

Muhammad Abdul Khalique

Personal Information

Date of birth : 01.03.1991
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Education

2021 - 2024 *Doctoral Programme (Dissertation)*
Faculty of law and political sciences, University of Szeged, Hungary
Research field: International investment law
Supervisors: Prof. Dr. Nagy Csongor István, Dr. Víg Zoltán, Dr. Gábor Hajdu
Status: PhD candidate

2019 - 2021 *Doctoral Programme (comprehensive exam and coursework)*
Faculty of law and political sciences, University of Szeged, Hungary
Courses: Comparative competition law and policy, Free trade and local public interest in international trade, Quality of rulemaking and regulation. Social and legal research, Comparative law, writing a paper.

2017 - 2019 *Master of law in International Law (with thesis)*
Xiamen University Law school, Xiamen University, Xiamen, China
Courses: International tax treaty law, WTO law, International investment treaty: theory and practice, The international monetary and financial law.
Thesis Supervisor: Fang Dong, Associate Professor of International Law

2013 - 2014 *Master of Laws (LL.M.)*
Faculty of Law, University of Dhaka, Dhaka, Bangladesh
International humanitarian law, human rights, comparative constitutional law

2008 - 2013 *Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.)*
Faculty of Law, University of Dhaka, Dhaka, Bangladesh
Public int. law, Business law, company law, jurisprudence, law of contract.

2006-2008 *Alim Examination (HSC or equivalent)*
Bangladesh Madrasah Education Board
Tamirul Millat Kamil Madrasah, Tongi Branch, Gazipur
Group: General

2004-2006 *Dakhil Examination (SSC or equivalent)*
Bangladesh Madrasah Education Board
Alhera Jameya Islamia Dakhil Madrasah
Group: General

Summer School

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| 2023 | <i>EUGLOH International Summer School of Law</i>
19 th June 2023 – 23 rd June 2023
Hosted by Université Paris-Saclay |
| 2018 | <i>Summer School of the Xiamen Academy of International Law</i>
9 th July 2018 – 27 th July 2018
Xiamen, China
International environmental law, WHO law, law of the sea, int. heritage law |

Training

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| 2020 | <i>EUGLOH A3C – Ageing, Climate change and Citizenship</i>
15 th July 2020 – 17 th July 2020
Organized by University of Porto, Portugal |
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Online Courses

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| 2015 | <i>Understanding the Origins of Crime</i>
Offered by Griffith University, Australia
Completion: 10 th March, 2015 |
| 2015 | <i>Sociology</i>
Offered by University of Western Sydney
Completion: 10 th March, 2015 |

Honors and Awards

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| 2019 | Awarded Stipendium Hungaricum Scholarship to study PhD in law in University of Szeged, Hungary. |
| 2017 | Awarded Chinese Government Scholarship 2017 to study master's in international law in Xiamen University, China. |

University Admission Test Achievement

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| 2008-09 | Secured 2 nd position in the Kha-unit (Humanities, Law and Social Sciences) admission test of University of Dhaka. |
| 2008-09 | Secured 2 nd position in the Kha-unit (Humanities, Law and Social Sciences) admission test of Jagannath University. |

Journal and Conference Papers

1. Khalique, Muhammad Abdul, “The WTO Regime: Critical Analyses of Existing Hegemony and Rule-making.” *Public Goods & Governance*, Volume 9, Issue 2, 2024 (forthcoming). Link: <https://t.ly/a1KCL>
2. Khalique, Muhammad Abdul, “Evaluating the evolution of international investment law.” *Jog-Állam-Politika*, Volume 16, Issue 4, 2024. Link: <https://jap.sze.hu/evaluating-the-evolution-of-international-investment-law>
3. Khalique, Muhammad Abdul. “Identifying Problems of International Investment Law (IIL) and Evaluating the Focus of Reform Initiatives.” *Acta Humana–Emberi Jogi Közlemények*, Volume 12, Issue 2, 2024: 105-121. Link: <https://folyoirat.ludovika.hu/index.php/actahumana/article/view/7238>
4. Khalique, Muhammad Abdul, “Analyses of the European Union and its member states’ proposals on reforming the ISDS system under the UNCITRAL working group III” in *Green and Digital Transitions: Global Insights into Sustainable Solutions* (80-96) edited by Marianna Sávai, Szeged, 2024. Link: [10.14232/gtk.gdtgiss.2024.5](https://doi.org/10.14232/gtk.gdtgiss.2024.5)
5. Khalique, Muhammad Abdul, “The critique of reform proposals for ISDS: solutions to existing and future problems” in *Challenges of international trade and investment in the 21st century* (64-82) edited by Vig Zoltan, Ankara, Chişinău, Szeged, 2022. ISBN 978-963-306-898-4. Link: <https://acta.bibl.u-szeged.hu/77592/>

Thesis or Dissertation

1. Khalique, Muhammad Abdul (2024), “*Dispute Settlement Systems of International Investment Law: Analyses of the Systems and Reform Proposals*” (PhD dissertation). Supervisors: Prof. Dr. Csongor István Nagy, Dr. Zoltán Víg, Dr. Gábor Hajdu. University of Szeged, Hungary.
2. Khalique, Muhammad Abdul (2019), “*Rule-making under WTO regime: Analyses of Existing Hegemony*” (Master’s thesis). Supervisor: Fang Dong. Xiamen University, China.

Conference Presentations

1. Presentation on “Human Rights in International Investment Law” in the conference of *Rights and Freedoms to be Protected in Post-Modern Society*, jointly organized by Faculty of Law, Ivan Franko National University of Lviv (Ukraine); Faculty of Law, University of Oradea (Romania); Institute of Legal Studies, University of Rzeszow (Poland). Held on 15 December 2023.
2. Presentation on “The Protection of Foreign Investment in Times of Armed Conflict” in the conference of *Crossing Lines – Or the Significance of Borders*, jointly organized by European Public Law Organization (EPLO) and International and Regional Studies Institute (IRSI). Held on 09 June 2023.
3. Presentation on “The Appointment and Diversification of Members of the Multilateral Investment Court or Tribunal: a Comparative Analysis” in the conference of *Application of the Comparative Method in Law and Political Sciences for PhD Students*, organized by Doctoral School of Law and Political Sciences, University of Szeged. Held on 2nd June 2023.
4. Presentation on “Analyses of the European Union and its Member States’ Proposals on Reforming ISDS

System under the UNCITRAL Working Group III” in the conference of *Decades of Crises: From Competitiveness to Resilience- via the Bumpy Road of Sustainability*, the 5th Conference in Cooperation with the European Association of Comparative Economic Studies, organized by Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, University of Szeged. Held on 14-15th April 2023.

5. Presentation on “The Lessons for Multilateral Investment Court or Tribunal from the WTO Dispute Settlement System” in the conference of *The Law of the Future - The Future of Law*, organized by Faculty of Law, Pan-European University, Slovakia. Held on 31st March 2023.
6. Presentation on “Evolution of the International Investment Law: Lessons for the Developing States” in the conference of *Via Scientiae Iuris*, organized by Ferenc Deák Doctoral School of Law, University of Miskolc. Held on 24th February 2023.
7. Presentation on “The Critique of Reform Proposals for ISDS: Key Solutions for Existing and Future Problems” in the conference of *Challenges of International Trade and Investment in 21st Century*, jointly organized by the Department of Private International Law and Department of Commercial Law, Faculty of Law, Ankara Yıldırım Beyazıt University; the Department of Private International Law, Faculty of Law, University of Szeged; and the Doctoral School of Legal Sciences, State University of Moldova. Held on 30th June 2022.
8. Presentation on “Multilateral Investment Court (MIC): The Key Features Proposed under the UNCITRAL Working Group III” in the conference of *XVII: Debrecen PhD Conference*, organized by Faculty of Law, University of Debrecen. Held on 27th May 2022.
9. Presentation on “Necessary Characteristics for the Multilateral Investment Court (MIC) and Lacking in the UNCITRAL Reform Process” in the conference of *Fourth Annual IRSI Head Szeged Conference on International Affairs*, organized by International and Regional Studies Institute (IRSI). Held on 4th March 2022.
10. Presentation on “Reforming the Investor-State Dispute Settlement System: Lessons from the WTO Dispute Settlement System” in the conference of *The Law of the Future - The Future of Law*, organized by Faculty of law, Masaryk University, Brno, Czech Republic. Held on 16th December 2021.
11. Presentation on “Reforming the Investor-State Dispute Settlement System: Lessons from the WTO Dispute Settlement System” in the conference of *A Jog Tudománya, a Mindennapok Joga VII*, organized by Praetor College for Advanced Studies, Faculty of Law, University of Debrecen. Held on 25th November 2021.
12. Presentation on “The Reform of Investor-state Dispute Settlement Mechanism: Challenges and Trends of the Present and Future” in the conference of *COFOLA INTERNATIONAL 2021*, organized by Faculty of law, Masaryk University, Brno, Czech Republic. Held on 23rd April 2021.
13. Presentation on “Can the Recent Reform Proposals Solve the Objections Raised by WTO Member States” in the conference of *National Conference of Doctoral Students in Law*, organized by Deák Ferenc Állam- És Jogtudományi Doktori Iskola, University of Miskolc. Held on 11th December 2020.
14. Presentation on “The Importance of Rule-making System in the WTO: Lacking in the Ongoing Reform Proposals” in the conference of *A jogtudomány sajátossága (The Peculiarity of Jurisprudence)*, organized by Postgraduate Doctoral School of Law and Political Sciences, Széchenyi István University. Held on 4th December 2020.
15. Presentation on “Critical Analyses of the WTO Dispute Settlement and Disadvantages of the Developing Countries in the DSS” in the conference of *DOKTORANDUSZOK FÓRUMA*, organized by Deák Ferenc

Doctoral School of Law, University of Miskolc. Held on 19th November 2020.

16. Presentation on “The Importance of Virtual Hearing under ICSID: Will it Reduce Costs and Increase Acceptance of its Arbitration Mechanism?” in the conference of *LegalTech in the Era of Covid 19*, jointly organized by Faculty of Law, University of Szeged; the Department of Statistics and Demography, University of Szeged; KPMG Legal Tóásó Law Office; Wolters Kluwer Hungary Kft.; MONTANA Knowledge Management Ltd.; the Legal Informatics Society and the Hungarian Statistical Society. Held on 3rd December 2020.
17. Presentation on “Safeguarding Foreign Investments during a Pandemic: Could Emergency Measures Give Rise to Successful Investment Claims?” in the conference of *Legaltech in the Era of Covid 19*, jointly organized by Faculty of Law, University of Szeged; the Department of Statistics and Demography, University of Szeged; KPMG Legal Tóásó Law Office; Wolters Kluwer Hungary Kft.; MONTANA Knowledge Management Ltd.; the Legal Informatics Society and the Hungarian Statistical Society. Held on 10th October 2020.
18. Presentation on “Rule-making under the WTO: Critical Analyses of Existing Hegemony” in the conference of *Fourth Annual IRSI Head Szeged Conference on International Affairs*, organized by International and Regional Studies Institute (IRSI). Held on 14th February 2020.
19. Presentation on “Disciplinary system of the judiciary in Bangladesh: how does it affect the independence of the judiciary?” in *the First Conference on Comparative Law Methodology*. Organized by Institute of Comparative Law and Legal Theory, University of Szeged, Hungary. Held on 13th December 2019.
20. Participation in the conference of “*International Legal Order for Investment: What the BRICS Can Play?*” Held on 6-8th November 2018, place: Xiamen, China.

Taught Undergraduate Courses

- 2025 Company, Banking, and Securities Laws
 Law of Specific Relief
 Equity, Trust, and Specific Relief
 Land Law II
 Law of Public Demands Recovery

References

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- Dr. Vig Zoltan, Assistant Professor, University of Szeged; email: vigz@juris.u-szeged.hu
- Fang Dong, Associate Professor, Xiamen University; email: fangdong@xmu.edu.cn
- Md. Ariful Islam, Assistant Professor, University of Dhaka; email: ariful@du.ac.bd