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EDUCATION

Secondary School Certificate (Matric/Humanities), BISE, Saidu Sharif Swat

Higher Secondary School Certificate (Intermediate/Humanities), BISE, Saidu Sharif Swat

Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA), Communication Design, 1999, Art and Design, University of Peshawar

Master of Fine Arts (MFA), Communication Design, 2000, Art and Design, University of Peshawar

Ph D. Archaeology (Gandhara Art), 2017, University of Peshawar

CAREER/EXPERIENCE

Teaching & Administration:

1. **Lecturer**, Department of Art & Design, University of AJ&K, Muzaffarabad (Jan. 2005–Dec. 2006)
2. **Lecturer**, Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar (Dec. 2006–Feb. 2011–Feb. 2015)
3. **Assistant Prof.**, Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar (Feb. 2015–till date)
4. **Chairman**, Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar (Jan 10, 2017–2020)
5. **Resident Warden**, New Hostel Block-B, University of Peshawar (2007–2009)
6. **Resident Warden**, Khushal Khan Khattak (Hostel No. 1), University of Peshawar (2012–2016)
7. **Staff Proctor**, University of Peshawar (2012 – till date)
8. **Organizer**, Creative Arts Society, University of Peshawar (Feb 2019–till date)

Membership & Affiliation:

1. **Chairman, Review Committee “Drawing for Class 7”**, Directorate of Curriculum Research and Development (DCRD), Muzaffarabad, AJ&K. February, 2012
2. **MCQs Developer/Reviewer, National Testing Services (NTS) for Fine Arts**, December, 2014
3. **Member, Review Committee “Drawing Grades-4 & 5”**, KP Textbook Board, Peshawar, 2017
4. **Member, BoS**, Department of Art & Design, Hazara University, Mansehra (2016-19)
5. **Member, BoS**, Department of Textile & Fashion Design, Sarhad University of Science & Technology, Peshawar (2017-20)
6. **Subject Expert**, Department of Art and Design, FJ Women University, Rawalpindi (2019)
7. **Subject Expert**, Department of Art & Design, Women University, Swabi (2020)
8. **Subject Expert**, Pakhtunkhwa College of Arts, Abdul Wali Khan University, Mardan (2020)
9. **Member BoS**, Department of Art & Design, Hazara University, Mansehra (2020-23)
10. **Member BoS**, Department of Art & Design, AJ&K University, Muzaffarabad (2020-23)
11. **Member BoS**, Pakhtunkhwa College of Arts, AWK University, Mardan (2020-23)
12. **Member BoS**, Department of Art & Design, AJ&K University, Muzaffarabad (2023-25)
13. **Convener BoS**, Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar, Peshawar (2017-20)
14. **Reviewer, PUTAJ (Humanities and Social Sciences)**, University of Peshawar, Peshawar
15. **Reviewer, Journal of Design & Textile**, University of Management & Technology, Lahore
16. **Reviewer, Fashion Practice** (Journal of Design, Creative Process & the Fashion Industry), Taylor & Francis (Online)
17. **Member Editorial Board, Journal of Integration of Mankind and Society (IMS)**

18. **Member, Board of Faculty**, Faculty of Arts & Humanities, University of Peshawar, (2017-2023)
19. **Member ASRB**, Faculty of Arts & Humanities, University of Peshawar, (March 2022–March 2024)
20. **Member Graduate Studies Committee (GSC)**, Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar, Peshawar
21. **MCQs Developer/Reviewer**, KP Public Service Commission (KPPSC), March, 2025

Workshops:

1. **Recourse Person, “Workshop on Graphic Design”**, Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar. June 1–25, 2006
2. **Recourse Person, “Workshop on CorelDRAW and Adobe Photoshop”**, Department of Art and Design, College of Home Economics, University of Peshawar. February 1-15, 2007
3. **Recourse Person, “Workshop on Adobe Photoshop”**, Department of Art and Design, College of Home Economics, University of Peshawar. June, 2009
4. **Organizer, “5-Day Workshop on Communication Design and Print Production”**, Department of Art & Design, University of Peshawar. April 20-24, 2015
5. **Organized several Workshops, Seminars and Art Talks during the tenure as HoD (2017-20)**
Documented in: AKS – Newsletter Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar (10 issues)

SUBJECTS TEACHING

Communication Design, Islamic Art, Architecture & Calligraphy, Research Methodology, Archaeology

RESEARCH INTEREST

Gandhara Art, Visual Narration, Communication Design, Islamic and Indigenous Arts, Art Education

PUBLICATIONS (Peer-reviewed)

1. (2009). **A Journey of Stitches from Tradition to the Heritage: Swati Embroidery**, *Ancient Pakistan* (ISSN 0066-1600), Research Journal Department of Archaeology, University of Peshawar, Vol. XX, pp. 103-109.
2. (2010). **Symbolism in the Official Court Robes of Ch’ing Dynasty (1644-1911)**, *Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences (JHSS)* (ISSN 1024-0829), University of Peshawar, Vol. XVIII, No.1, pp. 89-101.
3. (2013). **Alternative Paradigm of Research in the Creative Arts and Design**, *PUTAJ, Humanities and Social Science* (ISSN 2219-245X), Research Journal of the Peshawar University Teachers’ Association (PUTA), University of Peshawar, Vol. 20, Golden Jubilee Number, pp. 357-69.
4. (2013) **Ghani Khan: The Poet-painter (1914-1996)**, *Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences (JHSS)* (ISSN 1024-0829), University of Peshawar, Vol. XXI, No.2, pp. 63-72.
5. (2015) **The Choice of Characters in Buddha's Life Story - Traits and Imagery**, *Ancient Pakistan* (ISSN 0066-1600), Research Journal Department of Archaeology, University of Peshawar, Vol. XX, pp. 119-29.
6. (2015). **The Changing Perspective of Art Education in Pakistan**, *PUTAJ, Humanities and Social Science* (ISSN 2219-245X), Research Journal of the Peshawar University Teachers’ Association (PUTA), University of Peshawar, Vol. 22, pp. 203-214.
7. (2017) **The Tradition of Buddhist Narrative Illustration in the Swat Valley**, *Ancient Pakistan* (ISSN 0066-1600), Research Journal Department of Archaeology, University of Peshawar, Vol. XXVIII, pp. 119-29.
8. (2020). **Chronicling Graphic Design Trends of Pakistan Postage Stamps (1948–2018)**, *PUTAJ* (ISSN 2219-245X), Research Journal of the Peshawar University Teachers’ Association (PUTA), University of Peshawar, Vol. 27(2), pp. 95-119.

CONFERENCE PAPERS

- (2013, June 6). **Art Education in Pakistan**, paper read in the International Conference on *the Role of Academic Staff Associations in the Promotion of Higher Education*, held in Bara Gali Summer Campus, Peshawar University, organized by PUTA (6-8 June, 2013).
- (2021, January 22). **Calligraphy Education in Pakistan: Atelier versus Academia**, paper read in *Raqs-e-Qalam (Dancing Pen)*; First Virtual International Exhibition and Conference on the Silk Road Calligraphy, organized by UNESCO and Iranian National Commission for UNESCO (21-23 January, 2021). <https://gallery.irunesco.org/en/conference-schedule-raqs-e-qalam/>; <https://gallery.irunesco.org/en/muhammad-sheer-ali-khan-2/>

OTHER PUBLICATIONS & CREATIVE WRITINGS

1. (2008, March 17). **Painting the Poet**. *The News International* (Pakistan).
2. (2008, March). **غني خان په حيث د يو انځورگر** Ghani Khan as an Artist (Pashto), Monthly *The Pakhtun*.
3. (2017, February). **The Development of Art and Art Education in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa**, *AKS – Newsletter Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar*, Vol. 1, Issue 1.
4. (2017, August). **Pioneers and Heads of Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar – I**, *AKS – Newsletter Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar*, Vol. 1, Issue 2.
5. (2017, October). **Pioneers and Heads of Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar – II**, *AKS – Newsletter Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar*, Vol. 1, Issue 3.
6. (2018, February). **Zain-ul-Abedin**, *AKS – Newsletter Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar*, Vol. 1, Issue 4.
7. (2018, August). **Prof. Jamila Zaidi**, *AKS – Newsletter Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar*, Vol. 1, Issue 5.
8. (2018, November). **Rafiq Hussain**, *AKS – Newsletter Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar*, Vol. 1, Issue 6.
9. (2019, February). **Mushtaq Ahmed**, *AKS – Newsletter Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar*, Vol. 1, Issue 7.
10. (2019, October). **Ghazala Misbah**, *AKS – Newsletter Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar*, Vol. 1, Issue 9.
11. (2020, March). **Saeed Ullah Babar**, *AKS – Newsletter Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar*, Vol. 1, Issue 10.

DESIGN CAMPAIGNS AND EXHIBITIONS

A: Design Campaigns:

1. Part of Designers' Team for designing **Textbooks of Biology (Class 9 & 10)**, KP Textbook Board, Peshawar (2004-05).
2. (2011). **اسم مقدس الله کا عکس کائنات میں**, *Layout and Design of Ghazal Misbah monograph*.
3. (2011). **The Reflection of Allah's Names in the Universe**, *Layout and Design of Ghazal Misbah monograph*.
4. (2017-19). **Aks**, 10 issues of *Newsletter Department of Art and Design*.
5. (2019). **Mirror of Society**, *Bilingual Students Magazine (University of Peshawar)*. Vol. 1.
6. (2019). **Mirror of Society**, *Bilingual Students Magazine (University of Peshawar)*. Vol. 2.

B: Exhibitions:

7. (2017, November 25). **Foundation Day Art Exhibition**, held in Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar.
8. (2019, March 19). **1st Pushkalavati Painting Competition & Exhibition** organized by Local Government, Charsadda, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
9. (2019, October 23-25). **1st Alumni Art and Design Exhibition on International Artist Day Celebrations 2019**, held in Department of Art and Design, University of Peshawar from October 23 to 25.
10. (2019, October 23-25). **33rd Annual Art Exhibition & 16th National Art Exhibition 2019**, organized by Artists Association of Punjab.
11. (2019, October 25). **1st KP Artist Painting Exhibition 2019-20**, organized by Department of Architecture, City University and KP Artists Association, held in City University, Peshawar.