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Teaching/Research Associate

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Education

- 2016 **MS English** from IIUI. Topic of thesis, “Edward Said’s Notion of ‘Otherness’: A Study of Garcia Marquez’s Selected Fiction”. 3.85/4 CGPA
- 2006-08 **M.A. English** (Languages and Literature) 3.93/4GPA
International Islamic University, Islamabad.
- 2003-06 **B.A (Hons) in English** (Literature & Language) 3.71/4GPA

International Islamic University Islamabad

Distinctions

- Awarded Gold Medal in M.A English Literature & Literature for 1st position.
- Awarded Gold Medal in B.A. (Hons.) English Literature & Literature for 1st position.
- Awarded merit scholarships throughout B.A (Hons) and M.A.
- Awarded subject prizes in F.A. for English Literature, English Compulsory and Pakistan Studies.
- Awarded merit scholarship in Matriculation for position in Federal Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education

Work Experience

I Teaching/ Research Associate

March 2010- till date

- Taught the subject of **Classical Fiction** which includes the works of Henry Fielding, Jane Austen, Thomas Hardy, Charles Dickens
- Taught **Modern Drama** that includes the works of Henrik Ibsen, Samuel Beckett, Tom Stoppard and Bernard Shaw
- Taught **Classical Drama** that includes the works of Sophocles, Shakespeare, Christopher Marlowe and Sheridan
- Also taught Travel Writing, Translation studies, Cultural Studies, Postcolonial Studies and Literary Histories in the subject **Comparative Literature**.
- Taught the basic concepts of linguistics in the subject of **Introduction to Language**.

- Also taught the subjects of **Study Skills** and **Postcolonial Literature**
- Taught **Reading Skills, Writing Skills, Listening Skills** while teaching English Language courses.

II Visiting Lecturer

Feb – Jun 2008 Department of English, International Islamic University,
Islamabad
Subject focus: Grammar & Comprehension

Faculty of Management Sciences. International Islamic
University, Islamabad
Visiting Lecturer
Subject focus: Functional Grammar

Sep 2009- Feb 2010 Department of English, International Islamic University,
Islamabad
Visiting Lecturer
Subject Focus: English I, Composition and Comprehension
Subject Focus: Conversation and Writing
Subject Focus: Credit I , Composition and Comprehension

Professional Responsibilities

Member of MS/Ph D Committee
Member of ELT Committee
Member of Seminar and Workshop Committee

Fields of Studies

Literature

- Poetry
- Fiction
- Drama
- Criticism
- Comparative Literature
- Post Colonial Literature
- Literary Theory
- Postmodern Literature

Language

English Language Teaching
Linguistics
Stylistics
Developing Translation Skills

Research Interests

Comparative Literature, Postcolonialism, Travel writing, Modern Drama, Latin American Fiction, Literary Theory, Literature & Ideology, Cultural Studies, Classical Fiction, Translation Studies

Research Work

- Paper Presentation at Two-Day International Interdisciplinary Conference : Women Universities as Agent of Change: Beauty and the Beast: Fixation of Identity in *Woman at Point Zero* by Nawal El Sadawi and *Eleven Minutes* by Paulo Coelho (2010)

Workshops

Participated in:

- A 3-day Teacher Training Workshop on “Developing Higher Order Thinking Skills”, Nov.2013 (IIUI)
- Teachers’ Training Workshop, May, 2013 (IIUI)
- ELT Teachers’ Training Workshop, March 2010 (IIUI)
- Understanding Writing/Winning International Research Grants and Developing Sustainable Collaborative Research Networks-Tips and Tricks IIUI (HEC, British Council) 2010
- “LIS Research Inquiries: Design Issues” (HEC)2008
- Teaching Strategies: Exploring New Horizons” (IIUI) 2004
- 2nd Training Program for Students of IIUI (2004) Da’wah Academy IIUI

Seminars/Conferences

Worked as an organizer/focal person in:

- Two-day International Interdisciplinary Conference “Women Universities as Agents of Change, November 2010

Attended:

- International Conference “The Literary Present and The Postcolonial Condition” Nov. 2012 (IIUI)
- 25th International ELT Conference of the Society of Pakistan English Language Teachers (SPELT) 2009
- 21st International ELT Conference of the Society of Pakistan English Language Teachers (SPELT) 2005

Co-Curricular Activities

- Had been focal person for the Discipline Committee and Literary Committee of Literary Society, English Department, IIUI.
- Had been Joint Secretary of the Literary Society, English Department, IIUI.
- Organized various seminars and literary competitions for the department.
- 1st prize for designing the motto for English Literary Society at IIUI.

- Worked as the Joint Secretary of English Literary Society and organized events for English Department.
- Actively participated in extra curricular activities: story writing and poetry writing.
- Certificate of appreciation for setting up a stall for Iran in Cultural week at IIUI, 2007.