



**Program of the
Sixth Annual Conference on Social Research in Bangladesh
Bangladesh Institute of Social Research (BISR) Trust**

**November 06, 2021 (9am-1:50pm)
Venue: Bangladesh Institute of Social Research (BISR) Trust
Online Platform: Google Meet**

Time	Activities	Resource Persons
9:00-9:30am	Opening	A. K. M. Riaz Uddin PhD Candidate, University of Illinois / BISR staff.
9:31-9:46am	Welcome address	Dr. Khurshed Alam Chairman, BISR Trust.
9:47-9:59am	Short presentation on BISR Trust	Mr. Aminur Rahman Research Associate, BISR Trust.

Session 1: Environment		
Discussants: Dr. Murad Ahmed Farukh, Professor, Department of Environmental Science, Bangladesh Agricultural University. Dr. Sharif A. Mukul, Senior Research Fellow, Tropical Forests and People Research Centre, University of the Sunshine Coast.		
10:00-10:15am	Sea level rise induced impacts on coastal areas of Bangladesh and local-led community-based adaptation	Bishwajit Roy*, M. Salim Uddin *Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal. Department of Geography and Environmental Management, University of Waterloo, Canada.
10:16-10:31am	Rural development through participatory agroforestry programs: the case of the Madhupur Sal forest, Bangladesh	Kazi Kamrul Islam*, Kimihiko Hyakumura *Department of Agroforestry, Faculty of Agriculture, Bangladesh Agricultural University. Kyushu University, Japan.
10:32-10:59am	Discussion by Panelists	
Session 2: Social Economy		
Discussants: Dr. Shaker Ahmed, Former Professor and chair, Department of Tourism and Hospitality Management, University of Dhaka. Prof. Salma Akhter, Department of Sociology, University of Dhaka.		
11:00-11:15am	Understanding Economics of Solar Powered Irrigation System in Bangladesh: A Case Study	Taslima Akter Dhaka School of Economics, Dhaka.
11:16-11:31am	Migration and Social Capital Status in the Slums of Khulna City Corporation (KCC), Bangladesh	Nina Takashino, Gulsan Ara Parvin* and Q.S Islam Mukto Collage of Policy Science, Ritsumeikan University, Japan *Rural Planning and Sustainable Rural



		Development Lab, Kyoto University, Japan and Collage of Policy Science, Ritsumeikan University, Ibaraki, Osaka, Japan Pathikrit, A Social and Human Development Organization, Bangladesh
11:32-11:59am	Discussion by Panelists	

Session 3: Covid-19 Pandemic & Social Issues

Discussants: Dr. A. S. M. Amanullah, Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Dhaka.

Dr. Abul Hossain, Associate Professor & Chairperson, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Green University of Bangladesh.

Tawhida Jahan, Assistant Professor & Chairperson, Department of Communication Disorders, University of Dhaka.

12:00-12:15pm	COVID-19 and Undocumented Bangladeshi Migrant Laborers in Malaysia: A Study of Livelihood Struggle	M. Moniruzzaman Department of Political Science, International Islamic University, Malaysia
12:15-12:31pm	Imagining the Post-pandemic Future: Covid-19, Social Change and Society 5.0	Dr. Md Kamrul Hasan*, M.M. Abdullah Al Mamun Sony and Dr. Tuhin Roy *Western Sydney University, Australia; University of Debrecen, Hungary. Khulna University
12:32-12:47pm	Impact of stuttering on the life of University Students who Stutter	Mst. Meherunnessa Mim Department of Communication Disorders, University of Dhaka
12:48-1:03pm	Unpaid Care Work: Social Perception and Valuation in Bangladesh	Khurshed Alam and Aminur Rahman* Bangladesh Institute of Social Research (BISR) Trust
1:03-1:30pm	Discussion by Panelists and Open Discussion	
1:31-1:40pm	Closing remarks	Dr. Nina Takashino Associate Professor College of Policy Science Ritsumeikan University
1:41-1:50pm	Closing Speech	Dr. M. Khurshed Alam Chairman, BISR Trust