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Dr Maha Hosain Aziz is a professor and author in the MA International Relations Program at New York University's Graduate School of Arts & Sciences specialising in global risk and prediction, which she also teaches at various e-learning startups; she is a risk expert in the 2021 Global Future Council at the World Economic Forum.

Her five-time award-winning first book, *Future World Order* (2019/2020), on global risk has been called a "must-read" (Dr Ian Bremmer, Kishore Mahbubani) written by a "global thinker to watch" (Dr Nouriel Roubini) and an "engaged scholar activist" (Dr Parag Khanna). Her second book *A Global Spring* launches in Sept with 50% of profits going to the WHO's Solidarity Response Fund; she is also launching the VR/AR comic sequel to her six-time award-winning debut political comic book for tweens, *The Global Kid* (2016), in partnership with award-winning edtech startup Musemio.

She is a former *Businessweek* columnist and *Huffington Post* blogger who also contributes to *Medium*. And on occasion she still consults on political risk with governments via *Wikistrat*, the world's first geopolitical crowdsourced consultancy, and other networks.

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