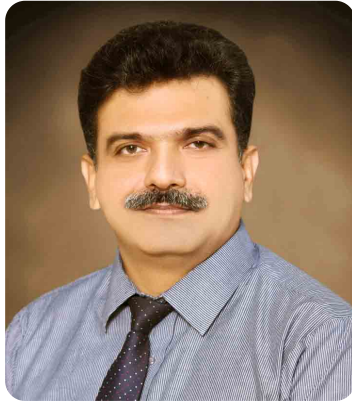




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Biography

Dr. Shahzad Hussain is a Professor and Chairperson of the Department of Public Policy and Governance at Government College University Lahore. With a PhD in Economics, his academic expertise spans macroeconomics, public policy, and development economics, where he has made significant scholarly contributions.

Boasting over 15 years of experience in teaching, research, and academic leadership, Dr. Hussain has played a pivotal role in shaping academic discourse and institutional development. His intellectual pursuits have taken him globally, including a tenure as a Research Fellow at the University of Leeds, UK.

An accomplished research supervisor, he has guided numerous PhD and MS scholars, fostering rigorous academic inquiry. His research has been presented at prestigious national and international conferences, seminars, and workshops, reflecting his engagement with contemporary policy and economic debates.

Committed to advancing knowledge, Dr. Hussain has actively collaborated with researchers worldwide, promoting high-quality, impactful research in his field. His work continues to influence academia and public policy, bridging theory and practice for sustainable development.

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2012 PhD in Economics, Bahauddin Zakariya University Multan, Pakistan

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Journal Papers

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Awards/Achievements

Best University Teacher Award (2020), National Defence University Islamabad.
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Thesis/Research Supervisions

Usman Saleem Yousaf (2025), Ph.D.. Thesis: "An Analysis of the Effects of Threshold Level of Public Debt on Macroeconomic Indicators in case of Selected Indebted Economies" (Completed)
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