

EXPERIENCE

SOCIAL VENTURES & OTHERS

Dhaka Dough Co | CO-FOUNDER | DHAKA, BANGLADESH | 2014-PRESENT [www.dhakadough.com]

Family owned Local Health food store. Product design, packaging, cold-pressed oil machine operation & production, distribution, daily operation, woodworking, CNC operation

New Market Goods LLC | CO-FOUNDER | ATLANTA/NYC/SF, USA | 2014-PRESENT [www.newmarketgoods.com]

New Market Goods was formed with the goal of better understanding and highlighting positive production practices in Bangladesh. Production coordination, partnership with local craftsmen, worker welfare & benefit

Urban Launchpad LLC | CO-FOUNDER | BOSTON, MA, USA | 2011-14 [discontinued & BANGLADESH part]

Concept development and design operation for data gathering with community members about non-auto transit methods; launching in Dhaka, Bangladesh. Project Coordinator, Urban Launchpad's First Bus Map of Dhaka. Project Coordinator, First Live Bus Tracker for BRTC [Bangladesh Road Transport Corporation] with A2I [Access to information at the Prime Minister's Office], Project Coordinator, Bus commuter's experience of Dhaka metro, 2011-2012

ENVIRONMENTAL

Ocean Conservancy | COUNTRY COORDINATOR | 2005 - PRESENT [www.oceanconservancy.org]

Country coordinator for International Coastal Cleanup in Bangladesh

CSIRO | RESEARCH ASSOCIATE | 2018 - PRESENT [www.csiro.au]

Quantifying flows of plastic and other debris from land-based sources to the ocean – project associate of Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation for Bangladesh

OSEAN | RESEARCH ASSOCIATE | 2013 - PRESENT [www.osean.net]

Knowledge partner and in-collaboration with Our Sea of East Asia Network (South Korea) for regional marine debris research

TRASHMANIAC | RESEARCH ASSOCIATE | 2012 - PRESENT [www.kewkradong.com]

An advocacy bike ride for trash awareness across USA & Canada and having the plan to ride in other major contributors. In Bangladesh, no plastic bag or bottle is ever wasted. But a few wasted plastic bottles in a place thousands of miles away is still bad news to a place that is among the most vulnerable in the world to climate change. That is the cause that two adventure cyclists from Bangladesh are hoping to raise awareness for in their campaign against plastic and other waste in the United States & Canada, the highest per capita consumers and trashmakers in the world.

ST. MARTINS' ISLAND | PROJECT SUPERVISOR | ST. MARTINS' ISLAND, BANGLADESH | 2018 - PRESENT

Impact of tourism in the St. Martins Island, Bangladesh (marine debris perspective) partnering with Ocean Conservancy and Coca-Cola Bangladesh Ltd

ADVOCACY

SIR EDMUND HILLARY TRIBUTE RIDE | RIDER/ INITIATOR | 2008 - PRESENT [www.kewkradong.com]

On January 11, 2008, this great man passed away in New Zealand at the age of 88 and we named our riding trip as a tribute to this great man as Sir Edmund Hillary Ride, 88+Km.

ROUND THE GLOBE AIDS CAMPAIGN ON BICYCLE | RIDER/ INITIATOR | 2008 - 09

Almost a year long bike ride in few countries in different continents.

KEWKRADONG | EXPEDITIONS & ADVOCACY | 2000 - PRESENT

Kewkradong Bangladesh (KB) is an activity place for youth. Adventure is the key to address social causes.

BANFF MOUNTAIN FESTIVAL WORLD TOUR | TOUR HOST | DHAKA, BANGLADESH | 2010 - PRESENT [www.banffcentre.ca]

World Tour Screening host for Bangladesh

PASSION

MOUNTAINEERING

Trekking

Chittagong Hill Tracts Bangladesh 2000 - 2008 | Sandakfu, West Bengal, India, 2001 | Golden Jubilee celebration Everest Base Camp 2003 | Youth Cross Culture Mountain conservation Meet, Mt. Fuji, Japan. Organized my HAT-J (Himalayan Adventure Trust - Japan) 2005 | Pica Del Agulia, Mexico, 2008 | Chadar Frozen River trekking, 2010 | Mt. Debachin, Himachal Pradesh, India 2019

Expeditions

Mt. Stock Kangri, 6153 meter, Jammu & Kashmir, India 2004 | Mt. Fuji, Japan, 2005 | Mt. Kedar Dome, 6940 meter, Uttarakhand, India [as a part of advance course] 2004 | Mt. Rubal Kang, Himachal Pradesh, India, Deputy Expedition leader of first Bangladesh - India Joint Mountaineering Expedition for Peace, 2007 | Mt. Nun, 7135 meter, Jammu & Kashmir, India 2015

PASSION

PHOTOGRAPHY

Dream and the Everest – Solo photography exhibition on Mt. Everest, Dhaka, Bangladesh 2003
Bangladesh Tourism Expansion Forum group exhibition, Dhaka, Bangladesh 2005 | Turtle Neck - group exhibition on Mt. Rubal Kang expedition, Dhaka, Bangladesh, 2008 | Living positively – Group photography exhibition on People living with HIV/AIDS, Vienna, Austria, 2010 | “Biodiversity in focus” photography exhibition for the International Year of Biodiversity, Australian High Commission, Dhaka, Bangladesh 2010 | Thrive in the Wild - Women’s Tale | An Exhibition – 50 years of German Cultural Center – Dhaka, 2013

BIKE TOURS

Cross country Bangladesh. 2000 – till today | Brazil, 2008 | Mexico, 2008 | Thailand, 2008 | Across South Island, New Zealand, 2008 | Egypt, 2008 | Australia, 2008 | West to East Bhutan, 2009 | France, 2010 | Full Circle Sri Lanka, 2011 | West to East USA, 2012 | Across Nepal, 2013 | Anchorage to Toronto Canada, 2014 | Across Rajasthan, India, 2016 | Java and Bali, Indonesia, 2017 | Madagascar, 2018 | Nepal, 2019

CONFERENCE & TALKS

Cross Culture Mountain Conservation Meet | TOKYO, JAPAN | 2005
International Mountain Day | DHAKA, BANGLADESH | 2005
Nokia 3G Technology, CAIRO, EGYPT | 2006
Marine debris of Bangladesh | NORTH-SOUTH UNIVERSITY | DHAKA, BANGLADESH | 2007
XVII International AIDS conference | MEXICO CITY, MEXICO | 2008
XVIII International AIDS conference | VIENNA, AUSTIN | 2010
5th International Marine Debris Conference | HONOLULU, USA | 2011
The Climate Reality Project | SAN FRANCISCO, USA | 2012
Sustainable triwheeler design | D-LAB | MIT | BOSTON, USA | 2012
Impact of Marine Debris | KOREAN INSTITUTE OF OCEAN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY | BUSHAN, KOREA | 2013
Coordinators Meet | INTERNATIONAL COASTAL CLEANUP | SAN JOSE, USA | 2016
NOWPAP-TEMM Joint workshop on Marine Litter Management | OSEAN | BUSHAN, KOREA | 2018
Land-based-waste to Ocean Training Workshop | CSIRO | COLOMBO, SRI LANKA | 2019

PUBLICATIONS

Remote control vehicular security system for auto mobile | IUT, GAZIPUR, BANGLADESH | 2003
Impact of technology over 50 years on human civilization | IUT, GAZIPUR, BANGLADESH | 2003
Sustainable Tourism for Poverty Alleviation in Mountain Areas of Bangladesh | SEMINAR PAPER ON INAUGURAL INTERNATIONAL MOUNTAIN DAY IN BANGLADESH | 2005
A day on the beach | INTERNATIONAL COASTAL CLEANUP SPECIAL ISSUE | 2009
Micro debris: Major threat for coast of Bangladesh
Everest | HISTORY BASED TRAVELOGUE WRITTEN IN BANGLA | 2006
Turtle Neck | BOOK ON FIRST BANGLADESH-INDIA JOINT INTERNATIONAL EXPEDITION FOR PEACE, HP, INDIA | 2008
Climb for peace Mt. Rubal Kang | COVER STORY OF WINTER ISSUE | ADVENTURE MAGAZINE, NZ | 2008
Sir Edmund Hillary Tribute ride +88km | ADVENTURE MAGAZINE, NZ | 2008
Trino – First Adventure Quarterly from Bangladesh
Experience Bangladesh | A COFFEE TABLE BOOK FORWARD BY NOBEL LAUREATE DR. MOHAMMAD YUNUS | 2009
A User-Flocksourced Bus Experiment in Dhaka: New Data Collection Technique with Smartphones | DEPARTMENT OF URBAN STUDIES & PLANNING | MIT, BOSTON, USA | 2012
Tracing a path to knowledge – Indicative user impacts of introducing a public transport map in Dhaka, Bangladesh | CAMBRIDGE JOURNAL OF REGIONS, ECONOMY AND SOCIETY | P. CHRISTOPHER ZEGRAS; EMILY EROS; KUAN BUTTS; ELIZABETH RESOR; STEPHEN KENNEDY; ALBERT CHING; MUNTASIR MAMUN | 2014

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Arirang Aviation Ltd | MANAGER | DHAKA, BANGLADESH | 2012-14
Managing parties, communication and marketing for the company
The World Bank | SANITATION HACKATHON | DHAKA, BANGLADESH | 2013
Team mentor for first Sanitation Hackathon in Bangladesh from the World Bank.
Bengal Foundation | PUBLICATION & DESIGN COORDINATOR | DHAKA, BANGLADESH | 2009-11 [www.bengalfoundation.org]
Publication & design coordination for number of books for Bengal Foundation
International AIDS Conference | YOUTH JOURNALIST | MEXICO CITY & VIENNA | 2008 & 10
Photographer for the youth blog & publication
Bangalink GSM | QUALITY & DEVELOPMENT ENGINEER | DHAKA, BANGLADESH | 2005 – 2008
GSM network quality & data analysis

AWARDS

The World Bank's Connect4Climate Award | WASHINGTON, D.C | 2012
The British Council's International Climate Champion | DHAKA, BANGLADESH | 2011
World AIDS Day global photography award | IAS, SWITZERLAND | 2011
Biodiversity in focus photography award | UNEP & AUSTRALIAN HIGH COMMISSION, DHAKA, BANGLADESH | 2010

EDUCATION

Islamic University of Technology [IUT], Bangladesh

BSc in Electrical & Electronic Engineering [EEE], 2003

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Higher Secondary School [HSC], 1999

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