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Home, Work, or Me time? Temporal Agency, Gendered Timescapes, and Academic Life in the Urban Global South.

**Time: 14:00 - 15:30 (UK Time**)

### Online seminar

Temporality remains unexamined when exploring higher education in the Global South. Less is known about how temporality influences gendered academic life in rapidly developing higher education systems in South Asia, such as Bangladesh. Our study on Bangladeshi faculty illuminates the inter-relationships between temporality, gender, work experiences, and daily life in a Global South urban context. Drawing on a larger study of temporality and academic life among 22 faculty in Dhaka, Bangladesh, we highlight how six female faculty engaged in temporal agency as they navigated their gendered timescapes by negotiating various expectations acting as temporal forces, such as work, home, and/or me time.



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### **Presenters:**



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Riyad A. Shahjahan is an Associate Professor of Higher, Adult, and Lifelong Education (HALE) at Michigan State University. He is also a core faculty member of Muslim Studies, Chicano/Latino Studies, Asian Studies Center, and Center for Advanced Study of International Development. His areas of research interests are in the globalization of higher education, temporality and embodiment in higher education, cultural studies, and de/anti/postcolonial theory.



#### Naseeb K. Bhangal, Doctoral Student, Higher, Adult, and Lifelong Education (HALE), Michigan State University

Naseeb K. Bhangal is a graduate student in the Higher, Adult, and Lifelong Education program at Michigan State University. Her interests primarily include Womxn of Color feminisms, political solidarity in postsecondary education, and the activities of intercultural, identity-based campus centers.



#### Tasnim A. Ema, Undergraduate Student, Department of Anthropology, University of Dhaka, Bangladesh

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