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Dr Ireen Akhter is currently a professor at IBA, Jahangirnagar University. She completed both of her MBA and PhD from IBA, Dhaka University, majoring in HRM both times. She also earned a Healthcare Mini MBA, from Institute of Healthcare Leadership and Management (ihlm), UK and a Post Graduate Diploma in Development Planning from National Academy for Planning and Development, Ministry of Public Administration, Bangladesh. Along with being a full-time faculty at JU, she has served as a guest faculty of different public and private renowned universities of Bangladesh like IBA, DU, MIST, NSU, IUB, AIUB, and BUP.

Throughout her career, she has published several articles in well-acclaimed national and international journals, as well as actively participated in different national and international conferences in the roles of discussant, keynote speaker, special guest and session chair. Her notable published papers won the “Best Paper Award” at two international conferences. She also has conducted different training programs for different audiences, such as Bangladesh Public Administration Training Centre and Industrial Relations Institute, Department of Labour, Ministry of Labour and Employment of Bangladesh.

Apart from academia, she dedicates her time to various committees dedicated to the education sector of Bangladesh,

including Equivalence Committee of UGC, different committees of ICAB. She is also a Member of M/Phill and PhD Thesis Evaluation Committee at Dhaka University, University of Professionals, Chitkara University, India, and Apeejay Stya University, India.

She is also the distinguished members of the selection board of different public and private universities of Bangladesh, such as IBA, Rajshahi University, Hajee Mohammad Danesh Science and Technology University, Dinajpur, Army Institute of Business Administration; University of South Asia, and University of Prime Asia. She is also the member of the Jury Board of Bangladesh English Parliament Debate Competition, and Bangladesh National Debate Competition, BTV.

Dr. Ireen is also dedicated toward the sustainable society and environment. Because of her contribution, she received the Lead Women Award, 2019, organized by Junior Chamber International (JCI), Bangladesh; Power Women Award, 2019, by Color FM 101.6, and considered one of the “MUNSHI 100 BD HR”, organized by Munshi Group.

She is married to an entrepreneur and a mother to a young lady. In her personal time, she explores different philosophies regarding human behavior by exploring different places and the inhabitants of those places. Honesty, kindness, discipline, dedication, and to be down-to-earth are her main assets.