

# Professional Profile of Ms. Parvin Sultana

Name: Parvin Sultana

Date of Birth: January 1, 1971

Nationality: Bangladeshi

Field: Agricultural Science, Agribusiness Development & Social Entrepreneurship

## Professional Summary

Ms. Parvin Sultana is an accomplished agricultural professional and woman entrepreneur with more than 25 years of experience in agribusiness, agricultural innovation, food security, and community development in Bangladesh. She holds a Bachelor's degree in Agriculture from Bangladesh Agricultural University, one of the nation's most prestigious agricultural institutions.

Her professional journey began at ACI Ltd, a leading agribusiness organization in Bangladesh, where she worked as a Product Officer. During her tenure, she played a pivotal role in the introduction and expansion of hybrid rice technology in Bangladesh, conducting comparative studies between hybrid and local rice varieties. She also contributed to the development and execution of pesticide marketing strategies, action plans, and product promotion campaigns, helping farmers adopt modern agricultural solutions that improved yield and sustainability.

Building on her success and expertise, Ms. Sultana founded Speed Care Ltd, an agricultural enterprise that has been operating successfully for over 25 years. The company imports and markets livestock vaccines and related agricultural products across Bangladesh. Under her leadership, Speed Care Ltd has become a trusted name in the livestock health and agribusiness sector, playing a vital role in promoting animal health, sustainable farming, and food security.

## **Key Contributions and Impact**

- **Agricultural Innovation & Food Security:**  
Introduced and promoted hybrid rice technology that significantly increased productivity and supported Bangladesh's national food security goals.
- **Entrepreneurship & Economic Growth:**  
Established and led a successful agribusiness, generating employment and supporting the country's agricultural economy.
- **Women's Empowerment in Agriculture:**  
Trained and mentored rural women in farming and agribusiness, helping them become independent entrepreneurs through small-scale income-generating activities.
- **Sustainable Farming & Livestock Development:**  
Promoted responsible pesticide use, livestock vaccination, and sustainable farming practices in alignment with environmental safety and food quality standards.

## **Community Leadership and Voluntary Service**

Beyond her professional endeavors, Ms. Sultana has been actively involved with Rotary International Bangladesh, a global voluntary organization dedicated to humanitarian service.

She has served as a Rotary Club President, leading and participating in numerous community service initiatives, including:

- **Women's Empowerment Projects:** Distribution of sewing machines to women to help them establish small-scale income-generating businesses.
- **Environmental Sustainability Projects:** Organized green initiatives to promote tree planting and environmental awareness.
- **Health & Medical Outreach:** Coordinated medical camps to provide healthcare access to underprivileged communities.
- **Child Development Initiatives:** Implemented projects supporting children with special needs, fostering inclusion and education.

Through her Rotary work, Ms. Sultana has demonstrated long-standing commitment to social welfare, women's empowerment, and community development, reflecting leadership that extends well beyond her business career.

### **Vision and Commitment**

Ms. Sultana's lifelong mission is to advance agricultural innovation, women's entrepreneurship, and rural development while promoting food security and sustainability. Her career unites scientific knowledge, business acumen, and humanitarian service directly supporting U.S. national interests in global food security, sustainable agriculture, and empowerment of women in agribusiness.

She aspires to collaborate internationally to share her expertise, develop innovative agricultural models, and contribute to research and policy that enhance food systems and rural livelihoods.

### **Summary of Qualifications**

- Bachelor's Degree in Agriculture, Bangladesh Agricultural University
- Over 25 years of leadership in agribusiness and agricultural innovation
- Founder & Managing Director, Speed Care Ltd (Livestock vaccine import & marketing)
- Former Product Officer, ACI Ltd (Hybrid rice introduction & pesticide marketing)
- Past Club President, Rotary International Bangladesh — extensive social service leadership
- Proven contributions to food security, sustainable farming, and women's empowerment

