## Curriculum Vitae

Dr. Mohammad Abdul Latif
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Dr. Mohammad Abdul Latif is a career bureaucrat with 25 years of experience and has been serving with different organizations with varying capacities and responsibilities. He is a member of 17<sup>th</sup> BCS Administration Cadre and joined the service in 1998. He starts his career as Assistant Commissioner in Gaibandha District. He then worked as Assistant Commissioner (Land) in Sherpur Sadar Upazila under Sherpur District and Upazila Nirbahi Officer in Gazaria Upazila under Munshigonj District. Dr. Latif also worked as Senior Assistant Secretary in the Ministry of Home Affairs and in the Ministry of Science and Technology and then as Deputy Director in BCS Administration Academy. Later on, he discharged his duties as Private Secretary to the Cabinet Secretary. He served as Deputy Secretary in the Economic Relations Division of the Ministry of Finance and in the Ministry of Public Administration. He also worked in the Ministry of Public Administration as Joint Secretary. Currently he is working as the Director General at the Governance Innovation Unit of Prime Minister's Office, Dhaka, Bangladesh.

During his 25 years of long career, Dr. Latif assumes different positions and roles, and discharges different responsibilities including managing, coordinating, operationalizing, supervising and monitoring activities relating to government and organization, policy formulation and policy implementation, financial and project management, human resource and personnel management, and land and disaster management. He also worked at the Bangladesh Civil Service Administration Academy where he used to engage with reviewing and preparing modulse and course curriculum, conduct training program including taking class, evaluate trainees, design training session, organize seminar and workshops, etc.

Dr. Latif has a brilliant academic achievement. He did his Bachelor degree in Mechanical Engineering from the then Bangladesh Institute of Technology (BIT), Chittagong currently known as Chattagram University of Engineering and Technology (CUET). He did his Master in Urban and Regional Planning from Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET), Bangladesh. He then did another Master in International Human Resource

Management from the University of Bedfordshire in United Kingdom. Mr. Latif completed his PhD in the field of Operations Management from the Aalborg University in Denmark. He published a number of articles in the national and international journals and attended a number of international seminars. Dr. Latif has a keen interest to work with human resource development and industrial management. From his academic background he has also the interest in working with urban and rural development as well as energy and power sector management.