

## About Iyanatul Islam

Iyanatul ['Yan'] Islam held, until recently, a director-level appointment at the International Labour Organization (ILO), Geneva, Switzerland with supervisory responsibility as Chief, Employment and Labour Market Policies Branch, Employment Policy Department, ILO Geneva. He was responsible for leading, coordinating and managing the work of over 40 staff.

He is now Adjunct Professor, Griffith Asia Institute, Griffith University, Brisbane, Australia.

Yan held the position of Professor of International Business, School of International Business and Asian Studies, Griffith University, Nathan Campus, Brisbane, Australia from 2003 to 2010, having first joined Griffith in 1989. He is an international development economist educated at Manchester [Bachelor of Arts in Economics, First Class Honours and Richard Cobden Prize Winner], Western Ontario [Master of Arts in Economics], Cambridge [PhD, Economic Development]. Since the mid-1980s, he has worked as an external expert for the ILO and, on some occasions, for the UNDP. He is the author and co-author of more than 100 publications consisting of refereed journal articles, books and edited volumes, book chapters, working papers, policy reports (principally for the ILO) and commentaries in leading on-line journals (voxeu.org and Social Europe Journal). He is one of the founding editors of the *Journal of Asia-Pacific Economy* [Routledge, London and New York].

# IYANATUL (Yan) ISLAM

**Current Position** Adjunct Professor, Griffith Asia Institute, Griffith University, Brisbane, Australia

**Previous Position** Chief, Employment and Labour Market Policies Branch, Employment Policy Department, ILO, Geneva (D1/step 5), January 2014 to December 2015

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**Date of Birth** 21 December, 1953

## Academic Qualifications

Degree	Institution	Field	Year Awarded
PhD	University of Cambridge, England	Development Economics <i>Dissertation title: Issues in Inequality and Poverty During Economic Development - The Case of Indonesia</i>	1983
MA	University of Western Ontario, Canada	Economics	1978
BA	University of Manchester, England	Economics	1977

## Academic Distinctions and Awards

BA First Class Honours

T.S. Ashton Prize, University of Manchester

Richard Cobden Prize, 1977, University of Manchester

Drummond-Fraser Fellowship/Jevons and Shuttleworth Economic Scholarships, 1977, University of Manchester (Offered)

Dalley Fellowship, 1977, McMaster University, Canada (Offered)

Social Science Research Council Studentship, 1978-81, University of Cambridge

## Most recent academic position held

Professor, School of International Business and Asian Studies, Griffith University, Nathan, Queensland (2003-2010/on leave between 2008 and 2010)

## Prior Academic Appointments

1995-2002 Associate Professor, School of International Business, Griffith University  
1999-2002 On Leave, ILO and UNDP, Jakarta, Indonesia

1993-1995 Associate Professor and Head, School of International Business, Griffith University

1992 Senior Lecturer in Economics, Faculty of Asian and International Studies, Griffith University, Australia

1989-91 Lecturer in Economics, Faculty of Asian and International Studies, Griffith University

1983-1989 Lecturer in Economics, National University of Singapore, Singapore

1983 Lecturer in Economics, School of Development Studies, University of East Anglia, England

1978-1979 Tutor, St. John's College, University of Cambridge, England

1977-1978 Teaching Assistant, University of Western Ontario, Canada

1977-1979

**Adjunct Appointments:**

Adjunct Professor, Griffith Asia Institute, Griffith University, Brisbane, Australia (2015-2017)

**Major Visiting Academic Appointments:**

Visiting Fellow, Korea University, Seoul, South Korea, December 1991

Korea Foundation Fellowship, July-August, 1992

Visiting Scholar, Department of International Business and Business Environment, Faculty of Management, Rutgers University, Newark, New Jersey, U.S.A., September – December 1995

**UNIVERSITY RESEARCH GRANTS**

<b>Year(s)</b>	<b>Source of Grant</b>	<b>Amount (cash component: Australian dollar)</b>
2002-2004	Australian Research Council Discovery Grant (with L.Liew, W.Case and M.Beeson)	\$131,133
2004-2009	Australian Research Council Linkage Grant (with Charles Sampford, Patrick Weller, Kaye Broadbent, Mary Farquhar, Brian Head, Ross Homel, Julia Howell Iyanatul Islam, Leong Liew, John Wanna)	\$1,536,860

**Recent teaching engagements: (since leaving Griffith University in November 2008)**

- Curriculum development and teaching in executive training programmes (2010 to 2015) for senior government officials from a range of countries on the topic of macroeconomic policy, growth and employment administered by ILO and International Training Centre, Turin Italy
- Curriculum development and teaching on the topic of macroeconomic policy, growth and employment in executive training programme (since 2012) administered by Institute for Human Development, New Delhi, India for early career researchers from various countries of the SAARC region (2013 to 2015)
- Curriculum development and teaching on the topic of fiscal issues in developing countries in the Master's programme on Applied Labour Economics for Development (MALED) administered by International Training Centre, Turin, University of Turin and Sciences Po, Paris (2010 to 2015)
- Curriculum development and teaching on the topic of development economics in the Master's programme on Applied Labour Economics for Development (MALED) administered by International Training Centre, Turin, and University of Turin (2016 onwards)

**UN Appointments:**

Senior Economist (P5 equivalent), United Nations Support Facility for Indonesian Recovery (UNSFIR), a UNDP-funded project, Jakarta, March 1999 – January 2000

Senior Labour Market and Employment Specialist (P5/step 4), ILO, Jakarta, Indonesia (January 2000- January 2001)

### **External expert to UN and international agencies**

ILO-ARTEP, Bangkok, 1986; ILO-ARTEP, Bangkok, 1987; ILO-UNDP, Malaysia, 1987; ILO-ARTEP, New Delhi, 1990; ILO, Geneva, 1997; ILO, Geneva, 2001-2003; ILO, Jakarta, 2002; UNDP, Jakarta, 2001-2002; ADB, 2002; ILO 2006/7; UNDP, 2004, 2006.

### **Duties and responsibilities with ILO, Geneva, 2008-2015**

- Act as Office-in-Charge during absence of Department Director
- Responsibility to coordinate and guide policy research in the Employment Policy Department
- Editorial responsibilities for the Department's Working Paper Series
- Management of a Technical Cooperation Project entailing multiple country studies funded by the Korean government on 'macroeconomic policy, employment and poverty reduction'
- In current capacity as Chief of Branch, entrusted with supervisory responsibility for 37 staff and oversight for an operating budget of AUD 6.6 million for 2014-2015
- Core member of country-level missions to provide technical support to national employment policy development and formulation
- Focal point for coordinating work of ILO field specialists working in the area of national employment policy development and formulation
- Core member of drafting team for various Office-Wide reports (2007-2009 Global Financial and Economic Crisis Impact and Policy Response, ILO report to the G20, Background Report on growth, employment and decent work in Africa, ILO's report on IV LDC conference, Economic and Social Committee Report, four reports for ILO's International Labour Conference)
- Key participant in inter-agency research and knowledge-sharing workshops on MDGs, employment and poverty (UNDP-ILO, UN-DESA- ILO, UN-ESCAP)
- Core member of the ILO's G20 working group

### **Key achievements (2008-2015)**

- Major publications on crisis impact and policy response, with special reference to developing countries
- Two books on Indonesian labour market and poverty
- Major research initiative on 'macroeconomic policy, employment and poverty' as part of ILO's agenda on pro-employment macroeconomic policies
- Major research initiative (with IPC-UNDP, Brasilia) on an evaluation of IMF's Article IV Consultations from the perspective of employment, poverty and social protection
- Invited to present ILO's 'pro-employment macroeconomic policies' at IMF research workshops
- Leadership role in guiding technical assistance to member states on national employment policy development and formulation
- Established and led collaborative team research and national policy development with a range of Departments in the ILO
- Awarded 'merit increment' in 2010 (given to the top 15 per cent of ILO staff) in recognition of significant contributions to the ILO

### **Duties and responsibilities during previous UN appointments (1999-2001: Jakarta, Indonesia)**

- Provided policy advice and research for UNDP country office on regional decentralization and poverty assessment for post-crisis Indonesia
- Supported ILO country office with policy advice on research on employment and labour market issues in Indonesia
- Supervised two (2) local research staff and two (2) national consultants
- Interacted with donor agencies and government counterparts, especially National Development Planning Agency and Ministry of Labour, as part of high-level policy discourse
- Collaborated with World Bank on developing donor position on regional decentralization
- Worked closely with Central Bureau of Statistics and assisted in development of appropriate methodology for poverty assessment
- Worked closely with Central Bureau of Statistics to produce a historical series on Key Indicators of the Labour Market

### **Key achievements (1999-2001: Jakarta, Indonesia)**

- Poverty assessment received with critical acclaim by government counterpart and some donor agencies
- Developed concept of a human development compact on regional decentralization in Indonesia that became endorsed in 2001 National Human Development Report
- Core member of drafting team of 2001 National Human Development Report that was awarded the best national report by a Committee chaired by Nobel Laureate Joseph Stiglitz
- Produced a series of policy reports that are still cited in policy discussions, especially estimation and use of employment elasticity in policy-making process, evaluation of minimum wages and production of ILO's Key Indicators of the Labour Market

### **Commissioned reports for UN/International agencies (23)**

“Wages Employment and Income Distribution in a Small, Open Economy”, (with C.H. Kirkpatrick), ILO-ARTEP Working Paper, March, 1986.

“Manpower and Educational Planning in Singapore”, pp. 114-148, in Rashid Amjad (ed.), (1987) Human Resources Planning: The Asian Experience, Geneva and New Delhi: ILO-ARTEP.

“Structural Adjustment and Human Resource Development in ASEAN”, (with A. Chowdhury and C.H. Kirkpatrick), HRD Working paper, ILO-ARTEP, New Delhi, 1988.

“Industrial Restructuring and Industrial Relations in ASEAN – A Firm-Level Chronicle”, in Gus Edgren (ed.), Restructuring, Employment and Industrial Relations: Adjustment Issues in Asian Industries. New Delhi and Geneva: ILO-ARTEP, 1989.

“Industrial Targeting: Analytical Perspective and the Experiences of Some Asian Economies”, HRD Working Paper, ILO-ARTEP, New Delhi, 1990.

Issues in Human Resource Development Planning: A Reader's Guide. 1992, Geneva, New Delhi and New York: ILO and UNDP.

“Skill Accumulation and East Asian Economic Growth”, Background paper, ILO, Geneva, World Employment Report 1998-1999.

“Regional Decentralization in Indonesia: Towards a Social Accord”, Working Paper No.1, 1999, United Nations Support Facility for Indonesian Recovery (UNSFIR), Jakarta, Indonesia

“Making Regional Decentralization Work: Reaping the Rewards and Managing the Risks”, Working Paper No.3, 1999, United Nations Support Facility for Indonesian Recovery (UNSFIR), Jakarta, Indonesia

Estimating Employment Elasticity for the Indonesian Economy, September 2000, (with SuaHasil Nazara), ILO, Jakarta and Geneva, 2000

Minimum Wage and the Welfare of Indonesian Workers, Occasional Discussion Paper No.3, July 2000, (with Suahasil Nazara), ILO, Jakarta

Labour Market Dynamics in Indonesia: Analysis of 18 key indicators of the Labour Market (KILM), 1986-1999, August, 2000, (with Puguu Irawan and Iftikhar Ahmed), ILO, Jakarta

“Poverty, Inequality and Social Protection: Lessons of the Indonesian Crisis”, (with Shafiq Dhanani), Working Paper No.1, 2000, United Nations Support Facility for Indonesian Recovery (UNSFIR), Jakarta, Indonesia

‘Identifying the Poorest of the Poor in Indonesia: Towards an Analytical Framework’, prepared for the United Nations Support Facility for Indonesian Recovery (UNSFIR), a UNDP-funded project, Jakarta, November 2001

'Indonesian Wage Structure and Trends, 1976-2000', (with Shafiq Dhanani), prepared for Socio-economic security programme, ILO, Geneva, December 2001

'Poverty, Employment and Wages: An Indonesian Perspective', prepared for Recovery and Reconstruction Department, ILO, Geneva, March 2002

'Monitoring Poverty in Bangladesh and the Millenium Development Goals', paper prepared for the Asian Development Bank, July, 2002

'Avoiding the stabilisation trap: towards a macroeconomic policy framework for growth, employment and poverty reduction', Employment Paper No.53, 2003, Geneva: ILO

'Why Inequality Matters: the Indonesian Experience from a Global Perspective", UNDP-UNSFIR Working Paper, 2004

'Unemployment and poverty challenges confronting the Syrian labour market', (with Mahmoud Abdel Fadil), in UNDP, Macroeconomic Policies for Poverty Reduction: The Case of Syria, Damascus and New York, 2005

'Growth, Employment and Poverty Reduction; The Case of Indonesia' (with A.Chowdhury), September, 2006, paper prepared for ILO, Geneva

'BRICs: Briefing note on the labour market', prepared for ILO, New Delhi, June, 2016

'Is there a case for fiscal consolidation in Azerbaijan?' paper prepared for ILO, Moscow, June 2016

### **Recent Working Papers (2009 to present) (7)**

'The Global Economic Crisis and Developing Countries: Transmission Channels, Fiscal and Policy Space and the Design of National Responses', Employment Working Paper No.36, 2009, ILO, Geneva

'The Great Recession of 2008-2009: Causes, Consequences and Policy Responses', (with S. Verick), IZA Discussion Paper No.4934, May, 2010 (among top ten downloaded paper since 2002)

'Should Developing Countries Target Low, Single Digit Inflation to Promote Growth and Employment'?, (with S. Anwar), Employment Working Paper No.87, 2011, ILO, Geneva

'The Great Recession of 2008-2009: Causes, consequences and policy responses', (with Sher Verick), Employment Working Paper No.61, 2012, ILO, Geneva

'Tackling the Youth Employment Crisis: A macroeconomic perspective', (with Maki Matsumoto, Martina Hengge), Employment Working Paper No.124, 2012, ILO, Geneva

'Macroeconomic policy advice and the Article IV consultations: A development perspective', (with Ishraq Ahmed, Rathin Roy and Raquel Ramos), ILO Research Paper No.2, 2012, ILO, Geneva

'Fiscal rules, growth and employment: a developing country perspective' (with ray, N and Valsquez, A), June, 2015, Employment Working Paper No.184, ILO, Geneva

### **Academic publications:**

### **Books and edited volumes [17]**

Policy Options for the Singapore Economy. Singapore: McGraw Hill. (with Lim Chong Yah and Associates), 1988

The Newly Industrializing Economies of East Asia: London: Routledge (with A. Chowdhury), 1993.

Current Issues in International Business, edited volume (with W. Shepherd), Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, 1997

The Asia-Pacific Economies: A Survey, London: Routledge (with A.Chowdhury), 1997

The South Asian Economies: Transformation, Opportunities and Challenges (with H. Hossain and R. Kibria), London: Routledge, 1999

The Political Economy of East Asia: Post-Crisis Debates, (with A. Chowdhury), Melbourne and Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2000

Beyond the Asian Crisis: Pathways to Sustainable Economic Growth, edited volume, (with A. Chowdhury), Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, 2001

Bangladesh's Development Agenda and Vision 2020, edited volume (with M. Hossain and A.K.M Nurrunnabi), Dhaka: University Press Limited, 2003

Globalisation and the Asia-Pacific: Contested perspectives and diverse experiences, (with M.Hossain ), Edward Elgar, 2006

Beyond the Iraq war: the promises, pitfalls and perils of external interventionism, edited volume (with M.Heazle), Edward Elgar Publishing,Cheltenham, England, 2006

Handbook on the Northeast Asian and Southeast Asian Economies, edited volume (with A.Chowdhury), Edward Elgar Publishing, Cheltenham, England, 2007

Growth, Employment and Poverty Reduction in Indonesia, (with A.Chowdhury), Geneva, ILO, 2009

The Indonesian Labour Market: Changes and Challenges, (with S. Dhanani and A.Chowdhury), London and New York, Routledge, 2009

From the Great Recession to Labour Market Recovery: Issues, Evidence and Policy Options, edited volume, (with S. Verick), London and Geneva, ILO and Palgrave-Macmillan, 2011

Beyond Macroeconomic Stability: Structural Transformation and Inclusive Development, edited volume (with D.Kucera), London and Geneva, ILO and Palgrave-Macmillan, 2014

Employment and Inclusive Development (with R.Islam), London and New York: Routledge, 2015

Employment Targeting: Macroeconomic and Sectoral Approaches, edited volume, (with K.Chatani), Geneva: ILO, 2015

#### **Forthcoming publications:**

Macroeconomic Policy, Growth and Employment: A Development Perspective, manuscript under preparation for ILO, Geneva and Palgrave Macmillan, expected publication, 2017/2018

#### **Book chapters: [21]**

"The Evolution of Korea-Asean Economic Relations: Trends and Prospects" in L.T. Soon and B. Singh (eds.), Asean-South Korean Economic Relations, Singapore: Heinemann, 1990.

"Between the State and the Market: The Case for Eclectic Neoclassical Political Economy", in A.J. MacIntyre (ed.) , Business and Government in Industrialising Asia, Sydney: Allen and Unwin and Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1994.

Governance and Development: Beyond the East Asian Model", in Nguyen, T. and K. Roy (eds.) Trade, Liberalisation and Economic Reform in the Asia-Pacific, New Delhi and London: Wiley Eastern, 1994

"The Rise of the East Asian NIEs; Theory and Evidence" in C. Mackerras (ed)., Eastern Asia: an Introductory History, Second edition, Melbourne: Longman Cheshire, 1995

"Governance, Economic Development and International Competitiveness: Towards an Analytical Framework", in Quah, E *et al* (eds.) Development, Trade and the Asia-Pacific: Essays in Honour of Professor Lim Chong Yah, Singapore: Prentice-Hall, 1996

"East Asia: Before and After the Crisis" in C. Mackerras (ed.)

Eastern Asia: an Introductory History, 3rd edition, Melbourne: Longman Cheshire, 2000

'The East Asian Crisis and the Bretton Woods Institutions: The Demise of the Washington Consensus?' in Jain, P et al (ed) Crisis and Conflict in Asia, New York: Nova Science Publishers, 2002

"Editors' introduction: new intervention but same old promises and perils?", (with M.Heazle) in M.Heazle and I.Islam [eds] 2006 Beyond the Iraq War: The Promises, Pitfalls, and Perils of External Interventionism, Edward Elgar, Cheltenham,

"Globalisation, economic development and economists: voices of dissent", in I.Islam and M.Hossain [eds] 2006 Globalisation and the Asia-Pacific, Edward Elgar, Cheltenham, UK

"Anti-Americanism in the Muslim World: A Sceptic's Guide", in B.O'Connor and M.Griffiths [eds] The Rise of Anti-Americanism, Routledge, Abingdon and New York, 2006

"Indonesia: poverty, employment and wages", in R.Islam [ed] Fighting Poverty: The Development-Employment Link, Lynne Reiner, Boulder, Colorado, 2006

"Neoliberalism and post-Saddam Iraq: a global perspective", in M. Heazle and I.Islam [eds] Beyond the Iraq war: the promises, pitfalls and perils of external interventionism, Edward Elgar Publishing, Cheltenham, England, 2006

'Introduction: Northeast Asian Economic Development: Which Way Now?' (with A. Chowdhury) in A.Chowdhury and I.Islam [eds] Handbook on the Northeast Asian and Southeast Asian Economies, Edward Elgar Publishing, Cheltenham, England, 2007

"Islamic fundamentalism, concerned Muslims and Anti-Americanism" in B.O'Connor and M.Griffiths [eds] Anti-Americanism: History, Causes, Themes, Vol. 4, Greenwood World Publishing, Oxford and Westport, Connecticut, 2007

"A Lapse of Reason or Islamophobia at Work"? in Rane, H, Ewart, J.A and Mohamad, A (eds) Islam and the Australian News Media, Carlton: Melbourne University Press, 2010

"Revisiting Shared Growth and Examining Horizontal Inequality" in R.Rasiah and J.D. Schmidt (eds) The New Political Economy of Southeast Asia, Edward Elgar Publishing, Cheltenham, England, 2010

"Labour Market Regulations and the Welfare of Indonesian Workers" in S.Lee and D.McCann (eds) Regulating for Decent Work: New Directions in Labour Market Regulation, London and Geneva, ILO and Palgrave-Macmillan, 2011

"Post-crisis Macroeconomics and Least Developed Countries: A Way Forward" in ILO (ed) The Global Crisis: Causes, Consequences and Challenges, Geneva, ILO, 2011

"Macroeconomic Policy After the Global Recession of 2008-2009: A Development Perspective", in UN (ed) The Twin Challenges of Reducing Poverty and Creating Employment, New York: Department of Economic and Social Affairs, UN, 2013

"The Rise and Decline of the Fiscal Austerity Doctrine: Implications for the Euro Area Crisis" in Papadakis, K and Youcef, G (eds) The Governance of Policy Reforms in Europe, Geneva: ILO, 2014

"Renewing the Full Employment Compact: Issues, Evidence and Policy Implications" (with M.Hengge) in Berg, J (ed) Labour Markets Institutions and Inequality: Building Just Societies in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century, Geneva and Cheltenham, UK: ILO and Edward Elgar, 2015

#### **Articles and comments in Refereed Journals [29]**

"Inequality in Indonesia – A Decomposition Analysis", (with G.A. Hughes), Bulletin of Indonesian Economic Studies, Vol. XVIII, No. 2, 1981.

"Socio-Economic Progress in Indonesia under the New Order – An Assessment", South East Asian Affairs, Institute of South-East Asian Studies, 1984.

"Income Inequality, Poverty and Socio-Economic Development in Indonesia – An Empirical Investigation", (with M.H. Khan), Asian Profile, April 1985.

"Income Inequality, Poverty and Socio-Economic Development in Bangladesh: An Empirical Investigation", (with M.H. Khan), The Bangladesh Development Studies, Vol. XIV, No. 2, June 1986.



"The Social Security System in Indonesia: Comment", Asean Economic Bulletin, Vol. 3, No. 1, July 1986.

"Spatial Patterns of Poverty in Indonesia: A Taxonomic Approach", (with M.H. Khan), Bulletin of Indonesian Economic Studies, Vol. XXII, No. 2, August 1986.

"Export-led Development, Labour Market Conditions and Income Distribution: The Case of Singapore", (with C.H. Kirkpatrick), Cambridge Journal of Economics, Vol. 10, No. 2, 1986.

"The Relationship Between Poverty and Basic Needs Indicators: A Province-Level Analysis of Indonesia", (with M.H. Khan), The South-East Asian Economic Review, August 1988.

"Industrial Concentration and Wage Determination: Some Japanese Evidence", (with Gan Chin Lee), Indian Journal of Industrial Relations, Vol. 25, No. 2, 1989.

"Management and Industrial Relations in ASEAN", Labour and Industry, Vol. 2 No. 2, June, 1989.

"Regional Disparities in Indonesia: A Social Indicators Approach", (with M.H. Khan), Social Indicators Research, Vol. 22, 1990.

"Trade Liberalization in Asian Newly Industrialized Countries", (with W.J. Reiber), International Trade Journal, Vol. V, 1991.

"Political Economy and East Asian Economic Development", Asian Pacific Economic Literature, Vol. 2, No. 2, November, 1992.

"The Institutional and Political Framework of Growth in an Ethnically Diverse Society: the Case of Malaysia", (with A. Chowdhury), Canadian Journal of Development Studies, Vol. XVII, 3, 1996.

"Public Policy and International Competitiveness: What can we Learn from East Asia"? , with Anis Chowdhury, Journal of Economic and Social Policy, 2 (1), pp.74-83, 1997

"East Timor: Development Outlook", Journal of the Asia-Pacific Economy, 5(1 and 2), pp.2-8, 2000

"Labour Market Adjustment to Indonesia's Economic Crisis: A Comment", (with Shafiq Dhanani), Bulletin of Indonesian Economic Studies, 37 (1), pp.113-15, 2001

"Beyond Labour market Flexibility: Issues and Options for Post-Crisis Indonesia", Journal of the Asia-Pacific Economy, 6(3), 2001 pp. 305-334

"Poverty, Vulnerability and Social Protection in a Period of Crisis: The Case of Indonesia", (with Shafiq Dhanani), World Development, 30(7), 2002

"Democracy, Economic Recovery and Human Development in Indonesia", (with A. Chowdhury), Journal of East Asian Studies, No.1, December, 2002

"Europe Envy in Asia", Foreign Policy, September-October, 2004

"Circumventing macroeconomic conservatism: a policy framework for growth, employment and poverty reduction", in International Labour Review, 2005, vol.144, 1, 55-84

"Neo-liberalism and East Asia: Resisting the Washington Consensus", (with M.Beeson), The Journal of Development Studies, vol.41, 2, 197-219, 2005

"Deconstructing Islamophobia", (with Anis Chowdhury), Australian Prospect, Summer, pp.1-4, 2006

"Indonesia's Employment Challenges – Growth, Structural Change & Labour Market Rigidity", (with A.Chowdhury and M.Z. Tadjoeuddin), European Journal of East Asian Studies, Vol. 8, No. 1, 2009

"A Critique of the Orthodox Approach to Indonesia's Growth and Employment Prospects and Post-Keynesian Alternatives", (with A. Chowdhury), in The American Journal of Economics and Sociology, Vo.70, No (1), 2011

"Millennium Development Goals: The Role of Macroeconomic Policies", (with A. Chowdhury), International Journal of Economics, Vol.38, No.12, 2011

"The Debate on Expansionary Fiscal consolidation: How Robust is the Evidence"? (with A. Chowdhury), The Economic and Labor Relations Review, September, Vol.23, Issue: 3, 2012

"The Great Recession, jobs and social crises: policies matter", International Journal of Social Economics, Vol. 40, Issue: 3, pp.220 – 245, 2013

### **Invited presentations at international symposia, conferences and seminars (selected examples: 9)**

"Towards a poverty reduction strategy for Indonesia", National Development Planning Agency, (with Satish Mishra), Government of Indonesia, International Seminar on Renewing Poverty Reduction Strategy in Indonesia, August 1, 2000, Jakarta, Indonesia

'A Strategic Approach to Poverty Reduction: From a Global Framework to an Indonesian Agenda', UNSFIR/UNDP Working Paper, Invited presentation at Staff Seminar, 11 July 2002, Jakarta, Indonesia

'The Indonesian Interim Poverty Reduction Strategy: An Assessment', presented at the ILO-Government of Indonesia (National Development Planning Agency) Roundtable, 4-5 November, 2002

'Dealing with Spatial Dimensions of Spatial Disparities in Indonesia: Towards a Social Accord', World Bank. Washington DC, Spring Conference on Inequality and Pro-Poor Growth, 14-15 June, 2003

'Managing without Growth: Challenges Confronting the Syrian Labour Market', presented at UNDP-IPC International Conference on Employment, Brasilia, January 11-12, 2005

'Do we need Pro-employment Macroeconomic Frameworks'? Presented at an IMF workshop on 'The Unemployment Crisis: Costs, Causes and Cures', October 22, 2010, Washington DC

'Macroeconomic Policy Advice and the Article IV Consultations: a development perspective', Presentation to Working Group on 'Jobs and Inclusive Growth', IMF, Washington DC, 10-11 May, 2012

'Growth and inequality: Is there a trade-off?' presentation to plenary session, Institute for Human Development and World Conference on Prosperity, Equality and Sustainability: Perspectives and policies for a better world', New Delhi, India, 1 to 3 June 2016

'Is there a case for fiscal consolidation in Azerbaijan?', invited presentation on behalf of ILO, Moscow to Minister for Labour, Baku, Azerbaijan, 17 June, 2016

'Fiscal Consolidation, Growth and Employment: International Evidence and Implications', invited presentation on behalf of ILO, New Delhi to Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Review Committee (FRBM Committee), Ministry of Finance, Government of India, August 23, 2016

### **Commentaries/policy briefs at [www.voxeu.org](http://www.voxeu.org) (with Anis Chowdhury) (15)**

Growth and Jobs in Europe: Which Way Now?, 20 November, 2014

Promoting employment and structural change in developing countries: A dual mandate for macroeconomic policy managers, on Development and the crisis, 18 June, 2014

The Limits of Conventional Macroeconomics: Why one needs to focus on structural transformation and inclusive development, on Development and the crisis, 21 January, 2014

Full employment and the global development agenda: going beyond lip service on Development and the crisis, 19 January 2012

Inflation targeting in developing countries revisited on Development and the crisis, 17 March 2011

Is there an optimal debt-to-GDP ratio? on Development and the crisis, 9 November 2010

Managing macroeconomic risks and protecting the vulnerable on Development and the crisis, 15 August 2010

The fallacy of austerity-based fiscal consolidation on Development and the crisis, 2 August 2010

Fiscal consolidation, growth and employment: what do we know? on Development and the crisis, 21 June 2010

Rethinking Macroeconomics from the perspective of the Millennium Development Goals in the Post-Crisis Era on Development and the crisis, 7 June 2010

The Great Recession of 2008-2009 and Labour Market Flexibility – Which way Now? on Development and the crisis, 17 December 2009

The G8 Finance Ministers and the ‘Green Shoots’ of Recovery: The Pitfalls and Perils of a Premature Exit Strategy on Development and the crisis, 18 June 2009

The global economic crisis: how to enhance fiscal and policy space in developing countries on Development and the crisis, 11 May 2009

The G20 declaration at the London Summit: a global ‘new deal’? on Development and the crisis, 20 April 2009

### **Commentaries/policy briefs at Social Europe Journal ([www.social-europe.eu](http://www.social-europe.eu)) (12)**

Policy Credibility, Market Confidence and the Private Sector, September 15, 2015

Technology and the Future of Work in Advanced Economies, 23 April, 2015

Employment and Inclusive Development: Contesting Conventional Wisdom, 24 March, 2015

Minimum and Living Wages in Times of Cuts, 17 October, 2014

The Rise and Fall Of The Fiscal Austerity Doctrine, 19/06/2013

Structural Reforms and The G20 Economies: Promises And Pitfalls, 16/05/2013

Should One Fix Monetary Policy Or Fix A ‘Sclerotic’ European Labour Market?, 26/02/2013

Fiscal Multipliers: Post-Crisis Controversies and their Implications, 29/01/2013

The State of Macroeconomics: Reformers vs. Revolutionaries, 25/10/2012

Fiscal Austerity and its Implications for Europe’s Youth Employment Crisis, 25/06/2012

Fiscal Austerity, Borrowing Costs and the Eurozone Economies, (with Martina Hengge), 12/07/2012

Latvia: Why we need to go beyond the ‘Success’ of Fiscal Austerity, 18/06/2012

### **Dissemination and impact of publications: some indicators**

- Books on East Asia and Indonesia received with critical acclaim in scholarly reviews (in Asian Pacific Economic Literature, ASEAN Economic Bulletin, Bulletin of Indonesian Economic Studies, Development Policy Review, Economic Journal, New Zealand Journal of Asian Studies)
- Books and book chapters on East Asia and other papers used in more than 20 universities as part of course resources in teaching. List includes University of Melbourne, University of Minnesota, University of California (San Diego), California State University, London School of Economics, University of Warwick, MIT, Swedish School of Economics and National University of Singapore, Brandeis, McGill, Ottawa, International University of Japan, Colorado, Pennsylvania, Bristol, Otago, Victoria University of Wellington
- Paper on a critique of macroeconomic conservatism highlighted in ‘Policy Innovations Program’ of Carnegie Council (September, 2006)
- IZA Discussion paper No.4934 among the top ten downloaded papers since April 2002

- Download statistics for commentaries/policy briefs at [voxeu.org](http://voxeu.org) suggest an average readership of approximately 6,000. The site is described as 'research-based policy analysis and commentary from leading economists'
- Over 1600 external citations of professional work, with an average of 100 citations per year between 2011 and now (citation statistics based on *Google Scholar*).

#### **Professional Services to the Academic Community**

- Founding Co-Editor, *Journal of the Asia Pacific Economy*, Routledge, London and New York
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