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Academic Qualification

- Post-Doc (2015) University of Birmingham, UK.
- Ph. D (Sociology-2013) UoP, Pakistan cum University of Birmingham, UK.
- M. Phil (Social Anthropology-2007) Quaid-I-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan.
- M.A. (Sociology-2002) University of Peshawar, Pakistan.
- B. A (Honor-1999) University of Peshawar, Pakistan.

Foreign Teaching and Research Experience

- HEC Fellow to the University of Birmingham, UK (2011-2012)
- IRD Fellow to “Muslim Critical Summer School”, Granada Spain (2018)

Present Appointments:

- **Professor of Sociology (BPS-21)**, School of Sociology Quaid-I-Azam University, August 29, 2022...
- **Founding Director School of Sociology** Quaid-I-Azam University, June 2022 To-date

Previous Appointments / Professional Posts

- **(2020-2022) Associate Professor Sociology (BPS-20)** Department of Sociology Quaid-i-Azam University
- **(2016-2019) Associate Professor Sociology (BPS-20)** Department of Sociology International Islamic University (IIU) Islamabad
- **(2014-2015) Assistant Professor Sociology (BPS-19)** Department of Sociology International Islamic University Islamabad
- **(2008-2014) Lecturer Sociology (BPS-18)** Department of Sociology International Islamic University.

- **(2005-2008) Programme Coordinator: (BPS-18)** NEF, Federal Ministry of Education Islamabad.
- **Assistant Director** Basic Education Community School, Federal Ministry of Education with the responsibility of looking at the implementation of the project in KP, AJK and FANA
- **(2002-2005) Assistant Director Coordination (BPS-17)**, PBM, Federal Ministry of Social Welfare and Special Education Islamabad.

Previous Administrative Positions in Universities

- **(2020-2024). Director ORIC**, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad
- **(2020-2020). Director QEC**, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad.
- **(2017-2019). Dy. Dean** Faculty of Social Sciences International Islamic University Islamabad
- **(2016-2019). Chairman** Department of Sociology International Islamic University Islamabad

Books published

- Ullah, Hazir (2018). *Ideologies & Power in the Textbooks: Reproduction of Gender and Class Hierarchies*. Islamabad: IRD Press

Chapter in Books

- Ullah, H. (2024). Juveniles in Detention and their Right to Education in Pakistan. In Shafi, A. (Eds.), *The Palgrave Handbook of Children's Education in Custodial and Youth Justice Settings* (pp. 23-36). Palgrave (forthcoming).

Research Publications in Peer-Reviewed Journals (51)

1. Ullah, R., & Ullah, H. (2025). The Social Web of Influence: Understanding the Contexts Driving Hashish Use among Youth. *Journal of Drug Issues* 0(0) 1-16 ([Sage IF, 1.2](#))
2. Ullah, R., & Ullah, H. (2025). Global Trends in Hashish Use among Youth: An Empirical Review of the Global North and the Global South. *International Journal of Research in Addictions* 11(01) ([IF, 2.62](#))
1. Ullah, H., Ali, R. & Wahid, A. (2024). Grade Inflation in Pakistan Higher Education: Teachers' Perspective. *Journal of Further and Higher Education*, 48(7), 700-713 ([Taylor and Frances](#))
2. Ullah, Ullah & Shoaib (2023). A Cultural Transformation: Pakistani Girls Outperforming Boys in Education, *Qlantic Journal of Social Sciences* 4(3), 173-183.
3. Daraz, U, Ullah, R. & Ullah, H. (2023). Women's Education and Its Impact on their Political Empowerment in Malakand Division Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan, *Human Nature Journal of Social Sciences* 4(2) 94-104.

4. Ullah, H. Shoaib, M., Ali, N. & Ullah, R. (2022). Digital Research Support Services during COVID-19 Pandemic: An Analysis of the Higher Education Institutions, *Journal of Electronic Resources Librarianships*, 34(2) 121-134 ([Routledge-Taylor and Frances](#))
5. Ullah, F. & Ullah, H. (2022). Lived Experiences of Women Academicians in Higher Education Institutions of Azad Jammu and Kashmir, *South Asian Studies*, 37(2) 323-340
6. Ali, R. & Ullah, H. (2021). Experiences of Women Academics during the COVID-19 Pandemic in Pakistan, *Asian Journal of Social Sciences*, 49(3), 145-152 ([Elsevier](#))
7. Ullah, H. & Ali (2021). Impact of COVID-19 Pandemic on the Schooling of Public and Private Schools Students in Pakistan. *Education 3-13* ([Routledge-Taylor and Frances](#)).
8. Shoaib, M. & Ullah, H. (2021). Classroom Environment, Teacher and Girl Students' Learning Skills. *Education and Urban Society*. ([SAGE March 25, 2021](#)).
9. Ullah, R. & Ullah, H. (2021). Teachers' Perspective on Boys' Underperformance in Education in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan. *Journal of Elementary Education*, 14(1), 111-123.
10. Shoaib, M. & Ullah, H. (2021). Teachers' Perspectives on Factors of Female Students' Outperformance and Male Students' Underperformance in Higher Education" *International Journal of Educational Management*, 35(3), 684-699 ([Emerald Publishing](#)).
11. Ullah, H. and Shoaib, M. (2021). Trend of Research Visualization of Sociology of Education from 2001 to 2020: A Bibliometric Analysis. *Library Philosophy and Practice*, 1(1) 1-24.
12. Muneeb, A. Ullah, H. & Aziz, L. (2021). Strangers in Paradise: The Case of Working-Class Students in Elite Universities of Pakistan, *Pakistan Journal of Society, Education and Language*, 7(2) 211-221
13. Ullah, H. & Ullah, R. (2021). Factor Affecting Young Girls Participation in Sports: Narratives from Young Women in Islamabad Pakistan. *The Women-Annual Research Journal of Gender Studies*, 12, 90-103.
14. Ullah, R., Ullah, H. & Ahmed, A. (2021). "Girls' Academic Performance in Science Subjects: Evidences from Industrializing and Least Industrialized Countries. *Journal of Elementary Education*, 30(2) 187-200
15. Safdar, Z. K., Ullah, H., & Amin, H. (2021). Social Protection Programme and Political Participation in Pakistan. *Pakistan Journal of Social Issues*, Volume, XII, 159-170.
16. R. Ullah, H. Ullah & R. Ullah (2020). School Teachers' Perspective on School Education Reforms in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. *Journal of Elementary Education*, 30 (1) 107-119.
17. Ullah, R., Ullah, H., & Bilal, M. (2020). Biological versus Feminists' Perspectives on Girls' Underperformance in STEM Subjects. *Liberal Arts and Social Sciences International Journal*, 4 (1) 10-18.

18. Ullah, H., Ali, J. & Din, S. N. (2019a). Postgraduate Research Supervision: Exploring the Lived Experience of Pakistani Postgraduate Students. *FWU Journal of Social Sciences* 13(01) 14-25.
19. Ullah, R., and Ullah, H. (2019b). Boys versus Girls Educational Performance: Empirical Evidences from Global North and Global South. *African Educational Research Journal*, 7(10), 20-25.
20. Shoaib, M. & Ullah, H. (2019c) Female and Male Students' Educational Performance in Tertiary Education in the Punjab, Pakistan. *Pakistan Journal of Social Issues*, X, 83-100.
21. Ullah, R. & Ullah, H. & Allender, T. (2019d). "Girls Underperforming in Science: Evidences from Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan". *Journal of Elementary Education*, 29(2), 1-14.
22. Ullah, Hazir & Ali, Johar (2018e). Education in Pakistan: The Need for Greater Alignment between Policy and Praxis, *Al-Idah Research Journal SZIC* 36 (02), 1-10.
23. Ullah, Hazir & Ali, Johar (2018d). Schools and Families: Reproduction of Class Hierarchies in Pakistan, *Pakistan Journal of Criminology* 10(03) 91-111
24. Ullah, Hazir, & Khan, N. Ahsan (2018b). The Gendered Classroom: Masculinity and Femininity in Pakistani Universities, *Literacy Information and Computer Education Journal*. 9(1) 2810-2813
25. Ullah, Hazir, Ali, Johar & Ahmed, Bushra. (2018c). Doing Gender: Construction of Young Gender Identities in Pakistan. *Pakistan Journal of Criminology* 10(01) 158-179
26. Raza, Javeria, Ullah, Hazir. & Ali, Johar. (2018f). Reinforcement of Male Hegemony through Female Madaris in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. *Pakistan Journal of Social Issues*, IX, 236-247.
27. Khan, N. H, Ullah, Hazir. & Ahmad, D. Bushra. (2018g). Reproduction of Gender Hierarchies through Television Dramas/Soaps in Pakistan, *Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities*, 26(2), 71-88.
28. Ume Habiba, Ali, Rabia, & Ullah, Hazir (2018a) Women's Lived Experiences of pregnancy and Child Birth: Narratives from Pakistan. *The Qualitative Report*, 23(4) 758-773.
29. Ullah, Hazir, Abdullah, F. & Ahmad, A. (2017) Gender Representation in Mathematics Textbooks in Azad Jammu & Kashmir. *International Journal of Innovation in Teaching and Learning*, 3(2) 1-17.
30. Ullah, Hazir and Skelton, Christine (2016). Social Reproduction of Gender Hierarchies in Sports through Schooling in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, *Asia Pacific Journal of Education*, 36 (1) 131-144. ([Routledge: Taylor & Francis](#))

31. Ullah, Hazir & Haque, Huma. (2016). The Representation of Boys' and Girls' Activities in School Textbooks, *Frontier Women University Journal of Social Sciences*, 10(1) 81-87.
32. Ullah, Hazir, Khan, N.H. Khan, N. A. Ibrahim, A. (2016). Gender Representation in Pakistani Print Media: A Critical Analysis, *Pakistan Journal of Gender Studies*, 12, 53-70.
33. Ullah, Hazir. (2016). Critical Pedagogy in Postgraduate Classroom: Students' Perspectives, *Pakistan Journal of Education*, 33, 29-37
34. Abdullah, F. & Ullah, Hazir (2016) Physical Violence on Women: A Comparative Study of Rural and Urban Areas of Muzaffarabad, Azad Jammu and Kashmir, *Journal of Gender & Social Issues*. 15 (2) 113-125.
35. Ullah, Hazir and Ullah, Rafi (2015) The Threatening Problem of Functional Illiteracy: Revisiting Education, *Journal of Social Sciences Review* 2 (2) 1-14
36. Ullah, Hazir, Khan, N.H (2014) The Objectification of Women in Television Advertisements in Pakistan, *Frontier Women University Journal of Social Sciences*, 8 (2), 26-35
37. Ullah, Hazir (2014). A critical Discourse of Child victimization and Abuse through Labour in Pakistan, *Pakistan Journal of Criminology*, Vol. 6 (1) 123-141
38. (2014) An Ethnographic Analysis of Death and Burial Customs in Kalash Community of Chitral, *Middle-East Journal of Scientific Research*, 21(10) 1936-1946
39. Ullah, Hazir, & Ali, Johar (2014). Gender Representation in Children's Books: A Critical Review of Empirical Studies, *World Applied Sciences Journal*, 29(1) 134-141.
40. (2014) Early Marriage: A Developmental Challenge to Women in Pakhtun Society, *Frontier Women University Journal of Social Sciences*, 8(1) 91-96
41. Ullah, Hazir & Skelton, Christine. (2013). Gender Representation in the Public Sector Schools Textbooks of Pakistan', *Educational Studies*, 39 (2), 183-194 ([Taylor & Francis](#))
42. Ullah, H. and Ali, J. (2013) Power on the Pages of Textbooks: Examining Class Hierarchies, *Middle-East Journal of Scientific Research*, 41(1) 53-62
43. Ullah, Hazir. *et al.* (2013) Political Islam: A Challenge to Islam in the Muslim World, *Middle-East Journal of Scientific Research*, 17 (4): 465-471, 2013
44. (2013) An Anthropological Study of Dress and Adornment Pattern Among Females of Kalash, District Chitral, *Middle-East Journal of Scientific Research*, Vol. 21 (2), 385-395
45. Ullah, Hazir and Ali, J. (2012). Male Hegemony through Education: Construction of Gendered Identities. *Generos*, Vol. 1 (3), 215 231.
46. Ullah, Hazir (2012). Cultural Imperialism through Education in Pakistan and the Loss of National Identity, *Middle-East Journal of Scientific Research* Vol. 12 (2): 215-222, 2012.

47. Ullah, H., Khan. N. H., (2011). "The Reinforcement of Public and Private Domain through Television in Pakistan", *Journal of Gender and Social Issues*, 10 (2) 25-36.
48. Ullah, H., & Khan, A. (2011). "Women Combining Paid Work and Homemaking: The Second Shift". *Frontier Women University Journal of Social Sciences* 5 (2), 129-139
49. Ullah, H., *et al.* (2010). Terrorism: Myth or Reality". *Journal of Law and Society* 40 (55&56) 51-64.
50. Ullah, H. (2007). "Gender and Curriculum: The Patriarchal Hegemony in Contemporary N.W.F.P", *Journal of Gender and Social Issues*, 6 (2) 35-46.
51. Shoab, M. Ullah, Hazir (2020). "Gender Differentials in Academic Performance in Pakistani Higher Education". *International Journal of Educational Management* (forthcoming)

Papers Presented in International Conferences (09)

- Dwindling State Funding and Financial Sustainability of Universities in Pakistan: Challenges and Solution, presented at the 7th *International Higher Education Studies Conference*, [OSTIM Technical University, Ankara Turkey](#), [October 17-19, 2024](#).
- Postgraduate Research Supervision: Exploring the Lived Experience of Postgraduate Students at 2nd *International Conference on innovation in Teaching and Learning*, International Islamic University Islamabad Pakistan, October 17-18, 2018.
- Subject Choice among Young boys and Girls in Pakistan, presented at *International Conference on Peace Education University of Sargodha*, April, 26-27, 2018.
- Gender Power Relationship in Pakistani Universities Classrooms, presented at *The London International Conference on Education*, Cambridge University UK, December, 11-14, 2017.
- Gender Mass Media: Reinforcement of Men's Hegemony through Media Discourses, presented at the *International Conference on Gender, Human Rights & Islam*, Bahauddin Zakariya University Multan, Pakistan, November 23 & 24, 2017.
- Globalization or Cultural Hegemony: The Loss of Local Cultural Identities, presented at the *Second International on Local Cities and Foreign Capitals*, International Islamic University Islamabad Pakistan, October 11, 2017.
- Critical Pedagogy in Postgraduate Classroom: Students' Perspectives, presented at *International Conference on Research and Practices in Education*, Alama Iqbal Open University Islamabad Pakistan, February, 2, 2016.

- Higher Education: Credentials or Skills for Graduate Work and Employability, presented at *International Conference on Innovation in Teaching and Learning* on April 26, 2016.
- School Teaching as a Feminine Profession: The Legitimization and Naturalization Discourses in Pakistani Context, Presented at *14th Education Research Conference, The School of Education University of Birmingham, UK*, November 28, 2015.

Papers Presented in National Conferences (05)

- “The Gendered State: The Myth of Gender Equality Discourses in Pakistan”. Paper presented at the *National Conference on Public Administration and Management*, Fatima Jinnah Women University, and Rawalpindi on October 27, 2016.
- “Crisis in Higher Education: Rethinking Higher Education in Pakistan.” Paper presented at the *National Conference on Teaching Sociology in the Muslim World: Challenges and Remedies* at the *Department of Sociology, University of the Gujrat* on April 22, 2017.
- “Gender Equality in Pakistan: Myth or Reality”. Paper presented at the *First National Gender Studies Conference*, Department of Gender and Women Studies Allama Iqbal Open University, Islamabad on August 9, 2017.
- Migration for Education: Blessing or Curse at the *National Conference on Migration for Development: Challenges and Prospects*, at Department of Sociology International Islamic University Islamabad, Pakistan on April 11, 2019.
- “Gender and Leadership: Women in Academic Leadership in Pakistani Universities” paper presented at the *1st National Conference on Debates in Contemporary Gender Issues* at the University of Management and Technology Lahore, Pakistan on April 25, 2019.

Newspapers’ Articles (11)

- Ullah, Hazir (2024, July 29). Politics and Higher Education. *The Nation*
- Ullah, Hazir (2023, April 28). Women in higher education leadership in Pakistan. *The Nation*.
- Ullah, Hazir (2021, October 18). From Illiteracy to Functional Illiteracy: A Nation at Risk. *The Nation*.
- Ullah, Hazir (2021, October 1). Culture of Grade Obsession: Killing the Purpose of Education. *The Nation*.
- Ullah, Hazir (2020, September 30). Quality in Higher Education: What is wrong? *The Nation*.

- Ullah, Hazir (2020, September 17). Education for All: The Broken Promise. *Pakistan Today*.
- Ullah, Hazir (2020, May 1). COVID-19 and Education: Unequal learning Loss. *The Nation*.
- Ullah, Hazir (2019, September 15). Higher Challenges in Higher Education of Pakistan. *Daily Times*.
- Ullah, Hazir (2018, September 2). Academic Grade Inflation in Pakistan: Sweet Poison. *Pakistan Observers*.
- Ullah, Hazir (2018, April 19). Visiting Faculty Teachers/Professors in Pakistani Universities and the Future of Higher Education. *Pakistan Today* (ii) *Pakistan Observers*
- Ullah, Hazir (2017, May 17 & 18). Feminization of Primary School Teaching in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. *Pakistan Today* (ii) *Business Recorder* (iii) *The Statesman*

Postgraduate Supervision

MS/M. Phil Supervised/Mentored (31)

- Farwa (2024). *Inclusion and Exclusion of Students with Disabilities in the Mainstream Education System*.
- Nabeela Irum (2024). *Sociological Analysis of Falling through the Cracks in Higher Education Pakistan*.
- Danishwar Khan (2024). *Sociological Imagination into Class Room Setting: Student's Lived Experience of Fear and Loathing*.
- Kawish Khalid (2024). *University Students perception of Heatly Life Style and its Impact on Their Studies*
- Zubaida Baloch (2024). *Challenges and Complexities in Graduate Research Supervision: Supervisors' Perspective*.
- Attiya Saleem (2024). *Exploring Campus Deviance in the Framework of Criminological Imagination*.
- Urooj Zahra (2024). *Community Perspective on Tourism and Its Impact on Environment: From Sociological Imagination to Ecological Imagination*
- Memoona Noor (2023). *Sociological Analysis of Academic Trajectory among Undergraduate Students*
- Shah Zaib Hassan Khan (2023). *Solid Waste Management at University Campuses in Pakistan: An Analysis of Policies and Practices*.

- Noor Shahad (2023). *Sociological Analysis of Students' Religiosity in the Higher Education in Pakistan*
- Zarafsha Hameed (2023). *Postgraduate Admission Policies and Practices in Pakistan: Admission Committees' Perspective.*
- Abdul Wahab Hasni (2023). *Exploring Violence Against Children: Disciplining Mechanism Among Families in Balochistan, Pakistan.*
- Faiq Fatima Durani (2022). *Discursive Analysis of Children Representation in Advertisements of Pakistani TV Channels.*
- Usama (2022). *Higher Education and Employability in Pakistan.*
- Kefayat Ullah (2021). *Guardian Decision about their Girls Post-primary education in the Newly Merged Districts of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.*
- Altaf Hussain (2021). *Sociological Analysis of Police Station Culture in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa*
- Abdul Waheed (2020). *Sociological Analysis of Grade Inflation in Pakistan.*
- Luqman Hakim (2020). *Sociological Analysis of Postgraduate Dropout in Pakistan.*
- Muhammad Haseeb Khalid (2020). *Young Ex-prisoners on Probation in Punjab: A critical Analysis of Their Rehabilitation Gaps.*
- Rooh Ullah (2020). *Sociological Analysis of Drug Use among High School Students in the Tribal District of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.*
- Muhammad Farooq (2019). *Ideological Politics in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Textbooks.*
- Manzoor Ahmad (2019). *Sociological Analysis of Education Reforms in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa from 2013-2018.*
- Wafa Hussain (2018). *Parents' Perspective on Shadow Education in Azad Jammu & Kashmir*
- Khawaja Naveed Ahmed (2018). *Gendered Experiences in AJ&K University Muzaffarabad.*
- M. Akmal (2017) *Sociological Analysis of School Choice among Middle Class People in AJ & K.*
- Akbar Ali (2017). *Subject Choice among Boys and Girls in Pakistani University.*
- Ishtiaq Ali (2017) *Social Exclusion of Transgender in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa: In Intragroup Study.*
- Usama Inam (2017). *Neo-Liberalism and the Future of Higher Education in Pakistan.*
- Hasnain Falak (2016). *Critical Analysis of the Role of ICT in the Education of Pakistani Youth.*
- Ishfaq Ahmad (2015). *Sociological Analysis of Parental Decision about their Children Education in Madrassah (Case study Nowshera and Charsadda Districts of KP).*

- Muhammad Ramzan (2015). *Political Activism among Public Sector University of Punjab: Online News Impact*.

Ph. D Students Mentored/Supervised (04)

- Raza Ullah (2016-2020). *Girls Outperforming Boys in Education: A Sociological Study in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa*.
- Muhammad Shoaib (2016-2021) *Sociological Analysis of Teachers Perspectives on Students Academic Performance in Higher Education in the Punjab*.
- Asim Muneeb (2016-2022). *Assimilation or Alienation: Working Class Children's Experience in Elite Universities in Pakistan*.
- Muhammad Farooq Abdullah (2016-2023). *Lived Experiences of Women Academicians in Higher Education Institutions of Pakistan*.

Ph. D Co-Supervision (04)

- M. Zafar Khan Safdar (2018-2023). *Social Protection Programs and Their Impact on Voting Behavior: The Case of Pakistan*.
- Muhammad Rashid (2016-2021). *General Voting Trend in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa: A Study of Voting Pattern in District Dir*.
- Sadia Dilshad (2016-2020). *Foreign Students Culture Adaption and Academic Achievements at IIU Pakistan*.
- Shafiq Qurban (2014-2019). *Education Policy and the Construction of Neo-liberal Citizenship: Musharraf Era (1999-2008)*.

MSc and BS theses supervision

- Supervised 70 MSc and 30 BS Theses

Teaching

Level: Course

- **Ph. D:** Sociology of Knowledge (ii) Contemporary Sociological Theories: Argument and Critique; (iii) Sociology of Development: Issues and Debate; (iv) Sociology of Mass Media
- **MS/M. Phil:** Contemporary Sociological Theories (ii) Sociology of Law and Human Rights (iii) Sociology of Globalization (iv) Gender and Development
- **MSc & BS:** Principles of Sociology (ii) Classical Sociological Theories (iii) Sociology of Education (iv) Sociology of Health (v) Sociology of Religion (vi) Population Dynamics

Invited Guest Speakers and Talksplenaries (17)

- Guest speaker for **“Curriculum in the Global Context”**, invited by the school of education, University of Birmingham, UK, March, 10, 2012
- Guest speaker on **“Post-structuralism/Postmodernism”** invited by Alam Iqbal Open University Islamabad, September 16, 2013
- Guest speaker for **“Sociological Perspective on the Rules of Law**, invited by international Islamic University Islamabad, October 13, 2014
- Guest speaker for **“Theories of Social Change”** invited by Alam Iqbal Open University Islamabad, April 11, 2015
- Guest speaker for **“Contemporary Sociological Theories”** invited by Alam Iqbal Open University Islamabad, September 27, 2014
- Guest speaker for **“Women Participation in Pakistani Politics: The Future of Gendered Ideologies”**, invited by the School of Government and Society, University of Birmingham, UK, November 11, 2015.
- Guest speaker on **“Symbolic Interactionism and Ethno-methodology”** invited by Alam Iqbal Open University Islamabad, April 9, 2016.
- Guest speaker on **“Sociological Theories and Their Relevance in Day-to-Day Life”** invited by Abdul Wali Khan University Mardan KP, May 12, 2016
- Guest speaker on **“Gender Hierarchies Through Education in Pakistan”** invited by Bahria University Islamabad, April 23, 2017
- Guest speaker on **“Clash of Civilization”** invited by Department of Media & Communication Studies, IIUI, November 1, 2017.
- Guest speaker on **“The Use of Social Sciences Research Methodology in Religious Studies”** invited by Iqbal International Institute of Research and Dialogue (IRD) in “Training Workshop for Young Religious Scholars” at the University of Malakand KP, April 18, 2019
- Guest speaker on **“Representation of Children’s Rights in Popular Text”**, invited by Child Rights Movements (CRM) in the capacity building workshop “Empowering Civil Society Organizations to Effectively Promote and Protect Child Rights” at Lockwood Hotel Murree, August 30, 2019.
- Guest speaker on **“Social Harmony”**, invited by Peace Education in its Training to the Young Students from Colleges and Madrassas at Laraib Inn Islamabad, October 18, 2019.
- Guest of Honor in “Launch of annual 'Cruel Numbers Report 2019”, by Sahil at Islamabad Hotel, March 12, 2020.
- Guest Speaker in **“National Webinar on COVID-19 Pandemic: Challenges and Impacts on Pakistan**, by IRD on September 10, 2020.
- Guest Speaker in **“The Relevance of Sociological Theories in Everyday Life**, by University of Swat, on October 29, 2020.
- Guest Speaker in **“Quantitative and Qualitative Research”**, Pakistan Provincial Services Academy Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, on January 1, 2021.
- Guest Speaker on **“Equality in Education”**, Pakistan Academy of Sciences Islamabad, on February 9, 2021.
- Guest Speaker on **“Gender and Professional Ethics”** FIA Training Academy Islamabad Pakistan January 20, 2023.

- Guest Speaker on “**Understanding Everyday Life with the Help of Sociological Theories**” Rawalpindi Women University, May 31, 2023.
- Guest Speaker on “Women’s Perception and Experience of Safety and Security on University Campuses in Pakistan” in International Gender Equality in Higher Education Symposium organized by Aston University UK, September 13, 2023.

Keynote Speaker in Conferences and Seminars (08)

- Keynote Speaker in the 3rd *International Conference of Social Sciences: Contemporary World Challenge’s and Transformation* organized by Rawalpindi Women University Pakistan, on November 1, 2024.
- Keynote Speaker in the *International Conference on Contemporary Issues in Sociology & Public Health*, organized by Department of Sociology, BZU, Pakistan, on November 25-26 2022.
- Keynote Speaker in International Seminar on “*New Trends in Academia and Research*” jointly organized by Kazakh British University Kazakhstan and QAU on February 10, 2022(Online).
- Keynote Speaker in International Seminar on “*Education Development and Modernization in Japan and Pakistan*”, organized by Department of Sociology QAU and JICA, on February 03, 2022.
- Keynote Speaker in “*International Conference (online) on Recent Trends in Social Sciences: Cohesion and Familial Life*” organized by Department of Sociology Abdul Wali Khan University Mardan Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, on January 21, 2021.
- Keynote Speaker in the International Seminar on “*Needs of Society and Qualification of Graduates*” invited by Department of Education International Islamic University Islamabad, on May 15, 2018.
- Keynote Speaker in the “*1st Gender Studies Conference*” invited by Department of Gender and Women Studies, Alama Iqbal Open University Islamabad on August 09, 2017.
- Keynote Speaker in a seminar on “*Barriers between culture and tourism in the context of culture tourism*” invited by Shaheed Benazir Bhutto University, Shaheed Benazirabad, Sindh on May 24, 2017.
- Keynote Speaker in a seminar on “*Anthropology of Kashmir*” invited by Department of Sociology and Rural Development, AJ&K University Muzafarabad on December 26, 2017.

Invited as Guest Speakers in Television Talk Show (03)

- Guest Speaker for the “*Army Public School Attack*” invited by Khyber Television Islamabad, Pakistan December 17, 2014.

- Guest Speaker on “**Children Rights and Socialization**” invited by PTV News Islamabad, Pakistan, January 13, 2017.
- Guest Speaker on “**Impact of COVID on Pakistani Society**” invited by Khyber News” ATV Islamabad, Pakistan April 24, 2021.

Session Chairs in Conferences (08)

- Chaired the session “**Higher Education**” in *The London International Conference on Education*, Cambridge University UK, December, 11-14, 2017.
- Chaired the session “**Gender and Higher Education**” in the *1st National Conference on Debates in Contemporary Gender Issues*” at the University of Management and Technology Lahore, Pakistan on April 25, 2019.
- Chaired the session in the “International Online Medical Sociology Annual Conference” 2021, Department of Sociology, Bahauddin Zakariya University Multan, Pakistan January 5th 2021
- Chaired the session in the International Conference on “China-Pakistan Economic Corridor: Building Narratives” Organized by IRD on November 17 & 18, 2021.
- Chaired the session “**Social Consequences of the COVID-19 Pandemic.....**” In the *International Conference on Contemporary Issues in Sociology & Public Health*, organized by Department of Sociology, BZU, Pakistan, on November 25-26 2022.
- Chaired the Session “Economy, Society and People: Current Issues in Pakistan” in the 4th International Applied Economics Conference, organized by School of Economics, QAU on October 16-17, 2023.
- Chaired the session in 7th *International Higher Education Studies Conference*, OSTIM Technical University, Ankara Turkey, October 17-19, 2024
- Chaired the session in the *International Conference on AI Integration in Transforming Higher Education, Research, and Entrepreneurship*, organized by Department of Sociology, Fatima Jinah Women University Rawalpindi, December 16-18, 2024.

Conferences Organized

- International Conference on “**The Role of Social Sciences in the Achievement of Sustainable Development Goals 2030**” at Quaid-I-Azam University (May 31, 2022)
- National Conference on “**Migration for Development: Issues and Challenges**” at Quaid-e-Azam Auditorium IIU Old Campus (April 11, 2019) **Conference Chair**).
- National Conference on “**Opportunities and Challenges in Promoting Child Rights in Pakistan: The Role of Academia and Civil Society Organizations**” at Allama Iqbal Auditorium IIU Old Campus (September 18, 2019) **Conference Chair**).

- National Conference on “*Social Discrepancies and their Remedies in Sociological Perspective*” at Quaid-e-Azam Auditorium IIU Old Campus (April 10, 2018) (Conference Chair).

Award & Honors

- (2024). **Higher Education Commission of Pakistan Travel Grant** to OSTIM Technical University Ankara, Turkey.
- (2024) **Best Performance Award**, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad Pakistan.
- (2018) **IRD Fellowship** to the Muslim Critical Summer School, Granada Spain.
- (2017) “**Rector’s Gold Medal for “Outstanding Teaching & Research”**”. International Islamic University, Islamabad Pakistan.
- (2017) “**Best University Teacher Award**”. International Islamic University, Islamabad Pakistan.
- (2017). **Higher Education Commission of Pakistan Travel Grant** to University of Cambridge United Kingdom (UK).
- (2011-2012) **Higher Education Commission of Pakistan’s Research Fellowship** under International Research Support Initiative (IRSP) to the University of Birmingham UK.
- (2010) **Mentor Award** for successful implementation of the Project-*Youth Capacities for Rule of Law and Good Governance*. Centre for Civic Education (CCE) Pakistan.

Funding / Grants (28.654 Millions)

Funder	Title of the Project	Years	PKR in Million
British Council Pakistan (PI)	Improving Gender Equality in Pakistan Higher Education Leadership and Decision-Making	2023	8.534 Millions
British Council Pakistan (PI)	Creating Safer and more Inclusive University Campuses in Pakistan	2022	8.534 Millions
Pakistan Science Foundation	Science Talent Farming Scheme for Young Students (STFS)	2023	1.000 Million
Pakistan Science Foundation	MINI STEM FABLAB	2022	1.000 Million
British Council Pakistan (PI)	Going Global: Undergraduate STEM Education in Pakistan	2021	7.865 Millions
Pakistan Bait Ul Mal (PI)	Assessment of <i>Panagha</i>	2021	0.490 Millions
University Research Fund (PI)	Quaid-I-Azam University	2021	0.125 Millions
CRM & SPARC (CO)	Child Rights Awareness Conference	2019	0.312 Million
Migration Resources Centre (CO)	Migration for Development: Issues and Challenges	2019	0.328 Million /
Child Right Movement (CRM)	Children of Today are Custodian of Tomorrow	2018	0.623 Million

Higher Education Commission of Pakistan (Co-PI)	Parental Decision on Girls Schooling Level in Rural Punjab	2017	1.826 million
Pakistan Bait-ul-Mal (PI)	Thalassemia Awareness among University Youth	2016	0.719 million
Centre for Civic Education (PI)	Youth for Rules of Law and Good Governance	2009	0.160 million
Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, Japan	An Empirical Study on School Safety to Ensure School Enrolment of Vulnerable Children in Pakistan	2025	

Survey and Impact Evaluation Studies

- (2002) Assessment of Food Support Programme of Pakistan Bait-ul Mal, NWFP.
- (2001) Survey on Run Away Children, funded by HRCP, Peshawar, Pakistan

On-the-Job Training (OJT)

- Received Training “**Research Grant Management for ORIC and HEC**” organized by Coventry University UK and British Council Pakistan (February 2022)
- Received Training in “**Public Finance Management Systems**” from Pakistan Planning and Management Institute, Ministry of Planning, Development and Special Initiative, Government of Pakistan (December, 2021).
- Received Training on “**Entrepreneurship Teaching and Pedagogy**” with IBA Karachi (December, 2020).

Professional Associations/Groups Memberships

- Member Council of Social Sciences (COSS) Pakistan
- Member of Asian Study Group (ASG)
- Member of Khyber Literary Club, University of Peshawar.
- Organizer Blood Donor Society, University of Peshawar 2000-2002.

International Trainings Organized

- “STEM Teachers Capacity Building Training Workshop” in tandem with British Council under the Going Global Project (May
- STEM Teachers Capacity Building Training Workshop” in tandem with British Council under the Going Global Project (August 22-26, 2022).
- STEM Teachers Capacity Building Training Workshop” in tandem with British Council under the Going Global Project
- STEM Teachers Capacity Building Training Workshop” in tandem with British Council under the Going Global Project

Workshops / Training/ Seminars Organized

- Focal Person of the Project “*Youth Capacities for Rule of Law and Good Governance.*” Funded by Centre for Civic Education Pakistan.
- Representative of Sociology Department at Seminar “*Creating Awareness among Masses about AIDS*” Organized by Welfare Hand Organization Peshawar.
- Organizer of three days “Annual Spring Festival 2001”, University of Peshawar
- Representative in the “*Open Discussion on India, Pakistan and CTBT*”, University of Peshawar
- “*Nature versus Nurture Debate in Education*”, University of Birmingham, UK

Professional Services to other Universities

Membership in Board of Studies and Board of Faculties

- Faculty of Management Sciences, International Islamic University (202-2023)
- Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Management and Technology Lahore (2020-2023)
- Faculty of Social Sciences Quaid-I-Azam University Islamabad (2021-----)
- Iqbal Institute of International Research and Dialogue IIU ((2019----
- Department of Sociology Quaid-I-Azam University Islamabad (2014-to-date)
- Department of Sociology Fatima Jinnah Women University Rawalpindi (2018-2021)
- Department of Anthropology Fatima Jinnah Women University Rawalpindi (2016-to-date)
- Faculty of Social Sciences, Fatima Jinnah Women University Rawalpindi (2020 to-date)
- Department of Sociology Abdul Wali Khan University (2012-2016; 2020-----)
- Department of Sociology University of the Swat, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (2020-----)
- Department of Sociology the University of Haripur, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (2021---)
- Peace and Conflict Studies, University of Peshawar (2013 to-2016)
- Department of Gender Studies, University of Peshawar (2017-2020 & 2021-2023)
- Department of Sociology University of Malakand KP (2012-2015)

Referee for Journals

- Intercultural Education, Taylor and Princes group
- *Gender and Education.* Taylor and Princes group
- *Pakistan Journal of Criminology.* Pakistan Society of Criminology
- *Biannual Journal of Gender and Social Issues.* Fatima Jinnah Women University
- *Africa Education Review.* Rutledge, Taylor and Princes Group
- *Politics, Religion & Ideology.* Taylor and Princes Group

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- Available on request