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Personal Details:

Nationality	:	Bangladeshi
Recent role	:	Regional Expert Asia Coordinating end-of-program evaluations across Asia, providing methodological guidance, case studies, field visits, and independent analyses to deliver actionable recommendations.
Key area of expertise	:	Skilled in 1. Agricultural project management, 2. Livestock value chain development, 3. Sustainable public-private partnership management, 4. Market systems development and local economic development, 5. Sustainable agricultural practices.
International Assignment	:	Indonesia: 1. External evaluation of Cotton & Textile Value chain 2. External evaluation of Palm Oil Value chain India: 1. Internal Evaluation of Palm oil value chain
Previous assignment	:	External Evaluator (2025–Present): End of Program evaluations of Palm Oil, Cotton & Textile value chains in Indonesia, India and Bangladesh funded by Solidaridad Network. Community Researcher (2023–2024): Conducted One Health research, feasibility studies, and developed policy frameworks for inclusive livestock farming with One Health Institute, CVASU funded by USAID. Public private partnership expert (2024): <ul style="list-style-type: none">Designed Theory of Change and forage seed market strengthening strategy for MIMBA covering 133 sub-districts of Bangladesh.Documented and evaluated livestock chemist shops, silage commercialization, and feed productivity projects for Eskayef, Alal, Tamim Agro in 24 districts. Trainer & Knowledge Developer (2016–2022): Created inclusive livestock training modules, flipcharts, and frameworks for Livestock value chain projects funded by IFAD and USAID. Evaluator (2021): Conducted final performance evaluation of Feed the Future Bangladesh Livestock Production for Improved Nutrition Activity funded by USAID.

Summary of Professional Expertise:

With over 12 years of experience in livestock development, public-private partnerships, and market system enhancement, Sanjoy Chandra Bhattacherjee has successfully led large-scale projects that drive socio-economic growth and agricultural innovation. He has worked extensively with government agencies, private firms, and development organizations to deliver impactful results, empowering more than 100,000 farmers and significantly improving livestock productivity through innovative business models, **training initiatives**, and value chain strengthening exercises.

Sanjoy has a proven record of designing sustainable solutions and leading cross-sector initiatives that contribute to poverty reduction, inclusive economic growth, and gender empowerment in rural communities. His expertise spans in **One health and zoonoses research**, capacity building, and strategic partnerships, positioning him as a strong leader for advancing global initiatives in market system development and public-private sector collaboration.

Education

Year – Institution	Diplomas
2014- FREPD, Dhaka University	PGD in Research Methodology, Passed.
2013 – BRAC University	MS in Biotechnology majoring Animal Biotechnology, Distinction
2010– Sylhet Agricultural University, Bangladesh	Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM)

Key experiences:

Date From – To	Employer	Function
Nov'21 to Apr'2025	Feed the Future Bangladesh Livestock and Nutrition Activity, ACDI/VOCA (Funded by USAID)	<i>Senior Field Coordinator,</i> Led collaboration with government, private sector, and NGOs to support 1M livestock beneficiaries in 23 districts, introducing new technologies and strengthening value chains.
Feb'19 to Jun'21	Feed the Future Bangladesh Livestock Production for Improved Nutrition activity, ACDI/VOCA (Funded by USAID)	<i>Field Coordinator (Resilience)</i> Improved livelihoods of 10,000 households through farmers training enhancing livestock productivity and sustainability in rural areas.
Apr'16 to Feb'19	Value Chain Development Project on Increasing Entrepreneurs' Income and Employment through Rearing Commercially Improved Breeds of Dairy Cows, Social Upliftment Society , (Funded by IFAD)	<i>Value Chain Facilitator,</i> Empowered 3,000 dairy farmers through good livestock practices, market linkages, feed and input sales, and training; established fodder sales points and mini labs benefiting 10,000+ farmers.
Apr'14 to Mar'16	Prochesta Mobile Veterinary Clinic	<i>Chief Veterinarian,</i> Delivered veterinary care and tele-vet services to 10,000+ households in 18 villages, linked farmers to livestock training, formal milk value chains, and partnered with MFIs to expand access to finance.
Sept'12 to March 14	Cattle rearing through improved Livestock health management, Social Upliftment Society (Funded by IFAD)	<i>Technical Officer,</i> Empowered 600 dairy farmers through good farm management practices, farmers capacity building training, market linkages, feed and input sales, and training;

Major Research work:

1. Standing Biosecurity Practices and Foot-and-Mouth Disease Occurrence in Mixed-Species Livestock Household Farms, Oral Presentation at BSVER ASConXXI, Bangladesh Agricultural University, Mymensingh 01-02 February 2025 (Link: <https://bsver.org/BSVER-AScon-31/view.php?id=O-49>)
2. Operationalizing One Health Through Community Engagement in Bangladesh.
3. Community Perceptions of Zoonotic Diseases and Livestock Vaccination, Poster presentation, ISVEE 17 conference, Sydney, Australia.

Languages: Bangla (Native), English (Fluent), French (Beginners Level)

Computer Proficiency: MS Office program, Data Analytics tools (Excel, SQL, Power BI, R, SPSS)

National and International Seminar:

1. **Market System Symposium (2024):** Represented Livestock & Nutrition Activity, ACDI/VOCA, South Africa.
2. **Time Management & Productivity Leadership (2024):** Completed professional course with Exudemy, USA.
3. **Marketing & Sales Promotion (2020):** Training by SCITI, Ministry of Industries, Dhaka, Bangladesh.
4. **Market System Development & Local Economic Development (2019):** Training by EDGE Consulting & Mesopartner, Yangon, Myanmar.
5. **Agricultural Advisory Services (2018):** SAAS training with IFAD, Bangladesh to strengthen support for smallholder farmers.

Reference:

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Professional evaluation experience : Provided in Annexure 1

Declaration: I declare that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature:



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Annexure 1: Professional evaluation experience

Date	Location	Client	Function	Description
July 2022 to July 2024	Bangladesh	USAID, Bangladesh	Annual Report Preparation	Document inclusive examples, best practices and progress of livestock and nutrition activity, Bangladesh in accordance with TOC.
February 2023 to September 2023	16 districts of Bangladesh	USAID, Bangladesh	Manual Preparation on regenerative and climate smart fodder and forage systems	Develop fodder manual highlighting geographical contexts based on climate risk and peoples resilience power against climate risks.
January 2022 to February 2022	16 districts of Bangladesh	USAID, Bangladesh	Flipchart preparation for inclusive livestock management training for dairy beneficiaries	Document ideas, adapting interventions and practices to develop pictorial framework to train aged farmers on livestock management and inclusive business development practices.
July 2022 to September 2024	16 districts of Bangladesh	USAID, Bangladesh	Outcome mapping of community-based livestock interventions and documenting success stories	Outcome mapping of dairy value chain activities, document inclusive progress on community-based livestock interventions through analysing gender and youth inclusive policies, roles, producing stakeholder analysis and sustainable livestock interventions (liquid biofertilizer, application of biogas, silage and hay preservation, CCP shops etc) and partners engagement in line with valued results (5R framework of assessing Systems Change).
January 2022 to July 2024	Cox's Bazar, Bangladesh	Nutrition International, Canada	Review of Nutrition bulletin with public and private sector collaborators and provide programmatic support and strategic evaluation to organizations implementing the program in resilient focused area of Bangladesh.	Develop and review Nutrition bulletin contextualizing community behaviour and gender and youth friendly policies, resilient livestock management practices, facilitation of learning through workshops and production of manuals.
September 2024 to October 2024	133 subdistricts of Bangladesh	MIMBA, Bangladesh	Preparation of Project Description on strengthening forage seed market in Southern Bangladesh to enhance forage production and preservation using the Theory of Change Methodology	Design and develop Theory of Change, key concepts and approaches for MIMBA staffs and private sector partners related to activity implementation process to strengthen climate resilient fodder and forage seed systems, planning at national scale and simulate inclusive and climate smart learning exercises for the benefits of marginalized communities and supporting partner organizations business engagement matched with Theory of change with meaningful outcomes as per national level demand. Have also conducted sensemaking workshops to capacitize local business workforce with joint collaboration of stakeholders from public and policy level bodies.
July 2023 to January 2025	23 Districts of Bangladesh	Eskayef Pharmaceuticals Limited, Bangladesh	Review and document project activities applying Theory of change methodology	Develop Project Descriptions on strengthening rural livestock chemist cum prescriber shops and LSP capacity on preventive medicine application such as micronutrients to boost cattle productivity.
December 2022 to December 2024	15 districts of Bangladesh	Tamim Agro Industries Limited, Bangladesh	Review and document project activities applying theory of change methodology and outcome harvesting technique.	Review and produce evaluation report according to MEAL framework and organizations mandate to empower women in smallholder farmers to improve milk and meat productivity and farm income by promoting quality ready feed and enhancing feed conversion ratio in 16 districts of Bangladesh.
February 2023 to January 2025	6 Districts (Chuadanga, Jhenaidah, Jashore, Khulna, Satkhira, Barishal) of Bangladesh	Alal Poultry and Fish Feed Limited, Bangladesh	Review and document project activities as per MEAL framework, Project ToC and organizational mandate.	Review and produce evaluation report On Commercialization of silage for Livestock development in southern Bangladesh

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June 2023 to February 2024	Cox's Bazar, Bangladesh	One Health Poultry Hub, Bangladesh and One health Institute, CVASU, Bangladesh	Research and feasibility studies on community based one health activity practices analysing power dynamics matrix and support to develop national level Theory of Change methodology.	Conduct research and feasibility studies, developing data-driven recommendations for MSME growth and agribusiness investments & lead initiatives empowering women & youth, promoting inclusive participation in livestock farming and agribusiness bringing power imbalances to the forefront ensuring each step in the change pathway aims to empower key actors/stakeholders.
June 2023	Cox's Bazar, Bangladesh	USAID Bangladesh, Daily Star, Bangladesh	Representation of Livestock Service Providers service modality for documenting change behaviour in livestock activity	Develop case studies conceptualizing behaviour change and women empowerment, documentaries, FGD analyses and in the selection process to win Unsung Women Nation Builders Award, a prestigious award platform for rising women entrepreneurs in Bangladesh.
January 2023	Cox's Bazar, Bangladesh	USAID micro grant, Bangladesh	Project description (PD) development for MSMEs based on the needs of the target group and update change pathways based on results and learnings.	Develop Project Descriptions, on strengthening dairy diversified product value chain projects, regenerative agricultural project and community-based Village milk collection centre (VMCC) activity based on community needs to ensure program relevance in Bangladesh.
June 2023 to February 2024	Cox's Bazar, Bangladesh	One health Poultry Hub, Bangladesh, One health Institute, CVASU, USAID-Bangladesh	One health related Policy level framework development exercise	Work with team to develop community-based research policy framework prioritizing community perspective, geographical context inclusive to mixed farming households in resilient focused area of Bangladesh.
June 2021 to August 2021	Cox'Bazar, Bangladesh	USAID, Bangladesh	Bangladesh livestock production for improved nutrition activity final performance evaluation	Review documents based on outcome harvesting and MEAL framework to analyses behavior change and crosscutting issues along with value chain interventions across 16 districts of Bangladesh.
January 2016 to February 2019	Dhaka, Bangladesh	IFAD, Bangladesh	Inclusive business model design and implementation applying contribution analysis framework and Theory of Change matrix	Lead technical team on inclusive business models around agricultural value chain project led by women entrepreneurs through contribution analysis within results-based management to assess the contribution of value chain interventions.
April 2016 to September 2018	Dhaka, Bangladesh	IFAD Bangladesh	Farmers training and capacity development training with inclusive practices	Develop training modules, pictorial flipcharts, disease prevention model framework in coordination with public and private sectors for inclusive rural entrepreneurship development and market linkage activities.
January 2022 to December 2024	16 districts of Bangladesh	ACDI/VOCA, Bangladesh	Terms of reference preparation for Intern students of faculty of veterinary sciences and faculty of food sciences intern graduates	Develop TOR for Graduating students of 4 agricultural university in Bangladesh to develop DAY One skills for Veterinarians.
August 2010 to September 2010	Natore	Care Bangladesh	Conduction of Baseline study on strengthening Dairy Value Chain systems	Gain practical hands on experience on baseline study on strengthening dairy value chain systems of Bangladesh through one to one interview, FGD and KII interviews of Lead dairy farmers.