

Curriculum Vitae

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1. **Area of Specialization:**
 - (i) **Islamic Tasawwuf (Sufism/Mysticism)**
 - (ii) **Islamic Ethics**
 - (iii) **Da‘wah and its Practices**
 - (iv) **Kashmir History (Medieval Period)**
 - (v) **Research Methodology**
 - (vi) **Islam and Science**
 - (vii) **History of India (Medieval Period)**

2. **Academic Qualification:**
 - a **University Degree** **B. Sc., M. A., M. Ed., M. Phil., Ph.D. (Kashmir University), NET (UGC)**

5. **Books Published: 04**
 - a) *The Pious Caliphate: A Study of Hardrat ‘Ali (R.A.)*, 2000, C.E., Srinagar.ISBN:81-87229
 - b) *Teaching of English in Schools*, 2000, C.E. ISBN:81-90000924-13-0545-5
 - c) *Sufi Thought of Shaikh Sayyid ‘Abdul Qadir Jilani (R.A.) and. Its impact on the Indian Subcontinent* ,2010 , ISBN:13:978-81-246
 - d) *Some Aspects of Islamic Ethics* , 2014, ISBN:978-81-7435-726-8

6. **Refereed Articles/Research papers Published in Peer Reviewed/Indexed Journals:**
 - i) “Shaikh Ya’qub Sarfi (R.A.)”
 - ii) “Sources of Kashmir History: An Overview”,
 - iii) “Mystical Ideas of Sayyid ‘Ali Hamadani (R.A.)”,
 - iv) “Islamic Dawah: A Study of Intellectual Factors”,
 - v) “Shaikh Sayyid- Abdul Qadir Jilani (R.A.): A Contemporaneous Appraisal”,
 - vi) “Scientific Pursuit in the Contemporary Muslim Science Centres :An Overview,”
 - vii) “Contribution of Some Contemporary Muslim Scientists and Thinkers
 - viii) Mystic Thought of Shaikh Sayyid Abdul Qadir Jilani (R.A.),-I
 - ix) Mystic Thought of Shaikh Sayyid Abdul Qadir Jilani (R.A.),-II
 - x) The Quranic Perspective on Reasoning,
 - xi) Ethical Dimensions in Nahj al –Balaghah,

- xii) Ethical Philosophy of Sayyid Ali Hamadani (RA): An Overview,
- xiii) Baqir al-Sadr on Capitalist Economy,
- xiv) Baqir al-Sadr on Marxist Economic Model,
- xv) Ethical Dimensions of Institution of Zakah and its Contemporary Relevance: An Analytical View,
- xvi) Baqir al-Sadr on Marxist Economic Model,

7. Book Reviews

- a) Adil Salahi, *Pioneers of Islamic Scholarship*, Islamic Foundation, U.K., 2006/1427, pp. 204, published in *Insight Islamicus*, 2007, Vol. 7, pp. 271-77.
- b) Faisal Odeh, *Quest for Peace: United Nations and Palestine*, National Book Organization, Delhi, 1986, pp. 197, published in *Insight Islamicus*, 2007, Vol. 7, pp. 289-90.

8. Articles Published

- a) "Shaikh 'Abdul Qadir Jilani (R.A.): An Introduction", *Gulala*, Kashmir University, Magazine, 2000-2001.
- b) "What is Sufism?" *Kashmir Times*, 24-10-99.....
- c) "Sheikh Ya'qub Sarfi: Life and Times", *Greater Kashmir*, Dated 26-02-1999.
- d) "Guftar-i-Nabi (SAW)", *Hubb-i-Rasul*, Srinagar, Kashmir, 2006.

9. Participation and Presentation in Seminars

1. Participated in one-day **National Level "Sirat-un-Nabi (SAW) Conference**, conducted by S.H. Instt., Kashmir University, on 26th July, 2000 and presented a paper on the theme "**Guftar-I Nabi (S.A.W.)**".
2. Participated in **two-day National Seminar** organized by S. H .Institute of Islamic Studies, K.U. 2003 (21-22 October) and presented a paper on the theme "**Islamic Da'wah: A Study of Intellectual Factors**".
3. Participated in 64th Session of **Indian History Congress** (28-30th December, 2003), and presented a paper on "**History of History Writing in Kashmir: An Overview**".
4. "**Tarikh-i-Musalmanan-i-Pakistan wa Bharat: A Review**". Paper presented in **Two Day National Seminar** on *Role of Muslims in the Freedom Struggle of India*, Department of Islamic Studies, A.M.U., 18-19th March, 2005.
5. Participated in the **National Seminar** on *Approaches to Kashmir Studies*, at SKICC, Srinagar, Kashmir and presented a paper there on the theme of the seminar, 8-9 June, 2006. "**Humanitarian Approach to Kashmir Studies**".
6. Participated in the **International Seminar** on *Indian Federalism at Work* conducted by Institute of Social Sciences, New Delhi, 25-27 August 2006. Made a presentation on "**Secularism in Indian Perspective**".
7. "**Development of Arts and Education in Kashmir: A Study of Central Asian and Iranian Influences**", Paper presented in the three day **International Seminar** sponsored by UGC, **Culture House of Iran**, New Delhi and Department of Persian, Kashmir University on (7-9 Sept, 2006).

8. **“International Humanitarian Law: Some Issues”**, Paper presented in the **One day International Seminar** , held at Srinagar , by Shah-I Hamadan Institute of Islamic Studies, Kashmir University, in collaboration with ICRC.(30-10-2006).
9. **“Ethics of Disagreement in Islam: Concept and Prospect”** paper presented in **two-day National Seminar** organized by S. H. Institute of Islamic Studies, K.U. 2006 (21-22 November) on “Islamic Perspective on the Contemporary Issues”.
10. Participated in ***Sirat-un-Nabi (SAW) Conference*** organised by S.H. Institute, Kashmir University on 18-11-2008 and made a presentation on **“Sirat-I Nabi Mein Husn-I Ikhlaq”**.
11. Presented a paper on **“Shaikh Nur-ud Dins’ Contribution to Kashmir Society”** in the **one day National Seminar** conducted by Shaikhul Aalam Chair. University of Kashmir, on 31/03/2009.
12. Participated in **International Conference** on *Islam and Oriental Religions*, 20-21 Feb 2010, New Delhi .Presented a paper on” **Commonalities between Islam and Buddhism :An Ethical Perspective”**.
13. Delivered an **Extension Lecture** on “Research Methodology in Islamic Studies” at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 25th Feb., 2010.
14. Participated in **Three day National Seminar** (24-26 March 2011) and presented a paper on the theme **“Tradition and Dissent in Indian History with Special Reference to Kashmir: A study of Tahrikat”**. The Seminar was organized by Deptt. Of History, University of Kashmir.
15. Delivered an **Extension Lecture** on **“Significance of Literacy and Education in Islam”** on the celebration of World Literacy Day organized by Directorate of Life Long Learning, University of Kashmir (8th September, 2011).
16. Participated in **3-day National level Conference** (17-19 October, 2011) organized by the **Department of Sanskrit**, University of Kashmir, Srinagar ,and presented a paper on the theme **“ Research Methodology in Islamic Studies: Some Concerns.”**
17. Participated in **3-day National Level Workshop** on Voluntary Work and Child Development In Kashmir (12-14 December, 2011), conducted by Directorate of Life Long Learning, K.U. and presented a paper on **Prohibition of Child Labor in Islam**.
18. Delivered an **extension Lecture** on **Relevance of Transliteration at Secondary Level** in 10-Days Teachers’ Training Programme (29-02-2012 to 10th March, 2012), The programme was conducted by the Directorate of Life Long Learning, K.U., Srinagar.
19. Presented a paper on the theme *Mystical Dimensions in Shah-I Hamadan : An Appraisal* in **three –Day international Seminar** Conducted by S.H.institute of Islamic Studies, University of Kashmir, Srinagar (13-15 March, 2012).
20. Presented a paper on the theme *Sirat-un Nabi (S.A.W.) Aur Ta’lim* in **one-day National Level Sirat Symposium** conducted by S.H. Instt. Of Islamic Studies, University of Kashmir, Srinagar (9th June, 2012).
21. Presented a paper on the theme *Works of Maulana Jalal-ud Din Rumi (R.A) : A Synoptic View* in **Three-day International Seminar**, conducted by Department of Persian, University of Kashmir, Srinagar (29-31 August, 2012).
22. Delivered an **extension lecture** (18-09-2012) on **Review of the Related Literature**

at ASC, university of Kashmir to the participants of Refresher Course on Women Studies.

23. Delivered an **extension lecture** (22-09-2012) on **Communication: Skills and Levels** at ASC, University of Kashmir to the participants of G.O.C
24. Delivered an **extension lecture** (26-09-2012) on **Sources of Kashmir History: A Synoptic View** at ASC, University of Kashmir, to the participants of G.O.C
25. Participated in **46th Session of All India Oriental Conference** conducted by the Department of Sanskrit, University of Kashmir (1-3 October, 2012) and presented a paper on the theme “ *Quranic Perspective on Reasoning: Some Reflections*”.
26. Delivered an extension Lecture on **Sources of Kashmir History: Classification and Annotation** at Academic Staff College, university of Kashmir, Srinagar on 21-12-2012.
27. Participated in **2-Day National Seminar** (2-3July , 2013) on *Muslim Contribution to Education : Approaches and Prospects* organized by Department of Islamic Studies, IUST, Awantipora and presented a paper on the theme *Muslim Response to Modern Education : A study of Prominent Contemporary Muslim Science Centres*
28. Delivered an **extension lecture on West Asian and Central Asian Sources on Kashmir History** at UGC, ASC, University of Kashmir, to the participants of Summer School on **19-09-2013**.
29. Delivered **two extension lectures on Kashmiri and Indian Chronicles on the History of Kashmir**, at UGC, ASC university of Kashmir to the participants of GOC on **20th of December 2013**.
30. Participated in **3-Day National Seminar** (18-20 June, 2013) on Manuscript Sources of Kashmir organized by department of Persian, U.o.K, and sponsored by National mission for Manuscripts ministry of Culture, govt. of India .Presented a paper on the theme **Risala-I maktubat-I Shah-I Hamadan: An Analysis** in this Seminar.
31. Presided over two academic-cum technical Sessions on Manuscript Sources of Kashmir organized by department of Persian, U.o.K, and sponsored by National mission for Manuscripts ministry of Culture, govt. of India (18-20 June, 2013)
32. Participated in **3-day International Conference (11-13 Feb. 2014)** organized by A.M.U and Istanbul Foundation of Science and Culture, Turkey at Aligarh and presented a paper on *Nursi's Conception of Ana with Special Reference to Risala-I Nur*.
33. Presented a paper on “**Ethical Paradigm in Nahj al-Balagh: A Synoptic View**” in the **Two Day International Seminar** Organized by **Al-Mustafa International University, Iran and Department of Islamic Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi** on 7-03-2018 to 8-3-2018.
34. Presented a paper on “**Ethical Dimensions of the Institution of Zakat and its Contemporary Relevance: An Analytical View**” in the **Three Day International Conference** Organized by **Baithuzzakath Kerala** on 27-04-2018 to 29-04-2018.
35. Presented a paper on “**Islamic Perspective on Research Methodology: Some Reflections**” in the **Two Day India International Academic Conference** Organized by **Students Islamic Organization** on 8-10-2016 to 9-10-2016.
36. Presented a paper on “**Islamic Perspective on Peace: A Study of Relevent Quranic Verses**” in the **One Day National Seminar** Organized by **Centre of Central Asian Studies, University of Kashmir**, Sponsored by **Indian Council of**

- Philosophical Research, New Delhi** on 28-03-2016.
37. Presented a paper on **“Mystical Dimensions of Shaykh Sayyid Abdul Qadir Jilani (RA): An Analytical View”** in the **Three Day International Seminar on Islamic Mysticism** Organized by **Department of Islamic Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi** in Collaboration with **Welayat Foundation, New Delhi** on 13-02-2016 to 15-02-2015.
 38. Delivered an invited Lecture on **“Medieval Kashmir: A Synoptic View of Sources”** to the participants of **73rd General Orientation Course** at Academic Staff College, university of Kashmir, Srinagar on 19-12-2016 (2:00 pm to 3:30 pm).
 39. Delivered an invited Lecture on **“Medieval Kashmir: A Synoptic View of Sources”** to the participants of **73rd General Orientation Course** at Academic Staff College, university of Kashmir, Srinagar on 19-12-2016 (3:30 pm to 4:30 pm).
 - 40.
 41. Presented a paper on **“Kabir’s Conception of Love: An Analytical View”** in the **Two Day National Seminar on Religious Pluralism: Revisiting Legacies of Shaikhul ‘Alam (RA) and Kabir** Organized by **Markaz-i-Noor (CSAS), University of Kashmir, Srinagar** Sponsored by **ICSSR, North Western Regional Centre Chandigarh** on 11-12-2015 to 12-12-2015.
 42. Presented a paper on **“Legacy of Composite Culture in India: A Sufi Perspective”** in the **Three Day National Seminar on Composite Culture in Indian History with Special Reference to Kashmir** Organized by **Department of History, University of Kashmir, under the Aegis of UGC-SAP** in Collaboration with **ICHR, New Delhi and ICSSR (NERC), Chandigarh** on 28-10-2017 to 30-10-2017.
 43. Delivered an invited Lecture on **“International Charter of Human Rights and Islamic Perspective on Human Rights: A Comparative Study”** to the participants of **Refresher Course in Human Rights (ID)** at Academic Staff College, university of Kashmir, Srinagar on 19-12-2015.
 44. Presented a paper on **“Influence of Central Asia and Iran on Kashmir Society (1339-1586)”** in the **Three Day International Conference on Literary Legacy of Indo-Central Asia, Afghanistan and Iran** Organized by **Centre of Central Asian Studies, University of Kashmir** on 31-03-2015 to 02-04-2015.
 45. Presented a paper on **“Traditional and Modern Libraries: A Study in Comparison”** in the **Two Day National Seminar on Issues Related to the Library and Information Science Profession in the North-Western Region of India** Organized by **Department of Library and Information Sciences, University of Kashmir** in Collaboration with **Allama Iqbal Library, University of Kashmir** sponsored by **ICSSR** on 24-25 March, 2015.
 46. Presented a paper on **“Socio-Historical Dimensions in Shaykh Nur-ud Din Rishi Kubrawi: An Analysis”** in the **Two Day International Conference on Sufism in India and Central Asia** Organized by **MMAJ-Academy of International Studies (AIS), Jamia Milla Islamia, New Delhi** on 11-12 February, 2015.
 47. Delivered an invited Lecture on **“Medieval History of Kashmir in the Light of Primary Sources”** to the participants of **Refresher Course in Summer School (ID)** at Academic Staff College, university of Kashmir, Srinagar on 19-09-2013.
 48. Delivered an invited Lecture on **“Contemporary Sources of Muslim Sultanate**

- Period: An Appraisal”** to the participants of **63rd General Orientation Course** at Academic Staff College, university of Kashmir, Srinagar on 20-12-2013 (forenoon).
49. Delivered an invited Lecture on **“Central Asian and West Asian Sources on Medieval Kashmir: A Critical Analysis”** to the participants of **63rd General Orientation Course** at Academic Staff College, university of Kashmir, Srinagar on 20-12-2013 (Afternoon).
 50. Presented a paper on **“Sufi Afkar of Shah-i-Hamadan^(RA) and their Relevance to the Contemporary Muslim Youth”** in the **One Day International Seminar on *Malfuzat-i-Sufiyah wa Maktubat-i-Sufiyah: Eik Giran Qadr ‘Ilmi wa Adbi Sarmayah*** Organized by Sayyid Hasan Mantaqi Research Academy, Awantipora, Jammu and Kashmir on 08 August, 2018.
 51. Presented a paper on **“Ethical Dimensions in Shah-i-Hamadan with Special Reference to his Dhakhiratul Muluk”** in the **Three Day International Seminar on Emergence of Moral and Ethical Values in Indo-Iranian Persian Literature and its Relevance in Modern Times** Organized by Department of Persian, University of Kashmir in Collaboration with Fakhruddin Ali Ahmad Committee, Lucknow, India on 21-23 June, 2018.
 52. Delivered Two Extension Lecture on **“Classification and Annotation of Sources on Medieval Kashmir ”** to the participants of **Ten Day International Summer School (ID)** Organized by the Department of Islamic Studies, IUST, Awantipora on 26 & 27 of June, 2018.
 53. Chaired one Technical Session in the National Seminar on **“Impact of Arabic on Indian Languages”**
 54. Chaired one Technical Session in Two Day International Conference on **“Contemporary Discourse on Women in Islam”** 20th November, 2018 Conducted by Department of Islamic Studies, IUST, Awantipora.
 55. Presented a paper on **“Holistic Approach to the Understanding of the Ideal Status of Sirat al-Nabi: A Quranic perspective”** in the **Two Day National Sirah Seminar** Organized by **Shah-i-Hamadan Institute of Islamic Studies, University of Kashmir, Srinagar** in Collaboration with **J & K Muslim Waqf Board, Srinagar** on 16-12-2018 to 17-12-2018
 56. Presented a paper on **“Quranic Perspective on Rationale and Reflection”** in the **Two Day National Seminar on Quranic Perspective on Knowledge, Education and Development** Organized by **Shah-i-Hamadan Institute of Islamic Studies, University of Kashmir, Srinagar** in Collaboration with **Department of Students Welfare (DSW)** on 14-03-2018 to 15-03-2018.
 57. Presented a paper on **“Spirituality and Metaphysical Dimensions in Shaykh Sayyid Abdul Qadir Jilani: Some Reflections”** in the **Two Day International Seminar on “Spirituality and Social Justice in Islam: Challenges and Prospects”** Organized by **Shah-i-Hamadan Institute of Islamic Studies, University of Kashmir, Srinagar** on 16-03-2019 to 17-03-2019.

Member of Professional /Academic Bodies:

1. Member, **Under-Graduate Board of Studies** (in Islamic Studies), University of Kashmir (2002-2018).

2. Chairman, **Under-Graduate Board of Studies** (in Islamic Studies), University of Kashmir (2018 onwards).
3. Member, **Post-Graduate Board of Studies** (in Islamic Studies), University of Kashmir.(2002-2018)
4. Chairman, **Post-Graduate Board of Studies** (in Islamic Studies), University of Kashmir.(2018 onwards)
5. **Secretary**, Departmental Research Committee (**D.R.C.**), S.H. Institute of Islamic Studies, Kashmir, University. (2002-2018)
6. **Chairman**, Departmental Research Committee (**D.R.C.**), S.H. Institute of Islamic Studies, Kashmir, University. (2018 onwards)
7. **Secretary** Departmental Committee, S.H. Institute of Islamic Studies, Kashmir University. (2002-2017)
8. **Chairman** Departmental Committee, S.H. Institute of Islamic Studies, Kashmir University. (2018 onwards)
9. **Convener** Seminars, S.H. Institute of Islamic Studies, Kashmir University. (2002-2-18)
10. **Nodal Officer**, DIQAU. (2002-2017)
11. **Associate Editor**, *Insight Islamicus*. (2006-2015)
12. **Editor**, *Insight Islamicus*. (2016-18)
13. **Chief Editor**, *Insight Islamicus*. (2019 and onwards)
14. **Associate Editor**, *Alamdar*, year 2009.
15. **Vice President**, **Kashmir University Alumni Association (KUAA)**, (2018 and onwards)
16. **Member**, PG Board of Studies, Department of Arabic, KU (2018 and onwards)
17. **Member**, Board of Research Studies (**BORS**), Faculty of Law, KU (2017 till date)
18. **Member**, Central Advisory Admission Committee, KU (2016-2018)
19. **Member**, Central Screening Committee for Recruitment of Teachers and Officers, KU (2015-2017)
20. **Member**, Sports Committee, KU (2018 and onwards)

Research Guidance

M. Phil. Awarded= 3
 Under Supervision=3

Ph. D. Awarded= 3
 Under Supervision=8

Faculty Development Programmes attended (Orientation Courses/Refresher Courses/Workshops Attended)

- a) **Three-Week Refresher Course** on Research Methodology in Social Sciences

- (Interdisciplinary),ASC, University of Kashmir, Srinagar (15-06-2012 to 09-07-2012).
- b) Participated in **7-day workshop** (21-09-2011 to 27-09-2011) , organized by J &K State Board of School Education, Srinagar for the development of syllabi of XI and XII classes in the subject of Islamic Studies.
 - c) Participated in **3-day National Workshop** (14-16 March 2011) on the theme: **Research Methods and Statistical Techniques** organized by the **Department of Lib. And Inf. Science** in collaboration with **U.G.C. Academic Staff College, University of Kashmir**.
 - d) **Three-week Refresher Course** (Interdisciplinary), ASC, **Jamia Millia Islamia** New Delhi. (21-2-2008 – 13-03-2008)
 - e) Three weeks *orientation-cum- Refresher course* on “**An integrated Approach to Knowledge and Information**” Conducted by National Institute of Advanced Studies, **(NIAS), Bangalore** (06-12-2006 – 26-12-2006).
 - f) Three week **Capacity Building Programme** on Multimedia and E-content Development (04.04.06—27.04.06) organized by EMMRC, K.U., Srinagar
 - g) Attended one 3-week **Refresher Course** on Human Rights (Interdisciplinary), (17.06.2005— 07.07.2005) conducted by UGC Academic Staff College, Kashmir University, Srinagar and Faculty of Law, University of Kashmir, Srinagar. Also presented a paper in this Refresher Course entitled "Islamic Perspective on AIDS".
 - h) Attended one 4- week **General Orientation Course** conducted by UGC, Academic Staff College, Kashmir, University, for college and University lecturers. (27.05.2002— 22.06.2002).

13. Participation in other Co-Curricular Activities: NSS, Inter-College Debates & Inter-College Quiz Competitions

14. Additional assignment: served as Warden of one of the P.G. Hostels of the university from 2009-2014

I hereby certify that the above information is correct.

Dr. Manzoor Ahmad Bhat