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## EDUCATION

Ph. D (2010), Area Study Centre for Europe, University of Karachi.

Research fellowship awarded by the University of Karachi twice in 2008 and 2009.

- B. Ed (2002), Hamdard University Karachi
- Master in Information Technology (2003), Western International University, Karachi.
- Master's in General History (1994), University of Karachi, (Stood 2<sup>nd</sup> position)

## WORKING EXPERIENCE

- Associate Professor, January 2022 to present Department of Essential Studies, NED University of Engineering & Technology
- Assistant Professor from 2011 to December 2021
- Cooperative faculty from 2009 to March 2011

## TRAINING

- “Women Leadership Program 2023,” March 13-17, 2023 organized by the National Academy of Higher Education (NAHE)

## CAREER ACHIEVEMENTS

Book author

- Imrana Begum, *The Impact of the Afghan-Soviet War on Pakistan*, Oxford University Press, Karachi: ISBN: 9780199405473, 2017.
- The OUP nominated the above-mentioned book for the English UBL Literary Award in the Best Non-Fiction Book in English category in 2018.
- The Book Reviews have been published in renowned national and international magazines and newspapers. Few are the links:
- <https://www.outlookindia.com/magazine/story/amu-darya-flows-in-south-asia/299860>
- <https://dailytimes.com.pk/151140/pakistans-geography-history/>

- A Flawed Narrative | Newslines April 2018

<http://newslinemagazine.com/magazine/a-flawed-narrative/> (Reviewer: Rahimullah Yusufzai)

- *Pakistan Today*, December 22, 2018

### Book chapters

- Dr. Imrana Begum, Repatriation of Afghan Refugees, Fencing Pak-Afghan border for National Security of Pakistan, in Dr R.S. Savas Bicer, Ahmed Yildiz (ed.), “New World Architecture Of Economy And Security,” Istanbul: 2020, ISBN: 978-605-4881-41-3, pp: 307-320.
- Available at: [https://tasam.org/en/Icerik/61747/fencing\\_pak-afghan\\_border\\_for\\_national\\_security\\_of\\_pakistan](https://tasam.org/en/Icerik/61747/fencing_pak-afghan_border_for_national_security_of_pakistan)
- Dr. Imrana Begum, The Arab Uprising: the UN Role in Democratic Transition, in Emel Parlar Dal, Gonca Oguz Gok, Tolga Sakman (ed.), *Global governance, Security and Actors: UN at 70*, Istanbul, Tasam Yayinlari, Nisan 2016, ISBN: 978-605-4881-17-8, p: 489-502.

### RESEARCH CONTRIBUTION

1. Russia-NATO uneasy ties: transformation, Cooperation to NATO Accession. *FWU Journal of Social Sciences*, January-March 2023, Spring 2023, Vol.17, No.1, p. 113-126. ISSN: 1995-1272.

DOI:

<http://sbbwu.edu.pk/journal/current/9.%20Russia%20%C3%BB%20NATO%20Uneasy%20Ties%20Transformation,%20Cooperation.pdf>

(HEC recognized X category journal)

2. Central and South Asia Economic Corridor in the Evolving Central Asian Geo-Political Circumstances, in *South Asian Studies*, Vol. 37, No. 2, July-December 2022, pp. 295-308.

[http://pu.edu.pk/images/journal/csas/PDF/4\\_37\\_2\\_22.pdf](http://pu.edu.pk/images/journal/csas/PDF/4_37_2_22.pdf) (HEC recognized Y category journal)

3. General Election in Pakistan: A critical study, FWU Journal of Social Sciences, Fall 2022, Vol.16, No.3, p. 132-143

DOI: <http://doi.org/10.51709/19951272/Fall2022/10>

(HEC recognized X category journal)

4. An analytical study of lower house in Pakistan: Legislation during military and civilian rule, FWU Journal of Social Sciences, Summer 2021, Vol.15, No.2, p. 132-151

DOI: <http://doi.org/10.51709/19951272/Summer-2/8>

(HEC recognized Y category journal)

5. Afghanistan: A Tribal Confederation to Modern State Social Responses to Modernity, in *Historicus*, Quarterly Journal of the Pakistan Historical Society, July-September 2019, Vol. LXVII, No. 3, Published by Hamdard Foundation Pakistan, pp. 39-55. (HEC recognized X category journal)
6. Dynamics of Sino-Afghan Relations in Post-Withdrawal of Combat Troops, In the journal of *Central Asia*, Journal of Area Study Centre (Russia, China and Central Asia), University of Peshawar No: 84, Summer 2019, ISSN: 1729-9802, p:35-50. (HEC recognized Y category journal)
7. The Muslims of India and the First World War 1914-1918, *International Journal Of Humanities And Social Science Research*, Canada: ISSN: 2371-1655, Lifescience Global, Vol: 5, January 16, 2019, pp. 1-9. (International peer reviewed journal)
8. FATA's Merger with Khyber Pakhtunkhwa: An Historical Analysis, for the journal of "*Pakistan Perspectives* Vol. 23, No.2", July-December 2018.p. 127-143, ISSN: No: 1810-5858. (HEC recognized Y category journal)

<https://journal.psc.edu.pk/index.php/pp/article/view/63>

9. "The 18<sup>th</sup> Constitutional Amendment: A Case Study of FATA, Published in *Pakistan Perspectives* Vols. 20, Nos.2", July-December 2015, pp: 124-134. 1810-5858. (HEC recognized Y category journal)

<https://journal.psc.edu.pk/index.php/pp/article/view/115>

10. “Exclusivism of the 1980s in Sindh: An Historical Perspective” for the journal of *“Pakistan Perspectives Vols. 19, Nos.2”*, July-December 2014, pp: 105-126. (HEC recognized Y category journal)
11. “The Vicissitudes of Russia-Syria Relations: From Cold War to the Arab Spring”, In the journal of *Central Asia, Journal of Area Study Centre(Russia, China and Central Asia), University of Peshawar, Issue. 71, Winter 2012, published in November, 2014, pp. 23-44.* (HEC recognized Y category journal). [http://asc-centralasia.edu.pk/old\\_site/Issue\\_71/002\\_Imrana.html](http://asc-centralasia.edu.pk/old_site/Issue_71/002_Imrana.html)
12. “The Arab Uprising: Russian Disquiet on Western Involvement”, in the journal of *European Studies, Vols. 29, Nos. 2, July 2013, p. 94-117.* (HEC recognized Y category journal)  
[https://web.archive.org/web/20160928112004/http://asce-ku.com.pk/journals/2013\\_2/6.%20\(edited\)%20Imrana%20Begum.pdf](https://web.archive.org/web/20160928112004/http://asce-ku.com.pk/journals/2013_2/6.%20(edited)%20Imrana%20Begum.pdf)
13. “Durand Line: A legacy of Colonial Rule”, published in *“Historicus Journal” by Hamdard Foundation Pakistan Vol:No; 63, Issue No: 4, October-November 2015.pp:35-53.* (HEC recognized Y category journal)
14. “Sectarian Strife in Pakistan: A Legacy of Eighties”, for the journal of *“Pakistan Perspectives Vols. 18, Nos. 4”*, July-December 2012, p: 63-76. (HEC recognized Y category journal)  
<https://journal.psc.edu.pk/index.php/pp/article/view/190/189>
15. “Chinese Growing Diplomatic, strategic and economic interest in Afghanistan”, for the journal of *“Pakistan Perspectives Vols. 16, Nos. 2, July-December 2011, p: 137-150.* (HEC recognized Y category journal)
16. “The War on Terrorism and NATO’s Role in Afghanistan” in the journal of *European Studies, Vols. 24 & 25, Nos. 2& 1, July 2008 & January 2009, p: 49-71.* (HEC recognized Z category journal)

### **Paper presented in a webinar**

On April 30, 2021 at 10:00 to 11:00 am through Google Meet. organized by Area Study Centre, (Russia, China & Central Asia), University of Peshawar, on "China's Quiet Diplomacy in Afghanistan: Implications on Peace Agreement"

### **WORKSHOP**

Conducted a workshop on Blend of Social Sciences in Technological Realm, in NED University of Engineering & Technology in Collaboration with Full bright, United States Education Foundation in Pakistan (USEFP) on Tuesday, October 18, 2016

Existing Locally, Thinking Globally: Building Better Professional engineers By Promoting Religious, Ethnic And Social Harmony

## **PAPER PRESENTED IN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES**

1. **Repatriation of Afghan Refugees, Fencing Pak-Afghan border for National Security of Pakistan**, presented in an Istanbul Security Conference 2019 held on **November 6-8, 2019**. in Istanbul, Turkey. The conference was organized by TASAM (Turkish Asian Centre for Strategic Studies).  
[https://tasam.org/Files/Icerik/File/yeni\\_dunya\\_ekonomi\\_ve\\_guvenlik\\_mimarisi\\_I\\_GK2019\\_5\\_\(19\)\\_pdf\\_09d75092-207a-4bb3-ba61-092248c96739.pdf](https://tasam.org/Files/Icerik/File/yeni_dunya_ekonomi_ve_guvenlik_mimarisi_I_GK2019_5_(19)_pdf_09d75092-207a-4bb3-ba61-092248c96739.pdf)
2. An Analytical Study Of Lower House In Pakistan: Legislation During Civilian and Military Rule, Presented in the “4th International Conference on “1973 Constitution: Status and Role of Institutions,” held on November 26-27, 2018, organized by History Department, University of Peshawar in Collaboration with Hanns Sheidel Foundation, Islamabad
3. Afghanistan: From tribal confederation to modern state Impressions on Afghan society, presented in 26<sup>th</sup> International Pakistan History Conference on State and Society in South Asia: Historical Perspective held on 9-11 October 2017 at University of Peshawar, Pakistan.
4. Human Rights issue, Prospect and Challenges, Presented in a Seminar Organized by Ministry of Human Rights Government of Pakistan on May 18, 2017 in collaboration with Controller of Students Affairs.
5. Nation-Building in Pakistan: Assimilation of FATA, Presented in Fifth International Workshop on Reviewing Citizenship and Nation building in Pakistan held in Islamabad on April 7-8<sup>th</sup>, 2017, organized by Quaid-e-Azam University Islamabad in Collaboration with Hanns Sheidel Foundation, Islamabad.
6. “The Arab Uprising: the UN Role in Democratic Transition.” Presented in an Istanbul Security Conference 2015 held on December 4-5, 2015 in Istanbul, Turkey, organized by TASAM (Turkish Asian Centre for Strategic Studies) and Marmara University on the theme of “UN at 70 and Global Governance.”
7. “The 18<sup>th</sup> Amendment in the Constitution of 1973, Devolution of Power, Why is FATA Deprived?” Presented in an international conference held on May 25-27, 2015.
8. “Durand Line: A legacy of Colonial Rule”, Paper presented in 23<sup>rd</sup> History Conference 2013, organized by Pakistan Study Centre, University of Karachi in collaboration with Hamdard Foundation Pakistan on March 12-13, 2013

## **PAPER PRESENTED IN A NATIONAL CONFERENCE/Seminars**

- Paper presented on **Russian Concerns over NATO Expansion**, weekly Seminar for M.Phil./Ph.D. students at Area Study Centre (Russia, China & Central Asia), University of Peshawar November 25, 2022.
- To aware attendees about the Russia-Ukraine crisis and the role of NATO
- Seminar presentation on **General Election in the Constitution of 1973: Theoretical and Practical Implementation**, November 24, 2022, Department of History and Pakistan Studies, Shaheed Benazir Bhutto Women University Peshawar.
- It focused on **General Election in the Constitution of 1973: Theoretical and Practical Implementation**
- Relevance of Pakistan's Economic Development with Foreign Affairs, Presented in 7<sup>th</sup> IBT National Conference on Management & Social Sciences by Institute of Business & Technology, on December 12, NACOMSS-2015.
- **Several conferences, seminars and workshops have been organized in NED University.**
- **SEMINARS / WORKSHOP / CONFERENCES ATTENDED**
- A roundtable discussion on refugee affairs at the US. Consulate General Karachi on March 8, 2023
- Webinar on Lecture on Refugees and Migrants March 18, 2021. The Centre for the Study of Global Human Movement, University of Cambridge, London.
- Attended numerous conferences, video conferences, seminars, workshops, lectures and talks/discussions.
- Evaluate M.Phil. thesis.
- Membership of Society of Social Sciences and Research Association
- Reviews research articles for journals.
- Cogent Arts & Humanities

### **Committee Work:**

#### **Baby Day-care Committee**

**Assignment: Convener Baby Day-care centre**

