**Mohammad Ismail Rahimi, Administrative Deputy Minister of the Ministry of Finance**

Mohammad Ismail Rahimi, son of Mohammad Rahim, was born in the year 1355 in Kabul. He graduated from Habibia High School, and went on to study medicine at Balkh Medical School. Later, he got a master’s degree in Economic Policy from Williams College in the United States, and an MBA from the Maryam Rashid Khan University in Kabul.

He has worked with Youth and Children Development Program as a regional manager from 1380 to 1383. Also, he has worked as a Reporting and Information Officer, and later was responsible for the saving and investing programs of UN-Habitat’s regional office.

Further, he was Sectorial Coordinator for the Afghanistan National Development Strategy at the Economy Advisory of the Office of President in 1386. Later in 1388, he served as the General Director of Policy and Monitoring ANDS at the Ministry of Economy. After five years, he was appointed as Technical Deputy Minister at the Ministry of Economy.

He is fluent in Dari, Pashto, and English. Additionally, he has received first grade letter of appreciation from the President for his commitment and initiatives at his work.

Over the years, he has had the following publications:

* Current Global Crisis and Developing Countries’ Response
* Government’s Effectiveness and Intervention in Social Immunity
* Social Immunity Network Method Based on Community (National Solidarity Program and Social Immunity)
* Operational Success and Limitations of National Solidarity Program
* Social Immunity and Sustainable Development

Meanwhile, Mr. Rahimi is a member of Malaysian Evaluation Society, and several other regional and international monitoring and evaluation organizations.