

## **BRAC Internship Description**

**Programme/Enterprise:** BRAC Climate Change

**Project/Unit:** SPA - Agriculture

**Duration:** 4 months

**Application Deadline:** 1 August 2022

**Starting Date:** 15 August

**Location:** 12th Floor, BRAC Head Office, Dhaka 1212

**Working Hours:** 8.30am - 5.00pm, (Sunday – Thursday)

**Monthly Stipend:** BDT 5,000

### **Programme/Enterprise Description**

BRAC Climate Change Programme addresses the impacts of climate change in Bangladesh, while practicing adaptation and mitigation measures through various development initiatives. The programme works to protect resources, improve the quality of life, and simultaneously build environmental awareness across climate vulnerable rural and urban communities.

### **Project/Unit Description**

Being one of the most climate-vulnerable countries globally, Bangladesh committed to reducing its 5-15% greenhouse gas emissions by 2030 under the Paris Agreement. Emphasising the critical role of forestation, the Climate Change Programme (CCP) of BRAC promoted plantation following a participatory approach by distributing tree saplings and creating green plots in the climate-vulnerable areas. The plantation is a dynamic way of carbon offsetting.

*Amar Bon (My forest)* is a community-based plantation approach by creating individual green plots with 20 years of agreement between the landowner and CCP, BRAC.

- The landowners are supported with sufficient saplings/ seeds for developing three layers of forest consisting of timber saplings, fruit saplings, and medicinal saplings.
- The landholders retain ownership of the trees and their products.
- By and large, Amar Bon approach contributes to both mitigating a significant number of carbon and adaption co-benefits.

### **Purpose of Internship** (including learning outcomes)

Learn about the processes of Amar Bon model and identify the prospects of Amar Bon model at climate vulnerable areas.

### **Intern's Responsibilities**

- Support to the overall report writing of this project
- Assist to design and prepare communication materials to be published under the project
- Develop case stories of the returnees who got assistance under this project
- Any other work assigned by the supervisor

## **Requirements**

### **a) Educational Background**

- Level: Bachelor's / Master's degree
- Subject: Agriculture / Agriculture economics / Agriculture Engineering from any reputed University.

### **b) Language Proficiency**

Bangla

- Spoken: Fluent
- Written: Advanced

English

- Spoken: Fluent
- Written: Advanced

### **c) Knowledge/Skills/Competencies:**

- IT skills (Advanced MS Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Adobe Photoshop and Adobe illustrator)
- Familiarity with Google Docs and Google Drive
- Communication skills
- Analytical skills

### **d) Work/Volunteering Experience:**

Experience in photo editing, video editing, reporting, overall documentation and photography.