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UNIVERSITY JOINING: 2002

Academics:

Post Doctorate Royal Holloway College, University of London (2011-2012).

PhD: University of the Punjab, Lahore, Pakistan (2008).

Master s in History: University of the Punjab, Lahore, Pakistan (1998).

Bachelor of Arts: University of the Punjab, Lahore. (1995).

Intermediate Matriculation: Board of intermediate, Faisalabad (1992) (1990).

Experience:

Assistant Professor. Department of History and Pk. Studies (2008-2014) Student Advisor (2008-2011)

Lecturer: Department of History (2002-2008).
Superintendent Girls hostel (2005 to 2016)

Coordinator: Pakistan Studies Program

Coordinator: PhD History, M Phil History, Pakistan Studies

Coordinator China Pakistan Exchange Program 2018-

Director Pakistan Study Center 2018-2019

Director Babur Legacy Center 2021- to-date

Achievements:

Academic Career Matriculation to Master. A+

Gold Medalist M.A History

Prime Minister Scholarship for Post Doctorate Research

Member of Board studies:

- Kinnaird College for Women Lahore. (2004-2008). UMT Lahore.
- Department of History and Pak-Studies. (2011-2012).
- Member of National Language Authority of Pakistan. (2010 -2013). Member of Persianate Society: (2014-2015).

Publications:

Published several articles in HEC recognized journals such as:

1. (12/2003) Smila Deputation: a new era of Muslim resurgence. Journal of search society of Pakistan, Vol.20.
2. (2004) Web of Globalization: Quarterly journal of Islamic and Oriental Learning.Vol.25.
3. (7/2008) Political Activities of Indian Women. International journal of south Asian studies.Vol.23.
4. (2010) Imperial Household of Great Mughals. Journal of search society of Pakistan. Vol.47.
5. (7-12/2010) Cultural contribution of Mughal Ladies. Journal of South Asian Studies. Vol.25.
6. (1/2012) Labor class of women in Mughal India. Journal of south Asian Studies. Vol.27.
7. Political dominance of Mughal Women. Quarterly journal of Islamic and Oriental learning. Vol.87.
8. (12/2011) Socio- Cultural history of India based on European traveler's accounts. Pakistan journal of social sciences. Vol.29.
9. (6/2013) Images of Oriental Women in the travel's writings of 17th century India. Pakistan Vision. Vol.14.
10. (9/2014) Beyond Orientalism: Early English Travel writings fiction or reality. International journal of science and research.
11. Institutionalized sexuality: Slavery and Harem in Indian imperial cultural, international journal of Arts and humanities.
12. (2016) Communication and Surveillance in India under Sher Shah Suri, Pakistan Vision. Pakistan Vision Vol. 17 No. 2.
13. (2016) Historical Review of Indian Feminism: Amir Khusrau's Work. Journal of South Asian studies.
14. (2016) Working classes in Mughal India (1556-1605) A.D. Journal of Research Society of Pakistan.
15. (2017) Turkish and Central Asian influences on Mughal cuisine, Journal of world History.
16. (2018) Urban Formation and Cultural Transformation in Mughal India. Journal of South Asian Studies.
17. (2018) Prostitution in Colonial India, Journal of Historical Society of Pakistan.
18. (2019) Lahore Fort on the Verge of Decline. Journal of Historical society of Pakistan.
19. (2019) Break the Silence, Pakistani women facing Violence, Journal of Political Studies.
20. (2019) Genesis of Muslim Culture and Co-Existence in Mughal Era. Journal of Islamic Thought and Civilization.
21. (2020) Aytia Faizi; A Symbol of Muslim Women Empowerment in Colonial India. The journal of Political Science, GCU University.
22. (2020) Revisiting Mughal State, Politics and Cultural pluralism in Medieval India. Khoj Journal.
23. (2021) Honor Killing in Punjab: its reasons and implications. Pakistan Vision.
24. (2021) Role and Actions of Muslims in the Silk Road of Ming dynasty and its Inspiration to Pakistan. Journal of History Department. Punjab University
25. (2022) Oriental Harem, A Comparative Study of Ottoman, and Mughals. Historicus,
26. (2022) Women Urdu Journals in Colonial Indian, Paradigms of Modesty, and Domesticity. Journal of Politics and International Relations. Punjab University.
27. (2022) Refurbishing the Administration of Punjab; A Study of Maharaja Ranjit Singh. Ancient Punjab
28. (2022) Female Muslim Sovereign of 13th Century India, Research Journal of Uloom -e-Islamia.

29. (2023) The Origin of Chinese Gilding Techniques and its Impacts on the Golden Body of Buddha, Research Journal of Ulum-e- Islamia.
30. (2023) Study on the Iconography and Protection of the Picture Wall of Lahore Fort. Journal of South Asian Studies. Punjab University.
31. (2023) Robert Clive, The Real Founder of British Empire in India. Journal of Historical Studies Multan.
32. (2023) Characteristics, Advantages and Challenges of Modernization in Qiandongnan Prefecture in China, Journal of Development and Social Sciences.
33. (2024) Social and Historical Investigation of China's Ethnic Minorities in 20th century, Pakistan Social Sciences Review.
34. (2024) Cinema Industry of China and Pakistan in the Perspective of Belt and Road Initiative, Annals of Human and Social Sciences.
35. (2024) Women Migration in Punjab; refugees, rehabilitation and settlement, Journal of Humanities and Social Science, Peshawar University. Peshawar.
36. (2024) Resistance Literature in Pakistan and Contribution of Kishwar Naheed, Journal of Pakistan Language and Humanities Review.
37. (2024) Social Change and Women Literature in China, Journal of Social Science Spectrum.
38. (2024) Belt and Road Initiative, Promoting Connectivity, Journal of Development and Social Science.
39. (2024) CEPC and Gwadar Port: Viabilities and Challenges, Annals of Human and Social Sciences.
40. (2024) Rising from Ashes: Resuscitation of (Refugees) Women During Partition 1947 in Punjab. Journal of Historical Studies, Multan.

Invited International Conferences Presentations:

1. Socio-Economic and Cultural Cooperation with India and Pakistan 27-29 November 2013. International Conference on Philosophy of History, Mimarm Sinan Guzel Sanatlar Universities Yayinlari, presented a paper titled "Shades of Philosophy: New trends in Indian History" November 2013. (Funded by HEC)
2. 24th International Pakistan History & Historiography of South Asia, presented a paper titled "Social Cultural appraisal of Humayunama, April 14-16, 2014.
3. Attended a dialogue on Muslim Culture and Civilization conducted by Chicago University, USA. 20 June 2014. 5. Indian History Congress 75th session presented a paper titled "Voices of Subalterns Mysticism and Gender during Muslim Rule in India" December 2014.
4. International Conference in Italy on multi-disciplinary thoughts, presented a paper titled "Colonial Legacies Women Education during British Rule in 19th century India" in November 2014 International Conference Arts & Humanities in Malaysia presented a paper titled "Genesis of Indian Culture: Akbar Quest for Unity in a Traditional Society" in January 2015.
5. International Conference on the Development of the Social Sciences, Imperial College, London, presented a paper titled "Medieval Feminism: Work of Amir Khusru" 18-19, September 2015 July
6. 2016 International Planning History conference, Netherlands. Paper presented, "Urban formation and cultural transformation Mughal India"
7. June 2017, 26th Annual Conference on World History, Boston America, Paper presented "Turkish and Central Asian influences on Indian Food". 2017, "Journal of World History" University of Hawaii Press, 2017, Vol. 28, ISSN: 1527-8050
8. March 2017, Mapping Sexuality in Colonial India with special reference to prostitution. Global History Conference in Budapest Hungary.
9. April 2018, "Cultural Landscape of Gandara Art, Paper presented in School of Archaeology and Ancient Studies", University of Leicester, U.K. London.

10. February 2021, Socio Cultural Legacy of Central Asia in Tuzuk-I-Baburi, Paper presented in an International Seminar organized by Embassy of Uzbekistan.
11. March 2021, The Long and lingering Shadows of Discrimination in Health Education & Mobility of Women in Baluchistan, Paper presented in an International Conference in Gender Studies, University of the Punjab, Lahore.
12. June 2022, The Unparallel Contribution of Muslim Scientists in Middle Ages, Paper presented in conference of Center for Islamic Civilization, Uzbekistan.
13. 2023, Maharani Jind Kaur, A Symbol of Colonial Resistance, Paper Presented in the International History Conference Pakistan at 75, Department of History and Pakistan Studies
14. 2023, Babur Central Asia, Reminiscence of First Mughal Ruler, Paper Presented in International Conference of South and Central Asia Recontacted.
15. 2023 September, Babur's Kingdom in India and Pakistan, Paper Presented in International conference in Tashkent, Uzbekistan.
16. 2024 August 8th congress on the Heritage of our Great Ancestors, the foundation of 3rd Renaissance, Samarqand, Uzbekistan, paper presented titled, Women Education and Enlightenment Under Baburids in India.

Books:

1. Rukhsana Iftikhar, **Indian Feminism Class Gender & Identity in Medieval Ages.** 2016, Notion press, India.
2. Rukhsana Iftikhar, **Women in Politics, Jahanara Begum, The Mughal Princess,** 2024, Fiction House. Pakistan.

Projects:

History and Civilization of Muslim World contributed two Chapters on Malwa & Gujarat of Mughal State.

Working classed in Mughal India.

Women Urdu Journals for Muslim Women in Colonial India

Ph.D. Thesis:

1. Muhammad Azeem, Reimagining the Political Leadership of Benazir Bhutto: Here Role a Prime Minister (1988-90) & (1993-96).
2. Muhammad Saleem, Civil Military Relations in Pakistan- 1985- 1999; Historical Perspective.
3. Humira Malik, Basic Human Rights and state of Honor Killing in the province of Punjab(2001-2018).
4. Gu Zhong, A Creation Thoughts of Islamic and Chines Calligraphy: A comparative study.
5. Tang Baichang, The great wall construction, and social change in Eastern Hebei Province of China.
6. Naila Rehman, Pakistan-China Relations (2013-2018).
7. Zhang Niwan, Mutual Influence between Gandara Art and Buddhist Art in Northwest China from the 4th to 6th Centuries.
8. Zhang Xuepei, National Identity and Cinema: Comparison of Chinese and Pakistani Films.
9. Yang Ming, Pak-China Cooperation in the Protection of Cultural Heritage, A Case

Study of Lahore Fort.

10. Bao Longyang, Social Sector Reforms, A Comparative study of Ganzhio and KP.
11. Rahat Ara, British East India Company and its Economic impacts in India (1700-1799)

M.Phil. Thesis:

1. Zohaib Hassan, Social History of Baluchistan: Since Independence to till date, 2016-18.
2. Khola Iftikhar Cheema, Rise of Sikhism in Punjab: A Case Study of Maharaja Ranjit Singh. 2012-2013.
3. Farrukh Nadeem, Political Philosophy of Bhagat Singh 2012-14.
4. Rahat Ara, Orientalism: 17th Century Indian Travelers Writings 2012-14.
5. Amir Ali, Gurdwara Janam Asthan: its history and impacts on locality, 2014-16
- Humera. Ayub, Power Politics of Mughal Women: A Case Study of Jahan Ara, 2015-17.
6. Ujjala Khan, Images of Oriental Women: Travel Writings of 16th and 17th Century India, 2015-17.
7. Komal Anwar. Resilience and Urbanism in Lahore Under Colonial Rule. 2015-17
- Assiya. Naurin, Religious Pluralism under the Great Mughals: A Case Study of Akbar (1556-1605 A.D) 2015-17.
8. Saira Ilyas, Life and Conditions of Women Under Colonial rule. (1850-1900), 2015-17.
9. Amna Latif, Life and Times of Atyia Fayzee, 2015-17.
10. Nazuk Hameed, Folklore, Colonial Punjab (1849-1920) An Analysis, 2016-18.
11. Arifa Siddique, Mughal State: A Study of its Formation and Structure, 2016-
12. Sana Iqbal, Social-Cultural History of Delhi Sultanate (1206-1526), 2016-18.
13. Sajida Perveen, Indian Cuisine: An Analytical Study of Mughal Period, 2016-18.
14. Adeeba Akram, Prostitution in Colonial Punjab, 2016-18.
15. Nabila Fatima, Social Culture Impacts of Bibian Pak Damn Shrine in Pakistan, 2016.
16. Amna Nawaz, Religious literature and domestication of Muslim Women in Colonial India, 2017-19.
17. Syeda Sabica Rubab, An Extension of Anglo-Saxon Oriental Culture: A Case Study of LordCruzan's Regime, 1898-1905. 2018-2020.
18. Namra Syed, Iranian Influence on the Culture of Great Mughals, (1530-1707) 2017-2019.
19. Syeda Anam Zahra, Role of Eunuchs in Colonial India: A Historical Study, 2017-19.
20. Nida Hussain, Women in Politics; A Case study of Indra Ghandi, 2017-19.
21. Sheraz Amjad, American Orientalism and Bush Administration 2001-2004: An Overview of Middle East and Muslim World, 2017-19.
22. Sundas Nawaz, Human Right Activism in Pakistan: A Case Study of Asma Jahangir, 2018-20.
23. Fabiha Rehan Butt, Violence against Pakistani Women, A Study of Criminal JusticeSystem in Lahore District, 2018-20.
24. Hira Tanveer, Women Activism in Pakistan: A Study of Shirkat Gah. 2018-2020.
25. Nimra Hussian, Women Activism in Pakistan 1947-1977. 2020-22.
26. Saleem Surani, History of Christianity in Mughal India, A case study of Akbar. 2020-2022.
27. Gung Fay, The Social Economic Condition of Working Classes Before and After

Reforms (1956-1999).
28. Yin Yirong, Digital Media, and Its Impacts of Chinese Society 2023. 2022-2024.

International Teaching:

- Teaching at the Department of Ethnology and Sociology, Qinghai Nationalities University, China from October 2020 till date.
- Appointed As Research Professor of South Asian Cultural Heritage in Yunnan Normal University China

Course's design:

- Women in Contemporary Muslim World
- Orientalism.
- New Trends in Indian History.
- Women in the History of Europe.
- Subaltern Studies
- Women in Pakistan.

Skills:

- o Training in Pakistan study and History Teaching. Administration Skills.
- o Exams Management.
- o Curriculum development for Post graduate classes.
- o Microsoft office with special focus on Excel.

