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## Summary of Qualifications

- 1. Expertise in teaching finance, economics and statistics using SPSS & AMOS
- 2. Experience in writing research proposal, lead research team and manage fund
- 3. Experience in impact assessment, report writing and publication
- 4. Experience in promoting the University through affiliation and collaboration with foreign universities and international student service agencies to recruit international students.

## Current Status

Senior Lecturer (6<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2012 to Present) Faculty of Business and Entrepreneurship, Universiti Malaysia Kelantan (UMK) Karung Berkunci 36, 16100 Pengkalan Chepa, Kota Bharu, Kelantan, Malaysia

## 1. Subject Taught:

- a. Research Methodology (Data Analysis), Postgraduate (Research) Students (7<sup>th</sup> Dec. 2012)
- b. Economics and Business Environment (GST5013), Master of Business Administration Dec. 2012 Intake (22 Students); Sep. 2012 Intake.
- c. Mathematics and Business Statistics (AFT1063), Bachelor of Entrepreneurship, Feb.2013
- 2. Curriculum Development:
  - a. Member of Curriculum Development Working Committee for Doctor of Business Administration Program, Centre for Postgraduate Studies, UMK.
  - b. Designed Curriculum for the subject '*Sustainability Environmental Economic*' for Doctor of Business Administration Program, Centre for Postgraduate Studies, UMK.
- 3. Supervision:
  - a. (Co-Supervisor) Nur Fadiah Ninti Mohd Zawawi, Master of Entrepreneurship (by research). Topic: Performance of Transportation Logistics (ongoing)
- 4. Research Projects:
  - a. Operation Manager (Jan. 2013 to Present), Project title: Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia (AIM) Entrepreneurship Handbook Project. Research Team: Prof. Dr Abu Bakar Sade, Prof. Dr Murali Sambasivam, Prof. Dr Zulkarnain Mohd Sori, Associate Prof. Dr Naresh Kumar, Prof. Dr Sazali Abdul Wahab, Prof. Dr Nik Maheran Nik Muhamad. Funded By AIM (Total Grant: RM50,000)

### Academic Experience

### Lecturer

(Jul. 2009 to Mar. 2012)

School of Business Management, Binary University of Management and Entrepreneurship

- 1. Subjects Taught:
  - a. Research Methods & Statistical Analysis using SPSS (MBA)
  - b. Managerial Economics (MBA)
  - c. Managing Environment (MBA)
  - d. Financial Management (Combined Bachelor Programs)
  - e. Micro Economics (Combined Bachelor Programs)
  - f. Introductory to Finance (Combined Diploma Programs)
  - g. Business Statistics 1 & 2 (Combined Bachelor Programs)
  - h. Statistics and Mathematics(Combined Diploma Programs)
- 2. Supervision: Five Master's and Six Degree Students
- 3. Research:
  - Received Fundamental Research Grant Scheme (FRGS/1/2012/SS05/BUCME/02/2) Ministry of Higher Education Malaysia, Total Grant: RM36000. Topic: Social Exchange Theory Revisited: the Expansion of LMX and Organizational Justice from the Malaysian Perspective. Jointly with Dr. Leow Kah Loong and Ema Izati Zull Kepili
  - b. Project Manager and Lead Researcher (Jan. 2011 to Dec. 2011)
    Project: Fighting Against Poverty, Funded by Binary University of Management and Entrepreneurship. Total Grant: RM14500.
     Topic: Investigate the socio-economic impact of microcredit on urban and rural low income households in Peninsular Malaysia.

# 4. Publications:

- a. Editorial Assistant (May 2010 to Mar. 2012) International Journal of Management and Entrepreneurship (IJME) Reviewed, edited and formatted papers published in IJME.
- b. Published seventeen papers in peer reviewed local and international journals.

# Education

a.	Doctor of Philosophy (Development Economics)	2007 to 2012
	Multimedia University, Malaysia	
b.	Master of Business Administration (Finance)	2005 to 2007
	Multimedia University, Malaysia	
c.	Bachelor of Business Administration (MIS)	1996 to 2000
	Darul Ihsan University, Bangladesh	
d.	Higher Secondary Certificate (Science)	1993 to 1995
	Ideal College, Dhaka, Bangladesh	
e.	Secondary School Certificate (Science)	1987 to 1993
	Baghapur High School, Dhaka, Bangladesh	

### **Professional Courses**

a.	Advance Research Methodology for Social Science	2007
	Multimedia University, Malaysia	
b.	Entrepreneurship	2008
	Multimedia University, Malaysia	
c.	Advance Statistical Methods	2008
	Multimedia University, Malaysia	

## Research Interest

Wide range of topics in Development Economics, including: Poverty, Social Capital, Empowerment, Economic Vulnerability, Micro-enterprise Development, Microcredit, Economic Impact of Climate Change, Entrepreneurship and other Development Programs and Policies.

# Publications

1. Abdullah Al Mamun, Mohammad Nurul Huda Mazumder and C. A. Malarvizhi (In Press, 2013), Measuring the effect of Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia's Microcredit program on Economic Vulnerability among hardcore poor households in Peninsular Malaysia, *Progress in Development Studies* (SSCI, – H-Index 14).

2. Abdullah Al Mamun, Sazali Abdul Wahab and Zulkarnain Muhamad Sori (In Press, 2013), Measuring the Impact of Microcredit program on Microenterprise Assets in Urban Malaysia, *Actual Problems of Economics* (SSCI, H Index: 1)

3. Abdullah Al Mamun, Sazali Abdul Wahab, Mohammad Nurul Huda Mazumder and Zhan Su (In Press, 2013), Empirical Investigation on the Impact of Microcredit on Women Empowerment in Urban Peninsular Malaysia. *The Journal of Developing Areas* (Scopus, ERA-B, H-Index 7).

4. Abdullah Al Mamun, Joseph Adaikalam and Mohammad Nurul Huda Mazumder (In Press, 2013), Measuring the Impact of Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia's MicroFinance program on Household Assets in urban Peninsular Malaysia, *International Journal of Economic Perspectives*, Vol. 7, Issue 4 (ERA-*C*)

5. Abdullah Al Mamun, C. A. Malarvizhi, Sayed Hussain, and Siow-Hooi Tan, (2012), Examining the Effect of Microcredit on Poverty in Malaysia, *ASEAN Economic Bulletin*, Vol. 29, No. 1, pp. 15–28, doi: 10.1355/ae29-1b (ERA – B, H Index: 13)

6. Abdullah Al Mamun, Joseph Adaikalam and Mohammad Nurul Huda Mazumder (2012), Examining the Effect of Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia's Microcredit program on Household Assets in rural Peninsular Malaysia, *Actual Problems of Economics*, Issue 11, pp: 260-269 (SSCI, H Index: 1)

7. Abdullah Al Mamun, Leow Kah Loong and Mohammad Nurul Huda Mazumder (2012), Empirical Investigation on the effect of Microcredit on Employment in Urban Malaysia, *Archives Des Sciences*, Vol. 65, No. 3, pp: 68-82 (Scopus) 8. Abdullah Al Mamun, Joseph Adaikalam and Mohammad Nurul Huda Mazumder (2012), Examining the Effect of Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia's microcredit program on Microenterprise Assets in Rural Malaysia, *Asian Social Science*, Vol. 8, No. 4, pp: 272-280, doi: 10.5539/ass.v8n4p272 (Scopus)

9. Abdullah Al Mamun, Joseph Adaikalam and Sazali Abdul Wahab (2012), Investigating the Effect of Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia's microcredit program on their Clients Quality of Life in Rural Malaysia, *International Journal of Economics and Finance*, Vol. 4, No. 1, pp: 192-203, doi: 10.5539/ijef.v4nlp192

10. Leow Kah Loong, Abdullah Al Mamun and Souheil Nassour (2012), Measuring the Effect of Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia's microcredit program on Microenterprise Income in Rural Malaysia, *Archives Des Sciences*, Vol. 65, No.6, pp: 318-328 (Scopus)

11. Abdullah Al Mamun, Joseph Adaikalam, Sazali Abdul Wahab and Mohammad Nurul Huda Mazumder (2011), Comparing the Effect of Microcredit on Quality of Life of Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia's Clients in Urban and Rural Malaysia, *African Journal of Business Management*, Vol. 5(34), pp. 12981-12995, doi: 10.5897/AJBM11.1954

12. Parvez Mia and Abdullah Al Mamun, (2011), Corporate Social Disclosure during the Global Financial Crisis, International Journal of Economics and Finance, Vol. 3, No. 6, pp: 174-187, doi: 10.5539/ijef.v3n6p174

13. Abdullah Al Mamun, C. A. Malarvizhi, Sayed Hussain and Sazali Abdul Wahab, (2011), Examining the Effect of Participation in Microcredit Programs on Assets Owned by Hardcore Poor Households in Malaysia, *African Journal of Business Management*, Vol. 5(22), pp: 9286-9296

14. Abdullah Al Mamun and Joseph Adaikalam (2011), Examining the Level of Unsatisfied Basic Needs among Poor and Low-Income Women in Peninsular Malaysia, *International Research Journal of Finance and Economics* - Issue - 74, pp: 89-96 (Scopus, H Index: 5)

15. Abdullah Al Mamun, Sazali Abdul Wahab, and C. A. Malarvizhi, (2011), Empirical Investigation on Repayment Performance of Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia's Hardcore Poor Clients, *International Journal of Business and Management*, Vol. 6, No. 7, pp: 125-133, doi:10.5539/ijbm.v6n7p125 (ERA-C)

16. Abdullah Al Mamun, C. A. Malarvizhi, Sazali Abdul Wahab and Mohammad Nurul Huda Mazumder, (2011), Investigating the Effect of the Utilization of Microcredit on Hardcore Poor Clients Household Income and Assets, *Asian Social Science*, Vol. 7, No. 7, pp: 141-152, doi:10.5539/ass.v7n7p141 (Scopus)

17. Abdullah Al Mamun, Sazali Abdul Wahab and C. A. Malarvizhi, (2011), Examining the Effect of Microcredit on Employment in Peninsular Malaysia, *Journal of Sustainable Development*, Vol. 4, No. 2, pp: 174-183, doi:10.5539/jsd.v4n2p174

18. Abdullah Al Mamun and Joseph Adaikalam (2011), Empirical Investigation on the effect of Microfinance program of Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia on Quality of Life of Clients in Urban Malaysia, *European Journal of Economics, Finance and Administrative Sciences*, Issue 39, pp: 101-113 (Scopus)

19. Abdullah Al Mamun, Sazali Abdul Wahab, C. A. Malarvizhi and S. Mariapun (2011), Examining the Critical Factors Affecting the Repayment of Microcredit provided by Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia, *International Business Research*, Vol. 4, No. 2, pp: 93-102. doi:10.5539/ibr.v4n2p93

20. Abdullah Al Mamun, C. A. Malarvizhi, Sazali Abdul Wahab and Mohammad Nurul Huda Mazumder, (2011), Investigating the Effect of Microcredit on Microenterprise Income in Peninsular Malaysia, *European Journal of Economics, Finance and Administrative Sciences*, Issue 29, pp: 122-132 (Scopus)

21. Abdullah Al Mamun, Sazali Abdul Wahab, C. A. Malarvizhi and Sayed Hussain (2010), Impact of Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia Microcredit Schemes on Hardcore Poor Households Quality of Life in Peninsular Malaysia, *International Research Journal of Finance and Economics*, Issue: 60, pp: 155-167. (Scopus, H Index: 5)

22. Abdullah Al Mamun, Sazali Abdul Wahab and C. A. Malarvizhi, (2010), Impact of Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia Microcredit Schemes on Micro-enterprise Assets in Malaysia, *International Research Journal of Finance and Economics*, Issue: 60, pp: 144-154. (Scopus, H Index: 5)

23. Yapp Jiin Fui, S. Mariapun and Abdullah Al Mamun (2010), Factors Affecting Airline Electronic Ticketing: Differences between Adopters and Non-Adopters, *International Journal of Management and Entrepreneurship*, Vol. 6, No. 1, pp 23-33

24. Chan Huan Phan, Abdullah Al Mamun and S. Mariapun (2010), Factors Influence Consumers' Willingness to Purchase Environmentally Friendly Products, *International Journal of Management and Entrepreneurship*, Vol. 6, No. 1, pp: 64-78

25. Parvez Mia and Abdullah Al Mamun, (2009), The Level of Ethical Disclosure of the Islamic Banks in Malaysia, *International Journal of Management and Entrepreneurship*, Vol. 5, No. 1, pp 33-57

## **Book Chapters**

26. Abdullah Al Mamun. and Ridwan Fontaine, (2008), *Microfinance: an Overview*, In: *Micro Finance and Poverty Eradication : Indian and Global Experiences*, Edited by Lazar, D. and Palanichamy, P., New Century Pub, ISBN: 81-7708-167-1

27. Mohammad Nurul Huda Mazumder, Abdullah Al Mamun, Abul Quasem Al- Amin and Muhammad Mohiuddin (2012), *Economic Impact of Tourism – A Review of Literatures on Methodologies and Their Uses: 1969-2011*, In: Visions for Global Tourism Industry – Creating and Sustaining Competitive Strategies, Dr. Murat Kasimoglu (Ed.), ISBN: 978-953-51-0520-6, InTech

#### **Conference** Papers

28. Abdullah Al Mamun (2011) Potentials & Challenges for Amanah Ikhtiar Malaysia to move towards Solidarity Economy, Asian Solidarity Economy Forum (ASEF), Oct 31<sup>st</sup> - Nov 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2011, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.