

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Objective

I would love to become a team member of a professional organization with a demanding and challenging work environment.

Education

- **PhD in Archaeology** 2024 (CGPA, 3.8/4.00)
Department of Archaeology, University of Peshawar, KPK, Pakistan
- **MPhil in Archaeology** (Cultural Heritage Management) 2018 (CGPA, 3.7/4.00)
Department of Archaeology, University of Peshawar, KPK, Pakistan
- **Master in Political Science** 2010 (2nd Division)
University of Peshawar, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan
- **Master in Archaeology** 2008 (1st Division)
Department of Archaeology, University of Peshawar, KPK, Pakistan
- **Bachelor of Arts** 2005 (2nd Division)
Govt. College Peshawar, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan
- **FA (Arts)** 2003 (1st Division)
Govt. College Peshawar, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan
- **Matric (Science)** 2001 (1st Division)
Govt. Higher Secondary School No.1, Peshawar Cantt. KPK, Pakistan

Professional / Teaching Experience

(From May 2025 to date 2026)

- Currently working as a Lecturer, Department of Archaeology, Tourism & Hotel Management, University of Peshawar, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan

(From Sep- 2024 to May- 2025)

- Worked as a Lecturer (Visiting), Department of Archaeology, Tourism & Hotel Management, University of Peshawar, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan

(From Nov-2011 to Dec-2022)

- Worked as a Lecturer, Department of Archaeology at the University of Malakand, Chakdara Dir (L) Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan

(From Nov- 2011 to Oct- 2018)

- Worked as a Visiting Lecturer Department of Tourism & Hotel Management, University of Malakand, Chakdara, Dir Lower Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan

(From April- 2008 to May- 2010)

- Worked as a Visiting Lecturer, (Evening Shift) Institute of Fine Arts, University Town, Affiliated with University of Peshawar, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan

Administrative Experience

(From September 2024 to date)

- Working as Coordinator (BS) Programme, Department of Archaeology, Tourism & Hotel Management, University of Peshawar

(From Nov- 2011 to Dec- 2022)

- Head of the Department of Archaeology, University of Malakand

(From March -2014 to Dec- 2018)

- Incharge/ Director of the Directorate of Students Societies, University of Malakand

(From July -2017 to Sep- 2022)

- In-charge of the Admission Committee Department of Archaeology, University of Malakand

(From April- 2014 to Dec- 2022)

- Staff Proctor Department of Archaeology, University of Malakand

(From Oct- 2017 to Dec- 2022)

- Semester Coordinator (BS) Department of Archaeology, University of Malakand

(From July- 2018 to Dec 2022)

- Focal Person of Quality, Enhancement Cell, Department of Archaeology, University of Malakand

(From July- 2016 to Dec 2022)

- Member of the Purchase Committee, Department of Archaeology, University of Malakand

(From Aug 2017 to Dec 2022)

- Member of an online survey of students for course evaluation and teacher evaluation, Department of Archaeology, University of Malakand

(From July -2012 to Oct 2020)

- Member of the Purchase Committee, Department of Tourism & Hotel Management, University of Malakand

(From Oct- 2017 to Dec 2022)

- Convener of the students' attendance and discipline committee, Department of Archaeology, University of Malakand

(From March- 2014 to Dec 2022)

- Designed Courses (Curriculum for (BS 4-Year) & Master levels of Department of Archaeology, Tourism, and Hotel Management, University of Malakand

Field Experience (Excavations & Conservation)

(From June- 2011 to Nov- 2011)

- I worked as a Gallery Assistant at Dir Museum Chakdara, Directorate of Archaeology & Museum, Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar

(From June- 2010 to June- 2011)

- I worked in the conservation of the Historic Sethi House and Ali Mardan Khan Villa under the supervision of Madam Lari, a joint project of the Heritage Foundation of Pakistan and the Directorate of Archaeology & Museums, Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar

(From July- 2008 to July- 2009)

- I worked as an Internee at Peshawar Museum, Peshawar, Directorate of Archaeology & Museums, Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar

(From May- 2008 to June- 2008)

- I worked as a Field Assistant at Thatta Monuments/ Makli Hills, Sindh, Pakistan, under the supervision of Prof. Dr. Muhammad Naeem Qazi

(From Oct- 2007 to April 2008)

- I worked as a Trench Supervisor in the excavation at Gor Khuttree Historic Site Directorate of Archaeology & Museums Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar, under the supervision of Prof. Dr. Gul Rahim Khan.

(From July- 2007 to Sep- 2007)

- I worked in the City Museum, Gor Khuttree, Peshawar, under the supervision of Mr. Imtiaz Khattak (Incharge of City Museum Gor Khuttree).

(From Jan -2007 to June- 2007)

- I worked as a Student Archaeologist in the excavation at Kashmir Smast Mardan of the Department of Archaeology, University of Peshawar, under the supervision of Prof. Dr. Muhammad Nasim Khan

(From March- 2006 to April- 2006)

- I participated as a student archaeologist in the excavation at Gor Khuttree Historic Site of the Department of Archaeology, University of Peshawar, under the supervision of Prof. Dr. Zakirullah Jan.

Member of different Academics Bodies

(From Feb- 2013 to Dec- 2022)

- Member of the Board of Studies of the Department of Archaeology, University of Malakand

(From June- 2016 to Oct- 2020)

Member of the Board of the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Malakand

Co-Curriculum Activities of the Students' Societies

(From March- 2013 to Dec- 2022)

- Organizer, Cultural Heritage Students Society, University of Malakand

(From Oct- 2017 to Dec- 2022)

- In-charge of the Students' Tours/ Study trips of the Department of Archaeology, University of Malakand, to various Historical and archaeological sites in Pakistan

(From Feb- 2012 to Oct- 2017)

- Conducted Tours of the Department of Tourism & Hotel Management, University of Malakand, to different Archaeological Museums and Historic sites in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa & Pakistan

(From July- 2017 to Dec- 2022)

- In-charge of the Sports activities of the Department of Archaeology, University of Malakand

(2014 and 2015)

- Participated in Swat Educational Expo 2014 (organized by the University of Swat) and Social Sciences Educational Expo 2015 (organized by the Abdul Wali Khan University Mardan), Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, at Pak-China Center, Islamabad, to represent the University of Malakand

(From March- 2014 to Dec- 2018)

- Organized different events related to Educational, Cultural, and Social activities for the promotion of student Societies

Research Supervision

(Session 2022 to 2026)

- Supervised (20) students at BS (4-Year) levels of the Department of Archaeology and Tourism & Hotel Management, University of Malakand

(Session 2021 to 2025)

- Supervised (21) students at BS (4-Year) levels of the Department of Archaeology and Tourism & Hotel Management, University of Malakand

(Session 2018 to 2022)

- Supervised (29) students at BS (4-Year) levels of the Department of Archaeology, University of Malakand

(Session 2017 to 2021)

- Supervised (33) students at BS (4-Year) levels of the Department of Archaeology, University of Malakand

(Session 2011 to 2016)

- Supervised (15) students at the Master's level of the Department of Tourism & Hotel Management, University of Malakand

(Session 2008 to 2010)

- Supervised (05) students of (BFA) Bachelor of Fine Arts, Institute of Fine Arts, University of Town Peshawar, affiliated with the University of Peshawar, Pakistan

Research Publications

- *Exploring the Unique Features of Azes- I Coins in Gandhara: An Additional Note*, in International Journal of Social Sciences Bulletin Volume 4, Issue 6, 2026, PP. 808-821, ISSN (E) 3007-1917 (P) 3007-1909
- Transforming Tourist Experiences: The Role of Virtual Reality in Enhancing Tourism and Hospitality in Peshawar Journal (PAKISTAN HERITAGE 17 (2025), pp 147-156, ISSN 2708-2237 (Online) ISSN 2073-641X (Print) Department of Archaeology, Hazara University Mansehra, Pakistan.
- Economic Impact Of Adaptive Reuse Of Sethi Haveli Complex As Cultural Activities Hub in the Lahore Museum Bulletin, PP. 32-38, Vols. xxxvii & xxxviii, Nos. 1 & 2 Jan. 2024 - Dec.2025.
- A Note on the Indo-Scythians Pottery from Shaikhan Dheri Charsadda Gandhara in International Journal of Social Sciences Bulletin Volume 3, pp. 925-941, Issue 3, 2025, ISSN (E) 3007-1917 (P) 3007-1909).
- The Indo-Scythian Dominance in Gandhara From 1st Century BCE to the Beginning of 1st Century CE: An Analysis of their Political History, in International Journal of Social Sciences Bulletin Volume 3, pp. 136-150, Issue 5, 2025, ISSN (E) 3007-1917 (P) 3007-1909)
- Pattan Munara Or Minara - The History in Oblivion, Journal of Social Science Review Archives, Volume: 3, No: 1, January- March 2025, pp. 1034-1055, ISSN online: 3006-4708, ISSN print: 3006-4694.
- Some Stucco Sculptures from Stratified Excavations in Gandhara Journal (PAKISTAN HERITAGE 16 (2024), pp 01-12, Department of Archaeology, Hazara University Mansehra, Pakistan.
- A Note on the Depiction of Deities Portraiture on Maues Coins in Gandhara Journal Remittances Review August 2024, Volume: 9, No: 4, pp. 1749-1759, ISSN: 2059-6588 (Print) ISSN 2055- 6596 (Online)
- From Bactria to Gandhara: A Note on the Kushano-Sasanian History', in the Lahore Museum Bulletin, Vols. XXXVI, No. 1 & 2, January to December 2023
- The Indo-Scythians: Master of War and their Weapons in Gandhara Remittances Review January 2024 Volume: 9, No: 1, pp.1002-1024 ISSN: 2059-6588 (Print) ISSN 2059-6596 (Online)
- Heritage at Risk, Haveli Avtar Singh; An Architectural Splendor, Journal (PAKISTAN HERITAGE 15 (2023), Department of Archaeology, Hazara University of Mansehra, Pakistan.
- The Significance of the Unique Stone Toilet Trays: Indo-Scythian Period Sirkap, Taxila, Palarch's Journal of Archaeology of Egypt/Egyptology Vol. 20 No. (2) (2023), pp 2163-2178. ISSN 1567-214X.
- Exploring the early Political History of the Indo-Scythian in Gandhara with special reference to Maues Palarch's Journal of Archaeology of Egypt/Egyptology Vol. 20 No. (2) (2023), pp 1179-1189. ISSN 1567-214X.
- Maues Coins: Exploring the Significance of Animals Symbolism and Analysis, Journal of Global Social Sciences Review (GSSR) Vol. VIII, No. I (Winter 2023) Pages: 212 – 223 ISSN (Online): 2520-0348 ISSN (Print): 2616-793X ISSN (Linkage): 2520-034

- The Lime Compositions for Traditional Buildings Restoration and Decorating Journal Palarch's Journal of Archaeology of Egypt/Egyptology (PJAEE, 19 (01) (2022): pp. 33-48
- A Coin Hoard of Samantadeva in the Sub-Regional Office (SRO, Peshawar Museum Journal (PAKISTAN HERITAGE 13 (2021): pp. 23-35, Department of Archaeology, Hazara University of Mansehra, Pakistan
- Wooden Ornamentation Conservation in Traditional Buildings of Peshawar: An Approach through the Guidelines of Venice Charter 1964 (Icomos)', Ilkogretim Online - Journal Elementary Education Online, 2021; Vol 20 (Issue 3): pp. 2519-2531 <http://ilkogretim-online.org> doi: 10.17051/ilk online. 2021.03.287

Participated in International and National Conferences, Seminars/ Workshops
▪ Participated in 02 days workshop for the Faculty of the University of Peshawar on the use of Artificial Intelligence in Teaching and Research, organized by the Centre for Human Resource & Career Development, December 2-4, 2025, at the University of Peshawar, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan ▪ Participated in 04 days National conference on Past Meets Present (A Scientific Exploration of Archaeological sites and Sustainable Tourism in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa) organized by the Department of Archaeology, Tourism and Hotel Management, University of Peshawar, from 18th to 21st August 2025 at Bara Gali Summer Camp, University of Peshawar ▪ Participated in 05 (Five) days of Active Citizens Training of Facilitators, organized by the British Council at the University of Malakand from 14-18 September 2015 ▪ Indigenous On-Campus Training Workshop of Administrative Staff on “Financial Status of the University of Malakand” organized by the Directorate of Quality Enhancement Cell, in collaboration with the Higher Education Commission, Pakistan, held at the University of Malakand, from 5th to 6th, August 2015. ▪ Indigenous On-Campus Training Workshop of Administrative Staff on “Management for Executive” organized by the Directorate of Quality Enhancement Cell, in collaboration with the Higher Education Commission, Pakistan, held at the University of Malakand, from 1st to 3rd April 2015. ▪ Indigenous On-Campus Training Workshop of Administrative Staff on “Finance, Audit, and Psycho-social Approach” organized by the Directorate of Quality Enhancement Cell, in collaboration with Higher Education Commission, Pakistan, held at the University of Malakand, from 4th -6th March 2015. ▪ Participated in the 3rd National Academic Expo-2014, organized by the University of Swat at Udigram Campus from 27-28 May 2014 ▪ Indigenous On-Campus Training Workshop of Administrative Staff on “Good Governance” organized by the Directorate of Quality Enhancement Cell, in collaboration with the Higher Education Commission, Pakistan, held at the University of Malakand, from 17-21, November 2014. ▪ International Conference on “Latest Archaeological Investigation in Pakistan” held from 13th to 15th November 2012, Golden Jubilee Celebrations (1962 – 2012) organized by the Department of Archaeology, University of Peshawar, in Collaboration with HEC. ▪ International Conference on 1st Centenary of the Peshawar Museum, Peshawar, and for attending the International Conference on Frontier Archaeology held on 8th –10th January 2007, organized by Directorate of Archaeology & Museums, Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar.

Skills/ Abilities
▪ Archaeological Survey and Excavation techniques and site recording ▪ Supervise Conservation Work (Sethi House and Ali Mardan Khan Villa) ▪ Report writing and academic publishing ▪ Planning and managing excavation projects ▪ Communication and Interpersonal Skills ▪ Team Leadership and Management ▪ Computer (MS Office & Windows)

Languages
Pashto, Urdu, and English

References
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