakravarty Memorial Lecture delivered at the Platinum Jubilee Conference of the Indian Economic Association held in Bombay. Feb 1994. *Indian Economic Journal*, Conference Issue.
44. "Participatory Development: Toward Liberation or Cooptation? Gary Craig & Marjorie Mayo (ed): *Community Empowerment, A Reader in Participation and Development*. ZED Books. London. 1995.
45. *Grassroots Horizons, Connecting Participatory Development Initiatives East and West*. Oxford & IBH, New Delhi and Intermediate Publications, London. (Coeditor with Richard Morse & Kersten Johnson). 1995.
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52. *Songs of Tagore: Philosophy, Selected Translations, Paintings*. Pathak Shamabesh, Dhaka. 1999.
53. *Globalization and People's Empowerment*. Keynote address at the Fourth International Workshop on the Evaluation of Social Development, INTRAC (Oxford, 3--7 April 2000) with specific focus on 'people's empowerment'. Modified version presented as Keynote address at Evergreen State College, Olympia, Washington, USA, on the International Day of the "Earth Week" organized by the Environment Resource Center of Evergreen , on 17 April 2000.
54. "Globalization" and the Emerging Ideological Struggle. BIDS Public Lecture 2000 delivered at the Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies, 6 July 2000 as part of its millennium celebrations.
55. "Globalization, the Emerging New Ideology and Grassroots Action Research". Keynote address at the 5th World Congress on Action Learning, Action Research & Process Management and 9th World Congress on Participatory Action Research at the University of Ballarat, Victoria, Australia, 10-13 September 2000.

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