

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

Degree	Year	Institution	Major
M.A. Archaeology	2009	University of Peshawar	Archaeology
Ph.D. Archaeology	2020	University of Peshawar	Gandhara Art

Academic Distinction

- Gold Medalist, M.A. Archaeology (Session 2007–2009)

CURRENT POSITION

Assistant Curator-cum-Lecturer

Sir Sahibzada Abdul-Qayyum Museum of Archaeology, Department of Archaeology, University of Peshawar

Tenure: February 2012 – Present

ADDITIONAL ROLES & MEMBERSHIPS

- Graduate Studies Advisor (GSA), Department of Archaeology, University of Peshawar (2019-2022)

- **Member, Advisory Board, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Antiquities Act**(2025-present)
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Ph.D. RESEARCH

Title: *Clothing Traditions of Ancient Uḍḍiyāna: As Evident from the Buddhist Sculptures in Swat, Pakistan (4th Century BC–10th Century CE)*

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

- **Tracing The British Legacy in Khyber, A Study of The Ali Masjid Fort, Migration Letters**, Vol. 21, issue No. 7 ,May 2024. [Link](#)
 - **Mughal Monuments at Palosi Piran, Peshawar:** Report on Its Recent Conservation and Restoration 2021-22 (Co-author), *Pakistan Heritage*, Vol. 16, 2024. [Link](#)
 - **Feminine Charm and Adornments** A Survey of Selected Female Figures (Co-author), *Pakistan Heritage*, Vol. 15, 2023. [Link](#)
 - **Narrative Relief Panels from Amlukdara (Swat), Excavation 2019 2020:** Reidentification and Reinterpretation. *Pakistan Heritage*, Vol. 14, 2022. [Link](#)
 - **Tracing the Traditions of Sartorial Art in Indo-Pak Sub-Continent, Pakistan Heritage**, Vol. 12, 2020. [Link](#)
 - **Tripartite Cape of Buddha**, a case study of a stucco bust from shnaisha site, Swat-Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, *Gandharan Studies*, Vol. 13, 2019. [Link](#)
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HONORS & CERTIFICATES

- **Certificate of Appreciation**, for service as Focal Person, PEC KP Gender Volunteer Programme (Election Commission of Pakistan)
 - **International Visitor Leadership Program (IVLP):** “Emerging Archive Technologies,” USA (Nov 18 – Dec 6, 2024)
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CONFERENCES (Speaker/Presenter)

- **3rd International Conference on the Buddhist Heritage of Pakistan: Exploring the Buddhist Heritage of Pakistan through Multidisciplinary Research.** Taxila Institute of Archaeology and Civilizations, Quaid Azam University Islamabad (May 19-23, 2026) Islamabad.
- **National Conference” Past Meets Present: A Scientific Exploration of Archaeological Sites & Sustainable Tourism in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Department** of Archaeology and Tourism & Hotel Management, University of Peshawar (18-21 Aug 2025), Bara Gali Summer Campus of Peshawar University.
- **National Conference “Heritage and Hospitality: Exploring Archaeological & Tourism Prospects in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa”** Department of Archaeology and Tourism & Hotel Management, University of Peshawar (August 16-18th 2024). Bara Gali Summer Campus of Peshawar University.

- **International Virtual Conference, *Gandhara Heritage and Buddhism in Asia***, Centre for Culture and Development & ICOM (May 22, 2021)
- **Gandhara Festival**, UNESCO & Centre for Culture and Development (Oct 5–9, 2021) Taxila Museum, Islamabad.
- **International Conference on Recent Archaeological Discoveries**, KP Directorate of Archaeology (May 13–15, 2016), Islamabad.
- **43rd Annual Conference on South Asia**, Madison, Wisconsin, USA (Oct 16–19, 2014)

PROFESSIONAL TRAININGS & WORKSHOPS

- **Emergency Conservation of Clay, Stucco, and Terracotta**, Indiana University & Peshawar Museum (Sept 2–6, 2024)
- **3D Digitization for Heritage Conservation**, Indiana University & Peshawar Museum (July 22–26, 2024)
- **DIGA Training Program**, Ruhr University Bochum, Germany (Jan 15–18, 2023)
- **Community-Based Inventorying Workshop**, KP Culture & Tourism Authority & UNESCO (Nov 25–27, 2021)
- **DIGA Workshop**, , Ruhr University Bochum, Germany, Chakdara Museum (Oct 25 – Nov 18, 2021)
- **Textile Objects Conservation Workshop**, Lok Virsa & Hazara University (May 18, 2019)
- **Digitization of Cultural Property Workshop**, Govt. of Pakistan (May 3–4, 2019)
- **Faculty Mentoring Workshops (AIPS)**, at LUMS and Islamabad (2015)
- **IP Rights & Patent Filing**, ORIC, University of Peshawar (June 4, 2015)
- **Certified Training Program for Lecturers**, University of Peshawar (2014–15)
- **Teaching Practicum Module**, University of Peshawar (April 2–8, 2014)
- **Presiding Officer Training**, ECP – General Election 2013
- **Museological Heritage Management Training**, Peshawar Museum (Feb–Mar 2013)
- **Seminar on Archaeological Developments**, Peshawar Museum (May 15, 2012)
- **Leadership & Ethics Training**, Pakistan Academy for Rural Development (April 23–27, 2012)

REFERENCES

- **Prof. Muhammad Farooq Swati**
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