

*Resume*  
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### **Academic Qualification:**

**Ph.D:** (Punjabi Sufism) University of the Punjab, Pakistan (2002).

**Post Doctorate:** Sufi narrative in British colonial period, Uppsala University, Sweden (2018).

**M.A:** PUNJABI LITERATURE (1990), URDU LITERATURE (1992)

**Diploma** In Hindi( 2002), Sindhi( 2006) & Persian( 2013) from University of the Punjab, Lahore  
**Certified** from Harvard University, USA (2019) in Sikhism through Its Scriptures

**Languages Proficiency:** Punjabi (Gurmukhi, Shahmukhi, Roman, Sindhi and Devnagri scripts),  
Urdu, Hindi, Sindhi, Persian & English

### **Area of Interest:**

Classical and modern Punjabi literature, Sufism, Sufi orders (specially Qadri & Chishti order)  
Cultural Studies, Common Cultural Heritage of Subcontinent, Sociological study of literature,  
Feminism, Lexicology, Literary translations and textual research.

### **Teaching Experience**

- Visiting Professor at Institute of Linguistic & Philology, Uppsala University, Sweden. (April 2018 to September 2018)
- 25 years teaching experience of Punjabi Literature Specially Sufism, Sociological Studies of Classical and Modern Punjabi Literature, Historical Research methodology, Textual Research and Criticism, History of Punjabi Language and Literature in University of the Punjab, Lahore.
- Special lectures on Sufi tradition in Punjabi Literature and future of Punjabi Language at LUMS, Collage of Art & Design P.U, AIOU Islamabad and Stockhdam Sweden.
- Hindi Language at Ph.D. level in Urdu Department, Government College University Lahore (2007)
- Punjabi Language to probationary officers of Pakistan Administrative Services in Public Policy Civil Services Academy, Lahore in 2016, 2020 & 2021.

### **Administrative & Professional Experience:**

- Vice Chancellor University of Jhang (additional charge from 2<sup>nd</sup> August to 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov, 2022)
- Director, Institute of Punjabi & Cultural Studies, University of the Punjab, Lahore from Jan 2021 till date.
- Chairperson, Punjabi Department, University Oriental College from August 2017 to Jan 2021.

- Convener Board of Studies Punjabi from 2017 to date
- Member Board of Governor, Punjab Institute of Language, Art & Culture, 2018 to date.
- 15 years experience of Hall council management.
- Acted as an expert in Interview for the selection Board of Lecturer, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor and Professor in Kinnarid College for women, Punjab Public Service Commission, Government College University Faisalabad, Lahore College for Women University, Islamia University, Bahawalpur.
- Member Senate at University of the Punjab. 2004-2007, 2010 to date

### **International Research Projects As Principal Investigator:**

- Female punjabi writers in Pakistan (An anthology of devotion and identity), Kalam Foundation, Canada
- Message of humanity and harmony in Guru Granth Sahib (A book for Pakistani readers), European Punjabi Sath Walsall, UK

### **Research Projects Evaluation Experience**

- Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada. Jan, 2017
- Member Punjab University Research Evaluation Committee 2012-2016
- Research Projects on Punjabi Language & Literature Higher Education Commission (HEC), Pakistan 2016, 2018, 2019.

### **Research Publications:**

#### **Books**

- **Masalay Sheikh Farid Ji kay** (Textual Criticism) University of the Punjab, Lahore (2021)
- **Sikh Dharam baray 20 Mintan Di Jankari** (Punjabi Translation of S. Gain Singh Sandhu's Book "Twenty-minute Guide to the Sikh faith), Saanjh Publications, Lahore (2021)
- **Pakistani Punjabi Hass Rasi Shairi** (Humorous and satiric Punjabi poetry of Pakistan, Introduction, importance & Text) Punjab University Chandigarh, India. 2021
- **Punajbi Adbi Te Tanqeedi Istllahan** (Literary Terminology of Punjabi Language), University of the Punjab, Lahore. 2013
- **Ramz Wajood Wanjawan De** (Classical Punjabi Poetry of Faqir Qadir Bakhsh Bedal, Monograph & textual research), Punjab Institute of Language, Art & Culture, Lahore. 2010
- **Kalam Peer Fazal Gujrati** (Poetry of Peer Fazal Gujrati, Monograph & Textual Research), 2010, 2019 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, Sangat Publishers, Lahore.
- **Gurumukhi/Shahmukhi (Script Reading & Writing)**, 2007-2013, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, Sangat Publishers, Lahore.
- **Lahu Lahu Punjab** (Urdu Translation of Punjabi (Gurumukhi) historical book – 1919 da Punjab by Joginder Shamsher) 2005, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition 2021, Sangat Publishers, Lahore.
- **Husan Jamal Ghazal Da** (Research & Criticism), Life and Poetic Contribution of Peer Fazal Gujrati (Awarded by Maqsood khaddar Posh Trust), 1998
- **Diwan-e-Imam Bakhsh** (Textual Research)-(In Process)
- **Kalaam Meeran Bheekh Chisti** (Monograph, Textual Research & Criticism) (In Process)
- **Talash-e-Fareed, Guru Garanth Sahib mein se** (urdu Translation of Guru Garanth Sahib walay Sheikh Farid di Bhaal by Prof. Pritam Singh)-(In Process)

### **Articles**

75 Research Articles in journals of international repute in the field of “Sufism, Orientalism, feminism, textual criticism, sociological studies of Punjabi literature and some Monographs.

### **Prefaces/Flaps & Reviews**

Written 25 prefaces /flaps of literary & historic books and reviewed many research work

### **Distinction and Honours**

- Dr. Darshan Singh Bains Memorial Award, World Punjabi Conference & Kalm Foundation, Canada July, 2021
- Life time achievement award by World Punjabi Conference and Kalam Foundation, Canada (2021)
- Certificate of appreciation – Jagat Punjabi Sabha, Ontario. Canada. July, 2019
- Certificate of appreciation - Kendri Sahit Sabha, Wolver Hampton, U.K. 2018
- Torch Bearer of change award, Unique group of institutions, Pakistan 8<sup>th</sup> March on women’s day (2018)
- Role of Honor Awarded by - Kalam Foundation, Canada, 20 June 2015
- Baba Farid Award - Punjabi university ,Patiala, India, 2012
- Mata Darshan Kaur Award - Punjabi Adbi Sangat Literary Society of Canada. 2012
- Khalsa Heritage Award - Punjabi University Patiala, India, 2004
- Sharif Kunjahi Award - Writers Club Gujrat, 1999
- Masood Khadar Posh Award - Lahore 1999
- Pride of performance for best debater of the year, Pakistan Bright Youth Council, 1990
- Masood Khadar Posh Scholarship, 1989
- Role of Honor - Best Performance in Cultural Activities, Punjab University, Lahore 1989
- Role of Honor - Best Debater (national level) Pakistan Bright Youth Council, Lahore, 1989.
- Role of Honor - Best debater, University Oriental College, Lahore, 1989
- Role of Honor - Best performance in W.G activities, Govt. Islamia College for women
- Eidgah Road Faisalabad 1987
- 4 Books and 2 article is a part of syllabus as reference material in M.A (Gender Studies) BS(Punjabi) M.Phil and CSS Examinations
- 2nd position (M.A) in University of the Punjab 1989-90

### **Conferences/Seminars**

- Presented research papers in 30 national or international conferences and seminars
- Participated and attended 25 conferences and seminars held in various Universities & Organizations in Pakistan in the capacity of delegate/discussant.
- Organized & Conducted national & international conferences/Seminars and so many literary functions in Punjab university, Lahore.

### **Curriculum Development / Syllabus Designing**

- Chairperson B.S (Punjabi Language & Literature) & Associate degree of Arts (Punjabi Minor) Syllabus Committee, 2018-2019.
- Designed syllabus for M.A Punjabi semester system 2002, (Gurumukhi and Sociology), Punjabi Department Punjab University, Lahore

- Designed syllabus for Ph.D. (Sociological study of Punjabi Literature), Punjabi Department, Punjab University, Lahore
- Member syllabus committee HEC (BS) Punjabi 2015

### **Memberships of Literary Forums**

- Chairperson Qalam Foundation, Canada (Pakistan Chapter)
- Chairperson pak Punjabi Adbi Council, Pakistan
- Member Maan Boli parchaar committee,(regd), Pakistan

### **Editorial / Reviewer Experience**

- Chief Editor of “Punjab Culture” Research Journal for six months, Institute of Punjabi & Cultural Studies, University of the Punjab, Lahore
- Editor “KHOJ” Research Journal for six months, Institute of Punjabi & Cultural Studies, University of the Punjab, Lahore 2016 to date
- Honorary editor, “Kikly” First Feminist Magazine in Punjabi Language, Kalam Foundation Canada (Pakistan Chapter- 2017)
- Member Editorial Board, International Journal of Punjabi Literature, Canada,
- Member Editorial Board, Oriental College Magazine, (January 2005 to date.)
- Member Faculty News, University of the Punjab, Lahore, Pakistan. (2005 - 2006)
- Member Editorial Board, Six Monthly "KHOJ" Research journal, Department of Punjabi Language & Literature, University of the Punjab, Lahore. (From Jan. 1995)
- Member Editorial Board Three Monthly "PUNJABI" magazine, Bazm-e-Faqir, Lahore, Pakistan. (2001 - 2003)
- Member Students magazine "SHARQ", University Oriental College, Lahore. (1988-1989)
- Reviewer for the journal “Oriental College Magazine ”, (2010) “Sangar Mall” (2012, 13)
- Examiner of M.Phil & Ph.D in Pakistan and Universities of Eastern Punjab (India)

### **Research Supervision**

- Ph.d Thesis 17(completed) 4 (on going)
- M.Phil: Thesis 16 (Completed)
- M.A: Thesis 54 (Completed)

### **Countries Visited**

- Canada, India, UAE, Sweden, Spain, Denmark, Holland, U.K, Finland, Estonia