


## Bio- Data

### Firdausi Qadri, PhD

Position/ Title: Senior Scientist & Head Mucosal Immunology & Vaccinology Unit, Infectious Diseases Division icddr,b  Chairmen, ideSHi	Date of Birth: 31 <sup>st</sup> March 1951  Town and country of birth: Dhaka, Bangladesh	
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DEGREES OBTAINED	Year obtained	Awarding Institution
B Sc Honours in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology Placed /1 <sup>st</sup> class 1st	1975	University of Dhaka, Bangladesh
Masters in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology Placed /1 <sup>st</sup> class 1st	1977	University of Dhaka, Bangladesh
PhD in Biochemistry/Immunology	1980	University of Liverpool, U.K
Postdoctoral	1986-1988	icddr,b, Bangladesh
PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS	FROM- To	EMPLOYING INSTITUTION
Assistant & Associate Professor	1981-1988	Department of Biochemistry, University of Dhaka
Associate Scientist	1988-1993	Immunology Section, Laboratory Sciences Division, icddr,b
Scientist, and Head Immunology Section	1993-1995	Laboratory Sciences Division, icddr,b
International Scientist, icddr,b, promoted to P-5 level based on achievements in 2008	2002-	Laboratory Sciences Division, icddr,b
Director	2011-2015	Centre for Vaccine Sciences, icddr,b
Senior Director	2015-2018	Infectious Diseases Division, icddr,b
Senior Scientist & Head, MIVU	2018	Infectious Diseases Division, icddr,b
Awards:		
2006	Gold Medal for outstanding research in Biological Sciences for 2006 by the Bangladesh Academy of Science	
2011	Moselio Schaechter Award for scientific achievement by the American Society for Microbiology (ASM)	
2012	Christophe & Rodolphe Mérieux Foundation Prize, French Academy of Sciences	

2013	Prof. C.N.R. Rao Prize for contribution to scientific research from TWAS
2013	Anannya Top Ten Awards 2013 - the Anannya Top Ten awards to individuals women for significant contributions to the development in specific sector
2018	Kazi Mahbubullah Award 2018
2019	Rtv Joya Alokito Nari, 2019
2019	GNOBB Awards – 2019 for Outstanding Bangladeshi Scientists Working in Bangladesh
2020	L'Oréal - UNESCO International Awards 2020 - <i>For Women in Science</i> Laureate for Asia - Pacific.
2020	Bill Gates's Heroes in the Field: Dr. Firdausi Qadri
<b>Honors:</b>	
2006	Fellow, Infectious Diseases Society of America (FIDSA), USA
2010	Fellow of the Bangladesh Academy of Sciences (BAS)
2012-	ASM Country Ambassador for Bangladesh
2012	Elected Fellow of the Academy of Developing world (TWAS)
2014	Fellow of American Academy of Microbiology
2014-	Member of the UN Secretary-General's High-level Panel on Technology Bank for the Least Developed Countries (LDCs)
2015	Adjunct Professor, Bangladesh University of Health Sciences