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Expertise and Skills

- Proposal writing
- Independent Research
- Interdisciplinary research
- Qualitative Research (data collection and analysis)
- Graduate & Undergraduate teaching
- Office management (Administrative and financial budget)
- Project Coordination
- Data base management
- Policy analysis & Report writing

Research Interests

- Civil-military relations
- Public policy
- Governance
- International Development
- Peace & conflict studies
- Social justice
- Institutions
- Anti – Corruption
- Anti – Terrorism laws
- Law
- Development politics
- Interdisciplinary research

Work Experience

- Feb 2019 – Sept 2019** **Administrative Assistant**
Center for Development Research (Zentrum für Entwicklungsforschung), University of Bonn
Responsibilities included financial reporting and budgeting, administrative record keeping, maintaining liason with partner institutions
- 2017-2019** **Visiting Lecturer (Doctoral Studies Programme)**
Center for Development Research (Zentrum für Entwicklungsforschung), University of Bonn
Course taught: Academic Writing Skills.
Trained PhD students' in their proposal writing and literature review skills which would later assist in their dissertation work
- 2012 - 2014** **Research Fellow**
Center for Public Policy and Governance, Forman Christian College (A Chartered University) Lahore
Published independent research, presented research in policy dialogues and media, supervised research assistants in fieldwork
- October 2010 - April 2011** **Research Fellow**
Centre for Law and Policy, University of Management and Technology, Lahore
- 2008 – 2010** **Programme & Development Coordinator**
Department of Law & Policy, Lahore University of Management Sciences
Was in charge of recruiting and overseeing Research Assistants and other administrative staff. Prepared Annual Departmental Reports. Acted as the Student Guidance Counsellor and advised students on their career options and postgraduate studies.
- Teaching Fellow** (Course taught: Introduction to Legal Reasoning
Core course offered across all the different faculties - entailed developing legal reasoning and research skills of first year law students
- September 2007- June 2008** **Research Assistant**
- 2005 – 2008** **Lecturer of Law**
Pakistan College of Law, Lahore
Courses taught: Land Laws; and Jurisprudence and Legal Theory

Jan 2005-
May 2005 **Teaching Assistant (Adjunct)**
University College Lahore, Pakistan
Courses taught: European Union Law; and Jurisprudence and Legal Theory

June 2003-
July 2007 **Legal Associate**
Bhandari, Naqvi & Riaz, Lahore Pakistan

Education

July 2019 **Doctor of Philosophy (*Magna cum Laude*, Grade 1.3 German system)**
Center for Development Research (Zentrum für Entwicklungsforschung), University of Bonn
Dissertation: “*An Army with a country: How the Pakistan military imposes hegemony via the infrastructure and welfare sectors*”

June 2011 **Masters in Public Policy (Executive)**
Center for Public Policy and Governance, Forman Christian College (A Chartered University), Lahore
Dissertation: “*Political Parties and charismatic leadership: How Qazi Hussain Ahmed transformed the Jama’at-i-Islami*”

May 2003 **Bachelor of Laws (Honours)**
University of London (External Degree Programme)

March
2004 **Bachelor of Arts**
The University of the Punjab, Pakistan
Bachelor of Arts (Majored in Political Sciences and Journalism)

Publications

Monographs

2019 **An “island of excellence”? How the Pakistan military reflects on its presence in the development sector**

ZEF working paper series

https://www.zef.de/fileadmin/user_upload/ZEF_Working_Paper_185.pdf

2014 **Anti-Terror Laws, Policing and the Criminal Justice System: A Case Study of Anti-Terrorist Efforts in Punjab**

Center for Public Policy and Governance, Forman Christian College (A Chartered University), Lahore

2013 **Custodial Torture and Human Rights: Designing a Policy Framework for Pakistan**

Center for Public Policy and Governance, Forman Christian College (A Chartered University), Lahore

Posters

2018 **From cornflakes to cement; Fauji Foundation – a business empire or military welfare?**

Center for Development Research (Zentrum für Entwicklungsforschung), University of Bonn

2017 **Defence or ‘development’: Frontier Works Organisation (Pakistan) – thriving at the crossroads of civil military binaries**

Center for Development Research (Zentrum für Entwicklungsforschung), University of Bonn

Interviews

2019 **An army with a country**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5OJhZIJrFH8&feature=youtu.be>

2017 **The military as a popular development actor and saviour of Pakistan**

Bonn Sustainability Portal

<https://bonnsustainabilityportal.de/en/2017/02/rabia-chaudhry-the-military-as-a-popular-development-actor-and-savior-of-pakistan/>

Conferences

2019 **Gobal Media Forum _ Shifting Powers: the new world (dis)order**

Organised and hosted by Deutsche Welle, Bonn

2013 **Social change and security imperatives: Challenges for Leadership and Governance in Pakistan**

Conference coordinator and participant

Center for Public Policy and Governance, Forman Christian College (A Chartered University), Lahore

Policy Dialogues

- 2013 **Police, Prosecution and the Counter Terrorism Issues: Devising a Way Forward for Punjab**
Main speaker and organiser
Center for Public Policy and Governance, Forman Christian College (A Chartered University), Lahore
- 2012 **Custodial Torture and Human Rights: Designing a Policy Framework for Pakistan**
Main speaker and organiser
Center for Public Policy and Governance, Forman Christian College (A Chartered University), Lahore

Workshops

- 2018 **Mobilization for Change: Promoting and Defending Justice for Marginalized People**
Presented chapter of the doctoral thesis
Workshop organised by the Rights Livelihood College, Bonn Campus
- 2017 **Preparing Conference Posters**
Workshop organised by Bonner Graduiertenzentrum (BGZ), University of Bonn
- 2016 **Pakistan the Long View: 2047**
Presented chapter of the doctoral thesis
Workshop hosted by Wilson Chair in Pakistan studies at the University of Texas at Austin
Organised by Center for Public Policy and Governance, Forman Christian College (A Chartered University), Lahore
- 2016 **International Female Researchers in German Academia**
Workshop hosted by Bonner Graduiertenzentrum (BGZ), University of Bonn
- 2015 **Ethics in Food Security and Development Research**
Workshop jointly conducted by the Food Security Center, university of Hohenheim and the Center for Development Research, University of Bonn
- 2014 **Learning Intercultural Competence**
Workshop conducted by Center for Development Research, University of Bonn

Scholarships and Funding

- 2014 - 2017 **DAAD – German Academic Exchange Services**
Doctoral Scholarship for Euros 55.000
- 2012 **Foundation Open Society Pakistan**
Project on custodial torture for US Dollars 20,000

Professional Licences and Bar Memberships

- 2006 **Punjab Bar Council**
Licensed to appear before the High Courts, Civil, District and Magistrates courts and various Governmental Tribunals in Pakistan
- 2006 **High Court Bar Association**
- 2004 **Lahore District Bar Association**

Visa Status

Unlimited Work + Residence Permit for EU (AufenthG §16,. Directive (EU) 2016/801

Language Skills

English: Primary language / Native speaker level
Urdu: Native Speaker
Punjabi: Native Speaker
German: Basic Speaker

References (Available on phone as well as email. Can be contacted before interview.)

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