Research on Philanthropy

1. DIASPORA PHILANTHROPY IN BANGLADESH
2. Individual and Corporate Giving in Bangladesh: Key Challenges in Promoting the Enabling Environment by Ahmed Kamal in collaboration with Asia-Pacific Philanthropy Consortium, Manila
3. Corporate Social Responsibility: An Assessment of the Situation in Bangladesh by Syed Tamjid ur Rahman in collaboration with Action-Aid Bangladesh

Three studies on philanthropy and three documentaries have been completed under the PRI program. A fourth study, documenting a number of philanthropic initiatives around the country, is expected to be completed by December 2007.

FOWSIA Research Fellowships

The Bangladesh Freedom Foundation provided support for research on local culture, development and human rights issues under the Forum on Women in Security and International Affairs (FOWSIA) project funded by the Ford Foundation. Fellows were selected on a competitive basis in two categories: Young Professional Fellowships and Senior Professional Fellowships. Duration of the Fellowships ranged between six to nine months. List of FOWSIA publications:

1. Bangladesh Adibashi Nirapotta. (Fowsia dialogue series)

2. Security of the Marginalized women: the Bangladesh context. By Selina Hossain
3. Neither Freedom Nor choice: a study of wife abuse in rural Bangladesh. By M. A. Mannan
4. The dispensation of fatwa and women’s progress in Bangladesh. By Dalia Ahmed
5. Bangladesh Nari Nirapatta O Dormo: Islam, Hindo, Khristan, and Buddo. (Fowsia dialogue series)
6. Women, Bangladesh and International security: methods, discourses and policies. Edited by
7. Sexual harassment of Bangladeshi Women at Workplace. By Dilara Chowdhury
10. The Tragedy of Errors Women Contribution to Poverty Alleviation and Their Security Under Environmental Stress. By Shaheen Afroze
14. Gender and nationalism: Reconstructing Women’s Role in the Liberation War of Bangladesh. By Abantee Harun
15. Nationalism and Ethnicity, Towards The Security of the Manipuri Women of Sylhet. By Nayeem Sultana
| 16 | Dhakai Cholochitro: Nari Pordar Vator O Bairya. Shaikh Mahmuda Sultana |
| 17 | Bangladesha Nari Nirzatan and Aingota Kathamo: Ain proyagkari Protishthansomohar Bhumikha. |
| 18 | Parbat Chottagramer Bangali Settlementar Folya Marmader modya Lingio Vinnkar Punargathan. By Kabita Chakma |
| 19 | Security and Empowerment: The Case of Left Behind Wives of Bangladeshi Migrant workers. By Asma Akter Jahan |
| 20 | The Family Courts of Bangladesh: An Appraisal of Rajshahi Sadar Family court and The Gender Issues. By Begum Asma Siddiqua |
| 21 | Gender and Human Rights Violation in Chittagomg Hill Tracts: the post Accord Situation. By Sadeka Halim, Susmita Chakma & Rajib Chakma |
| 22 | The Birth of Minority State, Society and the Hindu Women of Bangladesh. By Imtiaz Ahmed & Amena Mohshin |