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Education:

Ph.D International Relations, Department of International Relations, Quaid-i-Azam University (QAU), Islamabad, 2008. *Ethnic Conflict in Sri Lanka: Domestic, Regional and International Linkages (1983-1993)*

Postgraduate Diploma in Conflict Resolution, *Department of Peace and Conflict Research*, Uppsala University, Sweden from April 19-June 27, 1999.

M.Sc. International Relations, Quaid-i-Azam University (QAU), Islamabad, 1982.

Area of specialization:

- Regional security, conflict resolution and peacebuilding in South Asia (Kashmir and Sri Lanka)
- Non-traditional security; energy, water, climate change and gender issues in the region.
- Foreign policy of Major Powers.

Professional Experience:

- Associate Prof. HOD Department of IR, Faculty of Contemporary Studies (FCS), NDU, Islamabad since September 2012.
- Senior Research Fellow, Institute of Regional Studies, Islamabad 1982-2012.
- **Visiting faculty experience:**
 - Command & Staff College, Quetta.
 - Intelligence Bureau Academy (IBA), Islamabad.
 - Information Services Academy (ISA), Islamabad.
 - Defence Services Intelligence Academy (DSIA), Islamabad.
 - Foreign Services Training Academy, Islamabad.
 - Council of Social Sciences (COSS), Islamabad.
 - Human Rights Commission of Pakistan (HRCP), Islamabad.
 - Christian Study Centre (CSC), Rawalpindi.
 - Department of Defence and Strategic Studies (DSS) Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad. (Taught M.Phil, Ph.D. courses

- Department of International Relations (IR), Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad:2010-2012.
 - Department of Peace and Conflict Studies (PCS), National Defence University, Islamabad;(Taught M.Phil, Ph.D. courses) 2009-2012.
 - Defence and Diplomatic Studies, Fatima Jinnah Women University (FJWU), Rawalpindi. (Taught courses at BS & MSC level) 2011-2012.
- **Administrative Experience:**
 - Acting HoDin IR Department, NDU various periods.
 - Member Board of Studies, FCS, NDU, Islamabad.
 - Member Board of Studies, Department of International Relations, NDU, Islamabad.
 - Member Admission Committee, FCS, NDU.
 - Course Coordinator for M.Phil&Ph.D, IR Department, FCS, NDU.
 - Incharge Students Affair, IR Department, FCS, NDU.
 - Member Comprehensive Examination Committee, DSS Department QAU, Islamabad, 2012.
 - Member Regional Council, South Asia Water Partnership since 2012.
 - Member Board of Governors of Pakistan Water Partnership (PWP) Pakistan since 2012.
 - Member Board of Governors of Centre for Peace, Development and Reform (CPDR), Islamabad.
 - Member Board of Studies, Fatima Jinnah Women University, Rawalpindi.
 - Member DTRC, Department of Peace & Conflict Studies, NDU, 2014.
 - Member DTRC, Department of Strategic Studies, NDU, 2016.
 - Member DTRC, Department of Defence& Diplomatic Studies, FJU, 2016.

Editorial Experience:

- Editor, FCS Journal, Journal of Contemporary Studies, NDU, Islamabad since June 2014.
 - Member Editorial Board, Quarterly Journal *Regional Studies* 2000-2012.
- **National & International Peer Reviewer:**

Rapporteur:

1. Rapporteur, International Seminar, "Trans-regional Stability and Security: Imperatives of Change", National Defence University Islamabad, 22-23 February 2016.

2. Rapporteur, *Conference on Climate Change & Energy Security*, organized by IR Department in collaboration with NDU, February 24, 2015.
3. Rapporteur, International Seminar, "Crossroads Asia: Dynamics of Peace & Progress", National Defence University Islamabad, 10-11 February 2015.
4. Chief Rapporteur, National Harmony Workshop, organized by FCS, NDU in collaboration with HEC, from 11-15 May 2015.
5. Chief Rapporteur, International Workshop on Kashmir: Looking Beyond the Peril", organized by NDU, 27-28 January 2014.
6. Third Summit Regional Steering Committee of the First Ladies of Asia-Pacific Region (RSC-AP), Islamabad, 10-12 February 2004.
7. A Roundtable Conference "A New Peace- A New War", organized by International Institute for Peace & Conflict Resolution (IIPCR), National University of Science & Technology (NUST), May 20-21, Islamabad 2004.

International Fellowships/Awards

- 2014** Commonwealth Professional Fellowship on 'Tourism and Peacebuilding in Kashmir, UK, July 2014.
- 2008** Visiting Fellow at Shanghai Institute for International Studies (SIIS), Shanghai, China, June-September 2008.
- 2000** Executive Course in Security Studies, *Asia Pacific Center for Security Studies*, Honolulu, Hawaii, 1 October- 18 December 2000.
- 2000** Visiting Fellow at the *Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (CASS)*, Beijing, 19 May -19 June 2000.
- 2000** Orientation Course in Human Rights & Peace Studies, *South Asia Forum for Human Rights (SAFHR)*, (7-21 February 2000) Kathmandu, Nepal.
- 1995** Fellowship at *Bandaranaike Centre for International Studies, (BCIS)*, Colombo, Sri Lanka, January -August 1995.
- 1994** Fellowship at *Henry L. Stimson Centre*, Washington D.C., USA, 1994.

Best University Teacher Award 2014

- Received Best University Teacher Award for 2014 by the Higher Education Commission of Pakistan.

Research Projects/data analysis

1. Relevance & Effectiveness of Track III Peacebuilding in Kashmir, 2016-17, by USIP, United States.
2. Tourism & Peace Building in Kashmir, 2015-16, by Conciliation Resources (CR, UK).

3. Impact of the Conflict on the lives of the people living along the Line of Control, 2014-15, by Centre for Dialogue & Reconciliation (CDR), India.
4. Data Analysis- Conflict in FATA: The Way Out, for *PAIMAN*, Pakistan, 2008.
5. "Strategic Conflict Assessment: Kashmir", *TheAsia Foundation*, July 2007.
6. Training Need Assessment Analysis of school children for crisis mitigation and disaster management in the earthquake affected districts of Mansehra & Muzaffarabad, 2006.
7. Training Need Assessment (TNA) of women elected representatives of Northern Areas of Pakistan, 2005.
8. Social & Political Dimension of Women Councilors in Pakistan, (national, province wise & district wise 2003.
9. Rapid Survey Assessment Analysis of SMCs District Hyderabad and Thatta, 2004.

Training Workshops

Resource person for *Media University, Islamabad*.

- "Media & Militancy: Conflict and Convergence" in the workshop on "Media & Communications" organized by Media University, Islamabad, 7 January 2010.

Research Supervised:

- **Ph.D under supervision :8 students from NDU, Islamabad.**

| S# | | |
|----|------------------------|--|
| 1. | Zulfiqar Hussain: | The Dynamics of Pak-China Strategic Relations: Challenges & Prospects in post 9/11 Era (Doctoral seminar conducted, 2016) |
| 2. | Najeeb Ahmad | Pakistan's National Security; A cross-sectoral Discourse Analysis of Securitization Processes (Doctoral seminar to be conducted in July 2016) |
| 3. | Shahid Dilawar | Understanding Extremism/terrorism in Pakistan: A Critical Terrorism Studies (CTS) Perspective |
| 4. | Arshad Mehmood | Combating Terrorism in Pakistan: Challenges & Opportunities; From 9/11 to post 2014. |
| 5. | Ali Raza Mudassar | Pakistan Counter-Terrorism Strategy: Challenges & Opportunities |
| 6. | Zahid Mehmood | Rise of Political Islam and Militant Discourses in Pakistan: Geo Politics of Religion, Identity, and External linkages |
| 7. | Syed Muhammad Ali Shah | Political Economy of Climate Change: A Case Study of Pakistan |
| 8. | Amin Abdusamad | Changing Dynamics of Regional Politics: A Case study of Indo-US Strategic Partnership |

• **M.Phil theses supervised: (62)(PCS/ IR/FSS/GPP Department of NDU)**

| S.No | Name of Stds | Dept | Thesis Title | year |
|-------------|---------------------------|-------------|---|-------------|
| 1. | Maryam Zaweej | PCS | Information Warfare – A Case Study of Pakistani Taliban | 2011 |
| 2. | Zafar Mahmood | PCS | Militancy in Frontier Regions of Pakistan: Ideological Face | 2011 |
| 3. | Nida Hameed | PCS | US Counter Terrorism Strategy in Afghanistan: Implications for Pakistan | 2011 |
| 4. | Shahid Dilawar | PCS | Impact of Gender Inequality on the Security Dynamics of Pakistan | 2011 |
| 5. | Nawaz Ali | PCS | War on Terror and its impact on Pakistan's Security | 2011 |
| 6. | Qasim Janjua | PCS | The emergence and Rationale of Private Security | 2011 |
| 7. | Muhammad Aamer Naz | PCS | Indian Nation of Cold Star – Its Viability and Response Options for Pakistan | 2011 |
| 8. | Iram Farrukh | PCS | Role of Gender in Conflict Zones: A Case Study of Kashmir | 2011 |
| 9. | Khitab Gul | PCS | US Af Pak Policy: Implications for Af-Pak Relations | 2011 |
| 10. | Syed Waqas Haider Bukhari | IR | China's Role in Afghanistan and its effects on Regional Dynamics | 2012 |
| 11. | Ashfaq Ahmed Malik | PCS | Indo-US Partnership: Implications for Pakistan | 2012 |
| 12. | Rana Kashan Saleem | PCS | US Interests Central Asia Post 9/11 Challenges and Prospects | 2012 |
| 13. | Uzma Akhtar | PCS | War on Terrorism and its impact on Internal Security | 2012 |
| 14. | Asifa Jehangir | IR | Changing dynamics of Pakistan-China Strategic Partnership: Challenges and Prospects | 2012 |
| 15. | Asma Tariq | PCS | Conflict Management: A Case Study of Indus Water Treaty | 2012 |
| 16. | Tariq Mehmood | PCS | Conflict Resolution: Post 9/11 Muslim's Perspective | 2012 |
| 17. | Syed Raghab Ali | PCS | Sino-US Relations: Primary of Geopolitics or Geo Economics? | 2012 |
| 18. | Ali Raza Mudassar | PCS | Pakistan's Counterterrorism Strategy: Challenges and Opportunities | 2012 |
| 19. | Mehreen Mumtaz | PCS | Environmental Security in Pakistan: Challenges and Prospects | 2013 |

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| 20. | Marium Shah | PCS | US War on Terror in Afghanistan: Is it a Just War? | 2013 |
| 21. | Muhammad Ahsan Khan | PCS | Maoist - Naxalite Movement in India | 2013 |
| 22. | AnasAsad | PCS | Security Threats to Pakistan in 21 st Century | 2013 |
| 23. | Sajjad Malik | PCS | “Role of FM Radio in Rise of Taliban in Swat” | 2010 |
| 24. | Muhammad Akram Khan | PCS | Afghan Transit Trade: Implications for Pakistan | 2012 |
| 25. | Shafaq Fatima | IR | Pakistan’s Policy towards Taliban Post-2014 | 2013 |
| 26. | Shahana Shah | IR | A constructive approach to understanding Pakistan’s Foreign Policy towards India and China | 2014 |
| 27. | Muhammad NaeemSarwar | IR | Indo-Pak Water Conflict and Its Implications on Pakistan’s Agriculture Sector | 2016 |
| 28. | NaziaSafdar | IR | Impact of Climate Change on Indus Basin and Its Implications for Pakistan | 2015 |
| 29. | Bilal Aslam | IR | Environmental Degradation as an Issue of Human Security in Pakistan | 2015 |
| 30. | Rafia Nasir | IR | A Critical Analysis of Turkish Foreign Policy Under Erdogan’s Regime | 2015 |
| 31. | Shaukat Mubarak | IR | United Nations Security Council Reform: need for Change in a Changing Global Politics | 2015 |
| 32. | Majid Mehmood | IR | Traditional and Non-Traditional Challenges for Pakistan’s Defense Policy in Next Decade | 2015 |
| 33. | Ayesha Malik | IR | Post Arab Spring: The Politico-Economic and Security Challenges of Middle East | 2015 Viva awaited |
| 34. | AizaAzam | IR | SINO- US Engagement in Asia Pacific: Regional Implications | 2015 |
| 35. | Raja FakharJalil | IR | Humanitarian Intervention and Role of N: A case Study of Liya and Syria | 2014 |
| 36. | KhawarTasneem | IR | Understanding FATA: Winning the Hearts and Minds | 2014 |
| 37. | UmerJavedGhumman | IR | Politics of Sanctions: A Comparative Case Study of Iran and North Korea | 2014 |
| 38. | Sidrah Hashmi, | IR | US Pivot to Asia Policy: Challenges and Prospects | 2014 |
| 39. | AmanUllah | IR | Role of Media and Pakistan’s Foreign Policy | 2014 |

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| 40. | UzmaMushtaque | IR | Impact of Arab Uprising on MENA Oil Market: Implications for US Energy Security | 2014 |
| 41. | Sobia Jamil | IR | Sino-US Competition in Asia Pacific: Challenges to Regional Stability and Future Prospects | 2014 |
| 42. | Syed Zohaib Abbas | IR | Syrian Crisis: A Comparative Case Study of US and Russian Interests | 2014 |
| 43. | Haleema Maria | IR | Emerging Challenges in Geo-Political Environment and Pakistan's Foreign Policy Response | 2014 |
| 44. | Kamil Hayat | IR | Granting MFN Status to India: Implications for Pakistan | 2014 |
| 45. | ZahidMehmoodZahid | IR | Post 2014 Afghanistan: Challenges & Prospects of Peace and Stability | 2014 |
| 46. | Muhammad ZeeshanAshfaq | IR | US Rebalancing to Asia-Pacific: Challenges and Prospects for Sino-Russian Partnership | 2014 |
| 47. | Zia Ishaque | IR | Geopolitics of New Silk Route: Challenges and Opportunities for Pakistan | 2014 |
| 48. | A/CdreImtiazSattar | FSS | Indian Non-Military Threat to Pakistan | 2014 |
| 49. | Guldad | GPP | Identifying Structure of TTP as Militant Organization to Determine its Impact on Pakistan's Counter terrorism Policy: Issues and Policy Options | 2015 |
| 50. | SiddraLiaqat | PCS | Cultural Barriers to the Role of Women in Institutional Decision Making in Pakistan: A Comparative Study of Lahore and Muzaffarabad | 2014 |
| 51. | Mahrukh Malik | IR | Future Prospects of China-Japan Relations: Case Study of Japan's Re-Militarization | 2016 |
| 52. | SyedaQuratulAin | IR | Politics of Sustainable Energy in South Asia | 2016 |
| 53. | NamraRubab | IR | Increasing Sino-India Relation; Impact on Pakistan | 2016 |
| 54. | NaqeebUllah | IR | Nuclear Dettrence in South Asia: The Strategic Future of the Region | 2016 |
| 55. | Muhammad Haris Bilal | IR | Putin's Resurgent Russia: Challenges and Opportunities | 2016 |
| 56. | Muhammad Abbas | IR | China's Military Modernization and its Implications for the Asia-Pacific | 2016 |

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| 57. | Azka Zaidi | IR | Non Traditional Security Issues: Water Dispute ; case Study of South Asia | 2016 |
| 58. | Rabia Mustafa | IR | Shift in World Order: Emerging Economies ; case Study of China and Russia | 2016 |
| 59. | MuhamamdAdil | IR | Pakistan's Climate Change Response: Challenges and Prospects | 2016 |
| 60. | Salma Javeria | IR | Pak-Russia bilateral relations in the wake of re-emergence of Russia | 2015 |
| 61. | JaveriaRebaz | IR | Radicalization and Counter-Radicalization: Analysis of Extremists' Youth Recruitment Process in Pakistan | 2016 viva awaited |
| 62. | IqraMobin | IR | A Discursive Analysis of Iran's Foreign Policy towards US under Ahmadinejad and Hassan Rouhani | 2016 viva awaited |

- Currently supervising over 16M.Phil and eightPh.D dissertations at NDU, Islamabad.
- **MA theses supervised (10):** All students from *Defense and Diplomatic Studies*, Fatima Jinnah University (FJW), Rawalpindi.

Courses Taught

- Politics of Asia Pacific
- Foreign Policy of Great Powers
- Foreign Policy of Major Powers
- Conflict & Cooperation in South Asia
- South Asia in World Politics
- Energy Security and Environmental Politics in South Asia
- Seminar on Regional Security Problems
- Seminar on International Terrorism & Security
- Peace and Conflict Analysis
- Peace Research: Theory and Practice
- Theories of war and peace
- Revolutionary Warfare
- Negotiations & Comparative Peace Processes

PUBLICATIONS (63)

Books (3)

- 1996** *The State of Muslims in India*, South Asian Studies- VI, Institute of Regional Studies, Islamabad, 1996.
- 1993** *Terror in Indian Held Kashmir : Massive Violations of Human Rights*, South Asian Studies- V, Institute of Regional Studies, Islamabad, 1993.
- 1991** *Uprising in Indian-held Jammu & Kashmir*, South Asian Studies- III, Institute of Regional Studies, Islamabad, 1991.

Research Monograph : (1)

- 1996** *Geo-strategic Dynamics of Indo-Sri Lanka Relations*, Bandaranaike Centre for International Studies, Colombo.

Policy Briefs/Discussion Papers : International(3)

- 2013:** Co-author, Institutionalizing Confidence Building Measures on Kashmir, Conciliation Resources, December 2013.
- 2011** Co-author, Tourism and Peacebuilding in Kashmir, *Policy Brief*, United States Institute for Peace (USIP), Washington DC., July 2011.
- 2014:** Cross-LoC CBMs on Indus, *IPCS Discussion Paper*, IPCS, Delhi, 2014.

Articles : International (3)

- Impact of conflict: A case study of people living close to the Line of Control (LoC) in AJK', in *Living on the Margins: Complex Narratives of the People Living along the LoC*, Centre for Dialogue and Reconciliation (CDR), 2015.
- The Impact of the Kashmir Conflict on the 'Divided Families', in *Living on the Margins: Complex Narratives of the People Living along the LoC*, Centre for Dialogue and Reconciliation (CDR), 2015.
- Understanding Nuclear Aspirations and Behaviour of North Korea and Iran, *Strategic Analysis*, Vol. 38 Issue 05, 17 September 2014.

Chapters in Books -International (9)

- 'Renewable Energy and Adaptation: A Pakistani Perspective', in *Integrating Global Responses to Climate Change and Energy Security*, Centre for South Asian Studies (CSAS), Kathmandu, Nepal, December 2015.
- Risks of Proliferation and Terrorism in 21st Century, Chapter in DrKunze, Dr MaierJahrhundertgefahren, EINUNDZWANZIG, Jahrhundertchancen (A Century of Perils, a Century of Opportunities,) Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung/ Finkckenstein&Salmuth Berlin, Germany 2010.

- Human Security and Extremism in Pakistan: Synergy and Conflict, Chapter in Human Security Approach to Counter-Extremism in South Asia: Relevance of Japanese Culture, ShaheenAfroze, ed., BISS & Academic Press and Publishers Library, Dhaka, 2010.
- “Managing Ethnic Conflict In Sri Lanka: Going Beyond the LTTE”, in Ehsan Ahrari& Robert G. Wirsing, eds., Fixing Fractured Nations: The challenge of ethnic Separatism in the Asia Pacific, (Palgrave Macmillan: USA), 2010.
- Women and Peacebuilding in AJK, in WP Sidhu & Bushra Asif, (eds) *New Voices : New Approaches*, (Boulder : Lynne Rienner), 2006.
- Pakistan’s Role in Combating Terrorism: Domestic Realities and International Compulsions After 9/11, in Rohan Gunaratna, *Combating Terrorism*, (Singapore: Marshall Cavendish Academic), 2005.
- Linkage between Confidence-Building Measures (CBMs) and Peace Process in South Asia, in MoonisAhmear, ed. *Paradigms of Conflict Resolution in South Asia*, (Dhaka: The University Press Limited), 2003.
- Pakistan’s Ethnic Dimensions of Security: Challenges and Prospects, in *Comprehensive security in South Asia: Ethnic Dimensions* (: New Delhi: Delhi Policy Group), 2003.
- Institutionalizing CBMs and Security Cooperation in South Asia in Mohammad HumanyunKabir, ed., *Confidence Building Measures and Security Cooperation in South Asia : Challenges in the Future Century*, (Dhaka : BISS Academic Press & Publishers Limited), 2002.

Chapters in Books -National (7)

- ‘Hydel Power: An affordable, sustainable option for Pakistan’ in *Solutions for Energy Crisis*, IPRI, December 2015.
- Exploring Cooperation in Cross-LoC Management of water and Environmental Resources: Opportunities & Challenges”, in Manzoor Ahmed Abbasi& Ehsan Mehmood Khan, eds., *Kashmir: Looking Beyond the Peril*, National & military History Cell, ISSRA, NDU, Islamabad. 2014.
- Kashmir Conflict, International community and Deterrence Stability in South Asia, in DrZulfqar Khan, ed. *Nuclear Pakistan:Strategic Dimensions*, Oxford University Press (OUP), 2011.

- The Rationale of Restructuring SAARC: Issues and Modalities, in *The Restructuring of SAARC*, MoonisAhmar, Department of International Relations, University of Karachi, 2010.
- Importance of Areas Studies Centers in International Relations: The Role of Regional Studies, in MoonisAhmar, ed., *International Relations Today: Theories and Areas of Research*, (Department of International Relations: University of Karachi. 2009.
- Internal Dynamics of South Asian Security : The Relevance of Non-military Issues in MoonisAhmar, ed. *Internal and External Dynamics of South Asian Security*, (Karachi : Fazleesons (Pvt.) Ltd.) 1998
- Elections in Indian-Held Kashmir and Resolution of the Kashmir Dispute, in Talat Ayesha Wizarat, ed., *Conflict Resolution in a New Era : Lessons for South Asia*, (Department of International Relations, University of Karachi & Hanns Seidel Foundation, Germany: BCC & T Press, University of Karachi) 1997.

Articles in Journals in (Y) category (33)

- 2013-14** "India-Pakistan Cross border Peace Initiatives: Challenges and Prospects", *Regional Studies*, (Vol. XXXII, No.1) Winter 2013-14.
- 2012-13** AJK Women and Strategic Peacebuilding in Kashmir, *Regional Studies*, Vol. XXXI, No. 1, Winter 2012-13.
- 2012** Intra Kashmir dialogue: Need for consensus, *Strategic Studies*, Vol. XXXII, Nos. 2-3, 2012.
- 2012** Expanding Cross-LoC Interactions: A Conflict Transformation Approach to Kashmir, *Regional Studies*, Vol. XXX, No. 1, Winter 2011-12.
- 2010** Emerging Challenges to Indus Waters Treaty: Issues of Compliance & Transboundary Impacts of Indian projects on the Western Rivers, *Regional Studies*, Vol. XXVIII. No. 4, Autumn 2010.
- 2010** Lok Sabha Elections 2009 : An Analysis, *Regional Studies*, Vol. XXVIII, Spring 2010.
- 2009** Indo-US Strategic Partnership: Implications for China, *Regional Studies*, Vol. XXVII No. 1. Winter 2008-09
- 2008** India-Pakistan Peace Process: Challenges and Prospects, *BIIS Journal*, Vol. 29. No.4. October 2008.
- 2008** Role of Leadership in India-Pakistan Peace Process", *Regional Studies*, (Vol. XXVI No. 1 Winter 2007-08
- 2006** Ethnic Conflict in Sri Lanka: Is it Ripe for a Solution? *Regional Studies*, (Vol XXV No. 3.) Summer 2007.

- 2007** War of Terrorism& Kashmir issue, *Journal of Political Studies*, Department of Political Science, University of Punjab, Lahore.
- 2004** Pak-Sri Lanka Economic Relations: Economic Dimension, in *Pakistan-Sri Lanka Relations*, (Seminar Proceedings) Institute of Strategic Studies, (ISSI)23 February 2004.
- 2004** Irish Model and Kashmir Conflict : Search for a New Paradigm for Peace in South Asia, *Regional Studies*, (Vol. XXII, No. 4), Autumn 2004.
- 2002** IHK 'State Assembly Elections 2002', *Regional Studies*, (Vol. XXI, No. 2), 2003.
- 2001** Pak-China Economic relations : Forging strategic partnership in the 21st century, *Regional Studies*, (XXI: 3) Summer 2001.
- 2001** co-author Shaheen Akhtar, Sheila Zulfiqar, KetutGunawan& Thakur Dakhal, "Success and failure of international mediation: A comparative study of Bosnia-Herzegovina, East Timor and Kashmir", *Journal of European Studies*, vol.16 & 17, July 2000-January 2001.
- 2000** Elections in IHK, 1951-1999 : Democratic Process Versus the Right of Self-determination, ", *Regional Studies*, (XVIII : 3), Summer 2000.
- 1999** Nuclearisation of South Asia&Kashmir Dispute, *Regional Studies*, (XVII : 3), Summer 1999.
- 1997** Reviving Political Process in IHK : Problems & Prospects, *Regional Studies*, (XVI : 2), Spring 1998.
- 1997** Lok Sabha Elections in India 1996, *Regional Studies*, (XV : 2), Spring 1997.
- 1996-97** Peace Process in Sri Lanka: Problems & Prospects, *Regional Studies*, (XV:1), Winter 1996-97.
- 1996** Reviving the Elections Farce in Jammu and Kashmir, *Strategic Studies*, (XVIII: 2&3) Winter 1995 & Spring 1996.
- 1995** Determinants of Foreign Policy Behaviour of Small States in South Asia, *Regional Studies*, (XIII : 2), Spring 1995.
- 1993** India in South Asia: An Analysis of Hegemonial Relationship, *Regional Studies*, (XI : 3), Summer 1993.
- 1991-92** Punjab at the Crossroads, *Regional Studies*, (X : 1), Winter 1991-92)

- 1990 Indian Elections 1989- An Analysis, *Regional Studies*, (VIII : 4), Autumn 1990)
- 1989 Insurgency in North-East India : A Search for Autonomy, *Regional Studies*, (VII : 4), Autumn 1989)
- 1988-89 Mizo Accord: Implications for the North-East India, *Regional Studies*, (VII : 1), Winter 1988-89)
- 1988 Bride- Burning in India : A Sociological Study, *Regional Studies*, (VI : 4), Autumn 1988)
- 1986 Indo-Soviet Economic Relations, *Regional Studies*, (IV : 3), Summer 1986)
- 1983 Bonded Labour in Hindi belt of India, *Regional Studies*, (I : 2), Spring 1983)
- 1983 Dacoity in Central India: A Sociological Study, *Regional Studies*, (I : I), Winter 1983)

Articles: 'Z' Category (2) others (1)

- 2011 Quest for Reinterpreting the IWT: Pakistan's Dilemma, *Special Margalla Papers*, NDU, Islamabad, 2011.
- 2009 Kashmir and Strategic Stability in South Asia, *SASSI Paper* No. 29. November 2009.
- 2006 India -Pakistan Peace Process: Role of Perceptions, *Margalla Paper*, January 2006.
- 2000 Strategic and Political Dimensions of Geoeconomic World Order: Implications for South Asia, in Dr. S M Rahman, ed. *Globalization : Geoeconomic World Order*, FRIENDS : Asia Printers, 2000.

Conference/seminars/workshops participation& paper presentation

- **2016:** Participated in Track II meeting on Kashmir from 25 to 29 April 2016 in Thailand. It was facilitated by Conciliation Resources (CR) in Chiang Mai, Thailand.
- **2016:** Participated in International conference on Indigenous Resource Management, Challenges and Opportunities, organized by University of Management Sciences and Information Technology (UMSIT), Kotli AJK, on 14-15 April 2016. Paper read on 'Hydropower Development in AJK: Challenges & Prospects'.

- **2015:** Participated in Regional Conference on ‘Integrating Global Responses to Climate Change & Energy security’, organized by Centre for South Asia Studies (CSAS) in Collaboration with KAS, July 7-8 2015, Kathmandu, Nepal. Paper presented on ‘Renewable Energy and adaptation: APakistani perspective’.
- **2015:** Participated in Roundtable on ‘Disaster Risk Management in Conflict Sensitive region of Kashmir’, organized by Cambridge University in collaboration with Conciliation Resources (CR) on 30 June 2015. Participated in training workshop on ‘Disaster Management’, organized by CR on 1st July, 2015.
- **2015:** Participated in ‘Reflections and Joint Learning’ workshop organized by Conciliation Resources in Kathmandu, Nepal from 14-18 March 2015.
- **2015:** Participated in the 6th Think Tanks Forum of the Islamic Countries on ‘Addressing Multi-Dimensional Security Challenges’ organized by Pakistan-China Institute (PCI) on 7-8 March 2015. Chaired session on Cooperative Security: Challenges and Prospects.
- **2015:** Organized and participated in a conference on *Climate Change & Energy Security*, jointly organized by Dept. of IR National Defence University (NDU) & FNF based in Islamabad on February 25, 2015. Read paper on ‘Climate change response: Harnessing renewable energy resources of Pakistan’.
- **2015:** Participated in a National Workshop on “Solutions for Energy Crisis”, organized by IPRI & HSF, in Islamabad on December 17, 2014. Spoke on ‘Hydel Power: An affordable, sustainable option for Pakistan’.
- **2015:** Speaker at ‘Understanding Terrorism and Counter Terrorism Course 19-23 January 2015, organized by UMT-TRI at Lahore. Delivered lecture on ‘Counter terrorism and counter insurgency, on 23 January 2015.
- **2014:** Participated in Workshop for Leadership Development Programme (LDP) organized by LEAD Pakistan. Delivered lecture on Hydro diplomacy : Building Peace on Shared Waters, Transboundary Water Resources, on 20 December 2014, Islamabad.
- **2014:** Participated in Conflict Transformation Workshop on the ‘Role of Women in contributing to Peace & Development in Kashmir’, organized by CR in Manila, Philippines, 14-19 November 2014.
- **2014:** Participated in 20th Regional Council Meeting and General Assembly of Global Water Partnership South Asia (GWP SAS) organized by GWP-SAS, in Colombo, Sri Lanka, 10-12 October 2014,
- **2014:** Participated in a Roundtable, on ‘India, Pakistan and the Quest for Normalization of Jammu and Kashmir’ organized by USIP on 28 April 2014 in Washington DC, USA.

- **2014:** Regional Workshop on “Sharing Lessons and Experiences on Current Water Management Issues, Opportunities and Challenges from Deltaic Regions in Pakistan including Impending Climate Change Impacts” organized by Bangladesh Water Partnership (BWP) on 28-29 March 2014. Paper presented on “Climate Change and the Indus Deltaic region”.
- **2014:** Participated in International Workshop on Kashmir: Looking beyond the Peril, organized by ISSRA, NDU on 27-28 January 2014. Paper presented on “Exploring Cooperation in Cross-LoC Management of Water & Environmental Resources: Challenges & Opportunities”.
- **2014:** Participated in India-Pakistan water Dialogue, organized jointly by Jinnah Institute & CDR, in Bangalore, India, 16-17 February 2014. Paper presented on ‘Challenges of Climate Change and Changing Demographics in the region’.
- **2013:** Participated in Roundtable on ‘Managing Ceasefire on the LoC (2003-2013), organized on 7 November 2013 by Dept. of IR, FCS, National Defence University, Islamabad.
- **2013:** Participated in shared analysis Workshop on “peacebuilding Opportunities in Kashmir”, from July 3-8, 2013 organized by CR in Nicosia, Cyprus.
- **2013:** “Solution to energy Crisis in Pakistan”, seminar organized by Islamabad Policy Research Institute (IPRI), on May 15-16 2013 at Islamabad. Paper presented on “Hydel Power: Confronting Dwindling Resources”.
- **2013:** Participated in a meeting on “Kashmir and India-Pakistan Peace Process” from 27 April to 01 May 2013, organized by Conciliation Resources (CR), in Bangkok, Thailand.
- **2013:** Participated in Regional Peace Conference on “Mothers for Change”, organized by Paiman, in Islamabad on 18 April 2013. Made presentation on “Women Moderating Extremism: Experience Sharing”.
- **2013:** Participated in seminar on the Asian Century: Opportunities and Challenges, organized by IR Department, NDU on March 28, 2013. Paper presented on “The Changing Dynamics of Great Powers’ Competition in the Asian Century”.
- **2013:** Participated in dialogue on ‘Towards Indus Waters Governance: India-Pakistan Track II on the Indus Basin, organized by IPCs, in Dubai, UAE, 21-22 March 2013, paper presented on “Cross-LoC CBMs on the Indus”.
- **2013:** Participated in dialogue on “Women to women: Peace by Piece”, organized by Paiman with ASSOCHAM India, New Delhi, February 2013.

- **2012:** Participated in conference on 'Water and Energy Security in Pakistan: The Way Forward', organized by Islamabad Policy Research Institute (IPRI), on December 20, 2012. Presentation on "Climate Change and Sustainable Management of Indus Basin".
- **2012:** Participated in conference on 'Building Bridges: Strengthening Physical, Emotional and Economic Linkages, Paper presented on "Energy Corridors within and across South Asia', organized by IPCS, as part of COSATT dialogue on 12-13 September 2012 at Thimpu, Bhutan.
- **2012:** Participated in conference on 'Building Bridges: Strengthening Physical, Emotional and Economic Linkages', organized by IPCS, in Nepal on 6-7 April 2012. Paper presented on Networking through Institutions: Role of Think Tanks and Research Institutions.
- **2012:** Participated in conference on 'Problems of Democracy in Asia', organized by CNAS-HiPeC, Nepal, 25 March 2012. Paper presented on AJK Women and Peacebuilding in Kashmir.
- **2012:** Participated in Conflict Training Workshop, organized by Centre for Peace and Conflict Studies and Conciliation Resources, Cambodia, 25 February to 5 March 2012.
- **2011:** Participated in Pak-India Forum for Peace and Democracy Joint Convention, Allahabad, India, 26-31 December 2011.
- **2011:** Participated in international conference on 'Rivers Waters: Perspectives and Challenges for Asia, organized by Foundation for Non-violent Alternatives, Delhi, 18-20 November 2011. Presentation made on Skype due to delay in visa process.
- **2011:** Participated in conference on 'Women and Peace building', organized by CDR in Srinagar, India, in September 2011.
- **2011:** Participated in meeting on 'Jammu & Kashmir: Confidence building across divides', organized by Conciliation Resources, Dubai, UAE, June 2011.
- **2011:** Participated in conference on 'Kashmir in Emerging Global Perspective, presentation on Conflict Transformation in Kashmir: Expanding Cross-LoC Interactions, organized by University of Muzaffarabad, May 2011.
- **2011:** Participated in international Workshop on Sustainable Management of Himalayan Rivers in Dhaka, Bangladesh in April 2011, it was organized by International Farrakka Committee (IFC), New York. Presentation on Climate Change & Sustainable Management of Indus Basin.
- **2011:** Participated in Symposium on "Water Conflicts in Southern Asia", organized by S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, (RSIS) Nanyang Technological University (NTS), Singapore on 18 February 2011 in Singapore. Presentation on India-Pakistan Water issues.

- **2011:** Participated in “Pakistan’s Water Security Dilemma: Re-Visiting the Efficacy of Indus Water Treaty”, organized by National Defence University (NDU), Islamabad on 19 January 2011. Paper read on Quest for re-interpreting the Indus Water Treaty: Pakistan’s Dilemma”.
- **2010:** Participated in Sustainable Development Conference (SDC) on by SDPI 22-24 December 2010. Paper read on Climate Change & IWT: issues in Transboundary Water Management”.
- **2010:** Participated in Seminar on East and Central Europe: The Impact of EU Membership on Foreign Policy, Domestic Politics and Economy. Paper read on the ‘Global Projection of European Civilian Power’. It was organized by Area Study Centre for Europe, Karachi, 24-25 November 2010.
- **2010:** Participated in APCSS South Asia Alumni Symposium on Combating Terrorism, Male, Maldives, 25 – 27 May 2010.
- **2010:** Participated in Regional Workshop on Restructuring of SAARC, organized by University of Karachi & Hanns-Seidel Foundation, Karachi, 30-31 March 2010. Paper, presented on ‘The Rationale of Restructuring SAARC: Issues and Modalities.’
- **2009:** Participated in International conference on Human Security Approach to Counter-Extremism in South Asia: Relevance of Japanese Culture. Organized by BISS & Japan Foundation, Dhaka, 24-25 November 2009. Paper presented on ‘Human Security and Extremism in Pakistan: Synergy and Conflict.’
- **2008:** Participated in 1st International Relations Conference, The State of International Relations in Pakistan, Department of International Relations, University of Karachi, Higher Education Commission & Hanns Seidel Foundation, University of Karachi 26-27, March 2008. Paper presented on ‘Importance of ‘Area Studies and International Relations: The Role of Regional Studies.’
- **2008:** Participated in International seminar on Humanitarian Intervention in Fragile States’, Bangladesh Institute of Peace and Security Studies (BIPSS) & International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC), 10 January 2008. Paper presented on “Humanitarian Intervention in a Fragile State: A Case Study of Indian Intervention in Sri Lanka’.
- **2007:** Participated in Indo-Pak Conference on ‘The Kashmir Dispute: Making Borders Irrelevant, organized by Institute of Peace and Conflict Studies (IPCS), New Delhi, held in Colombo, 23 November 2007.
- **2007:** Participated in National Conference on War on Terrorism and its Implications for South Asia, Department of Political Science, University of Punjab, Lahore, 12 April 2007. Paper presented on ‘Kashmir and War of Terrorism’.

- **2007:** Participated in International Conference on Jammu & Kashmir: The Road Ahead, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 21 March 2007. Paper presented on 'Kashmir and India-Pakistan Peace Process'.
- **2007:** Participated in an International Conference on "Jammu and Kashmir Dispute: Models for Resolutions", organised by the Institute of Strategic Studies, Islamabad (ISSI) and Kashmir Institute of International Studies (KIIR), at Islamabad, 16-17, March 2007.
- **2007:** Participated in International Conference on Perspectives on Religion, Politics and Society in South Asia, Pakistan Studies Centre & Department of History and Pakistan Studies, Lahore, 19-20 February 2007. Paper presented on the 'Role of Leadership in India-Pakistan Peace Process'.
- **2005:** Participated in Seminar on Pakistan-Sri Lanka Relations, Institute of Strategic Studies, (ISSI) Islamabad & Bandaranaike Centre for International Studies, (BCIS) Colombo, Islamabad, 23 February 2005. Paper presented on 'Pakistan-Sri Lanka Relation : Economic Dimension'.
- **2005:** Participated in workshop on Contemporary Conflict Resolution- State of the Art, organized jointly by The Institute of Strategic Studies, Research and Analysis (ISSRA) at the National Defence College (NDC), Islamabad and the South Asian Strategic Stability Unit (SASSU), Department of Peace Studies, University of Bradford, UK, 24 February 2005.
- **2005:** Participated in author workshop on New Voices, New Approaches, International Peace Academy, (IPA), New York, & Institute of Defence and Strategic Studies, (IDSS) Singapore, in Singapore from 6-8 January 2005. Paper presented on 'Women and the Kashmir Conflict: Perspectives from AJK'.
- **2003:** Participated in Seminar on Ethnic Dimensions of Security in South Asia, Delhi Policy Group & International Centre for Ethnic Studies, Colombo, 12-13, June 2003. Paper presented on 'Pakistan's Ethnic Dimensions of Security: Challenges and Prospects'.
- **2002:** Participated in Workshop on Democracy Assessment Indicators in South Asia, Dhaka, 8 -19, November 2002.
- **2002:** Participated in Conference on Transnational Violence at the Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies (APCSS), Honolulu, Hawaii, 19-21, February 2002. Paper presented on 'Geo-strategic Implications of Terrorism in South Asia: Pakistan's Perspective'.
- **2001:** Participated in Workshop on Paradigms of Conflict Resolution in South Asia, Department of International Relations, University of Karachi, 22-

23, December 2001. Paper presented on 'Linkage between Confidence-Building Measures (CBMs) and Peace Process in South Asia'.

- **2001:** Participated in International Conference on CBMs and Security Cooperation in South Asia : Challenges in the New Century, Bangladesh International Institute for Strategic Studies (BISS), 3-5 November 2001, Dhaka, Bangladesh. Paper presented on 'Institutionalizing CBMs and Security Cooperation in South Asia'.
- **2001:** Participated in Workshop on Conflict Resolution: Trends and Prospects organized by WISCOMP, 3-7 October 2001, New Delhi, India.
- **2001:** Participated in author workshop on Managing Contemporary Insurgencies, organized by UNU Tokyo in Kathmandu, Nepal, 25-27 May 2001.
- **1999:** Participated in the International Seminar on "Geo-economic World Order", organized by the FRIENDS, Islamabad, 14-16 September 1999. Paper, presented on 'Strategic and Political Dimensions of Geo-economic World Order: Implications for South Asia'.
- **1998:** Participated in Workshop on "South Asian Women in International Relations/Security: Building Co-operative Networks", organized by National Institute of Advanced Studies (NIAS), Bangalore, India, 30-31 July 1998.
- **1998:** Participated in workshop on Regional International Affairs Programme in Asia, organized by the RCSS, Colombo, 15-16 December 1998.
- **1997:** Participated in Residential Workshop on Sources of Conflict in South Asia : Ethnicity, Refugees, Environment, Regional Centre for Strategic Studies (RCSS) Kandy, Sri Lanka, 6-16 March 1997.

Newspaper articles:

1. Expanding Cross-LoC interactions, *Rising Kashmir*, (Srinagar) 18 April 2012.
2. Kashmir: Pakistan's unfinished Agenda', *Aljazeera*, August 21, 2011. <http://www.aljazeera.com/indepth/opinion/2011/08/2011887641662208.html>
3. Sustaining AJK economy, *Dateline Islamabad*, 21 December 2011
4. Building Bridges in Kashmir, *Dateline Islamabad*, 13 December 2011.
5. Tapi takes off, *Dateline Islamabad*, November 2011
6. Breaking Trade barriers, *Dateline Islamabad*, November 2011
7. Governing water crisis, *Dateline Islamabad*, October 2011
8. Twin brother, *Dateline Islamabad*, October 2011.
9. Kishenganga on the hold, *Dateline Islamabad*, September 2011
10. Reforming FATA, *Dateline Islamabad*, September 2011.
11. Constructive Engagement, *Dateline Islamabad*, 3 August 2011.

12. Salvaging Pak-US ties, *Dateline Islamabad*, 20 July 2011.
13. Faultlines in AJK mandate, *Dateline Islamabad*, 6 July 2011.
14. Pakistan turns to SCO, *Dateline Islamabad*, 22 June 2011.
15. Let trade blossom, *Dateline Islamabad*, 8 June 2011.
16. Looking up to China, *Dateline Islamabad*, 25 May 2011.
17. Liberalizing trade with India, *Dateline Islamabad*, 11 May 2011.
18. Building on Mohali, *Dateline Islamabad*, 27 April 2011.

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