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Gender: Male **Nationality:** Pakistani

WORK EXPERIENCE

[04/05/2020]

Economics lecturer

University of Sahiwal

Country: Pakistan

- Teaching undergraduate courses of economics
- Supervision of undergraduate research projects
- Program team member, Quality Enhancement Cell (QEC)
- Other departmental and campus level duties

[06/02/2017 – 24/03/2020]

Lecturer

COMSATS University Islamabad, Vehari Campus

Country: Pakistan

- Teaching undergraduate courses of economics
- Supervision of undergraduate research projects
- Member of the Senate of the University
- Campus focal person, Hybrid learning program
- Other departmental and campus level duties

[28/09/2015 – 03/02/2017]

Customer Services Officer

Summit Bank Limited

City: Islamabad

Country: Pakistan

- Inter and intra-city clearing
- Other day-to-day banking operation

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

[04/09/2023 – Current]

PhD Applied Economics (In progress)

Nanjing University, China

City: Nanjing

Country: China

[2014 – 2016]

M.Phil. Economics [CGPA 3.7/4.0]

Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad

Country: Pakistan

- [2012 – 2014] **M.Sc. Economics [Marks 69%]**
Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad
Country: Pakistan
- [2009 – 2011] **Bachelor of Commerce [70%]**
Bahauddin Zakariya University Multan
Country: Pakistan
- [2006 – 2008] **Higher Secondary School Certificate [62%]**
Punjab College/BISE Multan
Country: Pakistan
- [2004 – 2006] **Secondary School Certificate [81%]**
English Pilot Secondary School
Country: Pakistan

COURSES AND WORKSHOPS

- [2023] **Getting Started with R**
A course offered by Coursera project network
Link: <https://coursera.org/verify/PJPD5F5N4YQB>
- [2023] **The Classical Linear Regression Model**
A course offered by Queen Mary University London
Link: <https://coursera.org/verify/8HWKFMR6SCRC>
- [2023] **Linear Regression and Modeling**
A course offered by Duke University
Link: <https://coursera.org/verify/2X3MM64DUF5B>
- [2023] **Topics in Applied Econometrics**
A course offered by Queen Mary University London
Link: <https://coursera.org/verify/XW42JLWLS3EV>
- [2023] **Data Analysis with R**
• Offered by IBM
Link: <https://coursera.org/verify/VLHSU59NHNGU>
- [2023] **Mediation Analysis with R**
A course offered by Coursera project network
Link: <https://coursera.org/verify/V8G5H5Y6C6DH>
- [2023] **Panel Data Analysis with R**
A course offered by Coursera project network
Link: <https://coursera.org/verify/BZRA874QPW9F>

[2023] **Creating Dashboards and Storytelling with Tableau**

1. Offered by University of California Davis
2. Fourth course of Specialization in data visualization with Tableau

Link: <https://coursera.org/share/1213d867b280f11f77ecd8e7eda4d52d>

[2023] **Visual Analytics with Tableau**

- Offered by University of California Davis
- Third course of Specialization in data visualization with Tableau

Link: <https://coursera.org/verify/FHYGYUJZAA3>

[2023] **Essential Design Principles for Tableau**

- Offered by University of California Davis
- Second course of Specialization in data visualization with Tableau

Link: <https://coursera.org/verify/QSMW7JL3U5VD>

[2023] **Fundamentals of Visualization with Tableau**

- Offered by University of California Davis
- First course of Specialization in data visualization with Tableau

Link: <https://coursera.org/verify/6C6296P26LLZ>

[11/12/2022] **ADB Policy Maker E-Training: Circular Economy**

A course offered by Asian Development Bank Institute

Link: <https://elearning-adbi.org/certificate-verifier/?&code=79714-167-069-9738>

[09/12/2022] **Circular Economy: Increasing Resource Efficiency and Designing Out Waste**

A course offered by Asian Development Bank Institute

Link: <https://elearning-adbi.org/certificate-verifier/?&code=79714-167-053-2853>

[11/12/2022] **Green Investments: Renewable Energy**

A course offered by Asian Development Bank Institute

Link: <https://elearning-adbi.org/certificate-verifier/?&code=79714-167-069-3790>

[28/09/2022] **Politics and Economics of International Energy**

A course by Science Po (Coursera)

Link: <https://coursera.org/verify/GCDXBYAAHAL>

[23/09/2019 – 24/09/2019] **Applied Econometrics Using STATA**

Conducted the workshop for research students of Economics as a resource person at COMSATS University Islamabad, Vehari Campus

[20/08/2019] **Spatial Econometrics**

Organized by School of Economics, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad

[16/07/2018 – 18/07/2018]

International Workshop on Applied Research in Multidisciplinary Economics and Multidimensional Well-being in Pakistan

Organized by School of Economics, QAU and UAJK, Pakistan

[18/05/2015] **Open Data Workshop**

Organized by World Bank Group at Serena hotel, Islamabad

[2021] **One-Day Training on QEC Assessment Process**

University of Sahiwal

[23/01/2018 – 25/01/2018] **Certificate of Professional Development (Blue-chip teaching)**

AREA OF RESEARCH

Research interests

- Economic Growth and Development
- Growth Convergence/Divergence Among Developing Countries
- Global Value Chains
- Climate Change and Energy

PUBLICATIONS

[2023]

Tourism Development and Environmental Sustainability in the European Union: Moderating Role of Institutional Governance

Reference: Nawaz, A., & Shakeel, M. (2023).

Published in "Green and Low-Carbon Economy"

[2023]

Renewable Energy Consumption in Sub-Saharan Africa: The Role of Human Capital, Foreign Direct Investment, Financial Development and Institutional Quality

Reference: Nawaz, A., & Rahman, M. M. (2023)

Published in "Energy Reports"

[2023]

From COVID to conflict: Understanding the deriving forces of environment and implications for natural resources

Reference: Resources Policy, 83, 103700.

Published in "Resources Policy"

[2023]

Global Value Chains Participation and Environmental Degradation in SAARC Economies

Published with SpringerNature in Environment, Development and Sustainability Journal

[2020] **Institutional Governance and Climate Change Nexus: A panel Data Analysis**

Nawaz, A., Majeed, M.T., & Siddique, H.M.A. (2020). Institutional Governance and Climate Change Nexus: A panel Data Analysis. Pakistan Journal of Applied Economics (PJAE), 30(2), 203-233

Link: <https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Ahmad-Nawaz-22>

[2020] **Governance and FDI in Selected SAARC Economies**

Adeel-Farooq, R. M., Khan, J., Nawaz, A., & Akram, K. (2020). Governance and FDI in Selected SAARC Economies. Pakistan Journal of Social Sciences (PJSS), 40(3), 1317- 1327.

Link: <https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Ahmad-Nawaz-22>

[2020]

Testing the Convergence Hypothesis in Solow Growth Model: A Statistical Evidence from SAARC Economies

Safdar, M. & Nawaz, A. (2020). Testing the Convergence Hypothesis in Solow Growth Model: A Statistical Evidence from SAARC Economies. Bulletin of Business and Economics, 9(2), 60-73.

Link: <https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Ahmad-Nawaz-22>

[2020]

The Nexus between Economic Growth, Trade Liberalisation, and Volatility Revisited: Empirical Evidence from the European Union Countries

Bari, K. M., Ali, S., Ahmad, R., & Nawaz, A. (2020). The Nexus between Economic Growth, Trade Liberalisation, and Volatility Revisited: Empirical Evidence from the European Union Countries. International Journal of Innovation, Creativity and Change (IJICC), 14(4), 883-896.

Link: <https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Ahmad-Nawaz-22>

[2016]

Trade Liberalization, Human Capital and Industrial Performance in Pakistan

Aftab, M. R., Ilyas, M., Nawaz, A., & Safdar, M. (2016). Trade Liberalization, Human Capital and Industrial Performance in Pakistan. Pakistan Journal of Social Sciences (PJSS), 36(1).

Link: <https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Ahmad-Nawaz-22>

[2016]

The Impact of Institutional Governance on Economic Growth: A Panel Data Analysis

Siddique, H. M. A, Nawaz, A. & Majeed, M.T. (2016). The Impact of Institutional Governance on Economic Growth: A Panel Data Analysis. Bulletin of Business and Economics, 5(4), 210-219.

Link: <https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Ahmad-Nawaz-22>

PROJECTS

[2019]

Sustainable Development Goals and Services Trade Policy: Evidence from Cross-Country Data

M.Sc. thesis supervised at COMSATS University Islamabad, Vehari Campus

[2018] **Energy Consumption, Economic Growth and Human Development**

M.Sc. thesis supervised at COMSATS University Islamabad, Vehari Campus

[2018] **Unemployment, Governance and Migration Flows: Evidence from Pakistan**

M.Sc. thesis supervised at COMSATS University Islamabad, Vehari Campus

[2017] **Impact of Financial Liberalization on Inflation: Case of Pakistan**

M.Sc. thesis supervised at COMSATS University Islamabad, Vehari Campus

[2017]

Impact of Trade Liberalization and Human Capital on Industrial Growth: Case of Pakistan

M.Sc. thesis supervised at COMSATS University Islamabad, Vehari Campus

[2015 – 2016]

The Impact of Institutions on Economic Growth and Climate Change: A Panel Data Analysis

My own thesis project, M.Phil. Economics

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

[25/02/2019 – 27/02/2019] **International Conference on Environmental Toxicology and Health**
COMSATS University Islamabad, Vehari Campus

[12/11/2018 – 13/11/2018] **International conference on Sustainability in Changing Environment**
COMSATS University Islamabad, Vehari Campus

NETWORKS AND MEMBERSHIPS

Services as a Reviewer

1. Reviewed a research paper for "Oxford University Press" (2022)
2. Reviewed a research paper for "Forum for Social Economics" (2022)

[Current] **Member, Editorial Board**

Forum for Economic and Financial Studies

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): Saraiki

Other language(s):

Urdu

LISTENING C2 READING C2 WRITING C2

SPOKEN PRODUCTION C2 SPOKEN INTERACTION C2

Panjabi; Punjabi

LISTENING C1 READING C1 WRITING B1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION B2 SPOKEN INTERACTION B2

English

LISTENING B2 READING C1 WRITING B2

SPOKEN PRODUCTION B2 SPOKEN INTERACTION B2

Chinese

LISTENING A2 READING A1 WRITING A1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION A2 SPOKEN INTERACTION A1

Arabic

LISTENING A1 READING A2 WRITING A1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION A1 SPOKEN INTERACTION A1

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

DIGITAL SKILLS

Stata Application | E-Views | Mandeley | Microsoft Powerpoint | Microsoft Word | Google Drive | Zoom | Outlook | LinkedIn | Google Docs | Tableau | LateX | R, R Studio, R Markdown

ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS

Time management

Working under pressure

Communication

Team work

HOBBIES AND INTERESTS

Travel, Cricket, Urdu Poetry

RECOMMENDATIONS

Vice Chancellor, University of Science and Technology, Bannu-Pakistan

Name: Professor Dr Khair uz Zaman

Email: vc@ustb.edu.pk

Ex-Director, COMSATS University Islamabad, Vehari Campus

Associate Professor in Economics, QAU Islamabad

Name: Dr Muhammad Tariq Majeed

Email: tariq@qau.edu.pk

M.Phil. research supervisor