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Education

Ph.D (Islamic Studies)

CGPA: 3.47/4.0 (2019)

Government College University, Lahore, Pakistan

M.Phil (Islamic Studies)

CGPA: 3.83/4.0 (2012)

: Government College University, Lahore, Pakistan

Shahadat-ul-Alamiah

Marks: 854/1200 (2009)

Jamia Nazamia, Lahore, Pakistan

Third Medical Professional Exam

Marks: 353/600 (2000)

King Edward Medical College, Lahore

Second Medical Professional Exam

Marks: 275/500 (1999)

King Edward Medical College, Lahore

First Medical Professional Exam

Marks: 622/1100 (1998)

King Edward Medical College, Lahore

F.Sc (Pre-Medical)

Marks: 888/1100 (1996)

Government College University, Lahore

SC / O-Level (Science Group)

Grade Aggregate: 10 (7 As) – 1994

Cathedral School, Hall Road, Lahore

Teaching Career

Assistant Professor (BS-19)

Department: Arabic & Islamic Studies, Government College University Lahore

Duration: 19 April 2021 – Present

Remarks: Regular faculty

Lecturer (BS-18)

Department: Arabic & Islamic Studies, GCU Lahore

Duration: 06 November 2014 – 18 April 2021

Remarks: Regular faculty

Visiting Lecturer (BS-18)

Department: Arabic & Islamic Studies, GCU Lahore

Duration: 05 September 2012 – 05 November 2014

Remarks: Visiting Faculty

Visiting Lecturer (BS-18)

Department: Philosophy, Government College University Lahore

Duration: 20 October 2011 – 20 April 2012

Remarks: Visiting Faculty

Courses Taught:

Islamic Studies Compulsory (ISL 1202) – BS Honours

Translation of the Qur'an (ISL 1103) – BS Honours

Study of the Qur'an (ISL 1201) – BS Honours

History of Fiqh (ISL 2201) – BS Honours

Tasawwuf (ISL 3206) – BS Honours

Major Religions of the World (IDC 1107) – BS Honours

Islamic Social Thought and Movements (ISL 452) – Masters/BS

Islamic Economics and Modern Economic Thoughts (ISL 354) – Masters/BS

Islam and Science (ISL 4202) – BS Honours

Administrative Tasks:

Member of the Board of Studies, GC University Lahore (2017–2019)

Coordinator, BS Islamic Studies Self-Supporting Programme (since October 2, 2019)

Departmental Office Incharge (since August 20, 2020)

Departmental Time Table Incharge (since November 9, 2021)

Member, Departmental Research Advisory Committee (since February 17, 2021)

Departmental Focal Person for Turnitin Plagiarism Check (since October 28, 2015)

Departmental Focal Person for IT (since December 2019)

Departmental Focal Person for SDGs (since July 2021)

Departmental Proctor (since December 31, 2019)

Departmental Focal Person for Online Admission (since July 12, 2021)

Departmental Focal Person, GCU-YPR QEC (since October 2021)

Departmental Focal Person, GCU Ranking (since October 2021)

Research Interests

Medicine and Shari‘ah, Islamic Bioethics, Sufism, Muslim Society and Culture, World Religions

Research Work (Thesis)

MPhil (2012)

Title: Communicable Diseases and Their Control in the Light of Hadith Literature and Medical Science

PhD (2019)

Title: Assisted Reproductive Technology as a Treatment of Infertility in the light of Islamic Shari‘ah

Publications: 22 (1W, 1 X, 15 Y, 5 others)

1.Ova Retrieval for IVF in the Light of Islamic Sharī‘ah Laws in Pakistan

Journal of Religion and Health

Vol. 62(2), pp. 778–796, April 2023

DOI: 10.1007/s10943-022-01690-7

HEC Category: W

Impact factor: 2.2

2. Islamic Viewpoint on Surrogacy with the Second Wife

Hamdard Islamicus

Vol. 43(1), pp. 309–317, January 2020

HEC Category: X

3. Conception of the Contagion: A Clarification of lā ‘adwā and Other Relevant Ahādīth

Islamic Quarterly

Vol. 63(3), pp. 397–412, July 2019

HEC Category: Y

4. The Psychological Impacts of Digital Addiction in Light of Islamic Teachings

Al-Asr International Research Journal of Islamic Studies

Vol. 5(3), pp. 357–380, July–September 2025

HEC Category: Y

5. Adil Salahi's Approach in Sirah Studies: A Study of His Book “Muhammad: Man and Prophet”

Al-Mahdi Research Journal

Vol. 5(5), pp. 930–941, July–September 2024

HEC Category: Y

6. Qalandari Tradition in the Subcontinent: Exploring the Mystical Path

Inkishaf

Vol. 4(12), pp. 46–63, April–June 2024

HEC Category: Y

7. Islamic Principles for Biomedical Issues

Inkishaf

Vol. 4(11), pp. 1–19, January–March 2024

HEC Category: Y

8. The Sources of Christian Law: An Introduction

Al-Marsoos

Vol. 2(5), pp. 1–19, January–March 2024

HEC Category: Y

9. The Human Reproduction, Pregnancy and Development of Human Embryo: A Research Analysis in the Light of Islam

Abhath

Vol. 8(32), pp. 1–24, October–December 2023

HEC Category: Y

10. Corruption and Corrupt Practices: Analysis of the NAB Ordinance 1999 in the Perspective of Islamic Shari‘ah

Pakistan Journal of Law, Analysis and Wisdom

Vol. 2(2), pp. 470–482, July–September 2023

HEC Category: Y

11. The Concept of Contagiousness in the Ahādīth

Pakistan Journal of Islamic Research

Vol. 19(1), pp. 59–75, January 2018

HEC Category: Y

12. An Overview of Islamic Teachings on Infertility

Al-Azva

Vol. 32(48), pp. 53–68, December 2017

HEC Category: Y

13. The Role of Madrasa Education in Inter-Cultural and Cross-Cultural Exchange

Bulletin of Education and Research

Vol. 39(1), pp. 61–74, June 2017

HEC Category: Y

14. Contribution of Muslim Physicians to the Field of Medicine

Hazara Islamicus

Vol. 5(2), pp. 25–42, December 2016

HEC Category: Y

15. Agronomic Treatises of the Medieval Muslims (10th–12th Century A.D.)

Al-Azva

Vol. 31(46), pp. 47–60, December 2016

HEC Category: Y

16. Narrations on Lepers and Leprosy

Al-Azva

Vol. 30(44), pp. 57–72, January 2015

HEC Category: Y

17. The Control of Communicable Diseases in the Light of Ahādīth

Hamdard Islamicus

Vol. 38(4), pp. 59–83, December 2015

HEC Category: Y

18. Karen Armstrong as a Biographer of Muhammad: A Critical Study of “Muhammad: Prophet for Our Time”

Journal of Islamic Studies and Culture

Vol. 5(2), pp. 72–79, January 2017

DOI: 10.15640/jisc.v5n2a8

19. The Need and Importance of the Two-Nation Theory in the Modern Era: In the Light of Imam Rabbani's Letters

Maarif-e-Auliya

Vol. 1(2), pp. 1–14, July–December 2024

20. Characteristics of the Qur’ānic Legislation

Maarif-e-Auliya

Vol. 1(2), pp. 1–19, July–December 2023

21. Review Article: “Islamic Teachings and Social Structure: Convictions and Contradiction”

Afkar

Vol. 6(2), pp. 99–100, June 2022

22. Prophetic Teachings on Plague and COVID-19 Infection

Al-Idrak

Vol. 1(1), pp. 1–16, June 2021

Conferences: (7)

1. Ethical Leadership in the Digital Age: Integration of Artificial Intelligence and Business Ethics from Sirah’s Perspective

Presented at the 1st International Seerah Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Business Ethics in Modern Society Inferred from the Teachings of Prophet Muhammad (pbuh), organized by the Department of Arabic and Islamic Studies, University of Mianwali, February 10–12, 2025.

2. Role of Artificial Intelligence in Countering Religious Extremism in Pakistan: Promoting Inclusivity, Peace and Tolerance

Presented at the 2nd International Conference on Role of Artificial Intelligence in Access to Justice in Pakistan: Shaping the Future of Law, Peace and Equality, organized by Gillani Law College, Bahauddin Zakariya University, Multan, December 10–11, 2024.

3. Contribution of Muslims in the Field of Mathematics

Presented at the Symposium on Mathematics Beyond Boundaries, organized by the Department of Mathematics, Government College University, Lahore, November 12, 2024.

4. Regulation of IVF Centers in Pakistan: Challenges and Outcomes (via video link)

Presented at the 10th International Conference on Islamic Thought – Contemporary Bioethics: Challenges and Opportunities, organized by the Department of Islamic Thought, Faculty of Arabic and Islamic Studies, Allama Iqbal Open University, Islamabad, October 22–23, 2024.

5. Bridging Ethical Frontiers: Exploring the Intersection of Sharī‘ah Principles and Modern Medical Issues

Presented at Ijtihad-bil-Maqasid, organized by the Department of Islamic Thought, History and Culture, Allama Iqbal Open University, Islamabad, May 29–31, 2024.

6. Islamic Discourse on Entrepreneurship: Insights from the Pious Caliphate

Presented at the 9th International EMI Entrepreneurship & Social Sciences Congress, organized by Central Asian University, Tashkent, Uzbekistan, November 7–10, 2023.

7. Madrasa Education and Intercultural and Cross-cultural Social Mobilization

Presented at Madrasa Education in Pakistan: Tradition and Transition, organized by the Department of Islamic Studies, Bahauddin Zakariya University, Multan, April 29–30, 2015.

Training and Workshop: (5)

1. Training of Trainers (TOT) Workshop on Sirah of Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon him) on Peacebuilding, Social Reconstruction and Reconciliation,

Organized by the Higher Education Commission of Pakistan in collaboration with the International Centre of Excellence for Sirah Studies, Islamic Research Institute, International Islamic University Islamabad, and National Centre for Sirah Studies, Jamia Muhammadi Sharif, Chiniot, July 11–12, 2025.

2. Participated and completed online education training in Glassboard Technology,

Organized by U Learn – Online Education, Building #12, Wapda Avenue, WAPDA Town Block D3, Phase-I Lahore, Punjab 54600, October 1, 2023.

3. Advanced Teaching and Learning Programme 2023

Organized by the Directorate of Academics, Government College University Lahore, July 17 – August 16, 2023.

4. Youth Awareness and Sensitization Program, “Khud ko Pehchano” Training of Trainers,

Organized by Greenstar and Punjab Population Innovation Fund, Ministry of Population Welfare Punjab October 21, 2022.

5. Humanity, Altruism, and Citizenship in Pakistan

Organized by the Ministry of Human Rights, Government of Punjab August 21–22, 2017.

Community Outreach:

Digitized General Education courses in Glassboard Technology

provided to U Learn – Online Education, Building #12, Wapda Avenue, WAPDA Town Block D3, Phase-I Lahore, Punjab 54600, October 16, 2023

Conducted a module on Islamic Studies for BS Vision Sciences

provided to the College of Ophthalmology and Allied Vision Sciences, King Edward Medical College University Lahore, April 15 – May 15, 2014.

Leadership Skill:

Coordinator for Undergraduate Programme (since October 2019)

Collaborated with faculty, students, and administrative staff to ensure the smooth operation of academic activities and adherence to institutional standards. Assisted faculty in developing and updating courses and curriculum materials, provided guidance to students regarding course selection and academic policies, coordinated class schedules, room assignments, and examination timetables. Worked with admissions teams to review and process student applications, organized academic events such as seminars, workshops, and orientations, and collected and analyzed data related to academic programs for evaluation.

Member, Board of Studies (2017–2019)

Arranged meetings of the Board of Studies and documented minutes for forwarding to the Academic Council through the Dean. Actively participated in discussions to align academic programmes and course syllabi with the mission of the university. Suggested improvements in existing courses and advised on potential new courses, reviewed titles of PhD and MPhil dissertations, and highlighted matters related to academic activities of students.

Trainer of Students (February 14, 2023)

Trained 20 students on the use of contraceptives under the Youth Awareness and Sensitization Program, “Khud ko Pehchano.”

References:

Prof. Dr. Sultan Shah

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