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Academic Profile

Dr. Habibur Rahman Laskar, also known as **Dr. Habib Ratvi**, is a distinguished academic and finance professional with a **remarkable career spanning over two decades**. Dr. Habib's professional journey is supported by a diverse education, including a Ph.D. in Business Administration specializing in Entrepreneurship, a first-class MBA in Finance & Information Technology, and a first-class Bachelor of Commerce in Accounting and Management.

He initially joined the Department of Business Administration at Assam University, Silchar, as an Assistant Professor in November 2008 and was promoted to Senior Assistant Professor in 2014, a position he currently holds. His dedicated service and scholarly contributions have set him on a clear path to further distinction, with his promotion to **Associate Professor** due in 2022 and his full Professorship in 2025.

Dr. Habib's extensive **22-year career** includes an impressive **17 years dedicated to teaching** a diverse range of students, including **BSc. Accounting & Finance, BBA, MBA, Executive MBA, and PhD Scholars**. These 17 years consist of 14 years at Assam University in India and 3 years at Albaha University in Saudi Arabia. Prior to joining academia, he gained **5 years of Industry Experience** as an **Accounts & Finance Executive**, working with Multinational Corporations in **India and abroad**. During this tenure of industrial experience, he had the opportunity to scrutinize accounting ledgers and balance sheets, participate in

internal audits and controls, manage inventory, track and monitor insurance policies, manage a portfolio of investments, and prepare budgets, cash flow statements, and project feasibility studies.

During his academic tenure, he was fortunate to teach different courses such as Principles of Accounting, Management Accounting & Control, Financial Reporting (IFRS), Intermediate Accounting/Company Accounting, Cost Accounting, Government Accounting, Accounting Information System, Financial Information System, Zakat & Taxation, Financial Markets & Institutions, Corporate Financial Decisions, Working Capital Management, Entrepreneurship & Small Business Management, Creativity and Innovation Management, International Business Environment, Management Principles & Practices, Business Communication & Business English, Research and Publication Ethics, and Research Methodology.

As a prolific researcher, Dr. Habib has significantly enriched his fields of study. He has published **43 research articles** in national, international, **peer-reviewed** and **Scopus-indexed journals**. His scholarly work also includes **2 academic books, 9 edited books** by international publishers, **7 book chapters, and 5 articles** in conference proceedings. Beyond his publications, he has **presented research papers at 22 national and international conferences**, and acted as a **Resource Person, Keynote Speaker, Session Chair, Co-Chair at 44 national and international seminars, workshops** across five different countries-India, Bangladesh, Libya, Turkey, and Kazakhstan.

Dr. Habib is a passionate and committed mentor, dedicated to shaping the next generation of academic leaders. He has **successfully guided three 3 Ph.D. scholars** to the completion of their degrees; 3 scholars migrated to other universities and another 4 scholars currently under his supervision. On the graduate level, he **has supervised 51 MBA final-year dissertations**. He is proficient at utilizing a diverse range of data analysis and presentation software, including IBM SPSS, IBM AMOS, Smart PLS, EViews, and Tableau, in his teaching and research. He is also well-versed in educational and financial platforms like **Blackboard (LMS)** and **Tally ERP**.

Over the years, he has delivered **more than 100 invited lectures** covering a wide range of subjects, from **accounting, finance, taxation, and entrepreneurship to cutting-edge topics like neurofinance, neuromarketing, neural behaviour, and decision-making**. The

proficiency of six languages—**English, Hindi, Bengali, Assamese, Urdu, and Arabic**—enables Dr. Habib to communicate with a diverse group of students, making him a truly global professor.

His leadership skills are evident in his involvement in **organizing 39 workshops, seminars, and extracurricular events** as a coordinator, joint coordinator, or member. He also plays an important role in institutional development, actively contributing to **Internal Quality Assurance, Academic Audit, AACSB Accreditation, NAAC Accreditation, and NIRF rankings**.

His practical expertise is formally recognized, as he was an empaneled Resource Person for Financial Education with the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), and he holds **two registered patents** with the **Controller General of Patents, Designs & Trade Marks, Government of India**. He is also a member of seven professional bodies, including the **Indian Finance Association**, the American Finance Association, and the **British Accounting and Finance Association**, demonstrating his commitment to the broader academic community.