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Qualification: PhD (Sociology), Leipzig University, Germany
Post-Doctorate, University of Warsaw, Poland
M.A Sociology, University of the Punjab Lahore, Pakistan

Research Interests: Sociology of development, peace and conflict, family, youth and marriage, political sociology, criminology, research methods, environmental sociology

Job Experience:

- 1. In-Charge Department of Sociology (January 2014 to date) and Assistant Professor, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan** (March, 2012 to date).
- 2. Visiting Teacher** University of Bielefeld, Germany (Since April, 2010).
- 3. Post-Doctoral Fellow & Teacher, European Center for Penological Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland** (September, 2010 to March, 2011).
- 4. Researcher & Teacher, Leipzig University** 2005 to 2011).
- 5. Visiting Lecturer, Central Jail Staff Training Institute (CJSTI) Lahore,** (2003-2004).
- 6. Project Officer/ Researcher, WWF-Pakistan** (2004-2005).

Professional Trainer:

1. **Juvenile Justice System in Pakistan** (Central Jail Staff Training Institute, Lahore and Organized by SPARC, Lahore) in March 2003
2. **Social Issues** (SAHE, Lahore) Jan-Feb, 2003.
3. **Child Labor in Pakistan** (Organized by SPARC, Lahore) in August 2003.
4. **Interpersonal Communication** (Organized by DAMEN Lahore) in 2012.

PUBLICATIONS:

(I). BOOK

Zaman, Muhammad. 2011. *Exchange Marriages in South Punjab, Pakistan: A Sociological Analysis of Kinship Structure, Agency, and Symbolic Culture*. Frankfurt (M)/ Berlin: Peter Lang Publisher.

(II). CHAPTERS IN BOOKS

1. Zaman, Muhammad and Monika Wohlrab-Sahr.2010. Obstructed individualization and social anomie: Marriage relations in rural Pakistan and their relevance for an empirically grounded theory of individualization conflicts. Pp 155-176 in *Individualisierungen. Ein Vierteljahrhundert „jenseits von Stand und Klasse“*. Edited by Berger, Peter A./Hitzler, Ronald. Wiesbaden: *Springer*.
2. Zaman, Muhammad. N. Zaman, Jadwiga Królikowska. 2011. Islamic Concept of Charity and Social Security: Formation of Moral Economy. False Promises of Multi- culturalism. Edited by Jadwiga Królikowska: Warsaw. University of Warsaw.

(III). RESEARCH ARTICLES

1. Zaman, Muhammad. (2014). Exchange Marriages in a Community of Pakistan: Adequate Social Exchange. *The Family Journal (Sage)*. Vol. 22(1):69-77.
2. Zaman, Muhammad, Muhammad Zakria Zakar, Abida Sharif, Imran Sabir, Rubeena Zakar, Muhammad Arif. 2013. Exchange Marriage System, Traditional Gender Role and Obscured Transformation in a Community of Pakistan: Interplay of Structure, Agency and Social Change. *International Journal of Sociology of The Family*. Vol. 39 (1-2). 26-47.
3. Zaman, Muhammad.2013. Exchange Marriage System and Muslim Family Laws in Pakistan. *Pakistan Journal of History and Culture*. Vol. XXXIII (1).
4. Zaman, Muhammad and Imran Sabir. 2013. Youth Violence in Pakistan: The Social Structure and Culture of Violence. *Profilaktyka Społeczna i Resocjalizacja*. Vol. 21: 7-24.

5. Zaman, Muhammad. 2013. Impact of Exchange Marriage on Children in Pakistan: Social Security or Insecurity. *The Qualitative Report*. Vol. 18 (46):1-11.
6. Zaman, Muhammad. 2013. A Micro-dimension of Violent Conflict in Pakistan. *Peace Talk*. Vol. 1:46-48.
7. Zaman, Muhammad. 2011. Social Movements, Conflicts and Rise of Extremism in Pakistan. *Prace Instytutu Profilaktyki Społecznej i Resocjalizacji*. Vol. 1 (17): 154-173. PRACE IPSiR UW. Vol. 17: 155-173.
8. Zaman, Muhammad. 2011. Methodological Gravitism. *The Qualitative Report*. Vol. 16 (6): 1574-1598.
9. Zaman, Muhammad. 2011. A Brief History of Penal Cultures in Pakistan: Interplay of Tradition and Modernity. *Prace Instytutu Profilaktyki Społecznej i Resocjalizacji*. Vol. 2 (18): 7-24.
10. Zaman, Muhammad. 2010. Marriage of Cousins: Congenital Diseases and People's Perception in Pakistan, a Public Health Challenge. *Journal of Public Health Policy*. (Palgrave) Vol. 31(3):381-383.
11. Zaman, Muhammad, Bakht Rawan, Syed Abdul Siraj (co-author). 2008. BBC as a diasporic mass medium or an agent of public diplomacy: Users' perceptions in Pakistan and Germany. *Global Media Journal*. Available online: <http://www.aiou.edu.pk/gmj/artical1.asp>. Reprinted in the *Journal of Political Studies*. Vol. XVII:167-179 (2010)
12. Zaman, Muhammad. 2008. Socio-cultural Security, Emotions and Exchange Marriages in an Agrarian Community. *South Asia Research*. (Sage) Vol. 28(3): 285-298.

(IV). RESEARCH PROJECTS (ON GOING)

1. Role of Scavengers in Environmental Conservation in Islamabad funded by the Higher Education Commission of Pakistan.

(V). CONFERENCES

1. Participation in the "World and Global History" First European Congress held on September 22-25, 2005 in University of Leipzig.
2. A paper: "Socio-cultural security concerns and mate selection in an agrarian community" presented at the "9th European Association for Social Anthropologist (EASA) Conference: on September 18-21, 2006 in Bristol, UK.
3. Participation in "The Nature of Society" Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie (German Sociological Congress) on October 9-13, 2006 in Kassel-Germany.
4. Participation in the conference on "Secularity and religious vitality" on July 23-27, 2007 in University Leipzig.
5. A paper: "Cosmopolitan knowledge and Indigenous Perceptions of Congenital diseases among the Cousin Marriage Practitioners in Kabirwala Community" presented in the "Two Days International Conference on Congenital malformations and inherited disorders in childhood in Pakistan and in the Pakistani communities in Norway, held at the Department of Anthropology Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad on November 12-13, 2007.
6. A paper: "BBCWS, Connectivity and the Pakistani Diaspora" presented in the "International Broadcasting, Public Diplomacy and Cultural Exchange, A conference to

evaluate 75 years of BBC overseas broadcasting” 18-19 December 2007, Brunei Gallery, School of Oriental and African Studies, London. See <http://www.cresc.ac.uk/events/broadcasting/index.html>, Paper available online: http://www.open.ac.uk/socialsciences/diasporas/conference/pdf/bbc_connectivity.pdf.

7. A paper: “Social Exchange system” presented at the Institute of Sociology, University of Jena, Germany on May 21, 2008.
8. A paper: “Domestic Conflict Management” presented in the “Pakistan Workshop 2009” held at The Rook How, The Lake District, UK.
9. Participated in the international conference: “Irena Sendler, Humanism of the heart part II: The remembrance of about Holocaust and the Righteous”, organized on October 22, 2010 at the University of Warsaw, Poland.
10. I was one of the organizers of the International Conference “War and Peace: Social consequences of migration and cultural contact”. Besides this, I presented my paper: Nature of Intercultural Contacts at the Old Library Hall, University of Warsaw, Poland on February 23, 2011.
11. I presented a paper: “Sociology of Human Rights with reference to the Customary Practices in Rural Pakistan: Social Structure of Violence” was presented at “International Conference on Implementing Human Rights: A Way Forward”, held at the Fatima Jinnah Women University, Rawalpindi, Pakistan on March 29-30, 2012.
12. Youth Violence and Penalty. Held on April 24, 2012 at the Bielefeld University, Germany.
13. The Future of Intrasocietal Conflict and Violence Research: An International Outlook. Held on November 19-23, 2012 at the Bielefeld University, Germany.
14. Conflict, Violence and Change in the Middle East. Duisburg University, Germany. Held on June 6-9, 2013.
15. Youth and Penal Culture. Seminar held on July 27-31, 2013 at the Bielefeld University, Germany.
16. Youth, Peaceful Change and Violent Conflict. Held on August 9-12, 2013 at the Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad.

(VI). FELLOWSHIPS/ AWARDS

1. Erasmus Mundus Post-Doctoral Fellowship (2010) at the University of Warsaw, Poland.
2. DAAD Fellowship (2005) at the University of Leipzig, Germany.

(VII). PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION MEMEBERSHIP/ ASSOCIATIONS

1. European Association for Social Anthropologist (EASA) from September, 2006 till today.
2. Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie (German Sociological Society) October, 2006 till today.
3. Aluminai Association Punjab University Sociologists (AAPUS) from April 2007 till today.
4. Aluminai Association University of Leipzig, Since 2009, Germany.