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Objectives:

Eager to work in a challenging and research friendly environment.

Summary of Qualifications

PhD (Politics & IR, 2015), International Islamic University Islamabad, Pakistan

- Dissertation Title: **Democratization in Pakistan (1999-2009): Quest for a New Paradigm**

M.A. (Political Science) University of Peshawar, Pakistan.

- (1stDiv)

Working /Writing Experience

- Working as an Executive Body member of Professors Association for Student Services (PASS) since March 2018. PASS is an association of faculty members belonging to various colleges and universities of KP that work to connect students and faculties across the province with an aim to develop Critical Thinking among students and transform the existing student-teacher relationship for the development of students' personality as dynamic and responsible citizens. To achieve this objective PASS arranges Seminars, Conferences and Symposiums at different colleges across KP.
- Working as Editor-in-Chief in "Gandhara Journal of Research in Social Science", Pakistan, (www.grsociety.org/about-gjrss), since January 1, 2016.
- Working as Editor in International Journal of Multicultural and Multi-Religious Understanding, Germany.
- Served as Head, Department of Pakistan Studies, Hazara University, Mansehra, from April 2015 to September 2018.
- Worked as Lecturer in the Department of Political Science, Hazara University, Mansehra, from July 2008 to April 2015.

Major Job responsibilities include teaching courses at Graduate, Post Graduate, MPhil and PhD levels, as well as supervising research at MPhil and PhD level.

- Worked as a **Research Assistant** on a project, *Problems of Teaching Political Science in Pakistan*, funded by HEC, under the Supervision of Foreign Professor Dr. Nazrul Islam, Department of Politics and International Relations, International Islamic University, Islamabad.

Major job responsibilities included the collection of data from various colleges and universities, analysis of newspapers and report writing based on the data collected and newspapers

analyzed.

- Taught, at Post Graduate level, in Government Post Graduate College Abbottabad, from 1st March 2006 to 1st March 2007, as lecturer in Political Science.
- Taught courses in ICL, a study center of Allama Iqbal Open University at Abbottabad, as a visiting lecturer for one semester.
- Actively contributes educational content for promoting critical thinking on my YouTube Channel *Progressive Education with Dr. Adil Seemab* (<https://www.youtube.com/c/adilseemab>)

**Research
Assignments
(Publications,
Conferences,
Workshops)**

Published Papers

- *Pakistan's 3rd Military Adventure; Consolidating Authoritarianism*, with Dr. Ghulam Mustafa Bali in **Journal of Alternative Perspectives in the Social Sciences**, Volume 5, No. 4, 2014.
- *Discontent, Crises and Breakdown of Authoritarianism in Pakistan*, in **Journal of South Asian and Middle Eastern Studies**, Vol. XXXVII, No. 4, Summer 2014
- *Afghanistan: A Study in Internal Conflict and National Cohesion*, with Dr. Ghulam Mustafa Bali in **International Journal of Multi-Cultural and Multi-Religious Understanding**, Vol. 2, Issue 4, August 2015.
- *Religious Political Groups and Democracy in Tajikistan*, in **Global Journal of Human Social Science**, Volume 13, No. 5, 2013.
- *Politics of Co-option under Military Regimes in Pakistan*, in **Gandhara Journal of Research in Social Science**, Volume 1, No. 2, August 2016.
- *Pakistan's Journey to Civilian Rule (1958-70): An Analysis of Ayub Era*, with Manzoor Ahmed and Abdul Waheed in **Global Legal Studies Review**, Volume 1, No. 1, 2016.
- *Regional Economic Integration in East Asia: An Appraisal of Central Asian Regional Economic Cooperation (CAREC)* in **Collection of Research Papers on Regional Peace and Security**, published by University of World Economy and Diplomacy, Tashkent, ISBN 978-9943-3404-5-9
- *Hydro-politics in Pakistan: Key Issues* in **Gandhara Journal of Research in Social Science**, Vol. 2, Issue 2, 2017
- *When States Go Thirsty: A Critical Analysis of Water War Thesis*, with Muhammad Imran & Manzoor Ahmed in

Global Strategic and Security Studies Review, Volume 2, No. 1, 2017.

- ***Inter-Provincial Water Conflicts in Pakistan: A Critical Analysis***, with Nazakat Awan in *Journal of South Asian and Middle Eastern Studies*, Vol. 43, No. 2, Winter 2020
- ***Ethnic Diversity and Federation of Pakistan: A Societal Perspective***, with Tariq Anwar & Muhammad Imran in *Liberal Arts and Social Sciences International Journal*, Volume 4. No. 2, 2020.
- **Democratization under Military Rule: A Critical Analysis** with Nazakat and Imran in *Global Political Review*, Volume: IV, PP 78-85, Spring 2019
- **Post Transition Challenges to Emergent Democracy: A Study of 2008 Transition in Pakistan** with Imran and Nazakat in *Global Political Review*, Volume: IV, PP 64-75, Summer 2019
- **Pakistan's Transition to Civilian Rule: Analysis of Zia Years** with Nazakat and Imran in *Global Political Review*, Volume: III, PP 138-146, Spring 2018
- **Marxist Analysis of Muhammad Hanif's Our Lady of Alice Bhatti** with Imran and Nazakat, in *Global Political Review*, Volume III, PP 114-120, Fall 2018
- **Enigma of Medium of Instruction and Cognitive Academic Proficiency of the Learners** with Nazakat and Imran in *Global Political Review*, Volume IV, PP 514-520, Spring 2019
- **Integration of the Self: A Jungian Study of Mystical Experiences in Herman Hesses's Siddartha** with Imran and Nazakat in *Global Political Review*, Volume IV, PP 71-82, Winter 2019
- **Critical Pedagogy and the Challenges of Interpellation used Through Discourse Strategies in Academic Discourse** with Imran and Nazakat in *Global Language Review*, Volume V, PP 251-259, Winter 2020
- **Psychological Study of Islamic Mysticism in Elif Shafak's The Forty Rules of Love** with Imran and Nazakat in *Global Language Review*, Volume V, No. II, PP, 83-92, Spring 2020
- **Representation of the Orient: A Post Colonial Perspective on Robert Greene's Selimus** with Imran and Nazakat in *Global Political Review*, Volume IV, PP 114-123, Fall 2019
- **Hybrid Regime as Barrier to Democratic Consolidation in Pakistan (2008-2015)** with Ali and Shah in *Gomal University Journal of Research*, Volume 37, No. II, PP 223-239
- **Civil Society Organizations and Peace-Building in Pakistan: A Case Study of the Role of Paiman Alumni Trust in Identity Conflicts** with Ijaz in *Asian Journal of International Peace and Security* Volume 5, No. 2, PP 1-14

- Contributes blogs for a progressive E-paper HumSub on regular basis. My blogs highlight issues like educational reforms, promoting peace and tolerance. My author profile link is <https://www.humsub.com.pk/author/adil-seemab/>

Conference Papers

- *Mystical Teachings and Challenge of Extremism in KPK*, Presented in International Conference on “Khyber Pakhtunkhwa: History and Culture”, held from 28-30 November, 2012 in Pakistan Study Center, University of Peshawar, Pakistan.
- *Malik and Mulla in FATA*, Presented in National Conference on “FATA”, held from 28-30 August, 2013 at Peshawar University Campus Baragali, Pakistan.
- *Bridging History: From Jihad Movement to Taliban Movement*, Presented in International Conference on “The Role of Syed Ahmad Shaheed as a Freedom Fighter, Reformer and Preacher” held from 29-31 July, 2015 at Hazara University, Mansehra, Pakistan.
- *Roots of Monolithic Thinking amongst Students in Pakistan*, presented in 3rd PASS Conference held at Jehanzeb College Swat on April 14-15, 2018.
- *Transforming Socialist Peasant Movement in Mansehra (Pakistan) into Ethno-Lingual Movement & Its Implications: From 1980 to Present*, published in 6th International Conference of the BRICS Initiative for Critical Agrarian Studies, in collaboration with: Universidade de Brasilia – UnB Brasília, Brazil.

Workshops

- Attended a one week workshop on “**Pakistani Federalism and Decentralization**” arranged by **Center for Civic Education** and **UNDP** in Hill View Hotel Islamabad from November 22 to 26, 2013.
- Attended a 3 day workshop on **Procurement Rules in KPK and Annual Evaluation Report** writing arranged by Higher Education Commission Pakistan, at Hazara University, Mansehra, Pakistan, from 10 to 12 February 2016.
- Attended a 3 day workshop on **Equality, Diversity and Tolerance**, arranged by CRSS and Embassy of Netherlands in Hill view Hotel, Islamabad from 11 to 13 December, 2017.
- Arranged Two 2 Day, Three One Day workshops on **Critical Thinking and Research Methodology** at Nathiagali, Nawazabad, Peshawar, Karak and Nowshehra respectively from the platform of PASS.
- **Social Media**
Running *Dr. Adil Seemab*, a YouTube educational channel

(www.youtube.com/c/adilseemab) since last three years.

Books

Sada'y Darun: Collection of Urdu Poems

Whirlpool: Novel

HeartTalk: The Art of Communication in Relationship

Marriage and Long Term Commitment

Supervision

- 26 M Phil scholars have successfully defended their dissertations under my supervision whereas 6 PhD and 6 M Phil scholars are in the final stages of their research.

Languages

- English, Urdu, Hindko, Punjabi, Saraiki

Interests

- Reading Books
- Research
- Music
- Composing Poetry
- Hiking

References

1. Dr. Ghulam Mustafa

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2. Dr. Muhammad Shakeel Ahmed

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Personal Information

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