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a) Qu	ualification				
Year	Degree/Certificate	Name of t	he Institute/ University	Field of study	
2012	PhD	University	of Bonn, Germany	Economics	
2007	MS/ M.Phil.	BUITEMS	, Quetta, Pakistan	Economics & Management	
2001	MS/M.Phil.	University Pakistan	of Agriculture, Faisalabad,	Agricultural Economics	
1997	Graduation	University Pakistan	of Agriculture, Faisalabad,	Agricultural Economics	
1991-92	Intermediate	Tameer i N	Nau Public College Quetta	Pre- Medical	

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b) Research;- (i) Selected Publications

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S. No	Title of Paper	Name of Journal	National/ International	Publication date
1.	Olive Culture Promotion and Financial Sustainability: Case Study of University College Zhob, BUITEMS	Administrative and Management Sciences Journal, Vol. 3 (1), pp. 16- 24	National	2024
2.	Shrinking possibilities to Educate Youth with Compromised Socioeconomic Background: Uncertain Economic Shift of Pakistan	Pakistan Social Science Review, Vol. 8 (2), pp. 121-130.	National	2024

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3.	The Effect of Green HRM Practices on Environmental Performance: A Moderated Mediation Model with Empirical Examination	Administrative and Management Sciences Journal, 2(2), 125-139.	National	2024
4.	Analysing the Nexus of Weather on Cotton Production in Sindh Pakistan: Using ARDL Bound Test	Agricultural Sciences Journal, (1), 123–134. https://doi.org/10.56520/asj .24.370	National	2024
5.	Household Traits and Its Impact on Offspring's Educational Inclusion: Empirical Evidence from Urban and Rural Areas of Pakistan	Administrative and Management Sciences Journal, Vol 2 (1), pp. 91- 98	National	2023
6.	Cereal Crops Production in Pakistan: Trends Instability and Growth	International Journal of Agriculture Extension, Vol.10(02) 2023, pp. 201- 07.	International	2023
7.	Science Mapping of Health Sector Kickbacks: A Bibliometric Analysis	Health Science Journal, Vol. 2(1), pp. 16-26	National	2023
8.	Parents' Perception of Education and Choice of Childhood Activities: Evidence from Pakistan	Pakistan Development Review Vol.59(03), pp 335-355.	National	2020
9.	Impacts of Construction Risk Attributes on Organizational Performance of Registered Construction Companies in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan	Journal of Engineering and Applied Sciences, Vol 39(1), pp.47-56.	National	2020
10.	Modeling Private Consumption In China from 1987 to 2012	City University Journal of Research, Vol. 6 (02), pp 284-294.	National	2019
11.	Behavioral Efficiency: An Emerging Term in Management Sciences	Pakistan Economic Review, 1:1 (Summer 2018), pp.69- 102	National	2018
12.	Estimation of Aggregate Consumption Function for High Income Countries	Pakistan Business Review, Vol.19 (01), pp 22-45.	National	2017
13.	Does Higher Education Really Matter in Improving Women's Social Status? Empirical Evidence from Balochistan, Pakistan	The Sind University Journal of Education, Vol,45 (1), pp 141-160.	National	2016
14.	Socio-economic condition of Nomads: empirical evidence from selected districts of Balochistan	BUITEMS Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities, Vol. 2 (1), pp 97-104.	National	2016
15.	Green Marketing: A Study of Consumers Attitude towards Environmental Friendly Products	Lasbela University Journal of Sciences & Technology, Vol.(IV), pp.109-116.	National	2015
16.	ARIMA Modelling for forecasting of Rice Production: A Case Study of Pakistan	Lasbela University Journal of Science and Technology, Vol.(IV), pp.122-125	National	2015
17.	Nexus between Agriculture Raw material export and, trade openness and Economic Growth of Pakistan.	Journal of Agriculture Research, Vol.53 (4), pp 581-588.	National	Dec. 2015
18.	Child Labor and learning achievements:	Journal of Applied and	National	July 2014

	the impact of Children's work on School Performance.	Emerging Sciences, BUITEMS, Vol. 5(1), pp. 48-58.		
19.	Nexus between Financial Development, Agriculture Raw Material Exports, Trade Openness and Economic Growth of Pakistan. Pakistan Journal of Commerce and Social Sciences, Vol. 8(3), 629- 639.		National	2014
20.	Impact of fiscal Decentralization on Education and Healthcare Outcomes: Empirical Evidence from Pakistan	Journal of Applied and Emerging Sciences, BUITEMS, Vol. 4 (2)	National	2013
21.	Determinants of participation in child's education and alternative activities in Pakistan,	Development Policy No. 159, ISSN: 1436-9931.	International	2011
22.	Comparative Study of Cost of Production and Decision Analysis of Onion and Sunflower Crops, in District Quetta	Sarhad Journal of Agriculture, No. 3. Vol. 24, pp.469-478	National	2008
23.	Production Constraints of Soybean In Upland Balochistan	National	2003	
24.	Effect of Different Nursery Transplanting Techniques and Nitrogen Levels on Growth, Yield And Quality Of Fine Rice (Basmati-2000). Balochistan Journal of Agricultural Sciences. No.2 Vol.4, pp.13-17.		National	2003
25.	Smallrumaints Production Practices In Upland Ranges of Balochistan Pakistan Veterinary Journal No. 2 Vol.22, pp.59-63.		National	2002
26.	Comparative Profitability of Various Rearing Systems of Smallrumaints in Balochistan	National	2002	
(ii) B	ooks Authored/ Edited			
S. No	Name of book		Publisher	ISBN NO.
1.	Title of the book: Education, Child L Formation in Selected Urban and Ru Development Economics and Policy Series (6 Joachim von Braun and Manfred Zeller.	PL Academic Research, Peter Lang Publishing Group.	978-3-653- 02382-4	

2.	Title of the book: Agribusiness Management in Pakistan Chapter No. 4: Economics for Agribusiness Managers Can be accessed on: http://onlinebooks.uaf.edu.pk/BookDetails.aspx?BookId=4 http://onlinebooks.uaf.edu.pk/Chapter.aspx?ChapId=62	University of Agriculture Faisalabad	978-969- 7705-09-2
3.	Chapter 9: "Envisioning Inclusive Growth in Balochistan" in the Book "Economy Welfare and Reforms in Pakistan" Essays in Honour of Dr Ishrat Husain Edited by Vaqar Ahmed & Maaz Javed Foreword by Dr Tariq Banuri https://oup.com.pk/forthcoming/economy-welfare-and-reformsin-pakistan.html	Oxford university press, Pakistan	9780190708 818
4.	A book Chapter; China-Pakistan Economic Corridor: A Native Perspective	China Study Center (CSC) BUITEMS Quetta	978-969- 23925-0-1

(iii) Selected papers presented in the conferences

S. No	Title of Paper	Name of Conference	National/ International	Date/Place
1	"Choice of Schooling and Human Capital Formation: Empirical Evidences from Rural and Urban Settings of Pakistan"	16 th Annual Population Research Conference on "Political and Social Demography of Balochistan"	National	November 25-26, 2015 BUITEMS, Quetta
2.	How religious and socioeconomic factors effect human capital formation: a case study from Pakistan	Fourth International Conference on Business Management	Internation-al	26 th to 27 th February, 2014, Sukkur IBA
3.	Risk Management, Crop production and market decisions: an expected value approach on low and high delta crops, evidences from Balochistan	ICDD Conference on Linkages, Value Chains and Development along the Rural-Urban Interface	Internation-al	9 th to 12 th January, 2014, UAF, Pakistan
4.	The Impact of children's work on their school achievements: a cross sectional analysis	First International Conference on Emerging Issues in Management and Economics	Internation-al	1 st and 2 nd November, 2013, Quetta Serena Hotel
5.	Determinants of child participation in schooling and other activities: evidence from Pakistan	Emerging knowledge Economy in the 21st Century: Opportunities & Challenges	Internation-al	December 5 to 7, 2012, COMSATS, Islamabad
6.	School education and child productivity: an analysis of parental	AWI workshop on Behavioral Economics and Life-span	Internation-al	15 to 17 December

	perception and human capital formation in selected villages of Pakistan	changes in Decision Making		2011, Alfred Weber Institute, Heidelberg University, Germany
7.	Household Traits and Its Impact on Offspring's Educational Inclusion: Empirical Evidence from Urban and Rural Areas of Pakistan	First Population Research Conference	National	March 20 th at IBA, Karachi
8.	Education and Human Capital Formation: Where Pakistan Stands	The State of Pakistan Economy; Issues and Challenges in the 21st Century	Internation-al	27-28 September 2016, IoBM Karachi.

(iv) Conferences/workshops/ Seminars attended as presenter, Key Note speaker, and Conference Chair

- **1.** Conference on "4th Internal Conference on Business Management" Sukkur Institute of Business Administration (2/26/2014-2/27/2014) [Local]
- **2.** Seminar on "Research Practices and Procedures in Business and Management." City Campus BUITEMS (1/9/2013-) [Local]
- **3.** Conference on "AWI workshop on Behavioural Economics and Life-span changes in Decision Making" Alfred Weber Institute, Heidelberg University, Germany (12/15/2011-12/17/2011) [Foreign]
- **4.** Conference on "Emerging knowledge Economy in the 21st Century: Opportunities & Challenges" Pearl Continental Bhurban, Murree/Department of Management Sciences COMSATS Institute of Information Technology, Pakistan (12/5/2012-12/7/2012) [Local]
- **5.** Workshop on "Faculty Development Course" Balochistan University of Information Technology, Engineering and Management Sciences, (BUITEMS), Quetta, Pakistan. (9/12/2005-10/8/2005) [Local]
- **6.** Workshop on "Cost of Production of Agricultural crops" Area Development Program Balochistan, Quetta, Pakistan (8/22/2000-8/24/2000) [Local]
- **7.** Workshop on "Crop Production Management" Area Development Program Balochistan, Khuzdar, Pakistan (9/20/1999-9/23/1999) [Local]
- **8.** Conference on "The 7th Development Economics conference of the German Economics Association" Centre for development Research (ZEF), Bonn, Germany (6/22/2012-6/23/2012) [Foreign]
- **9.** Workshop on "Integrated Water Resource Management" Training Program of TA Grant Project [TA-4560(PAK)], Quetta, Pakistan (2/19/2007-2/24/2007) [Local]
- **10.** Workshop on "Concepts and Theories of Development" International Graduate School for Development Research (BIGS-DR), Bonn, Germany. (10/1/2008-10/31/2008) [Foreign]
- **11.** Conference on "International Workshop on Economics of Education (Education Policies: empirics and design)" Katholieke Univeriteit, Leuven, Belgium (6/24/2010-6/25/2010) [Foreign]
- **12.** Seminar on "2009 German Stata Users Group Meeting" Universittclub Bonn/Institute for study of Labor(IZA), Bonn, Germany (6/26/2009-) [Foreign]
- **13.** Workshop on "Learning Intercultural Competence" Windeck-Rosbach, Germany/Center for Development Research, University of Bonn, Germany (12/5/2008-12/7/2012) [Foreign]
- **14.** Conference on "ICDD Conference on Linkages, Value Chains and Development along the Rural-Urban Interface" University of Agriculture, Faisalabad, Pakistan (1/9/2014-1/12/2014) [Local]
- **15. Member of organizing committee and Reviewer:** 1st International Conference on Emerging issues in Management and Economics held on November 1-2, 2013 at Serena, Hotel, Quetta, Pakistan. **[Local]**

- **16.** Workshop on "Rapid Dairy Value Chain Assessment" Islamabad (5/29/2014-5/30/2014) [Local]
- **17.** Conference on "Public Sector Leadership in 21st Century Pakistan: Challenges and Best Practices" LUMS, Lahore (8/28/2014-8/29/2014) [Local]
- **18.** Training on "Leader and Change Management" held from 27 to 30 April, 2015, at the Center for Executive Education (CEE), Institute of Business Administration, Karachi.
- **19.** A two-day Balochistan Development Forum (BDF) organized by the Chief Minister's Policy Reform Unit (CMPRU), Government of Balochistan with the technical assistance of UNDP, Islamabad, (19/01/2015 20/01/2015) [Local]
- **20. Conference Chair:** 2nd International Conference on Emerging issues in Management and Economics held on October 09-10, 2015 at Takatu Campus BUITEMS, Quetta Pakistan.
- **21.** International Forum "On the Second Track. The Role of Civil Society and Public Diplomacy in the Further Development and Expansion of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization" in Sochi (Krasnodar Krai) on April 19-20, 2016.
- **22. Session Chair:** International Conference on "The State of Pakistan's Economy: Issues and Challenges in the 21st Century" at Institute of Business Management College of Economics and Social Development, Karachi, held on September 27-28, 2016.
- **23. Conference Chair:** 3nd International Conference on Emerging issues in Management and Economics held on October 26-27, 2016 at Takatu Campus BUITEMS, Quetta Pakistan.
- **24. Session Chair:** 2nd International CPEC Business & Research Conference 2017, at Institute of Business Administration, Karachi, held on March 15 & 16, 2017.
- **25. Session Chair:** 1st International Conference on Economics, Business and Social Research, Department of Economics, Faculty of SSM&IT, LUWMS, Uthal, Balochistan. Held on April, 15th and 16th 2017.
- **26. Session Chair:** Three Days International Conference MARGINALIZATION AND SOCIAL EXCLUSION IN THE PERSPECTIVE OF MARKET ECONOMY 16 18 August, 2017. Organized by School of Economics, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad and Department of Economics, University of Peshawar.
- **27. Plenary Speaker:** 2nd International Conference on Experiential Learning (ICEL 2017), at Institute of Business Management, Karachi, held on October 21, 22, 2017.
- **28.** 4th National Debt Conference, at Marriott Hotel Islamabad, organized by Policy Research Institute of Market Economy (PRIME), held on 26th of October, 2017.
- **29.** Paper presented in Second International Forum on "Prospects for the Development and Strengthening of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization", !7 and 18th April 2018, in Sochi, Russia.
- **31. Keynote speech;** Annual International Conference on Social Sciences-2019, Institute of Business Management (IoBM) Karachi, Pakistan. January 28-29, 2019.
- **32. Guest speaker**, National Workshop Balochistan VI, 2-27 November, 2020, delivered a talk on "Economic Uplift of Balochistan Short and Midterm Goals", 23rd of November, 2020. Organized by Headquarters 12 Corps.
- **33. Guest speaker,** National Workshop Balochistan VII, 21 June to 17 July, 2021, delivered a talk on "Economic Uplift of Balochistan Short and Midterm Goals", delivered on 13rd of July, 2021. Organized by Headquarters 12 Corps.
- **34. Awareness Seminar** on "Contours of Economic Growth and Sustainable Development in Balochistan" delivered a lecturer at Dr. A M Shaikh Hall, Sindh Agriculture University Tandojam, On February 17th, 2022 (Thursday).
- 35. Keynote speaker, 1st International Multidisciplinary Conference on Sustainable Development: Avenue for

Knowledge and Research Collaboration, March 17th and 18th, 2022, University of Turbat.

- **36. Session chair,** Social Dynamics and Economic Activity, Pakistan Society of Development Economists, 36th Annual Meeting and Conference 2022, on Charter of Economy: Investment, Productivity and Employability, November 22 to 24, 2022.
- **37. Panelist of the Debate on Government and Economy,** 36th Annual Meeting and Conference 2022, on Charter of Economy: Investment, Productivity and Employability, November 22 to 24, 2022.
- 38. Paper presented in first Population Research Conference "Household's Perception for Better Conservation of Natural Vegetation: A Case Study of District Ziarat, Pakistan", March 20th at IBA, Karachi.
- 39. Paper presented in first Population Research Conference "Household Traits and Its Impact on Offspring's Educational Inclusion: Empirical Evidence from Urban and Rural Areas of Pakistan", March 20th at IBA, Karachi.
- **40. Invited guest speaker:** International Conference on Climate Change and its Social Implications, talked on the topic "Sustainable Economic growth in Balochistan province: In the context of Climate Change" 4 and 5th May 2023, University of Sind Jamshoro.
- **41.** Panelist on "Reforms for a brighter Future: Time to Decide, Balochistan Chapter". Engagement and Outreach for Economic Policy in Pakistan, 12 May, 2023. Organized by the World Bank, Pakistan Institute of Development Economics, (PIDE), and BUITEMS.
- **42.**Attended **National Workshop Balochistan XII**, held from 27th of November to 16th of December 2023, a joint event hosted by Government of Balochistan and Headquarters 12 Crops, Quetta.
- **43.** Invited speaker in "International Conference on Consequences of Environmental Degradation: Natural Disasters, Socio-Economic& Governance Challenges for Sindh, Pakistan and the Way Forward" on the topic **Enhancing food Security: Opportunities & Threats; with reference to Balochistan's Economy.** Held on 26 and 27th of February, 2024, at Sindh University Jamshoro.
- **44. Discussant** for session **Food and Agriculture** 4th PIDE-RASTA Conference, 3rd and 4th September 2024, held at Roomy Signature Hotel, Islamabad.
- 43. Part of the delegation of Pakistani think tank and scholars official visit to China 17 to 24th of September 2024.
- **44.** Paper titled "Corruption and Education: A Cross-country Analysis Using Panel Data" presented in the 4th International Conference Rethinking Economics in the Contemporary World held on 9th and 10th of December at IBA Karachi.
- **45.** Attended 5th RASTA- PIDE conference as **Research Advisory Committee** (RAC) held on 26 and 27th of February, 2025, at Roomy Signature Hotel, Islamabad.

c) Work Experience41

S. No	From (year)	To (year)	Name of the Institution/ Organization	Position held
1.	25.05.2017	Till date	BUITEMS, Quetta, Pakistan	Founding director, University College of Zhob, BUITEMS
2.	25.09.2014	25.05.2017	Faculty of Management Sciences, BUITEMS, Quetta, Pakistan	Dean Faculty of Management Sciences, BUITEMS
3.	21.12.2012	25.09.2014	Faculty of Management Sciences, BUITEMS, Quetta, Pakistan	In-charge Chairperson Department of Economics, BUITEMS
4.	01.12.2012	21.12.2012	Department of Economics, Faculty of	Assistant Professor

			Management Sciences, BUITEMS, Quetta, Pakistan		
5.	01.09.2008	30.11.2012	Center for Development Research (ZEF),	Junior Researcher/PhD student	
6.	04.10.2007	31.08.2008	Department of Economics, Faculty of Management Sciences, BUITEMS, Quetta, Pakistan	Assistant Professor	
7.	09.06.2006	18.10.200	Department of Economics, Faculty of Management Sciences, BUITEMS, Quetta, Pakistan	Lecturer	
8.	04.09.2004	08.06.200	Faculty of Management Sciences, BUITEMS, Quetta, Pakistan	Visiting Lecturer	
9.	30.04.2004	08.06.200	Department of Economics, Balochistan Agriculture College, UoB Quetta, Pakistan	Lecturer	
10.	15.08.2001	30.04.2004	Government of Balochistan, Agriculture and Cooperative Department	Deputy District Officer, Basima District Kharan	
11.	28.08.1999	15.08.200	Government of Balochistan, Agriculture and Cooperative Department	Agriculture Officer, Mashkey District Awaran	
12.	13.08.1999	27.08.1999	Government of Balochistan, Agriculture and Cooperative Department	Agriculture Officer (B-17)	
		I	Labor Economics, Child Labor, Public Econ	nomics, Economic	
Area	of Research In	terest I	Development, Human Capital Formation, E	ducation Economics,	
		A	Agricultural Economics,		
Expe	rtise	P	Proficient user of STATA, Excel, and SPSS		
HEC	Approved supe	ervisor	Yes		
			Sardar Bahadur Khan Women's University	ersity, Quetta 2014 to 2017	
Teach memb	hing as visiting :	faculty	 National Institute of Management, Quetta, 2014 to 2016 		
111(111)	oci		• Balochistan Civil Services Academy, Quetta. 2023-24		
Supervision			Supervised 13 MS students		
Other Scholarly Activities			 Editorial Board member: BUITEMS Journal of Applied and Emerging Sciences Editorial Board member: BUITEMS Journal of Social Science and Humanities 		
			• Reviewer: Market Force, A journal I	PAF-Karachi Institute of	
			 Economic Technology Member Board of study Department of Economics, SBK Women 		
			University, Quetta		

	Member Board of study Department of Economics, LUAWMS,
	Member Board of study Department of Economics, LUAWMS, Uthal.
	• HEC Best University Teacher Award: Received best University teacher of BUITEMS for the year 2015.
	As Dean Faculty of Management Sciences, started two new Programs
	 PhD Management Sciences and
	 BS Public Administration
	• Member: M.Phil/Ph.D. Program Reviewer of HEIs
	 RASTA, Research Advisory Committee (RAC) member Pakistan Institute of Development Economics.
	• Reviewer: Governance and Society Review, A journal of University of Management & Technology Lahore
	• The Pakistan Development Review, Issue Co-Editor, RASTA Special Issue, Vol.61-No. 2-2022.
	Reviewer: South Asian Journal of Social Studies and Economics
Projects:	 Education, Child labor and Human capital formation in selected urban and rural areas of Pakistan, GTZ, Germany, a project of 6000 Euro. Child Labor Causes, Consequences and Remedy: How we can take help from theory in the context of Pakistan, ORIC, BUITEMS. Part to the "Drought Risk Assessment in selected Districts of Balochistan", funded by UNDP/RFP/2015/019 Part of the "Innovation and Development through Transformation of Gend er Norms in Agriculture and Natural Resource Management", project funded by GENOVATE, and CIMMYT. As conference chair successfully conducted 2nd International Conference on Emerging Issues in Management and Economics, 9th and 10th October, 2015. Economic life of beggars: A case study of Quetta city, ORIC, BUITEMS. As conference chair successfully conducted 3rd International Conference on Emerging Issues in Management and Economics, 26th and 27th October, 2016. Socioeconomic Determinants of Girls Dropout in Secondary Education Ethnographic Study in Selected Districts of Balochistan, ORIC BUITEMS Grant in Aid for Urgently Needed Projects of University College of Zhob, BUITEMS, Rs. 54.54 Million. Working as Director University College Zhob, BUITEMS, a Federal PSDP project of Rs. 2472.616 Million. Earned four-year project for the students of Computer Science, University college Zhob, BUITEMS, worth of Rs. 8.336 million. Earned a Project of worth Rs, 15 million of Olive plantation at University College Zhob, BUITEMS, from Pakistan Oilseed Departm

	 Ministry of National Food Security and Research Islamabad, under the project "Promotion of Olive Cultivation on Commercial Scale in Pakistan". Got scholarships worth of Rs. 22.706 for the students of University College Zhob, BUITEMS, from Governor Balochistan Sheikh Jaffer Khan Mandokhail Earned a project worth 75 million from Balochistan Livelihood & Entrepreneurship Project (BLEP) for processing commercial and wild Olive. Earned a project of 0.36 million from Pakistan Educational Endowment Fund (PEEF) for training of Olive for the youth of Balochistan.
Additional Information/Memberships: -	 Member BUITEMS Syndicate, May 2013 to May 2015 Member BUITEMS Finance and Planning Committee 2014 to 2016 Member BUITEMS Disciplinary Committee from 2014 to 2016 Chairman Proctorial Board BUITEMS from 2013 to 2015 Member BUITEMS Performance Review Committee from 2013 to 2016. BUITEMS affiliation Committee Founding Director of University College of Zhob, BUITEMS Member of a Grievance Committee in UoB 2021 Member BUITEMS Academic Council from August 2022 to 2025 Member BUITEMS Advance Study and Research Board (AS&RB) from 2022 to 2024. Member BUITEMS Finance and Planning Committee, From 2022 to 2024. Member BUITEMS Syndicate, From 2022 to 2025 Member BUITEMS Senate, From June 2022 to June 2025 External Examiner for MS and Ph D, Applied Economic Research Center Karachi External Examiner for Ph D, Sind Agriculture University Tandojam

Membership

- Since May 2010: Asian Population Association (APA) Membership
- Since October 2010: Global Development Network (GDN) Membership

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